

# CECILIA CHANG

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## Relevant Courses

Mathematical Methods of Physical Chemistry

- Quantum mechanics and statistical thermodynamics theory behind different simulation methods
- Implementation in Mathematica

Introduction to Computational Chemistry & Principles of Molecular Simulation

- Co-taught chemistry & engineering course covering density functional theory, molecular dynamics, and quantum mechanics/molecular mechanics simulations

## Education

**BA, Chemistry Magna Cum Laude**      **Cornell University, NY**      **2021**

GPA 3.3/4.00

Ananth Group

- Metal-organic framework molecular analog computational studies using DFT

Completed organic, physical, and analytical laboratory courses

- Analyzed and fit data using Excel, Stata, and IgorPro
- Electronic structure calculations using Gaussian 09

**Chemistry & Biochemistry**      **UCLA**

Alexandrova Group

- Molecular qubit computational analysis

## Volunteer Experience

**Palos Verdes Stables**

*Pony Camp Counselor*      *Summer 2018, Summer 2017, Summer 2015*

- Supervised children around horses, enforcing safety procedures and proper animal care routines
- Gave one-on-one horseback riding lessons
- Organized trail riding lunches and activities

**Ride to Fly**

*Volunteer and Leader*      *2016-2017*

- Assisted disabled children learning to horseback ride
- Led lesson horses in a safe and controlled manner
- Trained new volunteers in spotting and emergency dismount procedures