

BOXIANG (WILLIAM) FU

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EDUCATION

Carnegie Mellon University

M.Sc. in Robotic Systems Development

2024 - 2026

University of Melbourne

B.Sc. in Mathematical Physics (*Rank: 2nd/2400+, First Class Honours, WAM 95.714*)

B.Com. in Economics and Finance (*Rank: 1st/1800+ (University Medalist), First Class Honours, WAM 95.105*)

Dip.Lang. in Chinese Studies (*Second Class Honours Division A, WAM 78.750*)

2019 - 2023

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Non-Rigid Multi-Perspective Camera Pose Estimation

Mobile Perception Lab, ShanghaiTech University

Dec 2023 - Apr 2024

Shanghai, China

- Offered mathematical and physics-based guidance to extend the static non-rigid multi-perspective camera pose estimation problem to the dynamic case involving all 6 degrees of freedom.
- Participated in building a dynamic physics-based deformation model of a non-rigid multi-perspective camera system using a convolutional neural networks. Primarily responsible for mathematical and physical derivations.

Quantum Proof of Work Algorithms

BTQ Lab, Macquarie University

Nov 2022 - Feb 2023

Sydney, Australia

- Proved the sufficient conditions for the existence of a Nash equilibrium payoff mechanism that incentivizes honest behaviour and penalizes cheating behaviour in a non-deterministic proof of work boson sampling consensus protocol.

Geothermal Energy: Economics and Technical Viability

The University of Melbourne

Jan 2022 - Jan 2023

Melbourne, Australia

- Determined the commercial viability of various sustainable hybrid energy projects in the Latrobe Valley region and developed a geothermal drilling cost estimation algorithm for drilling and building a generic bore hole and well.

PUBLICATIONS

- Singh, D.; **Fu, B.**; Muraleedharan, G.; Cheng, C.; Newton, N.; Rohde, P.; Brennen, G. Proof-of-Work Consensus by Quantum Sampling. ArXiv Preprint 2024. <https://doi.org/10.48550/arXiv.2305.19865>
- **Fu, B.**; Beardsmore, G.; Webster, R. Economic Performance Indicators for a Geothermal Aquatic Center in Victoria, Australia. *Energies* 2023, 16, 2134. <https://doi.org/10.3390/en16052134>
- Research posters on quantum key distribution [1], lattice reduction with applications to cryptography [2], and Latrobe valley geothermal economic modelling [3]

PROJECTS

- Currently in the CMU Lunar ROADSTER team supervised by Prof. Red Whittaker building a lunar rover for autonomous trial grooming and earthworking [[Project Website](#)]
- Programmed and backtested a market-neutral long/short trading strategy aimed at exploiting mispricing opportunities from long-run IPO underperformance. [[GitHub Repo](#)]
- Programmed a portfolio diversification algorithm in Python aimed at optimizing the risk-return performance of a portfolio using gradient descent optimization. [[GitHub Repo](#)]

AWARDS AND EDUCATIONAL ACHIEVEMENTS

- University Medal (2021)
- Leaders in Communities Award (2022)
- School of Physics Laby Research Scholarship (2022)
- Melbourne National Merit Scholarship (2018)
- Dean's Honours List (all year levels) (top 3%)
- School of Mathematics Vacation Scholarship (2022)
- Passed CFA Exam Level 1 (2021)
- Goda Firkins Academic Medal of Excellence (2017)

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Physics Students' Society (University of Melbourne)

Treasurer

2021-2022

Chinese Students and Scholars Association (University of Melbourne)

Treasurer (2021-2022), Department of Organization and Events (2019-2021)

2019-2022

TECHNICAL COMPETENCIES AND PERSONAL INFORMATION

Languages

English (Bilingual), Chinese (Bilingual)

Programming & Software Skills

Python, C, C++, R, MATLAB, SAS, ROS2, \LaTeX , CAD, PCB Design

Relevant Coursework

Robot Mobility, Manipulation, Estimation, Control, Autonomy; Systems Engineering; Computer Vision; Data Processing; Differential Equations; Vector Calculus; Analysis; Probability; Statistics; Linear Algebra; Electromagnetism; Classical Mechanics

Work Authorization

Australian citizenship, eligible for [E-3 visa](#) and does not require H-1B sponsorship