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# **EDUCATION**

# Ph.D., California Institute of Technology

Oct. 2018 - Now

Advised by John Preskill (Physics) and Thomas Vidick (CS).

# **B.S.**, National Taiwan University

Sep. 2014 - Jun. 2018

Studied in Computer Science (major) and Physics (minor). GPA: 4.30/4.30, Rank: 1/120. Member of the Machine Learning and Data Mining Group; Advisor: Chih-Jen Lin

#### RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant, Institute for Quantum Information and Matter, Caltech	Oct. 2018 - Now
Research Intern, AWS Center for Quantum Computing, Mentor: Steven T. Flammia	Jun. 2021 - Sep. 2021
Research Intern, Google AI Quantum, Mentor: Jarrod R. McClean	Jun. 2020 - Oct. 2020
Visitor, Centre for Quantum Technologies, Host: Patrick Rebentrost	Jul. 2019 - Aug. 2019
Research Intern, Allen Institute for Artificial Intelligence, Mentor: Wen-tau Yih	Jun. 2018 - Sep. 2018
Research Intern, Microsoft Research, Redmond, USA, Mentor: Chenguang Zhu	Jun. 2017 - Sep. 2017
Research Assistant, Dept. of Computer Science, NTU, PI: Chih-Jen Lin	Sep. 2014 - Jun. 2018
Research Assistant, Dept. of Life Science, NTU, PI: Hsueh-Fen Juan	May 2013 - Aug. 2014
Research Assistant, Institute of Earth Sciences, Academia Sinica, PI: Fong Chao	Mar. 2012 - Mar. 2013

#### ACADEMIC PAPERS

- [1] **H.-Y. Huang**, R. Kueng, G. Torlai, V. V. Albert, J. Preskill. Provably efficient machine learning for quantum many-body problems. arXiv preprint, arxiv:2106.12627, 2021.
- [2] J. R. McClean, N. C. Rubin, J. Lee, M. P. Harrigan, T. E. O'Brien, R. Babbush, W. J. Huggins, H.-Y. Huang. What the foundations of quantum computer science teach us about chemistry. Perspectives, Journal of Chemical Physics, 2021.
- [3] **H.-Y. Huang**, R. Kueng, J. Preskill. Efficient estimation of Pauli observables by derandomization. Physical Review Letters, 2021.
- [4] J. Cotler<sup>†</sup>, D. Mark<sup>†</sup>, **H.-Y. Huang**<sup>†</sup> (**co-first author**), F. Hernandez, J. Choi, A. L. Shaw, M. Endres, S. Choi. Emergent quantum state designs from individual many-body wavefunctions. arXiv preprint, arxiv:2103.03536, 2021.
- [5] J. Choi, A. Shaw, I. Madjarov, X. Xie, J. Covey, J. Cotler, D. Mark, H.-Y. Huang, A. Kale, H. Pichler, F. Brandao, S. Choi, M. Endres. Emergent Randomness and Benchmarking from Many-Body Quantum Chaos. arXiv preprint, arxiv:2103.03535, 2021.
- [6] **H.-Y. Huang**, R. Kueng, J. Preskill. Information-theoretic bounds on quantum advantage in machine learning. Physical Review Letters (*Editor's Suggestion*), 2021. In 24th Annual Conference on Quantum Information Processing (QIP-21), 2021 (Talk title: Fundamental aspects of solving quantum problems with machine learning).

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[7] Y. Su, **H.-Y. Huang**, E. Campbell. Nearly-tight Trotterization of interacting electrons. Quantum, 2021. In *24th Annual Conference on Quantum Information Processing (QIP-21)*, 2021.

- [8] **H.-Y. Huang**, M. Broughton, M. Mohseni, R. Babbush, S. Boixo, H. Neven, J. R. McClean. Power of data in quantum machine learning. Nature Communications, 2021. In *24th Annual Conference on Quantum Information Processing (QIP-21)*, 2021 (Talk title: Fundamental aspects of solving quantum problems with machine learning).
- [9] C.-F. Chen<sup>†</sup>, **H.-Y. Huang**<sup>†</sup> (**co-first author**), R. Kueng, J. Tropp. Concentration for random product formulas. PRX Quantum, 2021.
- [10] **H.-Y. Huang**, K. Bharti, P. Rebentrost. Near-term quantum algorithms for linear systems of equations. New Journal of Physics, 2021.
- [11] M. Broughton, G. Verdon, T. McCourt, A. J. Martinez, J. H. Yoo, S. V. Isakov, P. Massey, R. Halavati, M. Y. Niu, A. Zlokapa, E. Peters, O. Lockwood, A. Skolik, S. Jerbi, V. Dunjko, M. Leib, M. Streif, D. V. Dollen, H. Chen, S. Cao, R. Wiersema, H.-Y. Huang, J. R. McClean, R. Babbush, S. Boixo, D. Bacon, A. K. Ho, H. Neven, M. Mohseni. TensorFlow Quantum: A Software Framework for Quantum Machine Learning arXiv preprint, arXiv:2003.02989, 2020.
- [12] A. Elben, R. Kueng, **H.-Y. Huang**, R. van Bijnen, C. Kokail, M. Dalmonte, P. Calabrese, B. Kraus, J. Preskill, P. Zoller, B. Vermersch. Mixed-state entanglement from local randomized measurements. Physical Review Letters, 2020.
- [13] **H.-Y. Huang**, R. Kueng, J. Preskill. Predicting many properties in a quantum system from very few measurements. Nature Physics, 2020.
- [14] **H.-Y. Huang**, R. Kueng. Predicting features of quantum systems using classical shadows. In 23rd Annual Conference on Quantum Information Processing (QIP-20), 2020. (single-track talk)
- [15] **H.-Y. Huang**, E. Choi, W. Yih. FlowQA: grasping flow in history for conversational machine comprehension. In 7th International Conference on Learning Representations (ICLR-19), 2019.
- [16] **H.-Y. Huang**, C. Zhu, Y. Shen, W. Chen. FusionNet: Fusing via Fully-aware attention with application to machine comprehension. In *6th International Conference on Learning Representations (ICLR-18)*, 2018. (top 3% in review score)
- [17] H.-F. Yu, **H.-Y. Huang**, I. S. Dhillon, C.-J. Lin. A unified algorithm for one-class structured matrix factorization with side information. In *31st AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI-17)*, 2017. (acceptance rate: 24.6%)
- [18] **H.-Y. Huang**, C.-J. Lin. Linear and kernel classification: When to use which? In *SIAM International Conference on Data Mining (SDM-16)*, 2016. (acceptance rate: 25.8%)
- [19] C.-Y. Chen, A. Ho, **H.-Y. Huang**, H.-F. Juan and H.-C. Huang. Dissecting the human protein-protein interaction network via phylogenetic decomposition. In *Scientific Reports*, 4, 7153 (2014).

# SELECTED AWARDS AND HONORS

## Google Ph.D. Fellowship

#### **Awards for Academic Excellence:**

First Place Scholarship, Ministry of Education (awarded to Olympiad medalists ranking top 1) 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018

Presidential Award, National Taiwan University (awarded to students ranking top 5%)

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# Awards for Competition in Algorithm and Informatics:

25th International Olympiad in Informatics, Bronze Medal

2013 Asia-Pacific Informatics Olympiad, Silver Medal

National Informatics Olympiad in Taiwan, First Place

Dec. 2012

# **ORAL AND POSTER PRESENTATIONS**

[1] "Information-theoretic bounds on quantum advantage in machine learning". Invited talk at the International Conference on Quantum Techniques in Machine Learning (QTML), Nov. 9th, 2021.

- [2] "Provably efficient machine learning for quantum many-body problems". Invited Talk at Perimeter Institute. Oct. 20th, 2021.
- [3] "Provably efficient machine learning for quantum many-body problems". Quantum Creators Prize Symposium. Sep. 29th, 2021.
- [4] "Provably efficient machine learning for quantum many-body problems". Invited Talk at QuSoft. Sep. 17th, 2021.
- [5] "Provably efficient machine learning for quantum many-body problems". Invited Talk at MIT/Harvard QML Journal Club. Sep. 2nd, 2021.
- [6] "Power of data in quantum machine learning". Invited Talk at QML Meetup. Aug. 26th, 2021.
- [7] "Provably efficient machine learning for quantum many-body problems". Invited Talk at Technical University of Munich. Jul. 26th, 2021.
- [8] "Experimental advantage in learning with noisy quantum memory". Invited Talk at Google Quantum Summer Symposium. Jul. 22nd, 2021.
- [9] "Provably efficient machine learning for quantum many-body problems". Invited Talk at Simons Institute for the Theory of Computing. Jul. 15th, 2021.
- [10] "How can we estimate properties of many-body quantum states in a Rydberg-atom system?". Theory Talk at Quantum Systems Accelerator meetings. Jul. 14th, 2021.
- [11] "Experimental advantage in learning with noisy quantum memory". Invited Talk at Google Quantum AI Theory Meeting. Jul. 13th, 2021.
- [12] "Provably efficient machine learning for quantum many-body problems". Invited Talk at Max Planck Institute of Quantum Optics. Jul. 13th, 2021.
- [13] "Predicting many properties of quantum systems from very few measurements". Invited Talk at Cornell University. May 20th, 2021.
- [14] "Recent advances on predicting properties of quantum many-body systems". Invited Talk at Peking University. May 12th, 2021.
- [15] "Information-theoretic bounds on quantum advantage in machine learning". Invited talk at IBM Research, May 5th, 2021.
- [16] "Information-theoretic bounds on quantum advantage in machine learning". Invited talk at Microsoft Research, Apr. 26th, 2021.
- [17] "Making predictions in the quantum world". Invited talk at Quantum Information Processing Seminar, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Apr. 23rd, 2021.
- [18] "Information-theoretic bounds on quantum advantage in machine learning". Invited talk at Duke University, Apr. 16th, 2021.

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[19] "Characterizing quantum advantage in machine learning". Invited Talk at Scientific Machine Learning Series, Carnegie Mellon University. Apr. 15th, 2021.

- [20] "Power of data in quantum machine learning". Invited Talk at Rigetti Computing. Apr. 14th, 2021.
- [21] "Recent advances on predicting properties of quantum many-body systems". Invited Talk at the 6th International Conference for Young Quantum Information Scientists. Apr. 12th, 2021.
- [22] "Fundamental aspects of solving quantum problems with machine learning". Los Alamos National Laboratory, Mar. 25th, 2021.
- [23] "Power of data in quantum machine learning". APS March Meeting, Mar. 18th, 2021.
- [24] "Information-theoretic bounds on quantum advantage in machine learning". Invited talk at IST seminar series on Mathematics, Physics & Machine Learning, Mar. 17th, 2021.
- [25] "Power of data in quantum machine learning". Invited talk at SIAM Conference on Computational Science and Engineering, Mar. 3rd, 2021.
- [26] "Fundamental aspects of solving quantum problems with machine learning". Caltech Institute for Quantum Information and Matter (IQIM) Seminar, Feb. 26th, 2021.
- [27] "Fundamental aspects of solving quantum problems with machine learning". QuICS Seminar, University of Maryland, Feb. 17th, 2021.
- [28] "Fundamental aspects of solving quantum problems with machine learning". Contributed talk, 24rd Annual Conference on Quantum Information Processing (QIP-21), Jan. 30-31, 2021.
- [29] "Information-theoretic bounds on quantum advantage in machine learning". Invited talk at National Tsing Hua University, Jan. 12th, 2021.
- [30] "Information-theoretic bounds on quantum advantage in machine learning". Invited talk at Academia Sinica, Jan. 8th, 2021.
- [31] "Predicting Many Properties of a Quantum System from Very Few Measurements", National Taiwan University, Center for Quantum Science and Engineering, Dec. 18th, 2020.
- [32] "Predicting Many Properties of a Quantum System from Very Few Measurements", University College London, Quantum Information Seminar, Nov. 27th, 2020.
- [33] "Power of data in quantum machine learning", Centre for Quantum Technologies, Quantum Machine Learning Seminar, Nov. 26th, 2020.
- [34] "Predicting Many Properties of a Quantum System from Very Few Measurements", Caltech Institute for Quantum Information and Matter (IQIM) Seminar, Apr. 17th, 2020.
- [35] "Predicting Features of Quantum Systems using Classical Shadows", Single-track talk, 23rd Annual Conference on Quantum Information Processing (QIP-20), Jan. 6-10,2020.
- [36] "Understanding Machine Reading Comprehension", Invited Talk, Academia Sinica, Oct 16, 2017.
- [37] "A Unified Algorithm for One-class Structured Matrix Factorization with Side Information", 31st AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence (AAAI-17), Feb. 4-9, 2017.
- [38] "Linear and Kernel Classification: When to Use Which?", SIAM International Conference on Data Mining (SDM16), May 5-8, 2016.
- [39] "Linear and Kernel Classifier: When to Use Which?", Spotlight presentation (acceptance rate: 11%), Machine Learning Summer School (MLSS'15), Kyoto University, August 23-September 4, 2015.

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[40] "Brief Introduction to Automatic Machine Learning", Science Exploration Forum, National Taiwan University, August 11, 2015.

[41] "Dissecting Human Protein-Protein Interaction Network via Phylogenetic Decomposition." 14th International Conference on Systems Biology (ICSB2013), August 30-September 3, 2013.

# **SYNERGISTIC ACTIVITY**

Conference review: NeurIPS, QIP, ICML, STOC, SODA.

Journal review: Nature, npj Quantum Information, Physical Review Letters, Quantum, Physical Review A, Quantum Machine Intelligence.

Teaching Assistant: Introduction to the Theory of Computation (2017).

Conference volunteer: AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence (2017).

Conference review: Asia Pacific Bioinformatics Conference (2017).

Journal review: Data Mining and Knowledge Discovery (2016).

# OTHER AWARDS AND HONORS

Quantum Creators Prize	Sep. 2021
J. Yang Scholarship	Oct. 2020
Kortschak Scholarship	Oct. 2018
Taiwan Government Scholarship to Study Abroad	Sep. 2019
The Phi Tau Phi Scholastic Honor Society of the Republic of China	Jun. 2018
Undergraduate Research Project Exhibition, First Place	Jun. 2017
Appier Scholarship	Apr. 2016, Feb. 2017
AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence 2017 Scholarship	Feb. 2017
Shih-Liang Chien Memorial Award	May. 2016
SIAM International Conference on Data Mining 2016 Travel Award	Apr. 2016
Machine Learning Summer School 2015 Travel Award	Oct. 2015
Wang Da Gang Natural Science Scholarship	May 2013
Taiwan International Science Fair, Third Prize	Nov. 2012
Science Research Grant for High School Student, First Prize	Nov. 2012
Taipei High School Informatics Competition, First Place	Oct. 2012
Taipei High School Informatics Competition, Third Place	Oct. 2011