# Matthew E. Ware

CURRENT EMPLOYMENT	IBM, Yorktown Heights, New York USA Quantum Engineer	Aug 2021 - Present
PREVIOUS EMPLOYMENT	Raytheon BBN Technologies, Cambridge, Massachusetts USA Experimental Physicist, Quantum Information Processing Group	Jan 2015 - Aug 2021
ACADEMIC PREPARATION	Syracuse University, Syracuse, New York USA Ph.D., Physics	May 2015
	Syracuse University, Syracuse, New York USA M.S., Physics	May 2011
	University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, Alabama USA B.S., Physics and Applied Mathematics, Summa Cum Laude	May 2009
Honors and Awards	University Fellow, Syracuse University	2009 - 2011
	Phi Beta Kappa, University of Alabama	2009
Academic Experience	Syracuse University, Syracuse, New York USA  Graduate Student Ph.D. research on superconducting qubits for quantum information processing	July 2009 - December 2014
	University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, Alabama USA  Undergraduate Research  Thin film deposition for giant magnetoresistance research in the groups of Patrick LeClair and Gary Mankey	Fall 2008 - May 2009
	Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität, Munich, Germany  DAAD R.I.S.E Intern  Lab/Research experience fabricating and measuring pentacene thin film transistors in the group of Bert Nickle	May - August 2007
Publications	Matthew Ware, Guilhem Ribeill, Diego Ristè, Colm A. Ryan, Blake Johnson and Marcus P. da Silva "Experimental Pauli-frame randomization on a superconducting qubit." Phys. Rev. A 103	

Matthew Ware, Guilhem Ribeill, Diego Ristè, Colm A. Ryan, Blake Johnson and Marcus P. da Silva. "Experimental Pauli-frame randomization on a superconducting qubit." *Phys. Rev. A* **103** 042604 (2021).

Kenneth Rudinger, Guilhem Ribeill, L. C. G. Govia, **Matthew Ware**, Erik Nielsen, Kevin Young, Thomas A. Ohki, Robin Blume-Kohout and Timothy Proctor "Characterizing mid-circuit measurements on a superconducting qubit using gate set tomography." arXiv:2103.03008, March 2021.

Benjamin Lienhard, Antti Vepslinen, Luke C. G. Govia, Cole R. Hoffer, Jack Y. Qiu, Diego Rist, **Matthew Ware**, David Kim, Roni Winik, Alexander Melville, Bethany Niedzielski, Jonilyn Yoder, Guilhem J. Ribeill, Thomas A. Ohki, Hari K. Krovi, Terry P. Orlando, Simon Gustavsson and William D. Oliver "Deep Neural Network Discrimination of Multiplexed Superconducting Qubit States." arXiv:2102.12481, February 2021.

L. C. G. Govia, Guilhem Ribeill, Diego Ristè, Matthew Ware and Hari Krovi. "Bootstrapping quantum process tomography via a perturbative ansatz." *Nature Commun.* **11**, 1084 (2020).

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P. Bhupathi, Peter Groszkowski, M. P. DeFeo, **Matthew Ware**, Frank K. Wilhelm, and B. L. T. Plourde. "Transient Dynamics of a Superconducting Nonlinear Oscillator." *Phys. Rev. Applied* 5, 024002 (2016).

Daniela F. Bogorin, D. T. McClure, **Matthew Ware**, and B. L. T. Plourde. "Copper waveguide cavities with reduced surface loss for coupling to superconducting qubits." *IEEE Transactions on Applied Superconductivity* **24(4)**, 1700207 (2014).

A. D. Córcoles, Jay M. Gambetta, Jerry M. Chow, John A. Smolin, **Matthew Ware**, Joel Strand, B. L. T. Plourde, and M. Steffen. "Process verification of two-qubit quantum gates by randomized benchmarking." *Phys. Rev. A* 87, 030301 (2013).

J. D. Strand, Matthew Ware, Félix Beaudoin, T. A. Ohki, B. R. Johnson, Alexandre Blais, and B. L. T. Plourde. "First-order sideband transitions with flux-driven asymmetric transmon qubits." *Phys. Rev. B* 87, 220505 (2013).

# Conference Talks/Posters

## APS March meeting talk

March 2019

Matthew Ware, Guilhem Ribeill, Diego Ristè, Luke Govia, Hari Krovi "Bootstrapping quantum process tomography via a perturbative ansatz"

## APS March meeting talk

March 2018

Matthew Ware, Guilhem Ribeill, Marcus P. da Silva "Detecting measurement correlations with graphical models"

#### APS March meeting talk

March 2017

Matthew Ware, Guilhem Ribeill, Diego Ristè, Colm A. Ryan, Blake Johnson, Marcus P. da Silva "Experimental Pauli-frame randomization on a superconducting qubit"

## APS March meeting talk

March 2016

Matthew Ware, Kin Chung Fong, Colm A. Ryan, Brian Hassik, Thomas Ohki, Marcus P. da Silva "Crosstalk characterization in superconducting qubits by eigenvalue estimation: Experiment"

Poster session March 2014

Matthew Ware, Blake Johnson, Jay M. Gambetta, Colm Ryan, Thomas Ohki, Jerry Chow, B. L. T. Plourde. Aspen Center for Physics winter conference" Advances in quantum algorithms and computation". "Cross-resonance interactions between superconducting qubits with variable detuning"

#### APS March meeting talk

March 2014

Matthew Ware, Blake Johnson, Jay M. Gambetta, Colm Ryan, Thomas Ohki, Jerry Chow, B. L. T. Plourde. "Cross-resonance interactions between superconducting qubits with variable detuning"

## Student conference talk

June 2012

9th Canadian Student Conference on Quantum Information, and the 2nd AQuA

Student Congress on Quantum Information, Institute for Quantum Computing, University of Waterloo, Ontario Canada. "Material and geometric effects in 3D transmon qubits"

APS March meeting talk

March 2012

Matthew Ware, M.P. Defeo, J.D. Strand, B. Xiao, B.L.T. Plourde, Stefano Poletto, Chad Rigetti. "Material and geometric effects in 3D transmon qubits"

Professional Experience  $Assessing\ Performance\ of\ Quantum\ Computers\ (APQC)$ 

Sept 2019

ENCE Estes Park Colorado

Principal Investigator of the QuVDe collaboration

March 2017-Present

 $\ensuremath{\mathrm{LPS/ARO}}$  funded quantum verification and validation program

Advances in quantum algorithms and computation Aspen Center for Physics, Aspen Colorado March 2014

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June 2012

Institute for Quantum Computing, University of Waterloo, Ontario Canada

TECHNICAL SKILLS Fabrication experience: 5+ years of user experience at Cornell Universities

Nanoscale Science and Technology Facility (CNF) including electron-beam lithography,

photolithography, wet/dry etching, thin film deposition, Josephson junction

processing, imaging/metrology, device design and layout

12th Canadian summer school on quantum information

Simulation/Design: HFSS, Sonnet, Cadence

**Code**: C/C++,MATLAB,Python **Security Clearance**: Top Secret

Measurement: 10+ years of low temperature (< 30mK) microwave measurement

PhD Advisor

Prof. Britton L. T. Plourde, Syracuse University