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ACADEMIC APPOINTMENTS

- Assistant Professor, Physics

Teaching

COURSES

2026-27

- Graduate Quantum Mechanics II: PHYSICS 231 (Spr)
- Mathematical Methods for Physics: PHYSICS 112 (Win)

2025-26

- Mathematical Methods for Physics: PHYSICS 112 (Spr)

Publications

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  2012