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Curriculum Vitae

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Education

2013–2018 **B.Sc. Mathematics**, California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, GPA: 3.3/4.3.

Papers

- Oct 2017 **Robust Self-testing for Linear Constraint Games**, with Andrea Coladangelo, Preprint arXiv:1709.09267, QIP 2018.
- Sep 2017 **Separation of finite and infinite-dimensional quantum correlations, with infinite question or answer sets**, *with Andrea Coladangelo*, Preprint arXiv:1708.06522.

Talks

- Jan 2018 **Robust Self-testing for Linear Constraint Games**, *QIP 2018*, Based on arXiv:1709.09267.
- Oct 2017 **Robust Self-testing for Linear Constraint Games**, *Mellon Mays Western Regional Conference*, Based on arXiv:1709.09267.
- Apr 2017 Robust Rigidity of the Magic Square Game, UT Austin, Aaronson group meeting.

Research Funding

- Spring 2017 Research Assistant, Computing and Mathematical Sciences, Caltech.
 - Spring 2018 Supported by Thomas Vidick through NSF CAREER Grant CCF-1553477
- Summer 2017 Mellon Mays Undergraduate Researcher, Caltech, Advised by Thomas Vidick.
- Summer 2016 Mellon Mays Undergraduate Researcher, Caltech, Advised by Martino Lupini.
 - Nov 2016 **Invited Participant, Focused Research Group**, *Banff International Research Station*. QMA-completeness and probabilistic constructions for noncommutative graph homomorphisms.

Teaching

- Jul 2017 **Pseudotelepathy via Group Representations**, Canada/USA Mathcamp, 5 days. Based on arXiv:1708.06522
- Jul 2015 **Ordinal Arithmetic**, *Canada/USA Mathcamp*, *3-day mini-course*. Notes available at my website.

- Fall 2017 Teaching Assistant Ph/CS 219, Quantum Computation, Caltech.
- Fall 2016 Teaching Assistant CS/Ph 120, Quantum Cryptography MOOC, Caltech.
- Spring 2016 Teaching Assistant for CS 101, Special Topics: Modern Cryptograpy, Caltech.
- Spring 2015 Teaching Assistant for CS 115, Programming in Haskell, Caltech.
- Summer 2015 **Teaching Assistant for Ma0, Introduction to Proofs**, *Caltech*.

Other Work

- Summer 2016 Counselor, Bridge to Enter Advanced Mathematics.
 - Taught three weeks of proof-based mathematics to underserved New York City seventh graders.
- Summer 2014 Junior Counselor, Canada/USA Mathcamp.
- Summer 2015 (See Teaching.) With other undergrads, ran logistics of five-week camp for high schoolers. Sat
- Summer 2017 on mentor hiring and student admissions committees, contributed to the 2015 qualifying exam.
 - Aug 2014— MATHCOUNTS Math Club Director, Walter Reed Middle School.
 - Apr 2017 Taught after school once per week, hired other Caltech undergrads to expand program.

Service

- Apr 2015 Academic Coordinator, Caltech Undergraduate Math Club.
 - Apr 2017 Recruited 15 different undergrad speakers over the course of my tenure. For each speaker, heard a practice talk and gave constructive feedback before their presentation to Caltech undergrads.
 - Fall 2015, **Director**, Caltech Harvey Mudd Math Competition.
 - Fall 2016 As Director, fully organized a one-day math competition for 300 high school students from the west coast of the US and from China. Managed problem-writing and campus relations, etc.
- Apr 2015 **Secretary**, Caltech Board of Control.
- Mar 2016 Oversaw half of all academic dishonesty cases among Caltech undergraduates. Wrote official recommendations to the Dean's Office, according to guidelines of the Office of General Counsel.