Jeffrey Morais

Quantum research scientist

Educational Background

Fall 2024 M.Sc. Physics, University of Victoria, Victoria, Canada

- Thesis on quantum virtual cooling via quantum many-body systems of qubits.
- Scholarships: NSERC CREATE Quantum Computing Program, BCGS, UVic FGS (\$31,500)

2019 - 2023 B.Sc. Honours Physics, McGill University, Montréal, Canada (GPA: 3.84/4.0)

- Thesis on de Sitter space cosmology compactifications in quantum gravity.
- Scholarships: 2 NSERC USRAs with FRQNT, SURA, SURE, BSA (\$41,600)

Ongoing Experience

Present Head of Quantum Software, BTQ, Vancouver, Canada

- Leveraged topological data analysis to strengthen post-quantum consensus protocols, enhancing scalability and security in cryptographic frameworks.
- Characterized autonomous network evolution in quantum key distribution (QKD) systems by examining topological features at multiple scales, improving scalability in distributed quantum-ready infrastructures.

Collaborators: Prof. Gavin Brennen, Dr. Peter Rohde

Present Quantum Computing Research Scientist, University of Victoria, Victoria, Canada

- Examined strongly correlated quantum phases to reach lower-temperature measurement regimes, improving stability and precision in quantum device operations.
- Applied holographic AdS/CFT frameworks to streamline complex quantum algorithms via path integral methods, enabling more efficient quantum computations.

Supervisor: Prof. Kristan Jensen

Selected Experience

2023 - 2024 Quantum Neural Network Research Scientist, Fudan University, Shanghai, China

- Developed topological quantum neural networks to improve generalization in deep learning, boosting the efficiency of advanced quantum algorithms.
- Employed topological quantum field theory **to better encode quantum information**, supporting scalable and high-fidelity operations in quantum computing.

Supervisors: Prof. Antonino Marcianò, Prof. Emanuele Zappala

Summer 2022 String Cosmology Research Scientist, McGill University, Montréal, Canada

- Increased cosmic string signal extraction efficiency by 1.7x in noisy environments, enabling broader data sampling via wavelet/match-filter techniques.
- Created custom Python algorithms to identify string profiles with 45% greater accuracy, refining correlation-based analytics for astrophysical data.
- Classified string stability to constrain signal distributions in evolving spacetime, improving predictive models for early-universe structures.

Supervisor: Prof. Robert Brandenberger

Fall 2021 Quantum Cosmology Research Scientist, McGill University, Montréal, Canada

- Developed Python-based methods to isolate fast radio burst signals from noise, facilitating clearer analyses of black-white hole tunneling.
- Coordinated with 10+ physicists to optimize bandwidth calculations using HPC and bash scripts, accelerating signal refinement and processing.
- Established spatial correlation approaches to pinpoint burst locations in evolving spacetime, enhancing positional accuracy in cosmological studies.

Supervisor: Prof. Victoria Kaspi

2019 - 2020 Quantum Simulation Research Scientist, Vanier College, Montréal, Canada

- Created innovative solutions for non-linear PDE Hamilton-Jacobi equations, generating predictive quantum trajectories in pilot-wave frameworks.
- Implemented RNN-driven simulations to model quantum trajectories in real-time, adapting efficiently to arbitrary potential landscapes in Python.

Supervisor: Prof. Ivan Ivanov