

# BO-YU CHEN

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## EDUCATION

<b>National Taiwan University</b>	Taipei, Taiwan
<b>Bachelor of Science in Physics</b>   GPA: 4.15/4.30 (Overall/Scale)	Sep 2023 - present
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>National Taiwan University Fu Bell Scholarship (Highest distinction, Top 1 % students across university)</li><li>1st place in the undergraduate special talent admission</li></ul>	
<b>Affiliated Senior High School of National Taiwan Normal University</b>	Taipei, Taiwan
<b>Computer Science Honor Program</b>   GPA: 100/98/100 (Math/Physics/Scale)	Aug 2020 - Jun 2023
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Taipei City Mayor Award (Highest distinction, Top 1% graduates)</li><li>1st place in the entrance exam</li></ul>	

## RESEARCH INTERESTS

Statistical machine learning, 2D materials.

## PUBLICATIONS

\*Equal contribution.

- [5] STanHop: Sparse Tandem Hopfield Model for Memory-Enhanced Time Series Prediction, Dennis Wu\*, Jerry Yao-Chieh Hu\*, Weijian Li\*, **Bo-Yu Chen**, Han Liu, In *12th International Conference on Learning Representations (ICLR'24)*, 2024. [arXiv:2312.17346](#)
- [4] Magnetoresistance Properties in Nickel-catalyzed, Air-stable, Uniform, and Transfer-free Graphene, **Bo-Yu Chen**, Bo-Wei Chen, Wu-Yih Uen, Chi Chen, Chiashain Chuang, Dung-Sheng Tsai, *Accepted to Nanotechnology*, 2024. DOI: [10.1088/1361-6528/ad2381](#)
- [3] On Sparse Modern Hopfield Model, Jerry Yao-Chieh Hu, Donglin Yang, Dennis Wu, Chenwei Xu, **Bo-Yu Chen**, Han Liu, In *37th Conference on Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS'23)*, 2023. [arXiv:2309.12673](#)  
This work was highlighted in *Northwestern CS department news*.
- [2] Modulations for Quantum Electronic Material Transports by Vacuum Annealing Methods, Ji-Wei Ci, **Bo-Yu Chen**, Yuan-Chih Hung, Huan-Chien Wang, Dung-Sheng Tsai, Wu-Yih Uen, Yuan-Liang Zhong, Jhy-Shyang Wang, Chi-Te Liang, Chiashain Chuang, *Spin*, 2340023, 2023. DOI: [10.1142/S2010324723400234](#)
- [1] First-Principles Study on Possible Half-Metallic Ferrimagnetism in Double Perovskites  $\text{Pb}_2\text{XX}'\text{O}_6$  ( $\text{X} = \text{Ti, Zr, Hf, V, Nb}$  and  $\text{Ta}$ ,  $\text{X}' = \text{Tc, Ru, Os}$  and  $\text{Rh}$ ), **Bo-Yu Chen**, Po-Han Lee, Yin-Kuo Wang, *Materials* **15**, 3311, 2022. DOI: [10.3390/ma15093311](#)

## HONORS

• <b>Fu Bell Scholarship</b> (Highest distinction, Top 1% students across university), NTU, Taiwan	2023
• <b>Taipei City Mayor Award</b> (Top 1% high school graduates), Taipei City, Taiwan	2023
• <b>Sakura Science Exchange Program</b> (official invitation), Japan Science and Technology Agency, Japan	2023

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCES

<b>Department of Computer Science, Northwestern University</b>	Evanston, IL (Remote)
<b>Computational and Statistical Theory of Ising Model in Machine Learning</b>	Jan 2023 - present
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Undergraduate research, with <a href="#">Prof. Han Liu</a></li></ul>	

- Introduced STanHop-Net, a time series prediction model, combines a Hopfield-based block with external memory modules, enhancing learning, rapid response to rare events, and superior empirical performance. [5]
- Introduced a sparse modern Hopfield model with memory-retrieval dynamics connecting to the sparse-structured attention, enabling robust representation learning, fast convergence, and exponential memory capacity. [3]

**Department of Electronics Engineering, Chung Yuan Christian University**  
**Two-Dimensional Materials and Nanoscale Electronic Devices**

Taoyuan, Taiwan  
 Aug 2021 - Jun 2023

- Independent research, with **Prof. Chiashain Chuang** and **Prof. Dung-Sheng Tsai**
- Synthesized transfer-free graphene by atmospheric-pressure chemical vapour deposition (APCVD) and investigated its magnetoresistance mechanism for potential applications in nanoscale magnetic sensor. [4]
- Investigated the quantum electronic material transports by vacuum annealing methods. [2]

**National Taiwan Normal University**

Taipei, Taiwan

**Density Functional Theory and First Principle Calculation**

Oct 2021 - May 2022

- Independent research, with **Prof. Po-Han Lee** and **Prof. Yin-Kuo Wang**
- Investigated the half-metallic and ferromagnetic properties of Pb-based double perovskite by Vienna Ab initio Simulation Package (VASP). [1]

**CONFERENCES PRESENTATIONS**

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- [3] Temperature-Dependent Magnetoresistance of Transfer-Free Graphene Grown by APCVD,  
**Bo-Yu Chen**, Bo-Wei Chen, Ji-Wei Ci, Wu-Yih Uen, Po-Han Lee, Chi Chen, Chiashain Chuang, Dung-Sheng Tsai,  
 13th Recent Progress in Graphene and Two-dimensional Materials Research Conference, Taipei, Taiwan, November 2022
- [2] Ab initio study on the growth mechanism of graphene on metal,  
**Bo-Yu Chen**, Po-Han Lee, Yin-Kuo Wang,  
 2022 Annual Meeting of the Physical Society of Taiwan, Taipei, Taiwan, January 2022
- [1] Layer-dependent properties of SnSe<sub>2</sub> two dimensional materials,  
**Bo-Yu Chen**, Po-Han Lee, Yin-Kuo Wang,  
 2022 Annual Meeting of the Physical Society of Taiwan, Taipei, Taiwan, January 2022