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Since first starting as an experimental plasma physicist as an undergraduate, Clayton has worked in several different laboratories and on a numerical simulation project. In that time, he has studied a variety of topics in plasma physics ranging from high energy density physics to magnetic confinement fusion to his present research in the emerging field of laboratory plasma astrophysics.