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Research Interests: Mathematical Cryptography, Elliptic Curves, Random Processes, Computational Number Theory (Arithmetic Geometry), Coding Theory (Error-Correcting Codes), Algebraic Graph Theory, Quantum Algorithms, Quantum Resource Estimation

# University of Vermont, PhD student

2019-present

Computer Science PhD student, minor in Pure Mathematics

(PhD) classes: Mathematical (Post-Quantum) Cryptography, Elliptic Curves and Modular Forms, Combinatorial Graph Theory, Spectral Graph Theory, Category Theory, Random Probabilistic Graphs, Secure and Distributed Computation, Abstract Algebra I (Groups), III (Rings/Fields/Galois Theory), IV (Category Theory, Lie Algebra), Privacy Law and Policy, Machine Learning, Data Privacy, Software Verification, Computer Human Interaction.

**Oral Qualification Exams in:** (1) Quantum Computing, Quantum Algorithms and Classical Mathematical Cryptanalysis, (2) Elliptic Curves (3) Combinatorial Graph Theory

#### **RESEARCH EXPERIENCE:**

# Research Assistant (Vermont)

2021-present

PhD Supervisors: C. Vincent, J. Near: Research on Isogeny-Based Cryptography

- Mathematical Cryptography Research

Supervisor: Joe Near: Research on Provable Fairness and (Differential) Privacy

2019-2020
Using Machine Learning. Funded via Amazon Research Award (2020-2022 Pl: J. Near, D. Darais).

### Working Preprints (Computational Number Theory):

Computational Number Theory research to be published in: 2023-present Women in Numbers VI (2024): Research Directions in Number Theory (Srivastava M., Li C., Maughan K., Lauter K., PhD, PhD, Newton R.)

#### Preprints (Data Privacy and Security):

"Improving Utility for Analysis of Correlated Columns using Pufferfish Privacy" 2022 (Maughan, K. and Near, J.)

#### Workshop Conference Posters (Cryptanalysis / Computational Number Theory):

- "Compositional Isogeny Schemes"- poster presented, CrossFyre at Eurocrypt 2023 Poster for workshop on Provably Robust Schemes (Maughan, K)
- "Compositional Isogeny Schemes"- presented as poster at ACM Richard Tapia 2022 Poster Competition at Conference (Maughan, K)

## Collaboration on Other Research Projects in Progress:

Research Project on (Cryptanalysis / Number Theory)
Mathematical Cryptography: Work on Compositional Isogeny Schemes (ongoing) 2022-present
(PI: C. Vincent, Maughan, K.)

**	Research Project (Number Theory / Cryptanalysis)	2023-present
	Error-correcting codes / LDPC using group algebras	
	(PI: Chimal-Dzul, H., Hoffer W., Maughan, K., Maya N.A., W., Morris K.)	
*	Research Project (Number Theory / Graph Theory / Cryptanalysis)	2023-present
	Expander properties of Isogenies	
	(Arpin, S., Bowen R., Clements J., Codogni G., Eisenträger K., Ghantous W., Bo	Lau J.,
	LeGrow J., Macula J., Mahaney W., Maughan. K., Morrison T., Orvis E., Rickard	s <i>J.</i> ,
	Sabitova M., Scullard G., Zobernig L.)	
**	Research Project (Algebraic Graph Theory)	2023-present
	Asymmetric Graph Colouring and Entropy for Isomorphic Testing Properties	•
	(Maughan K., PI: Rombach, P.)	
**	Research Project (Computational Number Theory)	2023-present
	Isogeny-Based Cryptography research	•
	(Maughan K., PI: Vincent C.)	
**	Research Project (Quantum)	2023-present
	Quantum Backtracking implementation for constraint satisfaction problems (CSP)	•
	(Jhunjhunwala V., Liu D., <b>Maughan K.</b> , Xia Z.)	
**	Research Project (Formal Methods, Cryptanalysis)	2023-present
	Formal Methods project (Baldasty S., Jafri S., Maughan K., Pls: Near J., Vincent	•
**	Research Project (Machine Learning)	2023-present
	Independent research project	,
	(PI: Lees A., PhD, <b>K. Maughan</b> )	
**	Research Project (Selfish Routing)	
	Summer of Bitcoin (Virtual) "Price of Anarchy in Selfish Routing on the	2022
	Lightning Network" (R. Pickhardt, S. Alscher, K. Maughan)	
Prepri	ints (Machine Learning):	
-	Prediction Sensitivity: Continual Audit of Counterfactual Fairness in	2022
	Deployed Classifiers ( <b>Maughan, K.</b> , Ngong, I., Near, J.)	
	(presented as poster at EAAMO Doctoral Consortium)	
**	"Towards a Measure of Individual Fairness for Deep Learning"	2020
	(Maughan, K. and Near, J.) - presented as poster for MD4SG	
**	"Towards Auditability for Fairness in Deep Learning"	2020
	(Ngong, I., Maughan, K. and Near, J.)- presented as poster for AFCI at NeurIPS	
Works	shop Posters (Machine Learning):	
**	"Archipelago Penseé"	2020
	(Maughan, K.) - presented as a poster for Resistance AI (RAIS) at NeurIPS	
White	papers (Data Privacy and Security):	
**	Client Telemetry Aggregation, Microsoft internal (joint work with: P. Angulo, PhD)	2021
TEAC	HING EXPERIENCE	
**	PhD Teaching Fellow, iSchool Inclusion Institute (i3), "Computational Thinking"	2023
-	1 of 2 PhD applicants chosen to design and teach curriculum for 10-day	
	Summer course at the University of Texas at Austin (with S. Stueve, co-teaching	fellow)

- Provided salary and funded with accommodation, flight and stipend for supplies.

Collaboration on Other Research Projects in Progress:

#### TEACHING EXPERIENCE

**	Guest Lecturer, "Privacy Law and Policy", University of Vermont (UVM)	2021
-	Presented research work on Impacts of Data Leakage and Data Privacy	
**	Graduate Teaching Assistant, University of Vermont (Fall / Spring)	2019-2020
	Compiler Construction (with Haskell), Programming for Engineers (with Matlab),	
	Data Privacy (Differential Privacy, K-anonymity, Machine Learning with Python),	
	Advanced Web Design (Lead Teaching Assistant)	

#### GRANT WRITING / PROPOSALS (SELECTED)

**	NSF ITEST Proposal (with several collaborators)	2023
**	Zaiku Quantum Micro Grant Proposal	2023
**	Summer of Bitcoin, "Price of Anarchy in Selfish Routing On the Lightning	2022
	Network" (Research proposal with 0.4% acceptance rate, Awarded \$3,000)	
**	COST Action Proposal OC-2021-1-25315 "Mathematics and Algorithmics of	2021
	Group actions and Isogenies for Cryptography" (Secondary Proposer)	
**	Microsoft Research, Reinforcement Learning Open Source Festival Proposal	2021
	(Awarded \$10,000)	
**	Google Summer of Code, Proposal to Haskell.org	2018
	(Awarded \$6,000)	
**	Helium Grant, (for exploring questions on the edge of mainstream thinking)	2018
	(1 of 11 chosen out of 700 applicants; Awarded \$1,000)	

#### RESEARCH AWARDS (SELECTED)

**2nd Place Winner**, Best Research Project (tie with X. Zhang), 2022 UVM CS Research Day for "Price of Anarchy in Selfish Routing on the Lightning Network" Best Poster, Brilliant Idea Category, Mediterranean Machine Learning Summer School 2021

#### ACADEMIC REVIEWER (SELECTED)

AAAI-24 Workshop on Privacy-Preserving Artificial Intelligence (2024), Safe and Trustworthy AI (STAI) at International Conference on Logic Programming 2023 (ICLP),

Algorithmic Fairness through the Lens of Time at NeurIPS 2023 (AFT), AAAI 2023 Workshop on Privacy Preserving Artificial Intelligence (PPAI), PML4DC (Practical Machine Learning for Developing Countries), ICLR / NeurIPS: Algorithmic Fairness through the Lens of Causality and Privacy, ICLR Distributed and Private Machine Learning (DPML), Tiny Papers Workshop at ICLR 2023, Black in Al Workshop @ NeurIPS (2020-present)

#### REVIEWER (OTHER)

Effective Haskell, by R. Skinner, Springer's AI Ethics Journal

#### RESEARCH PhD INVITATIONS (ABRIDGED)

Virtual Participant, Summer of Quantum, Laboratory for Physical Sciences (LPS) (2 wks) 2023

- Qubit fundamentals, hardware, Quantum Algorithms, error-correcting codes

Participant, WIN6, (mentors: Lauter K., Newton R.)

2023

- Research project at BIRS, to be published in 10th WIN proceedings 2024 (Banff, Canada)
- Received award for lodging, travel (~1 of 42) (March 26th to March 31st)

RESEARCH PhD INVITATIONS (ABRIDGED)	
Participant, BIRS, Isogeny-based cryptography Banff research workshop	2023
- Co-organized by de Quehen, Petit C. and Martindale C.	
Participant, SQuInT Chemistry Fellowship (to attend Southwest Quantum Information	2023
Invited Participant, 2023 Fields Medal Student Symposium, Birkar C., (Virtual)	2023
Participant, Quantum Workshop at North Carolina State (Nov 18-19)	2023
Participant, IPAM "Machine Assisted Proofs" (Feb 13-17), (Los Angeles, California)	2023
- Formal methods at the intersection of Pure Mathematics and Computer Science	
- Received award for lodging, waived registration	
(organized by E. Abraham, J. Avigad, J. Ellenberg, M. Heule, T. Tao, K. Buzzard, T. Gow	ers)
Participant, PCMI Graduate Summer School (1 of 50), "Quantum Computation" (3 weeks)	=
- Awarded full funding (housing, registration, flight) (July 16-August 5th)	
- Coursework on: Quantum and quantum-inspired linear algebra,	
- Quantum fourier transforms and quantum information theory, LDPC codes	
- Topological aspects of quantum codes, quantum hamiltonian complexity	
- Quantum learning theory	
Participant, Rethinking Number Theory (4th edition)	2023
- Collaborative research in Number Theory (June 12th to 23rd and beyond)	
- Organized by A. Serrano López, M. West, H. Goodson	
Participant, Twelfth Summer School on Formal Techniques + FMiTF Bootcamp	2023
- Received admission, housing and funding for flight	
- Labs using Vampire Theorem Prover, Alloy, TPTP, PVS, Easycrypt	
- Guest lecture on Paxos by L. Lamport (May 23rd to June 2nd) (Menlo College, Al	therton)
Participant, ICERM's LMFDB, Computation and Number Theory (LuCaNT) workshop	2023
- (Provided housing, registration)	
Invited Participant, Lorentz Center, "Machine-Checked Proofs", Leiden, the Netherlands	2023
<ul> <li>Lean Workshop, Funding (provided housing, funding for travel)</li> </ul>	
Invited Participant, High Assurance Crypto Software (HACS) (Tokyo, Japan)	2023
- (Post-quantum) cryptographic verification workshop (conflicted with WIN6)	
Invited Participant, CrossFyre at Eurocrypt (Lyon, France)	2023
- Cryptography, Robustness and Provably Secure Schemes for Female Young	
Researchers: presented research poster	
(Received funding for accommodation, registration and flight courtesy of PQ-Shie	eld)
Participant, Arizona Winter School, "Point Counting and Applications" (J. Pila)	2023
- Applications of Point-counting for algebraic points of bounded degree (Tucson, A.	Z)
Virtual Participant, "Algebraic Cycles, L-Values, and Euler Systems": MSRI	2023
<ul> <li>Originally granted registration but opted for virtual attendance</li> </ul>	
Virtual Participant, Research Institute for Mathematical Sciences (RIMS)	2023
- Zeta functions and their representations	
Participant, 1st Roots of Unity reunion, American Institute of Mathematics, Pasadena CA	
Participant, Doctoral Consortium at ACM Richard Tapia Conference (Washington, D.C.)	
Participant, 1st Roots of Unity Summer School: Arithmetic Geometry group (fully-funded)	2022
- focus on Arithmetic Geometry and Arithmetic Statistics with six PhD students	
Invited to proceeding AWM Research Symposium at University of Minnesota (UMN))	2022
Invited Participant, IAS/ Park City Mathematics Institute (PCMI)	2022
- Graduate Summer School, Computational Number Theory (fully-funded: declined	offer)

#### RESEARCH PhD INVITATIONS (ABRIDGED) Virtual Participant, BIRS, Algebraic Methods in Coding Theory and Communication 2022 Virtual Participant, COGENT: Cohomology, Geometry and Explicit Number Theory 2022 Virtual Participant, Stinson66: New Advances in Designs, Codes and Cryptography 2022 Virtual Participant, Arizona Winter School, Southwest Arithmetic Geometry Center 2022 Automorphic Forms beyond GL2: Unitary Groups Study Group (mentor E. Eischen) Virtual Participant, West Coast Number Theory (WCNT): Problems in Number Theory 2021 Selected Participant, GREPSEC VI (1 of 42) 2023 Participant, GREPSEC V: 2021 (Graduate Students in Privacy and Security Early Career Workshop) Participant, Isogeny-Based Cryptography Winter School 2021 Participant, Post-Quantum Networks Workshop 2021 Participant, PRIMA Summer School 2021 Rational curves and moduli spaces in arithmetic geometry MERIT-BASED GRANTS / FELLOWSHIPS / SCHOLARSHIPS (ABRIDGED) Fellow, SQuInT Chemistry Fellowship (to attend Southwest Quantum Information 2023 And Technology (SQuInT) (flight, housing and registration covered) (1 of 5) Fellow, Institute for Logic and Data Science (ILDS) Coq and Lean Autumn School 2023 Part of the Working Formal Methods Symposium (Bucharest, Romania) SOUPS 2023 Grant for Black Computer Science Students (USENIX 2023) 2023 Initiative for Cryptocurrencies and Contracts (IC3) Blockchain Bootcamp 2021 Worked on group project: Fairness consensus for Miner Extractable Value (MEVs) Implemented Aeguitas protocol from paper with authors for fairness simulation Participant, Self Organizing Conference on Machine Learning (SOCML) 2021 Machine Learning, and Privacy session, Moderated by U. Erlingsson 2021 organized by I. Goodfellow (1 of 9 chosen) (Privacy Engineering Practice and Respect) PEPR Grant, S&P Oakland 2022 Fellow, BlackComputeHER (2022-2023) (1 of 11) 2022 Scholarship winner (to attend Richard Tapia Celebration of Diversity in Computing) 2022 (registration, flight, hotel costs, Washington D.C. courtesy BNY Mellon) Google Grace Hopper Conference (GHC) Scholarship 2021 WISP & Black Hat USA Briefings Scholarship (1 of 25) 2021 Kernel Fellowship Block III via Gitcoin (Security: Zero Knowledge Proofs project) 2021 Gitcoin Scholarship for Women (for Kernel Fellowship Block III) 2021 She256 Mentorship focused on ZK Snarks (6 months) 2021 OTHER GRANTS/ FELLOWSHIPS (ABRIDGED) USENIX Security Conference 2021 (via USENIX Diversity Grant via GREPSEC V) 2021 TechX Social Impact / Harvard Franklin Fellowship (1 of 12) 2020 USENIX Enigma Grant 2021 NCAS Workshop participant (NASA Community College Aerospace Scholars) 2016 Who's Who/ Peggy Williams Memorial Scholarship/ Best BFA Award (Best of Major) 2008 Northeast Combinatorics, Discrete Maths Day (lodging) 2022 Upstate Number Theory Conference 2021 (lodging provided) 2021 IEEE Symposium on Security and Privacy (student travel grant, complimentary ticket) 2021

OTHER GRANTS/ FELLOWSHIPS (ABRIDGED)	
4th Annual ZK-Proof Workshop (complimentary ticket)	2021
WISP Privacy+Security Conference	2021
- EU Data Law / De-Identification Workshop (Scholarship via WISP)	
ICERM (Brown University) Variable Precision in Mathematical & Scientific Thinking	2020
RWC2020 (Real World Crypto: registration, flight, lodging) Grant via IACR	2020
PL+HCI Swimmer Summer School (on Programming Languages and Usability)	2020
Sage-Days-104 : To work on SageMath Software: Arithmetic Dynamics	2019
Simons Institute (Berkeley) Error-Correcting Codes and High-Dimensional	2019
Expansion Boot Camp (attendee)	
ICERM (Brown University) Encrypted Search Workshop Grant (Lodging provided)	2019
Cornell Number Theory Conference Grant (Lodging provided)	2019
MSRI (Mathematical Sciences Research Institute) Grants to attend:	2010
Optimal Transport and applications to machine learning and statistics	2020
Connections for Women:	2019
- Derived Algebraic Geometry, Birational Geometry and Moduli Spaces workshop	2010
- Introductory Workshop: Derived Algebraic Geometry and Birational Geometry	
And Moduli Spaces	
Racket Summer School (National Science Foundation Grant)	2018-2019
PLMW (Programming Languages Mentorship Workshop)	2018
ICFP (International Conference Functional Programming)	
PLMW(Programming Languages Mentorship Workshop)	2018
PLDI (Programming Languages Design and Implementation)	
OPLSS (Oregon Programming Languages Summer School Grant) - declined offer	2018
INSTITUTIONAL PROSPECTIVE FACULTY PhD INVITATIONS	
Invited Participant, Rochester Institute of Technology: RIT Pathways to RIT	2023
(Pathways from PhD to Faculty programme)	
Invited Participant, Rochester Institute of Technology: Pathways to RIT	2023
Computing edition	
INDUSTRY DED INVITATIONS (ARRIDOED)	
INDUSTRY PhD INVITATIONS (ABRIDGED)	2022
Participant, Meta's Uniting Scholars in Research (Menlo Park, Palo Alto) (1 of 35)	2022 2022
Virtual Participant, Jane Street's Preview Program, The Game Show / Trading Games	_
Virtual Participant, Adobe's Experience Day:Research Track (Emerging Devices)(1 of 35	•
Participant, Facebook, Amplified: Above & Beyond Computer Science Program (PhDs)	2021 2021
Participant, Facebook's Amplified: Virtual Vivid in Research (1 of 30)	-
Participant, Galois 1st Summer School on Trustworthy Machine Learning (1 of 35)	2021
Participant (via CSRMP), Google PhD Fellowship Summit	2021
Participant, Jane Street PhD Symposium (New York, remote) (Quant Research)	2021
Participant, TwoSigma Mock Interview Day for Early Career Women (Quant Research)	2021
Participant, Twitter PhD ML Flock Event (New York, Boston office)	2019
GRADUATE SCHOOL INTERNSHIPS	
JP Morgan, Quantitative AI Research, Summer Associate (New York) (1 of 10)	2022
Summer of Bitcoin, Blockchain (Lightning Network) PhD Research intern (remote)	2022
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GRADUATE SCHOOL INTERNSHIPS Microsoft Research, Independent Contractor, Summer 2021 (New York: remote) Microsoft, PhD Intern, Summer 2021 (Redmond: remote) Autodesk, PhD Intern, Summer 2020 (Pier 9, San Francisco: remote)	2021 2021 2020
RELEVANT WORK / INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE (Pre-Grad school)  Mercury Banking (Haskell fintech): Software Engineering Intern (San Francisco)  Apple, Inc.: Software Engineering Intern (Sunnyvale)  Google Summer of Code: Developer for Haskell.org  Mozilla: Increasing Rust's Reach Developer	2019 2019 2018 2018
OTHER (NON-INDUSTRY) TALKS (ABRIDGED)  Presenter, Google CSRMP, "Quantum backtracking and implications to cryptography"  Number Theory in Quantum, American Institute of Mathematics (AIM),  Roots of Unity Workshop, Caltech (Pasadena, Los Angeles)  "Compositional Isogeny Schemes", Tapia Doctoral Consortium (45 minutes)  "A Journey through Unboundedness of ranks of Elliptic Curves", (15 minute talk)	2023 2023 2022 2022
Roots of Unity Workshop (joint talk with O. Del Guercio and M. Bustos Gonzalez) Brown University, Fair February talk on Security, Privacy, Fairness (30 minutes) Meetup "Math for Math's Sake", Virtual Lightning Talk (10-15 minutes) "Isogenies, Elliptic Curves and Random Walks on Random Graphs "Composable Forgetful Isogenies", Google CSRMP Research Alumni Talk (30 minutes)	2022 2022 2022
"Price of Anarchy in Selfish Routing", Graph Theory and Spectral Graph Theory (15 min, "Price of Anarchy in Selfish Routing", Google CSRMP Research Alumni Talk (30 minute. CS Research Day, "Price of Anarchy in Selfish Routing", UVM (16 min) "Composable Forgetful Isogeny Graph Cryptography", Google CSRMP Research "Isogeny Cryptography", School for Poetic Computation, Re-learning to love Maths PLAID Lab Speaker, "Information Theory: from Spacecraft to Blockchain"	2022
INDUSTRY TALKS (ABRIDGED)  "Isogeny-Based Cryptography", JP Morgan AI Research Cryptography Group (1 hour) JP Morgan AI Research Weekly Technical Meeting, (New York) (20 min) JP Morgan AI Research Reading Group Meeting (30 min) JP Morgan Summer Symposium (10 min) Women Who Code: SageMath: "Computational (Pure) Mathematics/Graph Theory" - Lightning Talk (2-4 min) "Prediction Sensitivity for Fairness in AI", Jane Street Symposium (15 minutes)	2022 2022 2022 2022 2022 2022
"Renyi-Differential Privacy", Autodesk UX Group (20 minutes)  MERIT-BASED MENTORSHIPS / RESEARCH MENTORSHIPS (SELECTED)  Mentee, Black Scholars Doctoral Mentorship  - Mentor: K. Clark, PhD.	2020
Mentee, Institute for African-American Mentoring in Computing Sciences (IAAMCS)  - Mentor: J. Gilbert, PhD  Mentee, LXAI Computer Vision (LXCV) at CVPR (Computer Vision) workshop  - Mentor: F. N. Paravecino, PhD (Research collaborations)	2023 2023

#### MERIT-BASED MENTORSHIPS / RESEARCH MENTORSHIPS (SELECTED)

Mentee, Algorithmic Game Theory Workshop (AGT), Economics and Computation	2022
- (mentor: H. Zhang, PhD), paper dissection and Ask me Anything session	
Mentee, MD4SG Mentorship Program, with J. Finocchiaro, PhD (1 of 3)	2022-2023
Mentee, AiC Connectors Program with Facebook, with S. Lim, PhD	2022
Mentee, BlackComputeHer Fellowship, with Y. Rankin, PhD, A. Robinson, M.Ed	2022
Mentee, Microsoft's Tech Resilience (mentors: O. Kroshkina, M. Ward)	2022
Mentee, Google's CS Research Mentorship Program (CSRMP) with A. Lees, PhD	2021
Mentee, AiC Connectors Program with Facebook with O. Dalleleau, PhD	2021
Mentee, She256 Blockchain Group with P. Mishra, PhD	2021
Mentee, Women in Privacy and Security (WISP), D. Sharma, PhD	2021
Mentee, Algorithmic Game Theory (AGT), Economics and Computation Conference	2020
- Global Outreach Mentorship with S. Gupta, PhD (EC 2020)	
Mentee, Mentored by A. Ahmed, PhD,	2020-present
<ul> <li>ICFP 2020, ACM SIGPLAN-Mentorship, organized by T. Ringer</li> </ul>	

#### CLASSES (OTHER)

Audit / Other: Internet Scale Consensus in the Blockchain Era (Information Theory class at Stanford), Matroids & Polytopes, Theory of Algebraic Differential Equations, Elementary Number Theory, Fundamentals of Mathematics, Extremal Graph Theory, Model Theory and Applications

# CLASSES (AUDIT)

QIndia: Fundamentals of Quantum Operations	2023
Zaiku Group, Software Verification Course (online)	2023
- Class focused on Quantum Formalism, functional programming and	

Software verification for Homotopic Minds taught by B. Ahrens, PhD using Lean 3
Final project involved formalising a SAT solver using Lean

Zaiku Group, Quantum Formalism

2023

- Mathematical Tools of Quantum Mechanics, taught by E. Ramirez, PhD
- Topics Included: Hilbert Spaces, Quantum Mechanics

Preliminary Arizona Winter School, "Abelian Varieties over Finite Fields", by L. Dembele 2023

Preliminary Arizona Winter School, Model Theory and Applications, taught by R. Nagloo 2022-2023

QWorld QClass 551: Quantum Software Development with Classiq 2023

- Quantum Algorithm Research Project under mentorship of a Principal Investigator
- Requires project written manuscript (1 out of 80 accepted from ~400 applicants)
- Received Classiq Bootcamp certificate (10/13/23)

QWorld QClass 23/24: Introductory and Intermediate Level Quantum Courses 2023

- Quantum Algorithms with Classiq, Quantum Key Distribution,
- Introduction to Quantum Algorithms, Quantum Error Correction,
- Quantum Annealing, Topological Quantum Computing, Quantum Games
- Classig Bootcamp (implementation of quantum challenges daily)
- Included workshop on Training on PennyLane and QML by Xanadu (organized by QWorld, in conjunction with the University of Latvia)

### CLASSES (AUDIT)

Stanford: EE 374 : Internet-Scale Consensus in the Blockchain Era (Spring)

- Information Theory class focused on scalability and protocols in Blockchain

- Taught by D. Tse, PhD through Stanford University

- Audited class, scribed for Lecture 11, Spring 2021

IBM Qiskit Global Summer School (Quantum Computation using Qiskit)

2020

#### **Book Clubs:**

Quantum Computing (2022), Quantum Computing and Quantum Information (2022-2023: study group with Mathematicians, Physicists and Computer Scientists), HDX Expander Graphs (2022-2023)

### HACKATHON (Quantum)

2023

2024

- Project: "Quantum project using noisy intermediate-scale quantum (NISQ) Devices"
  - Work on cryptography for federated quantum models with DNA data.

**Skills:** Python, LaTeX, SageMaths, Qiskit, Classiq, Haskell, Matlab, Jupyter, Pytorch, SQL, AWS, Azure, PySpark, Tensorflow, Git, Lean (3; not 4...yet!), writing proofs. **Quantum benchmarking tools:** Qualtran, Bench-Q, pyLiqtr, OpenFermion, Pennylane

# PRESS (SELECTED)

Publication Featured in Montreal AI Ethics Institute (MAIEI) newsletter 2022  Publication work Featured in BitMEX Research blog 2022		
Publication work Featured in BitMEX Research blog 2022		
Featured / interviewed in articles / media by Coursera, NASA-JPL, Google, Udacity, 2016-present		
The MacArthur Foundation, Venture Beat, The Data Standard, Corecursive Podcast,		
OpenMined,Career Girls, Dataiku, Scott Hanselman's Podcast, BlackComputeHer,		
NASA Tech Briefs (40th anniversary), Variety, ACM SPLASH 2022 PLMW Perspectives,		
the Los Angeles Times, Black Girls Code colouring book on Women Scientists,		
Women of Silicon Valley, CareerGirls, The Summer of Bitcoin experience (SBOE), Technovation,		
Rewriting the Code, Montreal AI Ethics Institute, etc.		

#### **LEADERSHIP and SERVICE (SELECTED)**

Co-Workshop Organizer, Tiny Papers Track at ICLR (Vienna, Austria)	2024
DEI Chair, AISTATS (Valencia, Spain)	2024
Student Volunteer, IEEE International Conference on Quantum Computing	2023
And Engineering (QCE)	
(Junior) Program Committee, Safe and Trustworthy AI (STAI) at the International	2023
Conference on Logic Programming (ICLP)	
Co-Committee / Area Chair, Broadening Participation and Tiny Papers Workshop at	2023
International Conference of Learning Representation (ICLR)	
Co-Committee, Broadening Participation and Co-Submitting Summer School at	2022
International Conference of Learning Representation (ICLR)	
Program Committee, BlackAIR Programme	2021
Virtual Co-Organizer, Women in Machine Learning, Black In AI at NeurIPS (NeurIPS)	2020
Virtual Volunteer Chair, Empirical Methods in Natural Language Processing (EMNLP)	2020

# **LEADERSHIP and SERVICE (SELECTED)**

Virtual Student Volunteer, International Conference of Machine Learning (ICML)	2020
Virtual Student Volunteer, International Conference of Functional Programming (ICFP)	2020
Student Volunteer, Programming Languages and Design Conference (PLDI)	2018
Student Volunteer, International Conference of Functional Programming (ICFP)	2018
Invited Student Volunteer, SIGPLAN conference on Systems, Programming,	2018
Languages and Applications (SPLASH) (declined offer)	
Student Volunteer, Principles of Programming Languages (POPL)	2017

# ACADEMIC ASSOCIATION FOR COMPUTING MACHINERY (ACM) MEMBERSHIPS

Student Member, International Association of Cryptologic Research (IACR)	2020-present
SIGecom Special Interest Group on Economics and Computation	2020-present

### **NON-ACADEMIC MEMBERSHIP**

Member, Quantum Resource Estimation Group	2023-present
Member, Isogeny Research Club	2023-present
Member, Women in Cryptography	2023-present
Student Member, IEEE Computer Society Technical Committee on Security and Privacy	2021-present
Member, Women in Number Theory	2018-present
Member, QVNTS (Quebec-Vermont Number Theory Seminar)	2021-present
Member, Women in Combinatorics	2021-present
Member, Association for Women in Mathematics	2021-present
Member, She256	2021-present
Member, Women in Security and Privacy (WISP)	2020-present
Member, IEEE Information Theory Society, Santa Clara Valley Chapter	2016-present