# **Owen Sheekey**

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#### **EDUCATION**

## University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada

Current student, BSc. Combined Honours Physics and Computer Science

Sep 2017 –

- Cumulative GPA: 85.1%
- Relevant coursework
  - PHYS 304 Quantum Mechanics, PHYS 315 Introduction to Solid State Physics, CS 320 Intermediate Algorithm Design and Analysis, CS 313 – Computer Hardware and Operating Systems

# State University of New York at New Paltz, New York, USA

Part time student concurrent with high school. 21 credits total.

Sep 2014 – May 2017

- Cumulative GPA: 3.8/4.0
- Relevant coursework
  - MAT 252 Calculus II, MAT 260 Introduction to Mathematical Proofs

#### RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

## Stewart Blusson Quantum Matter Institute, University of British Columbia

Undergraduate Research Student, Quantum Devices group

Jan 2019 –

- Thesis Project: Measurement of non local entropy of a quantum many state mesoscopic system.
- Other projects include characterization of InAs nanowires for topological quantum computing in collaboration with Microsoft Station Q Purdue and local entropy measurements of a spin 1/2 particle in a mesoscopic system.
- Supervisor: Prof Joshua Folk

## WORK EXPERIENCE

## UBC Department of Computer Science, Vancouver, Canada

Undergraduate Teaching Assistant

Sep 2018 – Dec 2018

 Teaching assistant for a 1st year computer science course CPSC 121: Models of Computation.

## The Institute for Family Health, New York, USA

Craig Mesches Memorial internship

Jun 2016 – Aug 2016

 Health information technology internship with applications in IT, health information analysis, and medicine.

#### **SKILLS**

## **Programming**

- Languages
  - Scientific Python, C/C++, Java, TypeScript/JavaScript, Igor, Matlab
- Software Development
  - Arduinos and microcontrollers, instrument control and communication, web development.

## **Technical**

- Software
  - Autocad designing nanoscale devices, Eagle designing circuitry, Solidworks - basic 3D design.
- Laboratory
  - E-beam evaporation, imaging using optical and scanning electron microscopes, soldering, wire bonding.

#### **AWARDS**

Deans Honour List, University of British Columbia
For attaining a GPA above 80% with more than 27 percentage based credits.

Sep 2017 – Apr 2020

HiMCM Honorable Mention

2016

For performance in the High School Mathematical Contest in Modeling.

 AP Scholar with distinction, New Paltz High School For attaining an AP cumulative average of at least 3.25. 2015 - 2017