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## **EDUCATION**

#### **DREXEL UNIVERSITY**

Doctor of Philosophy in Computer Science June 2027 | Philadelphia, PA

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN PHYSICS
BACHELOR OF ARTS IN MATHEMATICS

Honors Program

June 2022 | Philadelphia, PA

## **HKU (EXCHANGE STUDENT)**

Sep-Dec 2018 | Hong Kong, HK

**GPA: 3.76** 

**MATH GPA: 3.75** 

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

## COLLEGE OF COMPUTING AND INFORMATICS

**Teaching Assistant** 

Sept 2022 – Present | Philadelphia
TA for Introduction to Computer Science (Fall 2022).

#### **DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS**

Mathematics Teaching Assistant, MRC Tutor

July 2020 – Present | Philadelphia, (Remote) One on one tutoring to help Drexel Undergraduate Students enrolled in introductory to advanced mathematics courses.

TA for Linear Algebra II, (Winter 2021,2022), Discrete Mathematics(Fall 2021), Combinatorics (Fall 2021).

## **PRESENTATIONS**

#### **GASEOUS ELECTRONICS CONFERENCE**

October 2020 | Virtual

DFTB+ simulation of  $B_xN_y$  species formation for boron nitride nanotubes synthesis

Abstract Link

## STAR SCHOLARS POSTER SESSION August

2018 | Philadelphia

Building GEANT4 Simulations of the Drexel Bubble Chamber for Dark Matter Detection

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## **PUBLICATIONS**

- [1] Omesh Dhar Dwivedi and Darij Grinberg. On the rank of hankel matrices over finite fields. *Linear Algebra and its Applications*, 641:156–181, May 2022.
- [2] Y. Barsukov and Omesh Dwivedi *et al.* Boron nitride nanotube precursor formation during high-temperature synthesis: Kinetic and thermodynamic modelling. *Nanotechnology*, 2021.

## UNDERGRADUATE COURSEWORK

#### ABSTRACT ALGEBRA I Grade: A-

Basic Group Theory, Cosets , Group Actions, Isomomorphism Theorems, Sylow's Theorems

#### **ELEMENTS OF MODERN ANALYSIS I** Grade: B

Basic Topology, Series, Limits, Continuity, Derivatives, Riemann Integral

## LINEAR ALGEBRA I, II GRADE: A, A

Elementary Linear Algebra, JCF, QRD, LUD, SVD, Schur Decomposition

#### **ENUMERATIVE COMBINATORICS** GRADE: A+

Binomial coefficients, Bijection, Twelve-fold way, Inclusion-Exclusion, Permutations, Partitions and Generating functions.

#### **TOPICS IN MATHEMATICAL PHYSICS** GRADE: A-

Series, Differential Equations, Gamma and Delta Functions, Elementary Complex and Fourier Analysis

## **GRADUATE COURSEWORK**

#### ABSTRACT ALGEBRA GRADE: A

Ring, Fields, Ideals, Modules, Structure Theorem, PIDs, RCF, JCF, SNF, Character, Representation Theory, Artin-Wedderburn (Dummit and Foote)

## TOPICS IN GRAPH THEORY GRADE: A

Elementary Extremal Graph Theory, Asymptotic Analysis, Counting Graphs, Turan's and Mantel's Theorems, Prufer Codes, Steiner Systems, Ramsey Theory, Quasi-Random Graphs, First Moment and Generating Function Methods

#### PRINCIPLES OF ANALYSIS 1 GRADE: A

Metric Spaces, Compactness, Connectedness, Completeness, Limits, Continuity, Series, Derivatives and Integration (Rudin)

#### **TOPOLOGY** GRADE: A

General Topological Spaces, Function spaces, Limits of Sequences, Separation axioms, Compactness, Connectedness, Continuity, Homeomorphisms, Product of N-spaces; Applications to the Real Line, Euclidean N-space, Well-known function space, Haussdorf Measures

## ADVANCED LINEAR ALGEBRA & MATRIX ANALYSIS

#### GRADE: A+

QR factorization, Schur's unitary triangularization, Spectral theorems for normal and Hermitian matrices, Singular value and polar decomposition, JCF, Courant Fisher theorem, Interlacing eigenvalues theorem, Schur's product theorem, Gelfand's formula for the spectral radius, Gersgorin discs, Perron-Frobenius theory (Horn and Johnson)

#### ALGEBRAIC NUMBER THEORY GRADE: A

#### (INDEPENDENT STUDY)

Integral, Euclidean, Noetherian and Dedekind Domains; Galois Theory and Field Extensions, Algebraic Number Fields, Integral Bases, Ideal Class Groups and Dirichlet's Unit Theorem (Alaca and Williams)

#### **ALGEBRAIC COMBINATORICS** (AUDIT)

q-binomial coefficients, Determinant and Partition identities, Symmetric polynomials, Young Tableaux, LR rule, Crystal Operations, Diamond Lemma, Grothendieck and dual Grothendieck polynomials.

## LINKS

Google Scholar:// Omesh Dhar Dwivedi OrcidID://0000-0003-3633-8874 LinkedIn://omeshdd Github://greatodda YouTube:// Omesh DD

## **SKILLS**

#### **PROGRAMMING**

- MFX

#### COMPUTATIONAL

• DFTB+ • JMOL • GEANT4 • VMD • Avogadro • OpenMP • Slurm

## HONORS AND AWARDS

- Robert J Bickel Endowed Scholarship, Department of Mathematics, Drexel University, 2021
- Physics, Drexel University, 2021
- Star Scholar (2018), Pennoni Honors College
- Honors College
- (2015)

## **ACTIVITIES**

#### DREXEL UNIVERSITY DEBATE UNION

Vice President and Founder (Former President) September 2017 - Present | Drexel University Octofinalist at Hong Kong Debate Open 2018 Pre-quarter Finalist at North East Asia Open Championship 2018

10th Best ESL Speaker at Huber Debates 2020

#### MATHEMATICS STUDENT ORGANIZATION

President (Former Vice President and Event Coordinator)

March 2018 - Present | Drexel University Established and Organized Annual Poker Nights, Annual Graduate School panels, REU search panels, and facilitated the formation of Putnam Study Groups, GRE Math Subject test study groups and a Mentorship program for majors and prospective majors.

#### **DREXEL CHESS CLUB**

Vice President (Former Manager) September 2017 - Present | Drexel University USCF Regular Rating - 1080 USCF Blitz Rating - 1301 USCF Quick Rating - 1066

## RESEARCH

#### **DREXEL UNIVERSITY**

#### **Undergraduate Research Project**

July 2020 - Present | Philadelphia, PA (Remote)

Worked with Dr. Darij Grinberg to find and prove the probability of vanishing Jacobi-Trudi determinants in finite fields for various partition shapes and skew-shapes.

- Found and proved the exact probability of Jacobi-Trudi determinants vanishing for connected ribbons, n-staircases and block staircase partition shapes
- Java Shell Python VPython MATLAB SageMath Conjectured a general expression for the probability of the Schur polynomial vanishing for shifted-staircases.
  - Generalized the classical result of counting the number of Hankel Matrices with a bounded rank to one where the first few entries of the matrix are fixed.

## PRINCETON PLASMA PHYSICS LABORATORY (PPPL)

Undergraduate Research Assistant (Remote)

April-July 2020, June-October 2021 | Princeton, New Jersey Worked with Dr. Igor Kaganovich to study Anisotropic Etching of Silicon Nitride using Fluorine.

- Susan and Donald Larson Award, Department of Setup PBC simulations of Silicon Nitride and Si-100/111 surfaces interacting with  $F_2$ , HF and  $(NH_4F)_n$ .
- William Lowell Putnam Examination (2020), MAA (top Predicted a two step mechanism for etching of Silicon Surfaces via  $F_2$ chemisorption.

## •Undergraduate Research Leader (2018-19), Pennoni UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH ASSISTANT (SPRING-SUMMER)

April 2019 - October 2019 | Princeton, New Jersey • Regional Mathematics Olympiad Scholar, HBCSE Worked with Dr. Stephane Ethier and Dr. Igor Kaganovich and performed a Computational Study of Boron Nitrogen NanoStructure Formation.

- Setup, ran and studied MD simulations of  $B_x N_y$  Systems to understand the most efficient pathway to dissociate  $N_2$  as well as to create recurring BN chain from such interactions.
- Predicted and confirmed a possible pathway of **FullBorene** formation solely from  $B_2$  and  $N_2$ . Results can be viewed at

#### vimeo.com/user103046658

• Performed Kinetic as well as thermodynamic calculations to check the feasibility of the proposed mechanism of FullBorene formation.

#### DREXEL UNIVERSITY

## Undergraduate Research Assistant- STAR Scholars

June 2018 - October 2018 | Philadelphia, PA Worked with **Dr. Russell Neilson** on setting up and running simulations of the Drexel Bubble Chamber.

- Built **GEANT4** using **cmake** from scratch on the department system.
- Designed **GEANT4** Monte-Carlo simulations of the **PICO** (dark matter search experiment) Drexel Bubble Chamber, building, from scratch, its geometry into GEANT4
- Analyzed and processed the simulation and experimental data to calculate the probability of electronic and nuclear recoils

## NEWS COVERAGE

• Pathway to forerunner of rugged nanotubes that could lead to widespread industrial fabrication, PHYS.ORG Article Link