

# Thomas Lanning

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## EDUCATION

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### University of Oxford

Oxford, UK

*Mathematical and Theoretical Physics (MSc)*

October 2023 – June 2024

- Focus on theoretical plasma and particle physics, with electives in network theory, random matrix theory, and statistical physics and computer algorithms.

### University of Edinburgh

Edinburgh, UK

*Mathematical Physics (BSc)*

September 2019 – May 2023

- Graduated with the highest mark of the program. (First Class degree with honors).
- Certificate of Merit x2: Received for outstanding academic performance in first and second year.
- Year abroad at UT Austin (3<sup>rd</sup> Year).

## SKILLS

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- **Technical Skills:** Excel, Python (Focus on Data Analysis, ML and physics simulations), MATLAB, and fundamentals of R, SQL and HTML.
- **Languages:** English (Native), Dutch (native), German (intermediate) and Spanish (intermediate).

## EXPERIENCE

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### Space Placement in Industry at the Catapult

Remote/UK

*Technical Support to Business Development Team*

July 2022 – September 2022

- Generated an inter-company pipeline to automatically pull satellite imagery from Copernicus and commercial alternatives.
- Produced satellite images from Sentinel-2 and 5P for marketing purposes.

### Energy A.I. Hackathon

Austin, Texas

*2<sup>nd</sup> Place Winners*

March 2022

- Won 2<sup>nd</sup> place in a python machine learning hackathon. Received a trip to Dallas to present our findings to the (C-suite) employees at the headquarters of the sponsors of the hackathon: Pioneer and ComboCurve.

### Swiss Climate Analysis

Zurich, Switzerland

*University of Edinburgh SLICC program*

April 2020 – August 2020

- Used satellite imagery and weather station data to analyze the current and past state of the Swiss climate.
- Performed analysis using Python code and research into ecological spectrometry.

### Trading and Investment Society

Edinburgh, UK

*University of Edinburgh (EUTIC)*

September 2020 – December 2020

- Together in a team, we wrote an investment report on Ballard Power and pitched this to the EUTIC investment panel.
- Learned and applied different financial analysis tools (Porters five forces, relative valuation, etc.) using Excel.

### Mathematics Tutor

Online (Global)

*Independent Tutor*

June 2020 – present

- Tutoring high school advanced mathematics and physics, usually to junior and senior year students.

## ACTIVITIES & VOLUNTEERING

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**Activities:** Multiple Hackathons, Athletics; short distance sprinter (10.98s 100m time), Football; Made it to D.C. State tournament (high school).

**Volunteering:** UNICEF sales representative, D.C. Dutch Embassy general volunteering, New Orleans riverside cleanup, Madrid food bank.