## James Bourbeau

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**EDUCATION** 

Ph.D. in Physics (in progress)

2013-Present

University of Wisconsin-Madison

M.S. in Physics 2017

University of Wisconsin-Madison

B.S. in Physics with Honors

2013

University of Texas at Arlington

**PUBLICATIONS** 

- J. Bourbeau, P. Desiati, J.C. Daz Vlez, S. Westerhoff et al. (IceCube Collaboration), Cosmic-Ray Anisotropy with Seven Years of Data from IceCube and IceTop, Proceedings of the 35th International Cosmic Ray Conference. [proceedings].
- Y. Bai, J. Bourbeau, and T. Lin. *Dark Matter Searches with a Mono-Z' Jet.* JHEP **1506**, 205 (2015). [arXiv:1504.01395].

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

### ICECUBE COLLABORATION

2015-Present

Graduate Researcher, UW-Madison

• Applying machine learning methods to data collected using the IceCube Neutrino Observatory to study the cosmic-ray mass composition

#### HIGH ENERGY PHENOMENOLOGY GROUP

2014-2015

Graduate Researcher, UW-Madison

• Used effective field theory and simplified model methods to study dark matter signatures at collider experiments. In particular, searching for Z' jets at the LHC.

# ATLAS FORWARD PROTON (AFP) DETECTOR

2010-2013

Undergraduate Researcher, UT-Arlington

• Contributed to the development of the AFP detector system, a high-precision time-of-flight detector that was proposed as part of an upgrade to the ATLAS experiment at the LHC.

## NANOPARTICLE SCINTILLATOR RADIATION DETECTION

2010-2011

Undergraduate Researcher, UT-Arlington

• Developed a radiation detection setup using PMTs and photodiodes to assess the performance of new nanoparticle scintillators.

Software

I am an active developer, maintainer, and contributor to several projects in the Python data science community. I'm the maintainer of:

- PyCondor–Python API for submitting tasks to an HTCondor distributed cluster.
- decotools—Python package to help analyze data collected by the Distributed Electronic Cosmic-ray Observatory (DECO).

I've also made contributions to other open-source projects such as scikit-learn, dask, mlxtend, etc. See my GitHub profile for full details.

SELECTED TALKS

Dark Matter Searches with a Mono- $Z^\prime$  Jet Phenomenology 2015 Symposium–Pittsburgh, PA

May 2015

DEVELOPMENT OF A FAST TIMING SYSTEM FOR THE ATLAS
FORWARD PROTON DETECTOR March 2012

Contributed Talk. UTA Annual Celebration of Excellence by Students.

• Received the Provost's Award for an Undergraduate Oral Presentation.