

# David Wang

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"Un bon mot ne prouve rien."  
(A witty saying proves nothing.)  
– Voltaire

## Education

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<b>Great Neck South High School</b> <i>High School Diploma</i>	<b>August 2017 – June 2021</b> <i>Great Neck, NY</i>
<b>Hofstra University</b> <i>B.S. in Mathematics</i>	<b>September 2021 – June 2022</b> <i>Hempstead, NY</i>
<b>The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill</b> <i>B.S. in Mathematics &amp; Statistics and Analytics, junior transfer</i>	<b>August 2022 –</b> <i>Chapel Hill, NC</i>

## Work experience

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<b>Mathnasium Syosset</b> <i>Math tutor</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Tutored kids (age range kindergarten to high school) in a diverse range of topics: anything from fractions to calculus.</li></ul>	<b>September 2021 – February 2022</b>
<b>Hofstra Mathematics Department</b> <i>Math tutor</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Assisted undergraduates with math course related content, such as test preparation and assignments.</li></ul>	<b>January 2022 – June 2022</b>

## Research experience

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<b>Institute for Ultrafast Lasers and Spectroscopy (IUSL)</b> <i>Research intern</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Conducted physics research under mentorship of Professor Robert Alfano and graduate student Sandra Mamani.</li></ul>	<b>May 2018 – August 2018</b> <i>City College of New York</i>
<b>Hofstra Computer Science Department</b> <i>Research student</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Conducted algorithmic research in infinite group theory under the direction of Professor Gretchen Ostheimer.</li></ul>	<b>January 2022 – June 2022</b>
<b>Notre Dame Geometry and Topology RTG</b> <i>Participant</i>	<b>July 2022</b> <i>University of Notre Dame</i>
<b>DIMACS REU</b> <i>Participant</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Researched related open problems in computational geometry involving the visibility graph recognition problem, which has remained unsolved for decades. Mentored by Prof. James Abello and graduate student Haoyang Zhang.</li></ul>	<b>June 2022 – August 2022</b> <i>Rutgers University</i>

## Accolades & achievements

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Provost's Scholar – *Fall 2021 semester*  
SpringBoard Incubators College Hackathon (team) – *First Place*  
Nassau County Math Competition (team) – *Second Place*  
USA Biology Olympiad – *Semifinalist, National Top 100*  
National Science Bowl (team) – *Regionals First Place, Nationals 21st*  
Science Olympiad (team) – *Regionals First Place, States First Place, Nationals 19th*  
WAC Science Fair – *Second Place*  
Long Island Science Congress – *Honorable Mention*  
Columbia Science Honors Program – *Student*  
National Latin Exam – *3x Gold Medalist*  
Varsity Fencing (team) – *County Champions, Individual Top 4 Foil*

## Interdisciplinary skills

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### Programming

Proficient in C, C++, Java, Kotlin, Python, R, and Rust.

- I enjoy competitive programming on sites like LeetCode and Project Euler.

### Journalism

Skills include, but are not limited to: pre-researching, interviewing, communicating, revising, and of course, writing.

- Prior student journalism experience at Stanford's Newsroom by the Bay, NYU's Urban Journalism Workshop, and Stony Brook's Robert W. Greene Institute. Former editor-in-chief of high school's newspaper, *The Southerner*.

### Comedy

Member of UNC's premier improvisational comedy and theater troupe, the False Profits.

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