

A Capella Science - The Surface Of Light! (Lion King Parody)



An Evening with *A Capella Science's* Tim Blais

7:00 pm on Thursday, April 6, 2017


UBC Woodward IRC 2
(2198 Health Sciences Mall)

From "**The Surface of Light!**," to "**Bohemian Gravity**," to "**PLUTO MARS: Outbound Probe**," Tim Blais' popular YouTube channel *A Capella Science* blends science and pop music into entertaining and educational creations. Drawing inspiration from Weird Al, Bill Nye, Mike Tompkins and Vi Hart, Tim's science-parody creations are 100% originally recorded and made out of unaltered sounds from his mouth, throat and vocal cords.

"This is not a lecture." At this fun and engaging event, Tim will perform songs from his channel, both solo and with the aid of the audience and his old Vancouver A Capella group ("Acapocalypse"). He will also share his own experience as a science graduate student and an independent new media artist, and offer some observations about science culture.



This event is FREE, but please RSVP on Eventbrite to help us plan the event: <https://timblaiseventubc.eventbrite.com>



Tim completed his Master's degree in Theoretical Physics at McGill University. Starting out as a side project because of his love for music, his first YouTube video "Rolling in Higgs" now has almost 800K views; Scientific American blog suggested the video as possibly being "the single most comprehensively nerdy endeavour ever conceived." This experience prompted him to continue his venture, creating more science-themed YouTube videos. Merging a capella, science, and pop songs, Tim became a YouTube sensation - his most popular video, A Capella Science - Bohemian Gravity!, has almost 3 million views to date.

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