# SUSANNA WEBER

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# **EDUCATION**

Columbia University

Expected December 2024

Master of Science, Biomedical Engineering

University of California, Berkeley

May 2023

Bachelor of Arts, Physics | Minor, Electrical Engineering and Computer Science (EECS)

**Relevant Coursework:** Principles of MRI, Deep Learning in Biomedical Imaging, Deep Learning for Signal Processing, Biostatistics, Data Structures, Thermodynamics, Quantum Mechanics, Linear Algebra, Calculus **Awards:** Berkeley Physics-and-Astronomy Undergraduate Research Scholar (*Spring + Fall 2021*, *Fall 2022*)

## **RELEVANT SKILLS**

Languages: Python, MATLAB, Java, C++

Libraries: PyTorch, TensorFlow, NiBabel, Pydicom, OpenCV, Pandas

Other skills: KiCad, Arduino, AutoCAD, Git, LaTeX

# RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

# MR SCIENCE Lab at Columbia University

Graduate Student Researcher

August 2023 - Present

- Thesis project (in progress): Implementing multi-coil shimming for cardiac MRI
- Simulated three-dimensional B0 distributions over in vivo heart and multi-coil shimming in MATLAB

#### **General Electric Healthcare**

Medical Imaging Al Intern

May 2022 - August 2022

- Built generative adversarial networks for paired and unpaired MR to CT scan translation in TensorFlow
- Used vision transformer-based architectures to classify anatomical structures in MR scans

# Hellman Lab at UC Berkeley

Undergraduate Student Researcher

January 2021 - December 2022

- Fabricated amorphous multi-layer, ultra-thin films with magnetron sputtering
- Measured resistivity as a function of temperature using closed-cycle refrigeration system
- Built Python interface to control closed-cycle system, cooling samples to 3K

# Garcia Lab at UC Berkeley

Undergraduate Student Researcher

July 2020 - January 2021

- Simulated live imaging of gene transcription rates in fruit fly development using MATLAB
- Used simulation to quantify number of active, transcribing cells in fruit fly embryos
- Presented results to 200+ faculty and students at the Berkeley Physics Undergraduate Poster Session

#### HIGHLIGHTED PROJECTS

### **Cardiac MRI Segmentation**

Columbia University - Deep Learning for Biomedical Imaging

March 2024 - May 2024

- Developed deep learning architectures to segment right ventricle of the heart in cardiac cine scans
- Tested U-Net and attention-based approaches in Pytorch
- Worked with NIFTI and DICOM image formats using NiBabel, PyDicom, and OpenCV

### **Liquid Engine Rocket Flight Computer**

Space Technologies and Rocketry at Berkeley

August 2021 - May 2023

- Designed, built, and tested PCBs used during engine tests and launch of liquid engine rocket in KiCad
- Wrote live telemetry and data analysis software using Arduino/C++

### Automated Photometry Measurements with MAGIC Atmospheric Minion (MAM)

Max Planck Institute for Physics

May 2021 - July 2021

- Automated photometric filter system used by the MAGIC Telescope in Python
- Implemented algorithm to automatically reduce noise in CMOS images acquired by MAM