Henry Shackleton

Education

09/2018 - Present PhD candidate in Physics, Harvard University, Cambridge

Advisor: Subir Sachdev

Expected graduation: 05/2024

09/2014 - 06/2018 B.S's in Physics and Philosophy, Massachusetts Institute of Technol-

ogy, Cambridge

Thesis: Diffusional Instabilities on Curved Manifolds

Advisor: Mehran Kardar

Research Positions

01/2023 - 05/2023 Pre-Doctoral Researcher, Flatiron Institute, Center for Computational

Quantum Physics, New York Supervisor: Shiwei Zhang

Publications and Preprints

Preprints:

L. E. Anderson, A. Laitinen, A. Zimmerman, T. Werkmeister, H. Shackleton, A. Kruchkov, T. Taniguchi, K. Watanabe, S. Sachdev, and P. Kim, "Magneto-Thermoelectric Transport in Graphene Quantum Dot with Strong Correlations," (2024), arXiv:2401.08050 [cond-mat.mes-hall].

H. Shackleton and S. Sachdev, "Sign-problem-free effective models of triangular lattice quantum antiferromagnets," (2023), arXiv:2311.01572 [cond-mat.str-el].

H. Shackleton, L. E. Anderson, P. Kim, and S. Sachdev, "Conductance and thermopower fluctuations in interacting quantum dots," arXiv:2309.05741 [cond-mat.str-el].

H. Shackleton and M. S. Scheurer, "An exactly solvable dissipative spin liquid," (2023), arXiv:2307.05743 [cond-mat.str-el].

Published:

M. Christos, Z.-X. Luo, H. Shackleton, Y.-H. Zhang, M. S. Scheurer, and S. Sachdev, "A model of d-wave superconductivity, antiferromagnetism, and charge order on the square lattice," Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences **120**, e2302701120 (2023).

H. Shackleton and S. Sachdev, "Anisotropic deconfined criticality in Dirac spin liquids," Journal of High Energy Physics **2022**, 141 (2022), arXiv:2203.01962.

H. Shackleton, A. Thomson, and S. Sachdev, "Deconfined criticality

- and a gapless \mathbb{Z}_2 spin liquid in the square-lattice antiferromagnet," Phys. Rev. B **104**, 045110 (2021), arXiv:2104.09537.
- **H. Shackleton**, A. Wietek, A. Georges, and S. Sachdev, "Quantum phase transition at nonzero doping in a random t-J model," Phys. Rev. Lett. **126**, 136602 (2021), arXiv:2012.06589 .
- **H. Shackleton** and M. S. Scheurer, "Protection of parity-time symmetry in topological many-body systems: Non-Hermitian toric code and fracton models," Phys. Rev. Research **2**, 033022 (2020), arXiv:2005.09668.
- Nivedita, **H. Shackleton**, and S. Sachdev, "Spectral form factors of clean and random quantum Ising chains," Phys. Rev. E **101**, 042136 (2020), arXiv:2001.06732.
- J. R. Frank, J. Guven, M. Kardar, and **H. Shackleton**, "Pinning of diffusional patterns by non-uniform curvature," Europhysics Letters **127**, 48001 (2019), arXiv:1901.09900.

Presentations

- 12/04/2023 "Models of deconfined criticality on square and triangular lattice antiferromagnets," Perimeter Institute seminar
- 11/29/2023 "Models of deconfined criticality on square and triangular lattice antiferromagnets," University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign seminar
- 11/28/2023 "Models of deconfined criticality on square and triangular lattice antiferromagnets," Harvard Kids seminar
- 11/15/2023 "Sign-problem-free effective models for triangular lattice antiferromagnets," Flatiron Institute seminar
- 06/12/2023 "An exactly solvable dissipative spin liquid," University of Innsbruck, group seminar
- 05/23/2023 "Variational wavefunctions for the pseudogap metal," Flatiron Institute, predoctoral presentation
- 03/10/2023 "Sign-problem-free effective models of triangular lattice antiferromagnetism," APS March Meeting 2023, contributed talk
- 02/08/2023 "Paramagnon fractionalization theory of the cuprate pseudogap," Flatiron Institute, Quantum Monte Carlo seminar
- 11/06/2022 "Sign-problem-free effective models of triangular lattice antiferromagnetism," Harvard University, group seminar
- 03/17/2022 "Deconfined criticality and gapless \mathbb{Z}_2 spin liquids in the square lattice antiferromagnet," APS March Meeting 2022, contributed talk
- 03/19/2021 "Protection of parity-time symmetry in topological many-body systems," APS March Meeting 2021, contributed talk
- 09/21/2020 "Numerical study of the random t-J model with all-to-all interactions," Harvard University, group seminar

- 06/15/2020 "Protection of parity-time symmetry in topological many-body systems," Harvard University, group seminar
- 06/16/2018 "Turing patterns on deformed surfaces," Kardar-Fest, in celebration of Prof. Mehran Kardar's 60th birthday, contributed talk

Posters

- 06/25/2022 "Deconfined criticality and a gapless \mathbb{Z}_2 spin liquid in the square-lattice antiferromagnet", Correlated Electron Systems Gordon Research Conference
- 05/05/2022 "Deconfined criticality and a gapless \mathbb{Z}_2 spin liquid in the square-lattice antiferromagnet", CIFAR Quantum Materials Summer School
- 07/08/2021 "Deconfined criticality and a gapless \mathbb{Z}_2 spin liquid in the square-lattice antiferromagnet", IMPRS-MPHQ-BeyondC Summer School

Teaching experience

Teaching fellow at Harvard University for:

09/2022 - 12/2022 Physics 195A (Introduction to Solid State Physics)

01/2022 - 05/2022 Physics 153 (Electrodynamics)

01/2021 - 05/2021 Physics 153 (Electrodynamics)

Responsibilities: Recitation and review sessions (2 hours per week), office hours (2 hours per week)

Head teaching assistant at Massachusetts Institute of Technology for:

09/2017 - 12/2017 8.13 (Experimental Physics 1)

Responsibilities: Assisted students in conducting experiments (4 hours per week)