# Shawn Shin

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### EDUCATION University of California, Berkeley

2017 - 2021

B.A. in Physics Major GPA: 3.73/4.00

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE Associate Research Scientist

July 2021 - Present

Charlton, MA

Incom, Inc.

Supervisor: Dr. Alexey Lyashenko

- Primary role: Fabricate, seal, and characterize the world's largest planar MCP-PMT, Large Area Picosecond Photodetector (LAPPD), in ultra-high vacuum chambers.
- Developed and deposited bialkali/multialkali photocathodes with high quantum efficiencies (>30%).
- Developed and fabricated Z-stack LAPPD for LHCb electromagnetic calorimeter (ECAL) timing layer as part of DOE SBIR Phase I project.
- Key supporting researcher for DOE SBIR Phase II project: Large Area Multi-Anode MCP-PMT for High Rate Application.

Summer Research Intern

May 2021 – Jul 2021 Meyrin, Switzerland

CERN

Supervisor: Prof. Joel Fajans

- On-site summer research as part of Antihydrogen Laser Physics Apparatus (ALPHA) collaboration at CERN.
- Optimized and improved LabVIEW program that automates Argon and Krypton gas-mixing in Third Harmonic Generation chamber to produce Lyman- $\alpha$  laser for doppler-cooling of antihydrogen atoms.
- Designed a structural support for octupole magnet leads using Autodesk Inventor.

Undergraduate Researcher

Jan 2021 - May 2021

Berkeley, CA

Mesbah Lab, UC Berkeley

Supervisor: Prof. Ali Mesbah

- Led a group of graduate students on the circuit mapping of an Atmospheric Pressure Plasma Jet (APPJ) operating at >5 kV.
- Produced a schematic diagram and preliminary PCB layout using Autodesk EAGLE.

**PUBLICATIONS** S. Shin et al., Advances in the Large Area Picosecond Photo-Detector (LAPPD<sup>TM</sup>):  $8" \times 8"$  MCP-PMT with Capacitively Coupled Readout. In preparation.

SCIENTIFIC TALKS

Production of Large Area Picosecond Photo-Detectors – LAPPD $^{\mathsf{TM}}$ : 2022 Status Update

ICHEP – Bologna, Italy

July 2022

Advances in Large Area Picosecond Photodetectors –  $LAPPD^{TM}$  APS April Meeting – New York City, NY

April 2022

LAPPD Overview: Recent Performance Results of Gen-II (Capacitively Coupled) LAPPDs

LAPPD Virtual Workshop – CFNS, Stony Brook University

 $March\ 2022$ 

#### **MENTORSHIP**

Ethan Turett – Worcester Polytechnic Institute, Undergraduate Summer 2022 Project: Automated Growth of Large Area Bialkali Photocathodes

- Supervising summer intern on LabVIEW project that aims to automate deposition of LAPPD photocathode
- Teaching hands-on laboratory techniques (vacuum systems, leak test, high voltage, etc.

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

## **Undergraduate Group Tutor**

Spring 2021 UC Berkeley

PHYS 111A: Instrumentation Laboratory

- Undergraduate student instructor for the upper division experimental course, PHYS 111A, taught by Prof. Joel Fajans and Prof. Kam-Biu Luk.
- Held weekly office hours that involved review of semiconductor circuit theory and debugging of students' circuits and LabVIEW codes.

#### **SKILLS**

Programming Languages Python, Java, SQL, R

Tools

LabVIEW, LaTeX, Mathematica, HTML/CSS, SolidWorks, Autodesk Inventor, EAGLE, KiCad, LTspice

Technology

Ultra-High Vacuum Systems, Photomultiplier Tubes, High Voltage Equipment, Bialkali/Multialkali Antimonide Photocathode, MCP-PMTs, CNC