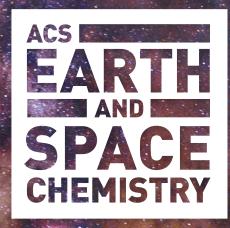


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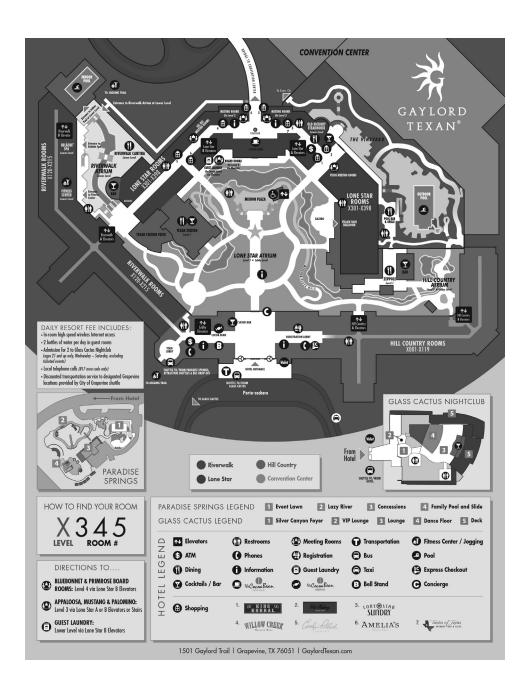
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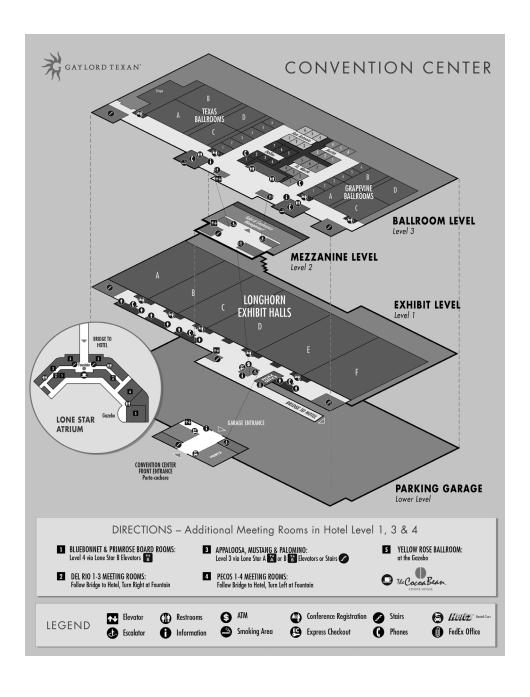
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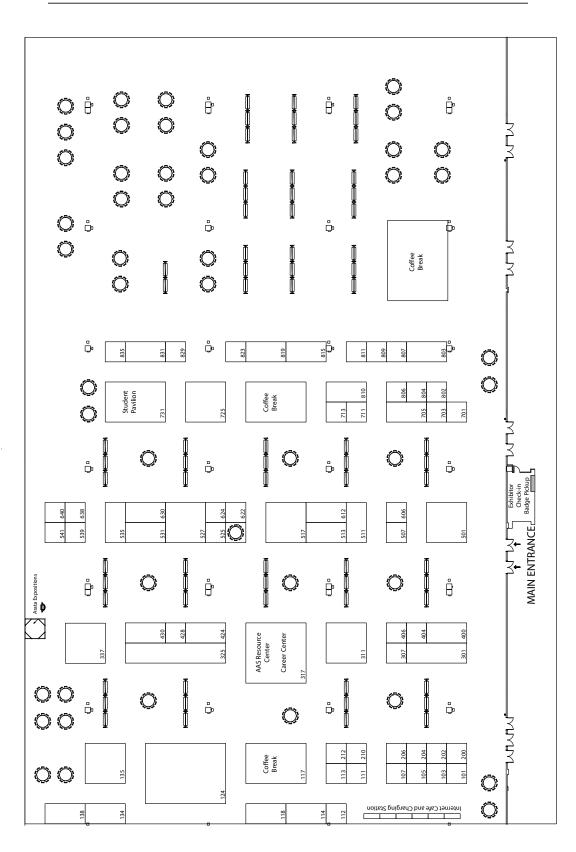
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A GUIDE TO AAS MEETING ETIQUETTE

AAS meetings are the largest and most logistically complex astronomy meetings in the world. We ask all attendees to work together to enhance the value of the meetings by keeping in mind the following points.

Executive Summary

Do wear your AAS identification badge at all times during the meeting.

Do obey the "golden rule," i.e., treat others as you would have them treat you.

Do not hog wireless bandwidth; use the AAS wireless service sparingly.

Do be quiet during presentations; use computers and mobile devices discreetly.

Do silence all cell phones and other electronic devices with audible alerts.

Do not blog, tweet, or otherwise post private conversations online.

Do not panic if reporters attend your talk on results under journal embargo.

Do pick up after yourself by depositing trash in the appropriate receptacles.

General Considerations

Meetings of the American Astronomical Society are not public events. All attendees must register at the applicable rate; registration types are structured to cover all situations. The only exceptions involve sessions or other activities specifically noted as being open to the public, such as public talks or star parties held in collaboration with local amateur astronomers.

Identification badges must be worn at all times during the meeting. These badges help meeting attendees, AAS staff, and security personnel identify registered participants. Attendees not wearing their name badges will be denied entrance to session rooms, the exhibit hall, and other meeting venues. If you lose your name badge, visit the AAS registration desk to obtain a new one. Note that the design of AAS meeting badges changes regularly to prevent the inappropriate reuse of old badges.

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Attendees who are notably disrespectful or who act in an unprofessional manner toward meeting staff, contractors, other attendees, or hotel or convention-center staff will be required to leave the meeting and may have their registration rescinded without refund. In extreme cases, the AAS may call law-enforcement authorities and/or pursue legal action.

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The AAS provides wireless Internet service throughout each meeting, but we cannot guarantee full coverage in all locations. We provide priority access in common areas, such as the Exhibit Hall, and in session rooms. This means you may experience limited connectivity in other areas. Wireless access information is printed on the back of your meeting badge. Please note that the wireless service is not encrypted.

If you do make use of wireless Internet access during a presentation, or even if you are just taking notes on your computer, please keep your activities as quiet as possible so as to minimize distractions to other attendees and the speaker. If you must use a computer during a session, please consider sitting near the back of the room so as not to distract the speaker or session chair. These same guidelines apply to mobile phones, tablets, and other electronic devices.

One of the cost drivers for meeting registration is provision of adequate bandwidth, which — believe it or not — costs tens of thousands of dollars per meeting. Excessive downloading or uploading of files, software updates, streaming video, and other bandwidth-hungry activities (e.g., gaming, exploring virtual worlds) increases the costs for all attendees. The AAS reserves the right to ban excessive users from its meeting network and to use site blocking, port blocking, and traffic shaping to ensure adequate bandwidth for all.

AAS staff monitor the network throughout the meeting and reserve the right to disconnect any device that is causing network problems or harm to other devices.

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- Keep your software up to date and use a firewall and virus/spyware protection when necessary.
- No device should be running as a server for off-site clients.
- Absolutely no routers may be attached to the network without prior authorization from the AAS IT staff.
- Due to FCC regulations and physical laws, some of the available wireless spectrum
 can become overcrowded and temporarily unusable, which limits connectivity and
 download/upload speeds. We work hard to avoid this without breaking the laws set
 by the government or physics.
- Wireless connections will be dropped after 40 minutes of inactivity.

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Cell phones, tablets, pagers, and similar electronic devices should be silenced. Before each session begins and before you enter an active session, please silence your cell phone and any other devices that have audible alerts. Switching phones to vibrate rather than ring is not sufficient, as the vibrations can be heard or felt by those nearby.

Do not dial or take a phone call during a session. Please exit the session room before beginning or answering a call. All modern mobile phones have caller-ID and call-back features — please make use of them.

Blogging & Tweeting

If you blog, tweet, or otherwise post near-real-time material from the meeting online, you must follow the guidelines above concerning the use of computers, tablets, mobile phones, and AAS wireless bandwidth.

Please do not publicly report private conversations — only scheduled presentations and public comments are fair game for blogging, tweeting, etc.

Remember that many presentations at AAS meetings concern work that has not yet been peer-reviewed. So think twice before posting a blog entry or tweet that is critical of such work. It is helpful to receive constructive criticism during the Q&A after your talk or while standing next to your poster, but it is hurtful to be raked over the coals online before your session is even over and with no easy way to respond.

New York Times editor Bill Keller said it well. When it comes to meetings among colleagues, he explained, "We need a zone of trust, where people can say what is on their minds without fear of having an unscripted remark or a partially baked idea zapped into cyberspace. Think of it as common courtesy."

Sessions & Questions

If you are giving a presentation, please be sure you have read our speaker and AV instructions. All oral presentations must be uploaded to the internal network in the Speaker Ready Room. Personal laptops and USB drives will not be permitted for presentations in session rooms. We ask that you upload your presentation at least 24 hours in advance. Be sure to show up at your session on time.

The session chair is in charge of the session. He or she is empowered to stop questioning and to rearrange or otherwise adjust time slots (or not) based on tardiness or non-attendance of a scheduled speaker. The chair cannot extend talk times beyond the common limits of 10 minutes for regular contributions and 20 minutes for dissertation contributions (including time allotted for Q&A).

When asking questions of speakers please be professional, courteous, and polite. This is especially important when questioning students presenting their dissertation research.

Be considerate of other people wishing to ask questions. If you have multiple or detailed questions, speak with the presenter after the session.

Journalists & Embargoes

If your presentation covers results that have been, or will be, submitted to Nature or Science or any other journal with a strict embargo policy, be sure you understand how that policy applies to scientific meetings. No journal wishes to hinder communication between scientists. For example, both Science and Nature state explicitly that conference presentations do not violate their embargo policies.

Both journals also state that if your presentation covers work that has been, or will be, submitted to them, you should limit your interaction with reporters to clarifying the specifics of your presentation. As Science puts it, "We ask that you do not expand beyond the content of your talk or give copies of the paper, data, overheads, or slides to reporters." That does not mean you should be rude if a reporter asks you for such materials or poses a question that you do not want to answer — just explain that your results are under embargo at Science or Nature, and the reporter will understand why you cannot be more forthcoming.

Photography & Video

Many events and presentations at AAS meetings are recorded for posterity by a Society photographer. Some sessions, and all press conferences, are videotaped and eventually posted on the AAS members website as a member benefit. Your attendance at an AAS meeting signifies your agreement to be photographed or videotaped in the course of normal meeting business. Invited and prize lecturers will be asked to sign a form for legal clarity.

If you take pictures during the meeting, please be considerate of others. Do not use a flash when taking pictures during sessions.

Eating, Drinking & Smoking

Because our meetings are so full of great content, it can be hard to find time to eat breakfast or lunch. If you must eat or drink while attending a session, please do so quietly and be sure to deposit your trash properly after the session ends. Additional cleaning services cost the AAS money and increase registration costs.

Some venues have strict policies against eating or drinking in particular areas. Meeting attendees are expected to follow these policies. Attendees may not bring their own alcoholic beverages or drink them at the meeting venue outside of areas or times when they are sold. Obviously this does not apply to bars, restaurants, or other facilities colocated with our meeting venues.

AAS meetings are strictly non-smoking, consistent with laws in the localities where we hold our conferences. When possible, smoking areas will be clearly identified.

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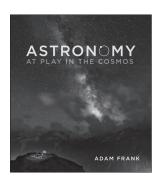


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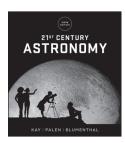
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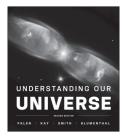
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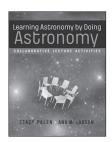
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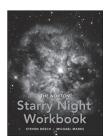
Science is a human endeavor. Adam Frank introduces students to the people who do science, making *Astronomy: At Play in the Cosmos* unlike any other textbook. In every chapter the interviews with scientists provide a fascinating second voice that drives the narrative while making astronomy feel immediate, relevant, and real for students. The text is accompanied by an innovative ancillary package, including a videogame, interactive simulations, and Smartwork5 online homework.

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Monday, 2 January 2017 and Tuesday, 3 January 2017

Monday, 2 January 2017		
1:00 pm	Workshop: Identifying Habitable Planets of Nearby M Dwarfs, 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm, Texas C	
2:00 pm	Exoplanet Exploration Program Analysis Group 15 (day 1 of 2), 2:00 pm - 7:30 pm, Texas D	

Tuesday, 3	January 2017		
	AAS Council Meeting, 8:00 am - 5:00 pm, Yellow Rose Ballroom		
8:00 am	Workshop: Introduction to Software Carpentry,		
	8:00 am - 5:30 pm, Appaloosa 1		
	Workshop: Using Python for Astronomical Data Analysis,		
	8:30 am - 5:00 pm, Texas C		
8:30 am	Workshop: 2017 AAS Astronomy Ambassadors Workshop (day 1 of 2), 8:30 am - 6:00 pm, Appaloosa 4		
	Workshop: 2017 NSF Postdoctoral Fellows Symposium,		
	8:30 am - 5:30 pm, Dallas 6		
	LSST AGN Science Collaboration Roadmap Development,		
9:00 am	9:00 am - 6:00 pm, Appaloosa 2		
	Exoplanet Exploration Program Analysis Group 15 (day 2 of 2), 9:00 am - 5:00 pm, Texas D		
Workshop: The Performing Art of Science Presentation,			
10:00 am	10:00 am - 5:00 pm, Texas 4		
12.20	Workshop: Impacting Broader Audiences with Your Research,		
12:30 pm	12:30 pm - 4:00 pm, Mustang 4		
	Registration, 1:00 pm - 8:00 pm, Texas Ballroom Foyer		
	Workshop: Light Pollution Solutions Communities Can Use,		
1:00 pm	1:00 pm - 5:00 pm, Mustang 6		
	DIY Your Own Zooniverse Project, 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm, Mustang 2		
	Workshop: ZTF Community Workshop, 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm, Mustang 3		
2:30 pm	90 HAD I: The 2017 Osterbrock Prize: The Biographical Encyclopedia of		
Astronomers, 2:30 pm - 4:30 pm, Texas 3			
3:00 pm	Speaker Ready Room, 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm, Austin 1		
4:30 pm	K-12 Astronomy Educator Reception, 4:30 pm - 6:30 pm, Dallas 1		
5:30 pm	Student Reception - Orientation and Grad School Fair, 5:30 pm - 7:30 pm, Texas A		
6:00 pm	WG for the Preservation of Astronomical Heritage,		
0.00 piii	6:00 pm - 7:00 pm, Appaloosa 3		
7:00 pm	AAS Opening Reception, 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm, Longhorn Exhibit Hall D		

Wednesday, 4 January 2017

Wednesday, 4 January 2017			
	Session Chair Breakfast, 7:30 am - 8:00 am, Appaloosa 4 (Invitation Only)		
7:30 am	Speaker Ready Room, 7:30 am - 4:00 pm, Austin 1		
	Registration, 7:30 am - 5:00 pm, Texa	s Ballroom Foyer	
8:00 am	100 Plenary Session: Welcome Addre (Harvard-Smithsonian, CfA), 8:00 am	•	
8:30 am	101 Plenary Session: Kavli Foundation Lecture: Early Solar System Bombardment: Exploring the Echos of Planetary Migration and Lost Ice Giants, William Bottke (SwRI), 8:30 am - 9:20 am, Texas A		
9:00 am	Exhibit Hall, Posters & Internet Café, 9:00 am - 6:30 pm, Longhorn Exhibit	Hall D	
	Coffee Break, 9:30 am - 10:00 am, Lo	nghorn Exhibit Hall D	
9:30 am	Flexible Multi-dimensional Modeling 9:30 am - 11:30 am, Grapevine 4	of Complex Data in Astronomy,	
	Workshop: Career 101: Career Planni Students and Postdocs, 9:30 am - 11:	ing Workshop and Panel for Graduate 30 am, San Antonio 1	
	Concurrent Sessions 102 - 116, 10:00) am - 11:30 am	
	102 Star Formation I, Texas A	103 Mergers, AGN, and GRB Host Galaxies, Texas C	
	104 Extrasolar Planets Detection: Transit, Texas D	105 Galaxy Clusters I, Grapevine A	
	106 Ground Based and Airborne Instruments, Grapevine B	107 Black Holes I, Grapevine C	
	108 HEAD I: Astronomy Across the Gravitational Spectrum, Grapevine D	109 New, Fundamental, Cutting- Edge Science from Arecibo Observatory, Texas 1	
10:00 am	110 Geoengineering the Atmosphere to Fight Climate Change: Should Astronomers Worry About It?, Texas 5	111 HAD II: Some Notes on the History of Infrared Astronomy from Above the Atmosphere, Texas 3	
	112 The Solar System, Texas 4	113 Intergalactic Medium, QSO Absorption Line Systems, Grapevine 1	
	114 Elliptical and Spiral Galaxies, Grapevine 2	115 Supernovae and Planetary Nebulae, Fort Worth 6	
	116 Planetary Environments and Habitability, Dallas 6		
	AAS Astronomy Education Board Forum, 10:00 am - 11:30 am, Dallas 1		
10:15 am	Press Conference, 10:15 am - 11:15 am, Austin 5		
11:40 am	117 Plenary Session: Annie Jump Cannon Award: The Tumultuous Lives and Deaths of Stars, Laura Lopez (Ohio State University), 11:40 am - 12:30 pm, Texas A		

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	Workshop: Introducing Current Research Into Your Classroom,		
12.20 nm	12:30 pm - 2:00 pm, Appaloosa 1		
12:30 pm	Workshop: New Methods for Teaching About Exoplanets,		
	12:30 pm - 2:00 pm, Dallas 1		
	118 Town Hall: NSF Town Hall, 12:45	pm - 1:45 pm, Texas C	
12:45 pm	119 Town Hall: HAD Town Hall, 12:45 pm - 1:45 pm, Texas 3		
12.45 pm	Workshop: 2017 AAS Astronomy Ambassadors Workshop (day 2 of 2)		
	12:45 pm - 5:30 pm, Appaloosa 4		
1:00 pm	Science of X-ray Surveyor, 1:00 pm - 3	3:30 pm, San Antonio 1	
	Concurrent Sessions 120 - 134, 2:00	pm - 3:30 pm	
	120 Extrasolar Planets: Characterization and Theory I, Texas A	121 AGN, QSO, Blazars: Obscured, Texas C	
	122 GW-SMBH-Lensing-PTA, Texas D	123 Dwarf and Irregular Galaxies I, Grapevine A	
	124 Star Associations, Star Clusters - Galactic & Extragalactic I, Grapevine B	125 Cosmology I, Grapevine C	
	126 Science with the Discovery Channel Telescope and Beyond , Grapevine D	127 Linking the Scales of Star Formation, Texas 1	
2:00 pm	128 Surveys and Data - Catalogs, Archives, Searched, Texas 5	129 HAD III: History, Texas 3	
	130 Variable Stars, Asteroseismology, Texas 4	131 Cool Stars I, Grapevine 1	
	132 CO-HI Observations of Galaxies, Grapevine 2	133 Dust and Magnetic Fields, Fort Worth 6	
	134 Structure of the Milky Way, and Stellar Astrometry, Dallas 6		
	Astronomy Education in the NSF IUSE:EHR Program, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm, Grapevine 4		
	Big Bang to Biology: What Can I Do With LUVOIR?, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm, Mustang 4		
2:15 pm	Press Conference, 2:15 pm - 3:15 pm, Austin 5		
3:40 pm	135 Plenary Session: Henry Norris Russell Lectureship: How Stars Form, Christopher McKee (University of California, Berkeley), 3:40 pm - 4:30 pm, Texas A		
4:30 pm	136 Town Hall: Racism = Prejudice + Power: A Discussion of Racism in the Field of Astronomy, 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm, Texas A		

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	Evening Poster Session 137 - 157 , 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm,		
	Longhorn Exhibit Hall D		
	137 New, Fundamental, Cutting-	147 The Solar System Poster	
	Edge Science from Arecibo Observatory Poster Session	Session	
		148 Planetary Nebulae, Supernova	
	138 Astrobiology Poster Session	Remnants Poster Session	
	139 Laboratory Astrophysics Poster	149 Gamma Ray Bursts Poster	
	Session	Session	
	140 Preparing for, and Engaging	150 Intergalactic Medium, QSO	
	in, the 2017 Solar Eclipse Poster Session	Absorption Lines Poster Session	
		151 Stellar Atmospheres, Winds, Be	
	141 Relativistic Astrophysics,	Stars, and Rayet Phenomena Poster	
5:30 pm	Gravitational Lenses, and Waves Poster Session	Session	
	143 The Miller Mer. The Colores	152 Pulsating & Variable Stars	
	142 The Milky Way, The Galactic Center Poster Session	Poster Session	
		153 Star Formation Poster Session	
	143 Elliptical Galaxies Poster Session	154 Stellar Evolution, Stellar	
		Populations Poster Session	
	144 Spiral Galaxies Poster Session	155 Ground Based Facilities and	
	145 Dwarf and Irregular Galaxies	Instrumentation Poster Session	
	Poster Session	156 Catalogs Poster Session	
	146 Extrasolar Planets: Detection	157 Societal Matters Poster Session	
	Poster Session	158 HAD IV: Poster Session	
	Workshop: Career Hour 1: Leveraging Social Media for Networking and		
	Career Advancement, 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm, San Antonio 1		
	Career Networking and Job Fair, 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm, Grapevine C		
	CSMA Meet & Greet, 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm, San Antonio 5		
6:30 pm	SPS Evening of Undergraduate Science,		
	6:30 pm - 8:30 pm, Yellow Rose Ballroom		
	LGBITQA Networking Dinner, 6:30 pm - Meet at AAS Registration Desk		
7:30 pm	Science Opportunities with the NASA K2 and TESS Missions, 7:30 pm - 9:00 pm, Texas C		
7.30 pm	159 Town Hall: LSST Town Hall, 7:30	pm - 9:00 pm. Grapevine A	
8:00 pm	Film Screening: StarMen, 8:00 pm - 10:00 pm, Grapevine D		
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7:30 am	Speaker Ready Room, 7:30 am - 4:00 pm, Austin 1		
0.00	Registration, 8:00 am - 5:00 pm, Texa	on, 8:00 am - 5:00 pm, Texas Ballroom Foyer	
8:00 am	Session Chair Breakfast, 8:00 am - 8:30 am, Appaloosa 4 (Invitation Only)		
8:30 am	200 Plenary Session: The LED Outdoor Lighting Revolution: Opportunities, Threats and Mitigation, Martin Aubé (Cégep de Sherbrook), 8:30 am - 9:20 am, Texas A		
9:00 am	Exhibit Hall, Posters & Internet Café, 9:00 am - 6:30 pm, Longhorn Exhibit Hall D		
9:20 am	201 Plenary Session: AAS Prize Presentations: Buchalter Cosmology, Weber, George Van Biesbroeck, Tinsley, LAD Astrophysics Prize, Education, 9:20 am - 9:40 am, Texas A		
9:40 am	Coffee Break, 9:40 am - 10:00 am, Lo	nghorn Exhibit Hall D	
	Concurrent Sessions 202 - 216, 10:00) am - 11:30 am	
	202 Extrasolar Planets: Characterization and Theory II, Texas A	203 AGN, QSO, Blazars: Energetics and Physics, Texas C	
	204 Star Formation: Galactic to Extragalactic, Texas D	205 First Galaxies and Early Universe, Grapevine A	
	206 Space Missions from Cubesats to LUVOIR, Texas 5	207 Black Holes II, Grapevine C	
10:00 am	208 HEAD II: The Physics of the Perseus Cluster, and Other Highlights, From Hitomi, Grapevine D	209 Making Great Observations Even Better: Hubble's Hand in Studying the Multi-Wavelength Universe, Texas 1	
	210 The Presidential Transition: What Can We Expect?, Grapevine B	211 The Value of Astronomical Data and Long Term Preservation, Texas 3	
	212 Young Stellar Objects, Very Young Stars, T-Stars, H-H Objects, Texas 4	213 Innovations in Astronomy Teaching and Learning, Grapevine 1	
	214 Galaxies at High Redshift, Grapevine 2	215 Cataclysmic Variables, Novae, and Symbiotic Stars, Forth Worth 6	
	216 The Galactic Disk, Galactic Bulge, and Galactic Center, Dallas 6		
	2017 Eclipse of the Sun: Education and Outreach, 10:00 am - 11:30 am, San Antonio 1		
10:15 am	Press Conference, 10:15 am - 11:15 am, Austin 5		

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11:40 am	217 Plenary Session: What We Don't Know About the Beginning of the Universe, Sean Carroll (Caltech), 11:40 am - 12:30 pm, Texas A	
	Education and Public Outreach Event, Student Welcome, 11:40 am - 12:10 pm, Grapevine C (followed by event in Exhibit Hall until 2:00 pm)	
12:30 pm	Workshop: Career Hour 2: Interviewing: What You Need to Do Before, During, and After to Get the Job, 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm, San Antonio 1	
12.30 pm	Workshop: New Methods for Teaching in the Flipped Classroom, 12:30 pm - 2:00 pm, Dallas 1	
12:45 pm	218 Town Hall: NASA Town Hall, 12:4	5 pm - 1:45 pm, Texas C
	Concurrent Sessions 219 - 233, 2:00	pm - 3:30 pm
	219 Extrasolar Planets: Characterization and Theory III, Texas A	220 AGN, QSO, Blazars: High Redshift, Texas C
	221 Star Associations, Star Clusters - Galactic and Extragalactic II, Texas D	222 Starburst Galaxies Near and Far, Grapevine A
	223 Surveys and Data - From the Ground, Grapevine B	224 Large Scale Structure, Cosmic Distance Scale, Grapevine C
2.00	225 Extremes of Time Domain Astrophysics: Stellar Mergers to Black Hole Outbursts, Grapevine D	226 Science with the Hyper Suprime-Cam (HSC) Survey, Texas 1
2:00 pm	227 W. M. Keck Observatory: A Resource for NASA and the Entire US Community, Texas 5	228 White Dwarfs, Texas 3
	229 Star-forming Galaxies at z~2, Texas 4	230 Cool Stars II, Grapevine 1
	231 Galaxy Clusters and Local Environment, Grapevine 2	232 Stellar Evolution, Stellar Populations, Forth Worth 6
	233 Neutron Stars (Pulsars, Magnetars, Pulsar Wind Nebulae) I, Dallas 6	
	Annual Meeting of the USVOA, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm, Appaloosa 1	
2:15 pm	Press Conference, 2:15 pm - 3:15 pm, Austin 5	
3:40 pm	234 Plenary Session: Dannie Heineman Prize for Astrophysics: Increasing Accuracy and Increasing Tension in Ho, Wendy Freedman (University of Chicago), 3:40 pm - 4:30 pm, Texas A	

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4:30 pm	235 Plenary Session: HEAD Bruno Rossi Prize: A Good Hard Look at Growing Supermassive Black Holes in the Distant Universe, W. Neil Brandt (Pennsylvania State University), 4:30 pm - 5:20 pm, Texas A		
	Evening Poster Session 236 -250, 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm, Longhorn Exhibit Hall D		
	236 Computation, Data Handling, Image Analysis, and Light Pollution	243 Cataclysmic Variables, Novae, and Symbiotic Stars Poster Session	
	Poster Session 237 Surveys and Large Programs	244 White Dwarfs Poster Session	
	Poster Session	245 Extrasolar Planets: Characterization and Theory Poster	
	238 Space Missions and Instrumentation Poster Session	Session 246 Large Scale Structure, Cosmic	
F-20	239 Making Great Observatories Even Better: Hubble's Hand in	Distance Scale Poster Session	
5:30 pm	Studying the Multi-wavelength Universe Poster Session	247 Black Holes Poster Session 248 Dark Matter & Dark Energy	
	240 Cool Stars and Others: Survey,	Poster Session	
	Spectra, Rotation, Fundamentals Poster Session	249 Starburst Galaxies Near and Far Poster Session	
	241 Young Stellar Objects, Very Young Stars, T-Stars, H-H Objects Poster Session	250 AGN, QSO, Blazars Poster Session	
	242 Neutron Stars (Pulsars, Magnetars, Pulsar Wind Nebulae) Poster Session		
	251 Town Hall: Proposing for the James Webb Space Telescope, 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm, Grapevine C		
6,20 nm	252 Town Hall: HEAD Business Meeting, 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm, San Antonio 5		
6:30 pm	Gemini Observatory Open House, 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm, Texas 4		
	AAS 40+E and Donor and Sponsor Reception, 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm, Yellow Rose Ballroom (Invitation Only)		
7:30 pm	GMT Open House, 7:30 pm - 9:00 pm, Grapevine A		
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8:00 am	Registration, 8:00 am - 5:00 pm, Texas Ballroom Foyer	
	Session Chair Breakfast, 8:00 am - 8:3	30 am, Appaloosa 4 (Invitation Only)
8:30 am	300 Plenary Session: SPD George Ellery Hale Prize: Magnetic Energy Release in Solar Flares, Terry Forbes (University of New Hampshire), 8:30 am - 9:20 am, Texas A	
9:00 am	Exhibit Hall, Posters & Internet Café, 9:00 am - 6:30 pm, Longhorn Exhibit Hall D	
	Coffee Break, 9:30 am - 10:00 am, Lo	nghorn Exhibit Hall D
9:30 am	Workshop: Graduate School and Postdocs as Means to a Job, 9:30 am - 11:30 am, San Antonio 1	
	Concurrent Sessions 301 - 314, 10:00) am - 11:30 am
	301 Extrasolar Planets: Characterization and Theory IV, Texas A	302 AGN, QSO, Blazars: Jets, Outflows, and Winds, Texas C
	303 Extrasolar Planets Detection: Imaging, Texas D	304 Properties of Nearby Galaxies, Grapevine A
	305 Galactic Archaeology with Kepler and K2, Grapevine B	306 Cosmology II, Grapevine C
	307 Merging Galaxies and Gravitational Waves: Mpc to mpc, Grapevine D	308 Supernovae, Texas 1
10:00 am	309 Space Missions: X-ray Instruments, Texas 3	310 Planets and Planetesimals in Circumstellar Disks, Texas 4
	311 Molecular Clouds, HII Regions, PDRs, Grapevine 1	312 Perspectives in Research Software: Education, Funding, Reproducibility, Citation, and Impact, Grapevine 2
	313 Exploring the Optical Time Domain with the Intermediate Palomar Transient Factory, Fort Worth 6	314 Graduate, Majors, and Gen. Ed. Astronomy Education: Research, Practice, and Funding Opportunities!, Dallas 6
	Thirty Meter Telescope Open House, 10:00 am - 11:30 am, Yellow Rose Ballroom	
	Early Science with the Large Millimeter Telescope, 10:00 am - 11:30 am, Grapevine 4	
10:15 am	Press Conference, 10:15 - 11:15 am, Austin 5	
11:40 am	315 Plenary Session: Newton Lacy Pierce Prize: The Chemistry of Planet Formation, Karin Öberg (Harvard-Smithsonian, CfA), 11:40 am - 12:30 pm, Texas A	

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Friday, 6 Ja	nuary 2017 (continued)		
12:30 pm	NASA COPAG-Far-Infrared SIG Meeting, 12:30 pm - 3:30 pm, San Antonio 1		
12:45 pm	316 Town Hall: Astro2020: The Next Decadal Survey of Astronomy and Astrophysics, 12:45 pm - 1:45 pm, Grapevine C		
	317 Town Hall: NOAO Forward, 12:45	5 pm - 1:45 pm, Texas C	
	Concurrent Sessions 318 - 330, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm		
	318 Extrasolar Planets: Characterization and Theory V, Texas A	319 AGN, QSO, Blazars: Hosts and Interactions, Texas C	
	320 Extrasolar Planets Detection: Radial Velocity I, Texas D	321 Galaxy Formation and Evolution, Grapevine A	
	322 Beyond the Academy: Panel Discussion on Entering Non-Academic Careers, Grapevine B	323 Cosmic Microwave Background, Grapevine C	
	324 Surveys and Data - Radio and High Energy, Grapevine D	325 The Sun , Texas 3	
2:00 pm	326 Binary and X-ray Stellar Systems, Texas 4	327 ALMA Observations of Circumstellar Disks, Grapevine 1	
	328 CubeSats in Astronomy and Astrophysics, Grapevine 2	329 Results from the New Half- Degree Imager WIYN-0.9m Telescopem, Fort Worth 6	
	330 Neutron Stars (Pulsars, Magnetars, Pulsar Wind Nebulae) II, Dallas 6		
	NOAO Mini-Workshop: Mining Observatory Archives, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm, San Antonio 4		
	Starshade Development for Direct Imaging of Exoplanets, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm, Appaloosa 1		
2:15 pm	Press Conference, 2:15 pm - 3:15 pm, Austin 5		
3:40 pm	331 Plenary Session: Helen B. Warner Prize: Feedback: Now with Physics, Philip Hopkins (Caltech), 3:40 pm - 4:30 pm, Texas A		
4:30 pm	332 Plenary Session: Astronomy from the Upper Stratosphere: Key Discoveries and New Opportunities from High Altitude Scientific Balloons, Laura Fissel (Northwestern University), 4:30 pm - 5:20 pm, Texas A		

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Evening Poster Session 333 - 348, 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm, Longhorn Exhibit Hall D 333 Astronomy Majors and Graduate Students: Curriculum and the GRE Poster Session 334 K-12 and Citizen Science Research Collaboration Involving Scientists, Teachers, and Students Poster Session 335 Education Resources and Projects Spanning Broad Audiences Poster Session 336 Promoting Research, Mentorship, and Diversity for Astronomy Poster Session 337 Gen. Ed. Astronomy (Astro 101): Courses, Classroom, Design, and Student Research Poster Session 338 Internships, Fellowships, and Observatory Management Training for High School Students Poster Session 349 Town Hall: 2017 NSF Astronomy and Astrophysics Postdoctoral Fellows Showcase and Forum, 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm, Grapevine C CSWA Meet & Greet, 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm, Yellow Rose Ballroom Opportunities for Time Domain Science with LCOGT: Preparing for the LSST Era, 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm, Grapevine 2 AAS Agent's Reception, 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm, Fort Worth 5 (Invitation Only)	Friday, 6 January 2017 (continued)			
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Saturday, 7 January 2017

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7:30 am	Speaker Ready Room, 7:30 am - 2:00 pm, Austin 1	
	Registration, 8:00 am - 12:00 pm, Texas Ballroom Foyer	
8:00 am	Session Chair Breakfast, 8:00 am - 8:30 am, Appaloosa 4 (Invitation Only)	
8:30 am	400 Plenary Session: Lancelot M. Berkeley Prize: Exploring for Galaxies in the First Billion Years with Hubble and Spitzer - Pathfinding for JWST, Garth Illingworth (UC Santa Cruz), 8:30 am - 9:20 am, Texas A	
9:00 am	Exhibit Hall, Late Posters & Internet Café, 9:00 am - 2:00 pm, Longhorn Exhibit Hall D	
9:30 am	Coffee Break, 9:30 am - 10:00 am, Lo	nghorn Exhibit Hall D
	Concurrent Sessions 401 - 411, 10:00	0 am - 11:30 am
	401 Extrasolar Planets: Characterization and Theory VI, Texas A	402 AGN, QSO, Blazars: X-rays and Gamma Rays, Texas C
	403 Extrasolar Planets Detection: Radial Velocity II, Texas D	404 Galaxy Clusters II, Grapevine A
	405 NASA's 2020 Decadal Studies: An Update, Grapevine B	406 Cosmology III, Grapevine C
10:00 am	407 GW-Stellar Mass BH, Grapevine D	408 The Coolest Stars and Brown Dwarfs, Grapevine 1
	409 Statistical, Mathematical and Computational Methods for Astronomy (ASTRO): SAMSI 2016-17, Grapevine 2	410 Supernovae and Remnants , Fort Worth 6
	411 Astronomy Education Across the Human Continuum: Research, Programs, Practice, and More!, Dallas 6	
	Workshop: Hack Together Day, 10:00 am - 7:00 pm, Grapevine 4	
10:15 am	Press Conference, 10:15 am - 11:15 am, Austin 5	
11:40 am	412 Plenary Session: The 21st Century: The Century of Biology on Earth and Beyond, Jill Tarter (SETI Institute), 11:40 am - 12:30 pm, Texas A	

SCHEDULE AT-A-GLANCE

Saturday, 7 January 2017

Saturday, 7 January 2017 (continued)		
Afternoon Poster Session 424 - 440, 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm,		
	Longhorn Exhibit Hall D	
1:00 pm	424 The Sun & Solar System Late Poster Session	432 Star Formation, Young Stars and Clusters Late Poster Session
	425 Extrasolar Planets Late Poster Session	433 Stars of Many Stripes Late Poster Session
	426 Galaxy Clusters and the IGM Late Poster Session	434 Supernovae et Multo Amplius Late Poster Session
	427 Galaxy Evolution Late Poster Session	435 The ISM, Dust and Circumstellar Disks Late Poster Session
	428 The Milky Way and Other Galaxies Late Poster Session	436 GRBs and Space Missions Late Poster Session
	429 AGN and Friends Late Poster Session	437 From the Earth, We Peer OutwardLate Poster Session
	430 Cosmology and Related Topics Late Poster Session	438 Catalogs, Surveys, Computation, etc. Late Poster
	431 Neutron Stars & Friends Late Poster Session	439 Education and Public Outreach Late Poster Session
	Concurrent Sessions 413 - 421, 2:00	
2:00 pm	413 Extrasolar Planets:	рін - 3.30 рін
	Characterization and Theory VII, Texas A	414 AGN, QSO, Blazars: Nuclear Regions, and Black Holes, Texas C
	415 Extrasolar Planets Detection: Methodology, Texas D	416 Dwarf and Irregular Galaxies II, Grapevine A
	417 Binary Stellar Systems, Grapevine B	418 Dark Matter, Dark Energy, and CMB, Grapevine C
	419 Star Formation II, Grapevine D	420 Circumstellar and Debris Disks, Grapevine 1
	421 Astronomy Picture of the Day: Creative Use in the Classroom and Beyond, Grapevine 2	
2:15 pm	Press Conference, 2:15 pm - 3:15 pm, Austin 5	
3:40 pm	422 Plenary Session: The 2017 Total Solar Eclipse: Through the Eyes of NASA, Alex Young (NASA GSFC), 3:40 pm - 4:30 pm, Texas A	
4:30 pm	423 Plenary Session: How Supermassive Black Hole Feedback Might Work, Megan Donahue (Michigan State University), 4:30 pm - 5:20 pm, Texas A	
5:30 pm	AAS Closing Reception, 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm, Grapevine C	

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JW Marriott Austin

AAS 231st Meeting

7–11 January 2018Gaylord National Resort & Convention Center
National Harbor, MD

AAS 232nd Meeting

3–7 June 2018 Sheraton Denver Downtown Denver, CO

AAS 233rd Meeting

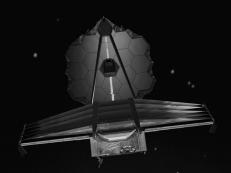
6–10 January 2019
Washington State Convention & Trade Center
Seattle, WA

AAS 234th Meeting

June 2019 Location TBD

AAS 235th Meeting

5–9 January 2020 Hawaii Convention Center Honolulu, HI



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MONDAY, 2 JANUARY 2017

Identifying Habitable Planets of Nearby M Dwarfs

Monday, 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm; Texas C

Recent discoveries of small planets orbiting in and close to the classical habitable zones of nearby M dwarfs provide our first opportunity to search for habitability and life beyond the Solar System. In the short term, these planets will be amenable to photometric and spectral characterization with JWST and large ground-based telescopes, as well as with longer term direct imaging mission concepts such as HabEx and LUVOIR. This workshop will describe the science of planetary habitability and biosignatures as well as the photometric and spectral features that are detectable with future missions. Habitability will be considered from an interdisciplinary perspective, and will include the interaction of interiors, atmospheres, stars, orbits, and galactic effects. Biosignature discussions will encompass the range of possible biosignatures, and the framework needed to understand environmental context, potential false positives, and optimum observing strategies for the most robust detection. Modeling predictions of diagnostic photometric and spectral features will be presented, along with instrument simulations and retrievals. Discussions will be led by members of the NASA Astrobiology Institute's Virtual Planetary Lab and will include tutorials on publicly-available software and resources. Anyone interested in the theory of exoplanet evolution, planetary habitability and biosignature detection is welcome.

Organizer(s): Rory Barnes (University of Washington)

Exoplanet Exploration Program Analysis Group 15 (day 1 of 2)

Monday, 2:00 pm - 7:30 pm; Texas D

The Exoplanet Exploration Program Analysis Group (ExoPAG) is responsible for soliciting and coordinating community input into the development and execution of NASA's Exoplanet Exploration Program (ExEP). It serves as a community-based, interdisciplinary forum for analysis in support of activity prioritization and for future exploration. It provides findings of analyses to NASA through the Astrophysics Subcommittee (APS) of the NASA Advisory Council (NAC); the ExoPAG Chair (Alan Boss) is a member of the APS.

Organizer(s): Ozhen Pananyan (JPL)

Introduction to Software Carpentry

Tuesday, 8:00 am - 5:30 pm; Appaloosa 1

Computing is now an integral part of every aspect of astronomy and astrophysics, but most scientists are never taught how to build, use, validate, and share software. As a result, many spend hours or days doing things badly that could be done well in just a few minutes. The goal of the Software Carpentry Workshop is to change that. The tools presented at this abbreviated workshop will enable astronomers to spend less time wrestling with software and more time doing useful research. Furthermore, good quality code will make their science results easier to confirm and update. The Software Carpentry Workshop at the 229th AAS consists of short tutorials alternating with hands-on practical exercises and will cover the core software skills needed construct and use software in astronomy. The tutorials will be comprised of shell programming, basic python programming, and an introduction to version control with git. The workshop will be run by a set of certified instructors and a team of helpers. The course is aimed at astronomers at all stages of their education and careers who wish to learn computational tools to increase the reproducibility and efficiency of their work. Participants should have some knowledge of programming (not necessarily Python) and have some familiarity with the shell command line (i.e. navigating directories on the shell command line). Specific knowledge of Python and Git are not required. Participants will be required to bring laptops and to install software in advance of the workshop. A group list will be compiled approximately one month prior to the workshop to distribute software requirements and collaborative troubleshooting. Workshop participants are also encouraged to participate in the Hack Day to apply their new skills. More information on the Software Carpentry project can be found at http://softwarecarpentry.org.

Organizer(s): AAS Employment Committee (AAS)

AAS Council Meeting

Tuesday, 8:00 am - 5:00 pm; Yellow Rose Ballroom

The AAS Council is the board of directors for the AAS, which is a 501(c)3 non-profit corporation incorporated in the District of Columbia. The Council meeting, which is open to AAS members except for any executive sessions (note: limited seating is available due to space constraints), allows for routine corporate business (such as approval of prize winners and setting each year's budget) as well as discussion of current conditions in the field of astronomy and closely related sciences, setting of long-term goals, and allocation of resources to achieve these goals.

Organizer(s): Christine Jones (Harvard-Smithsonian, CfA)

Using Python for Astronomical Data Analysis

Tuesday, 8:30 am - 5:00 pm; Texas C

This workshop will cover the use of Python tools for analysis of JWST data, but with broad applicability to general Optical, IR and UV data sets. The primary tools that will be covered are those available in the Astropy library and affiliated packages, many of which are developed specifically for JWST, but designed to be compatible with HST and other major mission data. The specific tools to be covered will be: * How to interact with conda and git * Physical units and quantities * Basics on accessing data files, both FITS and ascii tables * Coordinate utilities * Modeling and Fitting * Interactive visualization and analysis tools, including Glue, imexam, specviz, and photometric tools There will be time spent on hands-on exercises. Instructions on installing the necessary software will be provided before the workshop and help will be available at the workshop for those that experience problems with installations. The prerequisites are a familiarity with astronomical data analysis. Basic Python experience is highly recommended to be able to participate in the exercises. Those without Python experience will still get much useful information about the capabilities for data analysis in Python. Experience with Python scientific libraries, particularly numpy and matplotlib, is helpful, but not required.

Organizer(s): Megan Sosey (STScI)

2017 NSF Postdoctoral Fellows Symposium

Tuesday, 8:30 am - 5:30 pm; Dallas 6

This is the 16th annual meeting of the NSF Astronomy & Astrophysics Postdoctoral Fellows (AAPF). The NSF AAPF program supports young scientists who carry out an integrated program of independent research and education/public outreach. During this annual symposium, the Fellows gather to give talks on their current research and outreach projects. Several outside speakers are also invited to give keynote talks and participate in discussion panels on a range of topics such as exploring non traditional outreach methods, addressing the next big problems in astronomy, and exploring alternative careers outside of academia. This meeting provides an opportunity for the current, past, and prospective Fellows to meet and discuss their work with members of the community, learn from each other's experiences, and to foster new collaborations. All members of the astronomical community are welcome and encouraged to attend.

Organizer(s): Darcy Barron (UC San Diego)

2017 AAS Astronomy Ambassadors Workshop (day 1 of 2)

Tuesday, 8:30 am - 6:00 pm; Appaloosa 4

This 5th annual Astronomy Ambassador workshop is for early career astronomers (graduate students, post docs, young faculty) eager to put a new face on astronomy through active engagement in outreach to their communities. During the two days of active learning, you can build skills to help engage your audience in your presentations, gain insights into how people learn, and discover tested outreach resources. The workshop is free, but is limited to 30 participants by application only.

Organizer(s): Suzanne Gurton (Astronomical Society of the Pacific)

Exoplanet Exploration Program Analysis Group 15 (day 2 of 2)

Tuesday, 9:00 am - 5:00 pm; Texas D

The Exoplanet Exploration Program Analysis Group (ExoPAG) is responsible for soliciting and coordinating community input into the development and execution of NASA's Exoplanet Exploration Program (ExEP). It serves as a community-based, interdisciplinary forum for analysis in support of activity prioritization and for future exploration. It provides findings of analyses to NASA through the Astrophysics Subcommittee (APS) of the NASA Advisory Council (NAC); the ExoPAG Chair (Alan Boss) is a member of the APS. Organizer(s): Ozhen Pananyan (JPL)

LSST AGN Science Collaboration Roadmap Development

Tuesday, 9:00 am - 6:00 pm; Appaloosa 2

The goals of the meeting are to: 1) develop a comprehensive Roadmap for the Active Galactic Nuclei (AGN) Science Collaboration of the Large Synoptic Survey Telescope (LSST), presenting a coherent vision for AGN research pre- and post-LSST commissioning, 2) form dedicated Working Groups within the Science Collaboration who will work on specific projects described by the Roadmap, 3) explore funding opportunities to support the highest-ranked projects described by the Roadmap, and 4) encourage eligible active extragalactic researchers to join the AGN Science Collaboration.

Organizer(s): Ohad Shemmer (University of North Texas)

The Performing Art of Science Presentation

Tuesday, 10:00 am - 5:00 pm; Texas 4

Scientists are often so deep into their research they might forget to translate their content when speaking to audiences outside of their areas. This workshop offers specific skills from the theater to become a more engaging and memorable speaker, whether at a professional conference, public event, job talk or in the classroom. With a focus on clarifying the message, topics also include connection to audience; body language, gesture and movement; purpose and passion; structure and timing; PowerPoint use; managing stage fright; voice, speech and articulation; and how to include stories and metaphors to illuminate complex or important ideas. The goal is to become more clear, compelling and memorable, getting your research to come to life and your ideas to stick. Nancy Houfek (www.nancyhoufek.com) brings over thirty five years of working with performers and public speakers to her consulting and coaching. A stage director, awardwinning actor, and nationally recognized theater educator, Nancy presents workshops combining theater, storytelling and leadership techniques for corporations, think tanks, universities, and professional organizations throughout the U.S. and Canada. This session is organized by the AAS Employment Committee.

Organizer(s): AAS Employment Committee (AAS)

Impacting Broader Audiences with your Research

Tuesday, 12:30 pm - 4:00 pm; Mustang 4

Do you want to have an impact on people's knowledge beyond the walls of the scientific research community? Do you want to communicate with broader audiences in ways that are educational and memorable? This workshop is for scientists who are interested in increasing the impacts of their science knowledge and expertise by interacting with people online, or in other venues outside of your normal work environment. Maybe you are interested in hosting webinars, running a short online course for the public, or using Facebook, Twitter or other social media to communicate science? Perhaps you are interested in setting up something for an open house, science fair, or star party? You will leave this workshop with a plan of action, and pathways to obtaining the skills, tools, partnerships and opportunities that you need to effectively implement it. In this three hour workshop you will: 1) Learn why and how people choose to, and do, learn in a variety of settings; 2) Think about and plan your goals for who you would like to impact and why; 3) Explore ways to discover if learning is taking place in these settings; and 4) Develop an implementation plan, using relevant and appropriate tools and techniques that you can put into immediate action! We are offering this workshop as a part of the NASA funded CosmoQuest project (funded in part via NASA Cooperative Agreement #NNX16AC68A)

Organizer(s): Jacob Noel-Storr (InsightSTEM)

ZTF Community Workshop

Tuesday, 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm; Mustang 3

The Zwicky Transient Facility (ZTF) is a next-generation optical time-domain survey that will run from 2017-2020 with significantly expanded capability compared to the successful Palomar Transient Factory (PTF) survey. ZTF is supported in part by the NSF MSIP program. As a part of the MSIP proposal, two public surveys---a 3-night LSST-like high latitude survey and a Galactic plane survey---were proposed. The workshop will present the instrument capabilities, details of the two surveys, and the planned data products and release schedule. In the second half of the workshop, actual and projected observing programs for PTF, ZTF, and LSST will be compared using the LSST Metrics Analysis Framework. Feedback from the workshop will help the PI team determine the final survey parameters.

Organizer(s): Eric Bellm (Caltech)

Light Pollution Solutions Communities Can Use

Tuesday, 1:00 pm - 5:00 pm; Mustang 6

A wealth of knowledge and expertise on responsible lighting and best practices exists among the astronomical community and its associates. The AAS Committee on Light Pollution, Radio Frequency Interference and Space Debris would like to host a workshop to share that knowledge with the astronomical community. The workshop will be designed to share information that people can put into practice. Jeff Hall (Director, Lowell Observatory) and Lori Allen (Director, Kitt Peak National Observatory) will help facilitate the workshop, as well as staff from the International Dark-Sky Association and Chris Monrad from Monrad Engineering. McDonald Observatory/UT Austin has also been invited. A three-part session format within a three-hour period is being considered: a plenary overview at the start, followed by breakouts at individual tables in round-robin fashion, and concluding with a panel discussion on best practices for specific themes (LED conversion, health impacts, codes). The tables would be hosted by the organizations mentioned, who would also serve on the discussion panel. The workshop will showcase successful outcomes with real "before" and "after" data and an expectation that going forward, communities can make progress in reducing light pollution. Easy to adopt "roadmaps" could be made available, as a motivator to action. This would be balanced with sanity checks on the difficulty and resources needed. As an example, McDonald Observatory had a program that acquired donations to pay for Hubbell Sky Caps and arranged for the utility company to replace several hundred units for the plastic refracting lenses on dusk-to-dawn fixtures. As another example, Lowell Observatory has been working with consultants, Monrad and Benya, to find a dark-skypreserving solution for converting Flagstaff's current streetlights (70% LPS, 30% HPS) to LED. The approach and solution being developed by Flagstaff is intended to be a model for picking types of LEDs best for a community.

Organizer(s): Constance Walker (NOAO)

DIY Your Own Zooniverse Project

Tuesday, 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm; Mustang 2

We invite all to attend this hands-on, DIY workshop to create your own Zooniverse project for free, in an afternoon. Processing our increasingly large datasets poses a bottleneck for producing real scientific outcomes. Citizen science – engaging the public in research – provides a solution, particularly when coupled with machine learning algorithms. Zooniverse is the most widely used and successful citizen science platform, with over 1.5 million volunteers worldwide and over 40 active projects across the disciplines resulting in over 100 peer-reviewed publications. Faced with a rapidly growing demand for citizen science projects, Zooniverse launched a 'Project Builder' which allows you, the researcher, to build your own crowd-sourced research project using the Zooniverse infrastructure and tools. Through this hands-on workshop, you will be able to build your own Zooniverse project. We will also share best practices for engaging with our Zooniverse volunteer community.

Organizer(s): Laura Trouille (Northwestern University & The Adler Planetarium)

90 HAD I: The 2017 Osterbrock Prize: The Biographical Encyclopedia of Astronomers

Tuesday, 2:30 pm - 4:30 pm; Texas 3

Chair: Jay Pasachoff (Williams College)

Jay M. Pasachoff, presentation of the Osterbrock Prize and memorial to Prof. Donald Osterbrock

90.01 Osterbrock Prize Lecture: The Coming to Be of the Biographical Encyclopedia

of Astronomers

Author(s): Thomas A. Hockey¹

Institution(s): 1. University of Northern Iowa

90.02 Keeping the Biographical Encyclopedia of Astronomers Relevant for a

Generation

Author(s): Marc Rothenberg¹

Institution(s): 1. Smithsonian Institution

90.03 Reading BEA II in Irvine (And Elsewhere)

Author(s): **Virginia L. Trimble**¹ *Institution(s):* ^{1.} *UC, Irvine*

Panel Discussion

K-12 Astronomy Educator Reception

Tuesday, 4:30 pm - 6:30 pm; Dallas 1

Space is limited! Registration is required at http://bit.ly/AAEJan17 Please join us for an opportunity for Astronomers and K12 Educators to meet and mingle in a relaxed social environment! Our K12 Educator Reception brings together Astronomy Research professionals, Astronomy Education professionals, and K12 Teachers to share the latest in research and education in astronomy ahead of the semi-annual meeting of the American Astronomical Society. Please join us to reconnect with colleagues, and to form new partnerships and contacts. Drinks and light snacks are provided! To contribute materials for teachers, or to find out about sponsorship opportunities for the event, please contact Jake Noel-Storr at jake@insightstem.com.

Organizer(s): Jacob Noel-Storr (InsightSTEM)

Student Reception - Orientation and Grad School Fair

Tuesday, 5:30 pm - 7:00 pm; Texas A

Undergraduate students, their advisors, and those interested in attracting undergraduate students to their graduate program, or undergraduate research opportunity are invited to attend this event. Members of the AAS Council and of the Astronomy Education Board will be there to meet and chat with students. For the benefit of those students attending an AAS meeting for the first time, we will explain how to get the most out of an AAS meeting and outline how the meeting works. Meet with representatives from over 40 graduate schools and research for undergraduate programs. Sign up, free of charge to all undergrads, their advisors and those offering research opportunities (or jobs) to undergraduates, through the meeting registration form. Light snacks and refreshments will be provided. This event is sponsored by the graduate and REU programs represented. Sign up to sponsor this event at aas.org/content/undergraduate-orientation-sponsorship.

WG for the Preservation of Astronomical Heritage

Tuesday, 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm; Appaloosa 3

Annual Meeting of the Working Group for the Preservation of Astronomical Heritage. All interested individuals are welcome to attend and participate in the discussion.

Organizer(s): Jennifer Bartlett (USNO)

AAS Opening Reception

Tuesday, 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm; Longhorn Exhibit Hall D

Open to all attendees and registered guests, the Opening Reception at the Gaylord Texan kicks off the 229th meeting of the American Astronomical Society.

100 Welcome Address by AAS President Christine Jones (Harvard-Smithsonian, CfA)

Wednesday, 8:00 am - 8:30 am; Texas A

101 Plenary Session: Kavli Foundation Lecture: Early Solar System Bombardment: Exploring the Echos of Planetary Migration and Lost Ice Giants, William Bottke (SwRI)

Wednesday, 8:30 am - 9:20 am; Texas A

Chair: Christine Jones (Harvard-Smithsonian, CfA)



101.01 Early Solar System Bombardment: Exploring the Echos of Planetary Migration and Lost Ice Giants

Author(s): William Bottke¹

Institution(s): ^{1.} *Southwest Research Inst.*

Citation: For his decade of leadership in modeling the evolution of planetary bodies in the solar system. His work on the early

bombardment of the solar system, the evolution of the Earth-Moon system, and planetary migration have produced important new insights into the formation and evolution of planetary systems.

Careers 101: Career Planning Workshop and Panel for Graduate Students and Postdocs

Wednesday, 9:30 am - 11:30 am; San Antonio 1

This FREE workshop and panel discussion will center on the current and expanding crisis in the job and career market for astronomers. Specifically targeted towards graduate students and Postdocs, this workshop will identify and investigate the shortage of traditional astronomy jobs, and how early-career scientists can best prepare for this challenge. Our focus will be on career planning for traditional astronomy positions. We will demonstrate how to orchestrate a personal career plan and develop a Plan B and Plan C for contingencies. We will discuss what early-career astronomers should do now to enhance their CVs and research reputations, and what they should look for in and how they can leverage a Postdoc appointment to set themselves up for success in the field. We will also discuss non-traditional jobs and career paths in astronomy, and introduce the skills that are needed to pursue these. Q and A between panelists and workshop participants will be highly encouraged. This session is organized by the AAS Employment Committee.

Organizer(s): AAS Employment Committee (AAS)

Flexible Multi-dimensional Modeling of Complex Data in Astronomy

Wednesday, 9:30 am - 11:30 am; Grapevine 4

Recent improvements in instrumentation and the data collection process across the entire electromagnetic spectrum have resulted in an increasing amount of high quality multi-wavelength observations. The analysis of these modern data sets presents several statistical challenges that require new methods and techniques to support the scientific inference. Our session will focus on the discussion of both challenges and applied methodology. We will present tutorials based on the Sherpa-Python and IRIS tools developed by the Chandra X-ray Observatory. Sherpa is a Python-based general modeling and fitting application that provides an environment for modeling multidimensional data with a set of optimization methods, including MCMC simulations for sampling posterior distributions. Sherpa provides flexible mechanisms for modeling Poisson (sparse) and Gaussian (rich) data with appropriate likelihoods, including both pre-defined models and an interface to incorporate user defined models (Python functions or external code). Sherpa can be used for modeling 1D, 2D, or 3D data, i.e., spectra, time-series, or images, and can be extended to spectral-timing and spatialtiming domains. An upcoming 'Sherpa to Astropy' Python package will allow users to use Sherpa's optimizers and error estimators seamlessly within the Astropy's modeling framework. Iris has been built on top of Sherpa for fitting SEDs to multi-wavelength data. Iris also provides a front-end to 'Virtual Observatory' archival catalogs that can supply the appropriate data for the modeling session. We will use IPython Notebooks to guide the participants through Sherpa-Python sessions and present a tutorial demonstration showing Iris connectivity to the archives and examples of SED modeling. We will use IPython Notebooks to guide the participants through Sherpa-Python sessions and present a tutorial demonstration showing Iris connectivity to the archives and examples of SED modeling.

Organizer(s): Giuseppina Fabbiano (Harvard-Smithsonian, CfA)

AAS Astronomy Education Board Forum

Wednesday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Dallas 1

The AAS Astronomy Education Board is pleased to host its annual forum for the presentation and discussion of education-related topics and issues in astronomy. This year, the forum will focus upon the just-completed report of the AAS Task Force on Education, including its recommendations to the AAS Council and the results of the Task Force's online survey of the education experiences and priorities of the astronomical community. All are welcome; please join us!

Organizer(s): Charles Liu (CUNY College of Staten Island)

102 Star Formation I

Wednesday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Texas A

Chair: Volker Tolls (Harvard-Smithsonian, CfA)

102.01 Measuring Dark Molecular Gas

Author(s): **Di Li**¹, Carl E. Heiles²

Institution(s): ^{1.} National Astronomical Observatories of China, ^{2.} University of California at Berkeley

102.02 Fragmentation of Filamentary Molecular Clouds Threaded by Perpendicular Magnetic Field

Author(s): **Tomoyuki Hanawa**¹, Takahiro Kudoh², Kohji Tomisaka³ Institution(s): ^{1.} Chiba University, ^{2.} Nagasaki University, ^{3.} National Astronomical Observatory Japan

102.03 Interferometric Mapping of Perseus Outflows with MASSES

Author(s): Ian Stephens¹, Michael Dunham², Philip C. Myers¹
Institution(s): ^{1.} Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics, ^{2.} SUNY Fredonia
Contributing team(s): the MASSES Team

102.04D Disk Masses of Class I Protostars in Taurus and Ophiuchus

Author(s): **Patrick Sheehan**¹, Joshua A. Eisner¹ *Institution(s)*: ¹ *University of Arizona*

102.05 The location, clustering, and propagation of massive star formation in giant molecular clouds

Author(s): **Bram Ochsendorf**³, Margaret Meixner², Jeremy Chastenet², A. G. G. M. Tielens¹, Julia Roman-Duval² *Institution(s):* ¹. *Leiden University,* ². *STScI,* ³. *The Johns Hopkins University*

102.06D The Destructive Birth of Massive Stars and Massive Star Clusters

Author(s): **Anna Rosen**³, Mark Krumholz¹, Christopher F. McKee², Richard I. Klein², Enrico Ramirez-Ruiz³
Institution(s): ¹· Australian National University, ²· University of California, Berkeley, ³· University of California, Santa Cruz

102.07 ALMA and VLA Observations of Proplyd Candidates near Sgr A*

Author(s): **Farhad Yusef-Zadeh**³, William D. Cotton⁴, Marc Royster³, Devaky Kunneriath⁴, M. Wardle², D. A Roberts³, Al Wootten⁴, R. Schoedel¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *IAA*, ² *Macquarie University,* ³ *Northwestern Univ.*, ⁴ *NRAO*

103 Mergers, AGN, & GRB Host Galaxies

Wednesday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Texas C

Chair: Eileen Meyer (Space Telescope Science Institute)

103.01D Major mergers are not significant drivers of star formation or morphological transformation at z~2

Author(s): **Emma Lofthouse**³, Sugata Kaviraj³, Christopher Conselice⁴, William Hartley¹, Alice Mortlock²

Institution(s): ^{1.} ETH Zurich, ^{2.} University of Edinburgh, ^{3.} University of Hertfordshire, ^{4.} University of Nottingham

103.02D Exploring Quenching, Morphological Transformation and AGN-Driven Winds with Simulations of Galaxy Evolution

Author(s): Ryan Brennan¹

Institution(s): 1. Rutgers University Contributing team(s): CANDELS

103.03 Signatures of AGN feedback

Author(s): Dominika Wylezalek1, Nadia L. Zakamska1

Institution(s): 1. Johns Hopkins University
Contributing team(s): MaNGA-GMOS Team

103.04D Star Formation and AGN activity of X-ray selected AGN host galaxies in the Chandra-COSMOS Legacy Survey

Author(s): Hyewon Suh¹

Institution(s): 1. Institute for Astronomy, University of Hawaii

103.05 A Curious Lack of Evolution in the LGRB Host Metallicity Distribution

Author(s): **John Graham**¹, Patricia Schady¹, Thomas Kruehler¹ *Institution(s)*: ¹ Max-Planck-Institut für extraterrestrische Physik

103.06 A simple model for black hole growth

Author(s): **Kevin Schawinski**¹, Anna K. K. Weigel¹, Neven Caplar¹, Ivy Wong² *Institution(s):* ^{1.} ETH Zurich, ^{2.} ICRAR/UWA

104 Extrasolar Planets Detection: Transit

Wednesday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Texas D

Chair: Laura Mayorga (New Mexico State University)

104.01 New Constraints on the Kepler Exomoon Population

Author(s): **Alexander Teachey**², David M. Kipping², Allan Schmitt¹, Gaspar Bakos³, Lars A Buchhave⁶, Guillermo Torres³, David Nesvorny⁵, Joel Hartman⁴, Chelsea Huang⁷

Institution(s): ^{1.} Citizen Scientist, ^{2.} Columbia University, ^{3.} Harvard-Smithsonian CfA, ^{4.} Princeton University, ^{5.} Southwest Research Institute, ^{6.} University of Copenhagen, ^{7.} University of Toronto

104.02 K2 Warm Jupiters with the LCOGT TECH team

Author(s): **Avi Shporer**², Daniel Bayliss⁸, Joao Bento¹, William D. Cochran¹¹, Knicole D. Colon⁷, Diana Dragomir⁶, Michael Endl¹¹, Benjamin James Fulton¹⁰, Howard T. Isaacson⁹, Enric Palle⁴, Robert Siverd⁵, Andrew Vanderburg³, George Zhou³

Institution(s): ^{1.} Australian National University, ^{2.} Caltech, ^{3.} Harvard-Smithsonian CfA, ^{4.} Instituto de Astrofisica de Canarias, ^{5.} LCOGT, ^{6.} MIT Kavli Institute, ^{7.} NASA Ames Research Center, ^{8.} Observatoire Astronomique de l'Université de Genève, ^{9.} UC Berkeley, ^{10.} University of Hawaii, Institute for Astronomy, ^{11.} University of Texas

Contributing team(s): LCOGT TECH team

104.03 SuPerPiG's Ultra-Short-Period Planets from K2 Campaigns 6 through 8

Author(s): **Brian K. Jackson**¹, Elisabeth R. Adams², Michael Endl³ *Institution(s):* ¹ Boise State University, ² Planetary Science Institute, ³ University of Texas at Austin

104.04 Variable Variability: Understanding How Stars Vary from 4 years of Kepler Data

Author(s): **David R. Ciardi**¹, Steve B. Howell² *Institution(s):* ¹ *Caltech,* ² *NASA Ames*

104.05 The Exoplant Migration Timescale from K2 Young Clusters

Author(s): **Aaron C Rizzuto**², Andrew Mann², Adam L. Kraus², Michael Ireland¹ *Institution(s)*: ¹ Australian National University, ² University of Texas at Austin

104.06 The Zodiacal Exoplanets in Time (ZEIT) Survey

Author(s): **Andrew Mann**⁴, Eric Gaidos³, Elisabeth R. Newton², Aaron C Rizzuto⁴, Andrew Vanderburg¹, Gregory N. Mace⁴, Adam L. Kraus⁴ Institution(s): ¹. Harvard, ². Massachusetts Institute of Technology, ³. University of Hawaii, ⁴. University of Texas at Austin

104.07 Update on the KELT Transit Survey: Hot Planets around Hot, Bright Stars

Author(s): **B. Scott Gaudi**Institution(s): ¹ Ohio State Univ.

Contributing team(s): The KELT Collaboration

104.08 A Search for Transits of Proxima b in MOST Photometry

Author(s): **David M. Kipping¹** *Institution(s): ^{1.} Columbia University*

104.09 Mission Status for the Transiting Exoplanet Survey Satellite (TESS)

Author(s): **George R. Ricker**¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *MIT*

Contributing team(s): TESS Science Team

105 Galaxy Clusters I

Wednesday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Grapevine A

Chair: Felipe Andrade-Santos (Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics)

105.01 Lyman Alpha Blobs: Seeds of Galaxy Groups

Author(s): Agnar Hall¹, Moire Prescott¹

Institution(s): 1. New Mexico State University

105.02D Observational Constraints on the Link Between the Intracluster Medium and Brightest Cluster Galaxies

Author(s): Kevin Fogarty¹, Marc Postman³, Megan Donahue²

Institution(s): ^{1.} Johns Hopkins University, ^{2.} Michigan State University, ^{3.} Space

Telescope Science Institute
Contributing team(s): CLASH

105.03 Galaxy group dynamics using the GAMA survey and predictions from semianalytics and cosmological simulation.

Author(s): **Prajwal R. Kafle**¹, Aaron Robotham¹, Claudia Lagos¹, Simon P Driver¹ *Institution(s)*: ¹ *ICRAR, University of Western Australia* Contributing team(s): GAMA, GALFORM, EAGLE

105.04 The Cluster Environments of Quasar Groups

Author(s): **Michael West**¹, Michael Gregg³, Justin Toller²
Institution(s): ¹ Lowell Observatory, ² Northern Arizona University, ³ University of California, Davis

105.05D Shock Features in Merging Galaxy Clusters

Author(s): **Sarthak Dasadia**¹, Ming Sun¹, Andrea Morandi¹ *Institution(s):* ¹. The University of Alabama in Huntsville

105.06 Electron Heating at Galaxy Cluster Shocks: Measuring the Temperature of the Bullet Cluster Shock with NuSTAR

Author(s): Daniel R. Wik1

Institution(s): ^{1.} *University of Utah*

105.07 Constraining halo energetics using Sunyaev-Zel'dovich measurements

Author(s): **Nicholas Battaglia**¹, Emmanuel Schaan¹, Simone Ferraro², David N. Spergel¹

Institution(s): 1. Princeton University, 2. UC Berkeley

106 Ground Based & Airborne Instruments

Wednesday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Grapevine B

Chair: Charles Bradford (Caltech/ JPL)

106.01 A new imaging technique for detecting interstellar communications

Author(s): **John Vallerga²**, Barry Welsh², Marissa Kotze¹, Oswald Siegmund² Institution(s): ¹ South African Astronomical Observatory, ² University of California, Berkeley

106.02 Science capabilities of the Maunakea Spectroscopic Explorer

Author(s): **Daniel Devost**¹, Alan McConnachie¹, Nicolas Flagey¹, Patrick Cote², Michael Balogh⁴, Simon P Driver⁵, Kim Venn³

Institution(s): ^{1.} Canada-France-Hawaii Telescope, ^{2.} National Research Council of Canada, ^{3.} University of Victoria, ^{4.} University of Waterloo, ^{5.} University of Westers Australia

106.03D FLITECAM/SOFIA Commissioning and Early Science and A Study of Late-T Dwarf Color Outliers with NIRSPEC/Keck

Author(s): Sarah E. Logsdon¹

Institution(s): 1. University of California, Los Angeles

106.04 Update on the Commensal VLA Low-band Ionospheric and Transient Experiment (VLITE)

Author(s): **Namir E. Kassim**³, Tracy E. Clarke³, Paul S. Ray³, Emil Polisensky³, Wendy M. Peters³, Simona Giacintucci³, Joseph F. Helmboldt³, Scott D. Hyman⁴, Walter Brisken², Brian Hicks³, Julia S Deneva¹

Institution(s): ^{1.} George Mason University, resident at NRL, ^{2.} NRAO, ^{3.} NRL, ^{4.} Sweetbriar College

106.05 DEdicated MONitor of EXotransits and Transients (DEMONEXT): Low-Cost Robotic and Automated Telescope for Followup of Exoplanetary Transits and Transients

Author(s): **Steven Villanueva**², Jason D Eastman¹, B. Scott Gaudi², Richard W. Pogge², Keivan G. Stassun³, Mark Trueblood⁴, Patricia Trueblood⁴ *Institution(s):* ¹. Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics, ². The Ohio State University, ³. Vanderbilt University, ⁴. Winer Observatory

107 Black Holes I

Wednesday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Grapevine C

Chair: David Ballantyne (Georgia Institute of Technology)

107.01D Testing SMBH scaling relations using cosmological simulations and optical/ near-IR imaging data

Author(s): **Burcin Mutlu Pakdil**³, Marc S. Seigar⁴, Benjamin L. Davis¹, Patrick M. Treuthardt², Joel Berrier⁵

Institution(s): ^{1.} Centre for Astrophysics and Supercomputing, ^{2.} North Carolina Museum of Natural Sciences, ^{3.} University of Minnesota, ^{4.} University of Minnesota Duluth, ^{5.} University of Nebraska at Kearney

107.02D Exploring mass-scaling physics and outflow geometry in accreting black holes
Author(s): Riley Michael Thomas Connors¹

Institution(s): 1. Anton Pannekoek Institute, University of Amsterdam

107.03 Diagnosing the Black Hole Accretion Physics of Sgr A*: Spitzer/Chandra Observations

Author(s): **Joseph L. Hora**¹, Giovanni G. Fazio¹, Steven P. Willner¹, Mark A. Gurwell¹, Howard Alan Smith¹, Matthew Ashby¹, Frederick K. Baganoff³, Gunther Witzel⁶, Mark Morris⁶, Andrea M. Ghez⁶, Leo Meyer⁶, Eric E. Becklin⁴, James G. Ingalls⁵, William J. Glaccum⁵, Sean J. Carey⁵, Daryl Haggard², Daniel P. Marrone⁷, Charles F. Gammie⁸

Institution(s): ^{1.} Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics, ^{2.} McGill University, ^{3.} MIT, ^{4.} SOFIA Science Center, ^{5.} Spitzer Science Center, ^{6.} UCLA, ^{7.} University of Arizona, ^{8.} University of Illinois

107.04 Strongly Magnetized Accretion Disks Around Black Holes

Author(s): **Greg Salvesen**², Philip J. Armitage³, Jacob B. Simon¹, Mitchell C. Begelman³

Institution(s): ^{1.} Southwest Research Institute, ^{2.} University of California, Santa Barbara, ^{3.} University of Colorado Boulder

107.05 A Black Hole Mass Measurement from Adaptive Optics Spectroscopy for the Compact Galaxy Mrk 1216

Author(s): **Jonelle Walsh**², Remco van den Bosch¹, Karl Gebhardt⁴, Akin Yildirim¹, Kayhan Gultekin³, Bernd Husemann¹, Douglas O. Richstone³
Institution(s): ¹ Max Planck Institute for Astronomy, ² Texas A&M University, ³ University of Michigan, ⁴ University of Texas, Austin

107.06 Model for coeval growth of bulges and their seed black holes in presence of radiative feedback

Author(s): **KwangHo Park**¹, Tamara Bogdanovic¹, John Wise¹ *Institution(s):* ^{1.} *Georgia Institute of Technology*

107.07 CXB and CIB joint fluctuations in COSMOS, EGS, UDS and HDFN

Author(s): **Nico Cappelluti**⁴, Yanxia Li³, Rachel Ann Cooper⁴, Joyce Guo4, C. Megan Urry⁴, Guenther Hasinger³, Richard G. Arendt², Alexander Kashlinsky¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ NASA GSFC, ² UMBC, ³ University of Hawaii, ⁴ Yale University

108 HEAD I: Astronomy Across the Gravitational Wave Spectrum

Wednesday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Grapevine D

The historic detection of a pair of merging black holes by the LIGO-Virgo Scientific Collaboration marks the emergence of gravitational wave science as a bona fide field of astronomy. The detection of GW150914 represents only the beginning, both in terms of the additional events and sources that ground based detectors will uncover, as well as the other regions of the gravitational wave spectrum that will soon become accessible to astronomers. This session consists of three invited talks covering three bands of the gravitational wave spectrum. The first talk, representing the decahertz band accessible from the ground, will focus on the hunt for electromagnetic counterparts to gravitational wave triggers and the efforts to follow them using a wide array of electromagnetic observatories. The second talk, representing the nanohertz band accessible with pulsar timing arrays, will demonstrate how the formation and evolution of supermassive black holes and their host galaxies can be informed through gravitational wave observations and highlight both recent results and near-term prospects. The final talk, representing the millihertz band accessible from space-based detectors, will discuss the science case for the LISA instrument in the context of the LIGO and LISA Pathfinder successes.

Chair: James Thorpe (NASA GSFC)

108.01 GW astronomy, EM observations, and the interactions between them

Author(s): Reed Essick1

Institution(s): ^{1.} Massachusetts Institute of Technology Contributing team(s): LIGO-Virgo Collaboration

108.02 The Gravitational-Wave Universe seen by Pulsar Timing Arrays

Author(s): Chiara M. F. Mingarelli1

Institution(s): 1. Max Planck Institute for Radio Astronomy
Contributing team(s): The International Pulsar Timing Array

108.03 LISA: Science and Prospects for Gravitational Wave Detection in Space

Author(s): Shane L. Larson¹

Institution(s): 1. Northwestern University

109 New, Fundamental, Cutting-Edge Science from Arecibo Observatory

Wednesday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Texas 1

Arecibo Observatory celebrated its 50th anniversary in 2013. Historically, many important discoveries were made there in both radio and radar astronomy, but this session is about discoveries made since this milestone anniversary. Arecibo is by far the best telescope for detecting the faintest millisecond pulsars in exotic binary orbits, and only Arecibo has the potential to time radio pulsars at the highest possible precision. This makes it a crucial element in the worldwide Pulsar Timing Array which could lead to the first-ever detection of gravitational waves in the very-low frequency domain from supermassive black hole binaries. The participation of Arecibo is crucial to the success of fundamental VLBI science. The resolution of the Pleiades distance controversy required Arecibo, and only the Arecibo-Radioastron baseline can search for the physical components of active galactic nuclei responsible for intraday variability. With the world's largest collecting area and a sensitive multi-beam receiver, Arecibo can observe HI deeper, faster, and more precisely than any other telescope in the world. Survey maps not only reveal Galactic HI filaments but also show that these structures are aligned with the magnetic field. Arecibo is the only telescope that can detect galaxies that consist largely of dark matter, which are predicted by recent models of the formation of structures in the universe. Arecibo's Planetary Radar system is the world's most powerful instrument for the characterization and orbital refinement of NEOs. Where traditional observations provide only plane-of-sky information, Arecibo can determine the full 3D orbit as well as the object's size, shape, mass, and spin, information essential for the assessment of impact hazards. The Arecibo radar is also the most sensitive instrument for investigations of internal structures of solid planets and for constraining surface activity of the Moon and Mercury.

Chair: Joan Schmelz (Univ. of Memphis)

109.01 Cutting-Edge Science from Arecibo Observatory: Introduction

Author(s): Joan T. Schmelz¹

Institution(s): 1. Arecibo Observatory

109.02 The Enigmatic Fast Radio Burst FRB121102

Author(s): Jason Hessels¹
Institution(s): ¹ ASTRON

Contributing team(s): PALFA Survey Team, VLA+AO FRB121102 Simultaneous

Campaign Team, EVN FRB121102 Campaign Team

109.03 GALFA-HI and the Discovery of Magnetically Aligned Neutral Hydrogen Fibers

Author(s): Susan Clark¹

Institution(s): ^{1.} *Columbia University*

Contributing team(s): GALFA-HI Collaboration

109.04 Cutting-edge HI science with the Arecibo Telescope

Author(s): Robert F. Minchin¹

Institution(s): 1. NAIC, Arecibo Observatory

109.05 Observing the Plasma-Physical Processes of Pulsar Radio Emission with Arecibo

Author(s): Joanna M. Rankin¹
Institution(s): ¹ Univ. of Vermont

109.06 Recent results of the NANOGrav Physics Frontiers Center

Author(s): Xavier Siemens¹

Institution(s): 1. University of Wisconsin -- Milwaukee
Contributing team(s): NANOGrav Physics Frontiers Center

110 Geoengineering the Atmosphere to Fight Climate Change: Should Astronomers Worry about It?

Wednesday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Texas 5

The AAS Sustainability Committee invites you to attend this Special Session on an issue that may be of growing concern to astronomers: "geoengineering", or large-scale engineering plans to modify the atmosphere in an attempt to offset the effects of global warming, such as by injecting aerosols globally to reflect sunlight. The session will be run in an interactive debate and panel forum format. Several researchers studying geoengineering, including astronomers, will present widely divergent views on the merits and risks of geoengineering and other climate interventions, both for ground-based astronomy, which of course must peer through the atmosphere, and for the long-term stability of the Earth's climate system. There will be ample time for Q and A discussion between attendees and the panelists.

Chair: James Lowenthal (Smith College)

111 HAD II: Some Notes on the History of Infrared Astronomy from Above the Atmosphere

Wednesday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Texas 3

Chair: David DeVorkin (Smithsonian Inst.)

111.01 From Single Pixels to Many Megapixels: Progress in Astronomical Infrared Imaging from Space-borne Telescopes

Author(s): Judith Pipher1

Institution(s): 1. Univ. of Rochester

111.02 NASA's Kuiper Airborne Observatory 1974-1995 - Twenty One Years of Discovery

Author(s): Edwin F. Erickson¹

Institution(s): 1. NASA Ames Research Center

111.03 Small Can Be Beautiful: The NASA Lear Jet and the Initiation of Astronomical Far-Infrared Fine-Structure-Line Spectroscopy

Author(s): Martin Harwit1

Institution(s): 1. Cornell University

112 The Solar System

Wednesday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Texas 4

Chair: Alex Storrs (Towson Univ.)

112.01 Creating an Isotopically Similar Earth and Moon from a Giant Impact with

Correct Angular Momentum Author(s): William Sumpter¹

Institution(s): 1. Tarleton State University

112.02 Dynamics of the Giant Planets due to a Fully Self-gravitating Planetesimal Disk Author(s): Billy L. Quarles¹, Nathan A. Kaib¹

Institution(s): 1. University of Oklahoma

112.03 Sources of Chaos in Planetary Systems Formed Through Numerical Methods

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112.04 Assessing the Main-Belt Comet Population with Comet Hunters

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112.05 A New Measurement of D/H in Saturn's H2 Using Cassini CIRS

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112.06 An Empirical Examination of the NEOWISE Results and Data analysis

Author(s): Nathan P Myhrvold1

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112.07 Observing near-Earth objects with LBT

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113 Intergalactic Medium, QSO Absorption Line Systems

Wednesday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Grapevine 1

Chair: Jennifer Scott (Towson Univ.)

113.01 Limits on Intergalactic Dust during Reionization

Author(s): **Nia Imara**¹, Abraham Loeb¹

Institution(s): 1. Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics

113.02D The Vulture Survey: Analyzing the Evolution of MgII and CIV Absorbers
Author(s): Nigel Mathes¹, Christopher W. Churchill¹, Michael Murphy²

Institution(s): ¹ New Mexico State University, ² Swinburne University of

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113.03 Searching for Variability of NV Intrinsic Narrow Absorption Line Systems

Author(s): Michael Rodruck¹, Jane C. Charlton¹, Rajib Ganguly²

Institution(s): 1. Penn State University, 2. University of Michigan-Flint

113.04D Galaxy-environment Interactions as Revealed by the Circumgalactic Medium

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Cruz, ^{5.} University of Massachusetts, ^{6.} University of Washington

113.05 The Metallicity of the Circumgalactic Medium of z<1 Galaxies: How low can

you go?

Author(s): **Christopher Wotta**³, Nicolas Lehner³, J. Christopher Howk³, John

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Dame

114 Elliptical & Spiral Galaxies

Wednesday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Grapevine 2

Chair: Sheila Kannappan (Univ. of North Carolina)

114.01D The Black Hole Mass – Pitch Angle Relation of Type I AGN In Spiral Galaxies

Author(s): Amanda Schilling¹, Logan Jones³, John A. Hughes¹, R. Scott Barrows²,

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114.02D Spirality: A Noval Way to Measure Spiral Arm Pitch Angle

Author(s): **Douglas Shields**¹

Institution(s): 1. University of Arkansas

Contributing team(s): Arkansas Galaxy Evolution Survey

114.03D Strong Evidence for the Density-Wave Theory of Spiral Structure Based on Variations in Pitch Angle When Viewed Across Optical and non-Optical Wavelengths

Author(s): **Hamed Pour-Imani**¹, Daniel Kennefick¹, Julia D. Kennefick¹, Benjamin L. Davis¹, Douglas W. Shields¹, Mohamed Shameer Abdeen¹ *Institution(s):* ¹. *University of Arkansas*

114.04 On the Origin of Exponential Radial Profiles in Galaxy Disks

Author(s): **Bruce Elmegreen**¹, Curtis Struck² *Institution(s):* ^{1.} *IBM Research Div.*, ^{2.} *Iowa State University*

114.05 Measuring the extent of x-ray emitting hot gas haloes around elliptical galaxies

Author(s): **Mehmet Alpaslan**¹, Pamela M. Marcum¹ Institution(s): ¹ NASA Ames Research Center

114.06 Circumnuclear Disks in Early-type Galaxies: 12CO(2-1) and Continuum Properties

Author(s): **Benjamin Boizelle**⁵, Aaron J. Barth⁵, Andrew J. Baker², Jeremiah K. Darling⁴, Luis Ho¹, Jonelle Walsh³, David A. Buote⁵
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115 Supernovae & Planetary Nebulae

Wednesday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Fort Worth 6

Chair: Ravi Sankrit (SOFIA/USRA)

115.01 SuperNovae Analysis aPplication (SNAP): A revolutionary method for understanding the physics of supernovae

Author(s): Amanda J. Bayless¹

Institution(s): 1. Southwest Research Institute

115.02D Fermi and Swift as supernova alarms: Alert, localization, and diagnosis of future Galactic Type Ia explosions

Author(s): **Xilu Wang²**, Brian D. Fields², Amy Y. Lien¹ *Institution(s):* ^{1.} NASA Goddard Space Flight Center, ^{2.} University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

115.03D Decontaminating Cosmology: Towards Measuring Dark Energy with Photometrically Classified Pan-STARRS Supernovae

Author(s): **David Jones**⁴, Adam G. Riess⁴, Daniel Scolnic⁶, Richard Kessler⁶, Armin Rest³, Robert P. Kirshner¹, Edo Berger¹, Carolyn Ortega⁴, Ryan Foley⁵, Ryan Chornock², Peter Challis¹

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115.04 K2 High-cadence Light Curves of Transients

Author(s): **Armin Rest**⁵, Peter M. Garnavich⁴, Brad Tucker¹, Edward J. Shaya⁷, Robert Olling⁷, Daniel Kasen⁶, Alfredo Zenteno², Steven J. Margheim³, Chris Smith², David James²

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115.05 New extended gamma-ray sources in the Galactic Plane using 6 years of Fermi Large Area Telescope data above 10 GeV

Author(s): Elizabeth A. Hays¹
Institution(s): ¹ NASA/GSFC

Contributing team(s): Fermi LAT Collaboration

115.06D Spatial Analysis of Spectra from Galactic Planetary Nebulae and Extragalactic H II Regions: Testing for Abundance Variations

Author(s): Timothy R. Miller1

Institution(s): 1. University of Oklahoma-Norman

116 Planetary Environments & Habitability

Wednesday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Dallas 6

Chair: Rebekah Dawson (The Pennsylvania State University)

116.02D The UV Surface Environment on Young Planets: Implications for Prebiotic Chemistry & Life on Other Worlds

Author(s): **Sukrit Ranjan**¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *Harvard Univ.*

Contributing team(s): Simons Collaboration on the Origin of Life, Harvard Origins of Life Initiative

116.03 Habitability in the Local Universe

Author(s): **Paul A. Mason**¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *NMSU*

116.04 The Breakthrough Listen Initiative and the Future of the Search for Intelligent Life

Author(s): J. Emilio Enriquez⁴, Andrew Siemion⁴, Heino Falcke², Steve Croft⁴, David R. DeBoer⁴, Vishal Gajjar⁴, Jack Hickish⁴, Howard T. Isaacson⁴, Matt Lebofsky⁴, David MacMahon⁴, Danny C Price⁴, Nate Tellis⁴, Dan Werthimer⁴, Sander ter Veen¹, Michael A. Garrett³, Greg Hellbourg⁴ Institution(s): ¹ ASTRON, ² Radboud Universiteit Nijmegen, ³ The University of Manchester, ⁴ UC Berkeley

116.05D The Search for Stellar Coronal Mass Ejections

Author(s): **Jacqueline Villadsen**¹, Gregg Hallinan¹, Ryan Monroe¹, Stephen Bourke²

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Contributing team(s): Starburst Program Team

117 Plenary Session: Annie Jump Cannon Award: The Tumultuous Lives and Deaths of Stars, Laura Lopez (Ohio State University)

Wednesday, 11:40 am - 12:30 pm; Texas A

Chair: Christine Jones (Harvard-Smithsonian, CfA)



117.01 The Tumultuous Lives and Deaths of Stars

Author(s): Laura A. Lopez1

Institution(s): 1. The Ohio State University

Citation: For her contributions to understanding the birth-to-death cycle of stars in our galaxy. Lopez's work on supernova remnants,

young massive stars, and the interstellar medium spans radio through X-ray wavelengths and bridges the gap between theory and observation.

New Methods for Teaching about Exoplanets

Wednesday, 12:30 pm - 2:00 pm; Dallas 1

Working with a national collaboration of astronomy educators we have developed a suite of new active learning materials that bring to life the exciting methods by which we detect exoplanets using the Doppler Method, Transits, and Gravitational Microlensing. Come engage in a fun and supportive environment designed to help you successfully bringing the frontiers of exoplanet discoveries into the Astro 101 classroom. Participants will come away with instructional materials and assessment strategies ready for immediate classroom use. Presenters will be Edward Prather and Gina Brissenden (Center for Astronomy Education, Steward Observatory, Univ. of Arizona), who encourage you to bring your lunch! This workshop is based upon work supported by NASA under award number NNX16AC65A. Any opinions, findings, and conclusions or recommendations expressed in this material are those of the author(s) and do not necessarily reflect the views of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

Organizer(s): Gina Brissenden (Center for Astronomy Education (CAE), Steward Observatory, Univ. of Arizona)

Introducing Current Research Into Your Classroom

Wednesday, 12:30 pm - 2:00 pm; Appaloosa 1

Do you wish you could ground your undergraduate classes more thoroughly in the latest astronomical research? Do you want to expose your students not just to facts, but also to the process of science? In this workshop, we'll show you how you can use Astrobites to enhance your students' experience. Astrobites, founded in 2010 and officially supported by the AAS since 2016, is a graduate-student organization that publishes an online astrophysical literature blog. The blog consists of daily digests of recent articles appearing on astro-ph, with a current archive of posts covering more than one thousand recent astrophysics research papers. Each post is written at an undergraduate level,

providing an accessible summary of the research methods and outcomes as well as useful background and context. Over the span of this 1.5-hour workshop, we will provide an overview of Astrobites and discuss several different ways that you can use Astrobites to bring the most recent astronomical research into your undergraduate classroom. You will then have the opportunity to develop original lesson plans and curriculum materials with the assistance of Astrobites authors and administrators. The organizers encourage you to bring your laptop and a lunch to this workshop.

Organizer(s): Susanna Kohler (University of Colorado at Boulder)

2017 AAS Astronomy Ambassadors Workshop (day 2 of 2)

Wednesday, 12:45 pm - 5:30 pm; Appaloosa 4

This 5th annual Astronomy Ambassador workshop is for early career astronomers (graduate students, post docs, young faculty) eager to put a new face on astronomy through active engagement in outreach to their communities. During the two days of active learning, you can build skills to help engage your audience in your presentations, gain insights into how people learn, and discover tested outreach resources. The workshop is free, but is limited to 30 participants by application only.

Organizer(s): Suzanne Gurton (Astronomical Society of the Pacific)

118 NSF Town Hall

Wednesday, 12:45 pm - 1:45 pm; Texas C

Staff from the National Science Foundation will discuss recent science results, news about the Division, the status and evolution of budgets, and information about grants programs and facility development.

Organizer(s): James Ulvestad (National Science Foundation)

119 HAD Town Hall

Wednesday, 12:45 pm - 1:45 pm; Texas 3

Organizer(s): Kenneth Rumstay (Valdosta State Univ.)

Science of X-ray Surveyor

Wednesday, 1:00 pm - 3:30 pm; San Antonio 1

We will invite the community to attend this splinter meeting to discuss several major topics related to the science achievable with a future X-ray Surveyor mission. We aim at 4 presentations by the X-ray Surveyor Science Team members or leads of the Science Working groups. Potential topics include the earliest populations of black holes, diffuse gas in the galactic halos and cosmic web, the physics of feedback, physics of high densities and GR tests, stellar lifecycles.

Organizer(s): Alexey Vikhlinin (Harvard-Smithsonian, CfA)

Big Bang to Biology: What Can I Do With LUVOIR?

Wednesday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Mustang 4

This splinter meeting will involve hands-on practice with web-based science simulation tools for the Large UV/Optical/IR Surveyor (LUVOIR) mission. LUVOIR is a concept for a highly capable, multi-wavelength observatory with ambitious science goals. This mission would enable a great leap forward in a broad range of astrophysics — from the epoch of reionization, through galaxy formation and evolution, to star and planet formation. LUVOIR also has the major goal of characterizing a wide range of exoplanets, including those that might be habitable — or even inhabited. Powerful remote sensing observations of Solar System bodies will also be possible. LUVOIR is one of four Decadal Survey Mission Concept Studies initiated in Jan 2016. The study will extend over three years, culminating in reports to NASA and the National Academies. More info on LUVOIR and the study can be found at http://asd.gsfc.nasa.gov/luvoir/. In this meeting, we'll introduce you to the range of science that LUVOIR can address, then describe the current mission architecture and instrument suite chosen by the Science and Technology Definition Team. The web-based science simulation tools will be demonstrated, then we will hand things over to the meeting participants. Bring your favorite science case and/ or input models, and be ready to dream big! We'll take feedback on all aspects of the mission study, including what other tools you'd like to see.

Organizer(s): Aki Roberge (NASA GSFC)

Astronomy Education in the NSF IUSE:EHR Program

Wednesday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Grapevine 4

This session will consist of three presentations on astronomy education awards from the NSF IUSE:EHR (Improving Undergraduate STEM Education) program. The speakers and the awards are: 1) Angela Speck, University of Missouri, Co-PI on "Nationwide Preparation for the Eclipse of 21 August 2017" (Marvel/1564535), 2) Laura Trouille, Adler Planetarium, PI on "Collaborative Research: Engaging Introductory Astronomy Students in Authentic Research through Citizen Science" (Trouille/1524189), and 3) Edward Prather, University of Arizona, Co-PI on "Collaborative Research: Enhancing Undergraduate STEM Education: Workshops and Learning Communities for Physics and Astronomy Faculty" (Hilborn/1431638). These three awards from diverse areas of astronomy education will showcase the flexibility of the IUSE:EHR program. IUSE:EHR can support any projects that benefit undergraduate students and contribute to the knowledge base of STEM education.

Chair: Kevin Lee (NSF)

120 Extrasolar Planets: Characterization & Theory I

Wednesday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Texas A

Chair: George Benedict (Univ. of Texas, Austin)

120.01 Characterizing Exoplanets with WFIRST

Author(s): **Tyler D. Robinson**⁴, Karl R. Stapelfeldt¹, Mark S. Marley², Franck Marchis³, Jonathan J Fortney⁴

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120.02 Key Exoplanets in the Era of JWST

Author(s): **Natasha Batalha**², Avi Mandell¹, Nikole K. Lewis³, Klaus Pontoppidan³ *Institution(s):* ¹ *Goddard Space Flight Center,* ² *Pennsylvania State University,* ³ *Space Telescope Science Institute*

120.03 Proxima Centauri b: Environmental States and Observational Discriminants
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A Lustig-Yaeger⁵, Andrew Lincowski⁵, Tyler D. Robinson⁴, Shawn DomagalGoldman³, Rory Barnes⁵, David P Fleming⁵, Russell Deitrick⁵, Rodrigo Luger⁵,
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120.04 Beyond Proxima b: Investigating the next nearest Potentially Habitable Exoplanets: Kapteyn b (13 LY) and Wolf 1061 c (14 LY) - Assessing their Suitabilty for Life

Author(s): **Edward F. Guinan**¹, Scott G. Engle¹ *Institution(s)*: ¹. *Villanova Univ*.

120.05 Improving Habitability of Earth-sized Proxima Centauri b by an Exomoon

Author(s): **Sergio Garza**¹, Marialis Rosario Franco¹, Niyousha Davachi¹, Zdzislaw E. Musielak¹

Institution(s): 1. University of Texas at Arlington

120.06 Stable Orbits for Exomoons in Earth's Cousin (Kepler-452b) Orbiting a Sun-like Star

Author(s): **Niyousha Davachi**¹, Marialis Rosario Franco¹, Sergio Garza¹, Zdzislaw E. Musielak¹

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120.07D Emerging Science Capabilities of Modern Adaptive Optics Systems for Exoplanet and Stellar Astrophysics

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120.08 Direct Imaging Discovery of a Remarkably Red Planetary-Mass Companion

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121 AGN, QSO, Blazars: Obscured

Wednesday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Texas C

Chair: J. Moody (Brigham Young Univ.)

121.01 Discovering highly obscured AGN with the Swift-BAT 100-month survey

Author(s): **Stefano Marchesi**¹, Marco Ajello¹, Andrea Comastri³, Giancarlo

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121.02D A multi-wavelength survey of obscured and reddened quasars at the peak of galaxy formation

Author(s): Rachael Alexandroff¹

Institution(s): 1. Johns Hopkins University

121.03D Hard X-ray Spectroscopy of Obscured AGN with NuSTAR

Author(s): Mislav Balokovic1, Fiona Harrison1

Institution(s): 1. California Institute of Technology

Contributing team(s): NuSTAR Extragalactic Surveys Team

121.04 Extreme Obscuration and Circumnuclear Star-Formation Revealed in AGN NGC 4968

Author(s): **Stephanie M. LaMassa**², Tahir Yaqoob⁴, Nancy A. Levenson¹, Peter Boorman⁵, Timothy M. Heckman³, Poshak Gandhi⁵, Jane R. Rigby², C. Megan

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122 GW-SMBH-Lensing-PTA

Wednesday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Texas D

Chair: Michael Kesden (University of Texas at Dallas)

122.01D Black Hole Accretion Discs on a Moving Mesh

Author(s): Geoffrey Ryan1

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122.02 The Effect of Supermassive Black Hole Binary Environments on Time to Detection for the Stochastic Background

Author(s): **Sarah Vigeland**¹, Xavier Siemens¹

Institution(s): 1. University of Wisconsin -- Milwaukee

122.03 Effectiveness of Null Signal Sky Localization in Pulsar Timing Arrays

Author(s): Jeffrey Shafiq Hazboun¹

Institution(s): 1. Center for Advanced Radio Astronomy

122.04 Inferring the mass and density profile of dark matter subhalos in gravitational lens galaxies

Author(s): Quinn Minor¹, Manoj Kaplinghat²

Institution(s): 1. Borough of Manhattan Community College, 2. University of

California, Irvine

122.05 DeepLensing: The Use of Deep Machine Learning to Find Strong Gravitational Lenses in Astronomical Surveys

Author(s): Brian Nord1

Institution(s): 1. Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory

122.06 Precession-averaged evolution of the orbital and total angular momenta in binary black-hole systems

Author(s): **Xinyu Zhao**², Michael H. Kesden², Davide Gerosa¹
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122.07 Bayesian model-emulation of stochastic gravitational-wave spectra for probes of the final-parsec problem with pulsar-timing arrays

Author(s): **Stephen R Taylor**², Joseph Simon³, Laura Sampson¹ *Institution(s)*: ^{1.} CIERA, Northwestern University, ^{2.} Jet Propulsion Laboratory, ^{3.} University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee

123 Dwarf & Irregular Galaxies I

Wednesday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Grapevine A

Chair: Daniel Dale (Univ. of Wyoming)

123.01 Accretion phenomena onto star-forming dwarf-galaxies.

Author(s): Francesca Annibali¹

Institution(s): 1. INAF- Osservatorio Astronomico Bologna

123.02 The Star-Forming Main Sequence at Low Galaxy Mass

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123.03D Large-scale environmental dependence of chemical abundances in dwarf galaxies and implications for connecting star formation history and halo mass Author(s): Kelly Douglass¹, Michael S. Vogeley¹

Institution(s): ¹ Drexel University

123.04 APOGEE Chemical Abundances of the Sagittarius Dwarf Galaxy

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123.05 The HI Chronicles of LITTLE THINGS BCDs: VII Zw 403's External Gas Cloud

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123.06D Baryons and their Effects on Planes of Satellites Around Milky Way-Mass Galaxies

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124 Star Associations, Star Clusters - Galactic & Extragalactic I

Wednesday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Grapevine B

Chair: Bryan Miller (Gemini Observatory)

124.01D Testing Theories of in situ Nuclear Star Formation in M31

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124.02 Multiple Populations in M31 Globular Clusters: Clues from Infrared High Resolution Integrated Light Spectroscopy

Author(s): Charli Sakari1

Institution(s): 1. University of Washington Contributing team(s): The APOGEE team

124.03D The Open Cluster Chemical Abundances and Mapping (OCCAM) Survey: Galactic Neutron Capture Abundance Gradients

Author(s): Julia O'Connell³, Peter M. Frinchaboy³, Matthew D. Shetrone⁴, Matthew Melendez³, Katia M. L. Cunha², Steven R. Majewski⁵, Gail Zasowski¹ Institution(s): ¹ Johns Hopkins University, STSci, ² Observatorio Nacional, ³ Texas Christian University, ⁴ University of Texas, ⁵ University of Virginia Contributing team(s): APOGEE Team

124.04D The Photometric Study of Globular Cluster Systems in the Coma, Fornax, and Virgo Clusters of Galaxies with the HST WFC3/IR

Author(s): **Hyejeon Cho²**, John P. Blakeslee¹, Young-Wook Lee² *Institution(s): ^{1.} NRC Herzberg Astronomy and Astrophysics, ^{2.} Yonsei University*

124.05 Hierarchical Star Formation in Turbulent Media: Evidence from Young Star Clusters

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125 Cosmology I

Wednesday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Grapevine C

Chair: Mustapha Ishak-Boushaki (Univ. Of Texas at Dallas)

125.01 Measuring the Epoch of Reionization using [CII] Intensity Mapping with TIME-Pilot

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125.02D Cosmic infrared background fluctuations of the COSMOS field in the SPLASH survey: new measurements and the cosmological explanations

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125.03 Early Science from the Hydrogen Epoch of Reionization Array

Author(s): Daniel Jacobs¹

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125.04 Data Simulation for 21 cm Cosmology Experiments

Author(s): **Jonathan Pober**¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *Brown University*

125.05 Constraining compensated isocurvature perturbations using the CMB

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Contributing team(s): Rhiannon Smith, Kyle Yee, Julian Munoz, Daniel Grin

125.06 Testing gravity theories using tensor perturbations

Author(s): **Weikang Lin¹**, Mustapha B. Ishak-Boushaki¹ *Institution(s)*: ¹ *University of Texas at Dallas*

125.07 Effect of Self-Calibration of Intrinsic Alignment on the Cosmological Parameter Constraints for LSST

Author(s): **Ji Yao**², Mustapha Ishak², Michael A. Troxel¹, Weikang Lin¹ *Institution(s):* ¹. *Ohio State University,* ². *The University of Texas at Dallas*

125.08 Planck SZ Cluster Mass Calibration using HSC Weak Lensing

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Contributing team(s): HSC

126 Science with the Discovery Channel Telescope and Beyond

Wednesday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Grapevine D

Lowell Observatory's Discovery Channel Telescope saw first light in 2012 and began full-time operations the following year. This state-of-the-art 4.3-meter telescope, located at an elevation of 7,740 feet in Happy Jack, AZ, has a growing suite of optical and near-infrared instruments. Lowell's DCT partners include Boston University, the University of Maryland, the University of Toledo, Northern Arizona University, Yale University, and the University of Texas/Korean Astronomy and Space Science Institute IGRINS team. This special session will showcase scientific highlights from the first few years of DCT operations as well as synergies with telescopes on nearby Anderson Mesa, including the Navy Precision Optical Interferometer. Talks will cover the diverse research being done with the DCT, from studies of solar system objects to distant GRBs. This is an opportunity to learn more about the newest 4-meter-class telescope in the United States and perhaps to stimulate new scientific collaborations.

Chair: Michael West (Maria Mitchell Observatory)

126.01 Lowell Observatory's Discovery Channel Telescope

Author(s): **Jeffrey C. Hall**¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *Lowell Obs.*

126.02 Follow-Up Discovery Channel Telescope Observations of Transients and Variables from Optical Time Domain Surveys

Author(s): **Suvi Gezari**¹, Tingting Liu¹, Tiara Hung¹ *Institution(s)*: ¹ *University of Maryland*

126.03 Target of Opportunity Observations with the Discovery Channel Telescope Author(s): **Stephen B. Cenko**¹, Sylvain Veilleux², Vicki Toy², John Capone², Eleonora Troja¹, Antonino Cucchiara³, Suvi Gezari², Tiara Hung²

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126.04 EXPRES: the EXtreme PREcision Spectrograph at the Discovery Channel Telescope

Author(s): **Debra Fischer**¹, Colby Jurgenson¹, Tyler McCracken¹, David Sawyer¹, Ryan Blackman¹, Andrew E. Szymkowiak¹

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126.05 Proper Motions and Parallaxes of Very Low-Mass Stars using DCT Astrometry

Author(s): **Julie N. Skinner**¹, Andrew A West¹, Jacqueline K. Faherty², Philip Steven Muirhead¹

Institution(s): 1. Boston University, 2. Carnegie Institute of Washington

126.06 IGRINS on the DCT

Author(s): Lisa A. Prato1

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126.07 The Puzzling Atmospheres of Low-mass Stars, Brown Dwarfs and Exoplanets Revealed by the Discovery Channel Telescope

Author(s): Philip Steven Muirhead¹, Bryce Croll¹, Paul A. Dalba¹, Mark Veyette¹,

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126.08 Characterizing Mid-Type M Dwarfs in the Kepler Field with the Discovery Channel Telescope and WIYN

Author(s): **Kevin Hardegree-Ullman**², Michael Cushing², Philip Steven Muirhead¹ *Institution(s)*: ¹ Boston University, ² University of Toledo

126.09 Speckle Interferometry at Lowell's Discovery Channel Telescope

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127 Linking the Scales of Star Formation

Wednesday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Texas 1

Could the relationships between the properties of star formation on two fundamental scales – on those of galaxy disks over kiloparsecs, and individual stars, stellar clusters and associations over parsecs – provide new key insights into the mechanisms that control star formation? In this session we will probe this missing piece in the grand puzzle of star formation by reporting new results from the Hubble Space Telescope (HST) Treasury program LEGUS (Legacy ExtraGalactic Ultraviolet Survey), and related projects. LEGUS has obtained complete five band HST imaging in NUV, U, B, V and I, for 50 nearby galaxies. The galaxies have been carefully selected to cover the full range of galaxy mass, morphology, star formation rate (SFR), SSFR (specific SFR=SFR/mass), metallicity, internal structure (rings, bars), and interaction state found in the Local Volume where HST can resolve and age-date young stellar populations on pc-scales. Well-known, archetypal galaxies with the largest suites of multi-wavelength data available have been targeted, to ensure that the dataset will have exceptional legacy value. High resolution UV imaging, which was not previously available for >90% of the sample, is critical for the age-dating and identification of young massive stars and clusters; the reconstruction of the recent star formation histories (SFH) at requisite accuracies (~10 Myr); and the breaking of the age-extinction degeneracies on small scales. The talks in this session will touch upon a full range of star formation science pursued by LEGUS and related projects, from studies of the demographics of star clusters to the environments of supernovae. We anticipate that the LEGUS dataset will also support a significant amount of community science, and the session will showcase the higher-level data products (multiband drizzled images; catalogs of the physical and observed properties of stars and star clusters) which have been and will be released to the community.

Chair: Janice Lee (Space Telescope Science Institute)

127.01 HST LEGUS - Legacy Extragalactic UV Survey

Author(s): Daniela Calzetti¹

Institution(s): 1. Univ. of Massachusetts
Contributing team(s): and the LEGUS Team

127.03 Star Cluster Luminosity Functions and Cluster Formation Efficiencies in LEGUS **Dwarf Galaxies**

Author(s): David O. Cook¹, Janice C. Lee⁴, Angela Adamo³, Hwiyun Kim², Jenna E Ryon⁵

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Contributing team(s): LEGUS Team

127.04 The Fraction of Stars Formed In A Diverse Sample of 8 Galaxies

Author(s): Rupali Chandar1

Institution(s): 1. University of Toledo

127.05 The Hierarchical Distribution of Young Stellar Clusters in Nearby Galaxies

Author(s): Kathryn Grasha1, Daniela Calzetti1

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127.06 Single Star HII Regions in nearby LEGUS Galaxies

Author(s): Bridget Kayitesi², Janice C. Lee², David A. Thilker¹

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Contributing team(s): LEGUS Team

127.07 Multi-scale, Hierarchically Nested Young Stellar Structures in LEGUS Galaxies

Author(s): David A. Thilker1

Institution(s): 1. Johns Hopkins Univ.

Contributing team(s): LEGUS Team

127.08 Extinction Mapping of Nearby Galaxies Using LEGUS

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Contributing team(s): LEGUS Collaboration

127.09 SN Environments in LEGUS

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Contributing team(s): the LEGUS Team

127.10 Star Formation at Low Rates: How a Lack of Massive Stars Impacts the **Evolution of Dwarf Galaxies**

Author(s): Gerhard Hensler¹

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128 Surveys & Data - Catalogs, Archives, Searched

Wednesday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Texas 5

Chair: Elizabeth Adams (ASTRON)

128.01 From Sky to Archive: Long Term Management of Sky Survey Data

Author(s): **Peter T Darch**², Ashley E. Sands¹, Christine Borgman¹, Milena S. Golshan¹, Sharon Traweek¹

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128.02D A Mass Census of the Nearby Universe with RESOLVE and ECO

Author(s): **Kathleen D. Eckert**⁵, Sheila Kannappan⁵, David Stark², Amanda J. Moffett¹, Mark A Norris⁴, Andreas A. Berlind⁷, Kirsten Hall³, Ashley Baker⁶, Elaine M. Snyder⁵, Ashley Bittner⁵, Erik A. Hoversten⁵, Claudia Lagos¹, Zachary Nasipak⁵ *Institution(s)*: ¹ *ICRAR*, ² *IPMU*, ³ *Johns Hopkins University*, ⁴ *University of Central Lancaster*, ⁵ *University of North Carolina*, Chapel Hill, ⁶ *University of Pennsylvania*, ⁷ *Vanderbilt University*Contributing team(s): RESOVE team

128.03 What Time Is Sunrise? Revisiting the Refraction Component of Sunrise/set Prediction Models

Author(s): **Teresa Wilson**¹, Jennifer L. Bartlett², James Lindsay Hilton² *Institution(s):* ¹ *Michigan Technological University,* ² *US Naval Observatory*

128.04 Testing LSST Dither Strategies for Large-scale Structure Systematics Author(s): **Humna Awan²**, Eric J. Gawiser², Peter Kurczynski¹ *Institution(s): ¹ National Science Foundation, ² Rutgers University*

128.05D A Search for Miras in M33 Using Sparsely-Sampled Time Series Photometry

Author(s): **Wenlong Yuan**¹, Lucas M. Macri¹, Shiyuan He², James Long², Jianhua Huang²

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128.06 Astronomical Methods for Nonparametric Regression

Author(s): **Charles L. Steinhardt**¹, Adam Jermyn²
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128.07 FRB121102: statistics of burst properties compared to the fast radio burst population

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Contributing team(s): PALFA Survey Team, VLA+AO FRB121102 Simultaneous Campaign Team, EVN FRB121102 Campaign Team

129 HAD III: History

Wednesday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Texas 3

Chair: Marc Rothenberg (National Science Foundation)

129.01 An Account of Stellar Spectroscopy and John S. Plaskett's Leadership within Early 20th-Century Astrophysics in Canada

Author(s): **Andrew Ihor Oakes**¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *University of Toronto*

129.02 Under Connecticut Skies: Exploring 100 Years of Astronomy at Van Vleck Observatory in Middletown, Connecticut

Author(s): Roy E. Kilgard¹, Amrys Williams¹, Paul Erickson¹, William Herbst¹,

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Institution(s): 1. Wesleyan Univ.

129.03 Building the Green Bank Telescope

Author(s): Kenneth I. Kellermann¹

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129.04 The 2017 Eclipse: Centenary of the Einstein Light Deflection Experiment

Author(s): Daniel Kennefick1

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129.06 The Unlikely Origins of NASA's "Search for Origins" Program

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129.07 Recording of Supernovae in Rock Art, A Case Study at the Paint Rock Pictograph Site

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129.08 Thirty Years After Jack Eddy at the Big Horn Medicine Wheel

Author(s): Ivy Merriot1

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129.09 The Astronomy Genealogy Project: It's more than just tracing your ancestry

Author(s): Joseph S. Tenn¹

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Contributing team(s): AstroGen Team

130 Variable Stars, Asteroseismology

Wednesday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Texas 4

Chair: Catherine Pilachowski (Indiana University)

130.01 Studying RR Lyrae Stars in M4 with K2

Author(s): Charles A. Kuehn², Jason Drury³, Pawel Moskalik¹

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Colorado, ^{3.} University of Sydney

130.02D RR Lyrae variable stars in M31-M33 super-halo

Author(s): Nahathai Tanakul¹, Ata Sarajedini¹

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130.03D Probing the Histories of Local Group Dwarf Galaxies with Pulsating Variable Stars

Author(s): Antonio J Ordoñez¹, Ata Sarajedini¹

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130.04 The connection between period spectra and constraints in white dwarf asteroseismology

Author(s): Agnes Kim¹

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130.05 Asteroseismology with Kepler and K2 data: Exploring horizontal branch cores using subdwarf B stars

Author(s): Michael Reed¹, Joshua Kern¹, Laura Ketzer¹

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130.06 Mid-Infrared Studies of the Variability of the Dustiest, Most Extreme Asymptotic Giant Branch Stars in the Magellanic Clouds

Author(s): Benjamin A. Sargent¹, Margaret Meixner¹, Olivia Jones¹

Institution(s): 1. Space Telescope Science Institute

130.07 An LBC view of Andromeda's dwarf spheroidal satellites

Author(s): Felice Cusano², Gisella Clementini², Alessia Garofalo¹

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131 Cool Stars I

Wednesday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Grapevine 1

Chair: Sergio Dieterich (Georgia State University)

131.01D Calibrating the Age-Rotation-Activity Relation in Low-Mass Stars:

Chromospheric and Coronal Activity in the 500 Myr-old M37 Open Cluster

Author(s): Alejandro Núñez1, Marcel A. Agueros1

Institution(s): ^{1.} *Columbia University*

131.02D Open clusters as laboratories for stellar spin-down and magnetic activity decay

Author(s): **Stephanie Douglas**¹, Marcel A. Agueros¹, Kevin R. Covey² *Institution(s)*: ¹ *Columbia University,* ² *Western Washington University*

131.03 The rotation-activity relation in M dwarfs

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131.04 Know the Planet, Know the Star: Precise Stellar Parameters with Kepler Author(s): Emily Sandford¹, David M. Kipping¹

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131.05D The Ages of A-Stars: Interferometric Observations of Our Brightest Neighbors
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Contributing team(s): The CHARA Team

132 CO-HI Observations of Galaxies

Wednesday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Grapevine 2

Chair: Barry Welsh (UC, Berkeley)

132.01 ALMA Reveals Large Molecular Gas Reservoirs in Ancestors of Milky Way-Mass Galaxies at z=1.2-1.3

Author(s): **Casey J. Papovich**⁵, Ivo Labbe¹, Karl Glazebrook⁴, Ryan Quadri⁵, Georgios Bekiaris⁴, Mark Dickinson³, Steven L. Finkelstein⁶, David B. Fisher⁴, Hanae Inami³, Rachael C. Livermore⁶, Lee Spitler², Caroline Straatman¹, Kim-Vy Tran⁵

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132.02 GBT CO observations of two ACT dusty star-forming galaxies

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Contributing team(s): Undergraduate ALFALFA Team

132.04D Using the Greenbank Telescope with Gravitational Lensing and the VLA to search for HI Beyond z=0.25

Author(s): Lucas Hunt², Daniel J. Pisano², Steve Crawford¹

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132.05 Mapping Diffuse HI Content in MHONGOOSE Galaxies NGC 1744 and NGC 7424

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132.06D (Almost) Dark Galaxies in the ALFALFA Survey: HI-bearing Ultra-Diffuse Galaxies, and Beyond

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132.07 Characterizing source confusion in HI spectral line stacking experiments

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133 Dust & Magnetic Fields

Wednesday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Fort Worth 6

Chair: Alex Lazarian (Univ. of Wisconsin)

133.01D Magnetic Fields in the Interstellar Medium

Author(s): **Susan Clark**¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *Columbia University*

133.02 Dust Grain Alignment and Magnetic Field Strength in the Wall of the Local Bubble

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133.03D Characterizing Dust Attenuation in Local Star Forming Galaxies

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133.04 PAH 8µm Emission as a Diagnostic of HII Region Optical Depth

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133.05D The First Observation of the Submillimeter Polarization Spectrum in a Low-AV Molecular Cloud

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Contributing team(s): BLASTPol

133.06 BLAST-TNG: A Next Generation Balloon-borne Large Aperture Submillimeter Polarimeter

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134 Structure of the Milky Way, & Stellar Astrometry

Wednesday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Dallas 6

Chair: Breann Sitarski (UCLA)

134.02D Mapping Milky Way Halo Structure with Blue Horizontal Branch Stars

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134.03 The First Mass Function and Rise of Carbon in the Early Universe

Author(s): **Kaitlin Rasmussen**¹, Timothy C. Beers¹, Vinicius M Placco¹, Jinmi Yoon¹

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134.04D Bayesian Mass Estimates of the Milky Way: Inferring the Mass Profile from Globular Cluster Kinematics

Author(s): **Gwendolyn Eadie**¹, William E. Harris¹, Aaron Springford², Larry Widrow²

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134.05 Constraining the mass of single stars from HST astrometric microlensing measurements

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134.06 Estimating distances from parallaxes

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134.07 Beta Dips in the Gaia Era: Simulation Predictions of the Galactic Velocity Anisotropy Parameter (β)

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135 Plenary Session: Henry Norris Russell Lectureship: How Stars Form, Christopher McKee (University of California, Berkeley)

Wednesday, 3:40 pm - 4:30 pm; Texas A

Chair: Christine Jones (Harvard-Smithsonian, CfA)



135.01 How Stars Form Author(s): Christopher F. McKee¹ Institution(s): ¹ UC, Berkeley

Citation: For his innovative ideas, powerful theoretical insights, and practical models that have had significant impact on many areas of

astrophysics. The prize committee specifically noted McKee's research on the interstellar medium and star formation as well as his leadership in the university community and nationally through the astronomy decadal surveys.

136 Racism = Prejudice + Power: A Discussion of Racism in the Field of Astronomy

Wednesday, 4:30 pm - 5:30 pm; Texas A

The daily news cycle reminds us that racism is alive and well in the United States: police violence against persons of color, racial profiling at borders and airports, antimuslim and anti-immigrant rhetoric by presidential candidates are common headlines. What may be surprising and hard to accept by many astronomers is that racism is also entrenched in our own scientific community. Racial discrimination in graduate admissions, closures of research programs and Astronomy departments at minorityserving institutions, lack of scholarship funding for immigrants, and demeaning language directed toward indigenous groups opposed to astronomical development on sacred sites are all examples of endemic racism in astronomy. But what exactly is racism? How does it manifest itself? How do we talk about it? And how do we eliminate it from our community? Drawing on the work done and lessons learned during the 2015 Inclusive Astronomy meeting, this session aims to educate astronomers on race and racism, their equivalence to power dynamics and white privilege, and what (primarily white) astronomers in power can do to recognize and dismantle racism at our institutions and communities. The session will include a panel of astronomers and social scientists with expertise in racism and racialized power dynamics, followed by a moderated discussion. Given the sensitive nature of the subject matter, participants will be asked to adhere to specific ground rules for the discussion, including sharing the air, being conscientious of power dynamics, using "both/and" rather than "either/or" language, leaning into discomfort, speaking to their own experience, focusing on the message rather than the messenger, and identifying and acknowledging harmful speech ("oops, ouch"). We will ask that the discussion be confidential ("What's said here stays here; what's learned here leaves here") to permit a safe space to do this challenging but essential work.

Organizer(s): Adam Burgasser (UC San Diego)

Career Hour 1: Leveraging Social Media for Networking and Career Advancement

Wednesday, 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm; San Antonio 1

More and more recruiters, job decision-makers and hiring managers are using the web to find and research potential candidates. How can you make sure that you are not only found, but are ahead of the pack? In this session, we will discuss how decision-makers use LinkedIn and Facebook, and how you can use LinkedIn to establish yourself as a leader in your field, enhance your research reputation, and seek out and take advantage of innovative opportunities. We will demonstrate how to optimize your presence on Twitter, and create a winning LinkedIn profile, and how to use its multitude of features (such as joining and commenting in groups) to generate solid leads for your career.

Organizer(s): AAS Employment Committee (AAS)

POSTER SESSIONS

137 New, Fundamental, Cutting-Edge Science from Arecibo Observatory Poster Session

Wednesday, 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm; Longhorn Exhibit Hall D

137.01 Characterization of HI Filaments

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137.02 The NANOGrav Eleven-Year Data Set: High-precision timing of 48 Millisecond Pulsars

Author(s): David J. Nice1

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137.03 The NSF Undergraduate ALFALFA Team: Partnering with Arecibo Observatory to Offer Undergraduate and Faculty Extragalactic Radio Astronomy Research Opportunities

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137.04 The Arecibo Environment Galaxy Survey: The NGC 2577/UGC 4375-galaxy pair Author(s): Ashley Ann Iguina², Robert F. Minchin¹

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137.05 Improving Arecibo Observatory's Hardware

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137.06 Monitoring the Remarkable Radio Spectral-Line/Continuum Outburst in Galaxy NGC 660

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137.07 Correcting the Redshift Measurement of 4C15.05 Using Neutral Hydrogen Author(s): Kristen M. Jones¹, Tapasi Ghosh¹, Christopher J. Salter¹ Institution(s): 1. Arecibo Observatory

137.08 Detected Galaxies and Large Scale Structure in the Arecibo L-band Feed Array Zone of Avoidance Survey (ALFAZOA)

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138 Astrobiology Poster Session

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138.01 Glycolaldehyde and Ethylene Glycol on Nearly Isotropic Comets Author(s): Jayden Butler¹, Nicolle Zellner¹, Vanessa McCaffrey¹ Institution(s): 1. Albion College

138.02 Using Lunar Impact Glasses to Inform the Amount of Organic Material Delivered to the Early Earth

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138.04 MISE: A Search for Organics on Europa

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138.05 How Mathematics Describes Life

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138.06 Cosmogenic Secondary Radiation from a Nearby Supernova

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139 Laboratory Astrophysics Poster Session

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139.01 Improved Cr II log(gf)s and Cr Abundances in the Photospheres of the Sun and Metal-Poor Star HD 84937

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139.02 Astrochemistry at the Cryogenic Storage Ring

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139.03 Experimentally Determined Binding Energies of Astrophysically Relevant Hydrocarbons in Pure and H2O-Layered Ices

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139.04 Investigating Cosmic Analog Dusts in the Lab at MM/Sub-MM Wavelength Author(s): Lunjun Liu¹, Kyle O'Shea², Fiona Breyer¹, Ronan Dorsey¹, Hansheng Chen¹, Thushara Perera¹

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140 Preparing for, & Engaging in, the 2017 Solar Eclipse **Poster Session**

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140.01 Celebrating the Eighth Annual International Observe the Moon Night and Supporting the 2017 Solar Eclipse

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140.02 Update on the Citizen CATE Experiment: Indonesia to 2017

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- 140.03 There's An App For That: Planning Ahead for the Solar Eclipse in August 2017
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- **140.04** Eclipse '17 at Indiana University Bloomington
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- 140.05 Observing the 2017 Total Solar Eclipse from the Pisgah Astronomical Research Institute

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140.06 The 2017 solar eclipse and Majorana & Allais gravity anomalies
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141 Relativistic Astrophysics, Gravitational Lenses & Waves Poster Session

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- 141.01 Microlensing Events in Gaia and other Astrometric Surveys

 Author(s): Claire Baker², Rosanne Di Stefano², Sebastien Lepine¹

 Institution(s): ¹ Georgia State University, ² Smithsonian Astrophysical Observatory
- 141.02 Exploring Parameter Space Coverage of Various LISA Configurations
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- 141.03 Gravitational Wave Detection of Compact Binaries Through Multivariate Analysis

Author(s): **Dany Victor Atallah**¹, Iain Dorrington², Patrick Sutton² *Institution(s):* ¹. *California State University Long Beach*, ². *Cardiff University*

141.04 A unified relativistic treatment of tidal disruption by a Schwarzschild black hole

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- 141.05 Multi-Messenger Astronomy: White Dwarf Binaries, LISA and GAIA Author(s): Michael Bueno², Katelyn Breivik¹, Shane L. Larson¹
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- 141.06 Studying Variance in the Galactic Ultra-compact Binary Population
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- **141.07** Geometry of Superluminal Light-Echo Pair Events Author(s): Robert J. Nemiroff¹

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141.08 The Effects of Physically Unrelated Near Neighbors on the Galaxy-Galaxy Lensing Signal

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141.09 The UV Luminosity Function at 6 < z < 10 from the Hubble Frontier Fields
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142 The Milky Way, The Galactic Center Poster Session

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142.01 An Enigmatic Variable Star in the Backyard of Sagittarius A*

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142.02 Observable Priors: Limiting Biases in Estimated Parameters for Incomplete Orbits

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- 142.04 HI Clouds Near the Galactic Center: Possible Tracers of the Nuclear Wind Author(s): Felix J. Lockman², Naomi McClure-Griffiths¹, Enrico DiTeodoro¹ Institution(s): ¹ Australian National University, ² Green Bank Observatory
- 142.05 Probing Magnetized Turbulence in the Fermi Bubbles

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- 142.06 A Detailed Analysis of the Physical Conditions in the Infrared Dark Clouds in the Region IGGC 16/23

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142.07 On the claimed X-shaped structure in the Milky Way bulge

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142.08 The Dynamics of Molecular Clouds in the Galactic Bar Region on the Near-Side of the CMZ

Author(s): **Volker Tolls**¹, Howard Alan Smith¹ *Institution(s)*: ¹ *Harvard-Smithsonian, CfA* Contributing team(s): HIGGS Team

142.09 Hunting for accretors towards the bulge with the Chandra and Hubble Space Telescopes

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142.10 Distance to the High-Latitude Molecular Cloud MBM 37 (LDN 183)

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142.12 Smith's Cloud: No chemistry but we did find some of the Milky Way's Missing Baryons

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142.13 Age-Metallicity Relationships Across the Milky Way Galaxy with APOGEE Author(s): Colton Casados-Medve¹, Jonathan C. Bird²

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142.14 Local Velocity Substructure in the Milky Way Disk

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142.15 Halo Substructure Towards the Galactic Center

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142.16 Better Galactic mass models through chemistry

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142.17 Structures in the Milky Way's Halo System using the Age Distribution of Field Horizontal-Branch Stars

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142.18 Identifying CEMP-s and CEMP-no Stars within Milky Way Halo Structures
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142.19 Keck Spectroscopy of NGVS Sources: Milky Way Halo Star Kinematics

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142.20 The WFIRST view of the distant stellar halo

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143 Elliptical Galaxies Poster Session

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143.01 The Origin of Isolated Early-Type Galaxies: A Multiwavelength Study of Three Systems

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143.02 Early type galaxies, i.e. ellipticals and lenticulars, are generally considered to be largely devoid of cool gas and associated dust

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143.03 Examining the X-ray Properties of Lenticular Galaxies: Rollins SO X-ray Sample (RSOX)

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143.04 HST Infrared Imaging of MASSIVE Survey Galaxies

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143.05 A New Distance Measurement to NGC 4874 in the Coma Cluster

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144 Spiral Galaxies Poster Session

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144.01 Star Formation in MUSCEL Galaxies

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144.02 Kinematics of MUSCEL Galaxies

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144.03 New Photometric and Kinematic Evidence for a Bar in NGC 2841

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144.04 Improving Stellar Velocity Dispersion Measurements in Barred Spiral Galaxies With Supermassive Black Holes

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144.05 Gravitational Instability of Nuclear Rings in Barred Galaxies

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144.06 EVN VLBI Imaging of the Jet in the Nucleus of the Barred Spiral Galaxy NGC 7479

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144.07 Determining the Co-Rotation Radius of Nearby Spiral Galaxies Using Spiral Arm Overlays

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144.08 The Spiral Arm Pattern Speed for Different Components of the Interstellar Medium in NGC 3184

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144.09 Time Variability and Luminosity of X-ray Sources of Face-on Spiral Galaxy NGC 1232

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144.10 Chandra ACIS Observations of the Nearby Spiral Galaxy NGC 300

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144.11 The Extent of Hot Gaseous Galaxy Halos

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144.12 A Chandra Observation of the Face-on Spiral Galaxy NGC 3938

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144.13 Properties of Extended X-ray Halos Around Spiral Galaxies

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144.14 Observational Confirmations of Spiral Density Wave Theory

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144.15 UGC 4599: Revealing the Extended Structure of a Hoag's Object Analog with **HERON**

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144.16 Updated Photometry for the SINGS/KINGFISH Samples of Nearby Galaxies

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144.17 Dust lanes in backlit galaxies: first results from the STARSMOG survey

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144.18 Identifying Hidden Supernova Remnants in M83 with the VLA

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144.19 De-coding the Neutral Hydrogen (21cm) Line Profiles of Disk galaxies

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144.20 Stellar Populations in the Outer Regions of M101

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144.21 ALMA CO Observations of Shocks and Star Formation in the Interacting Galaxies IC 2163 and NGC 2207

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145 Dwarf & Irregular Galaxies Poster Session

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145.01 Exploring Dwarf Galaxy Evolution

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145.02 Investigating Dwarf Spiral Galaxies

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145.03 The Smallest Galaxies in the Universe: Investigating the Origins of Ultra-faint Galaxies

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145.04 The WHAM Hα Magellanic Stream Survey: Progress and Early Results

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145.05 The rise of ionized gas in the Magellanic Stream

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145.06 Probing ionization conditions of Galactic halo gas using H-alpha observations of the Magellanic Stream

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145.07 Feeding the Milky Way: Properties of the Leading Arm of the Magellanic Stream

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145.08 Supernovae explosions in the Large Magellanic Cloud drive massive winds toward the Milky Way

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145.09 VLA+WSRT HI Imaging of Two "Almost Dark" Galaxies

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145.10 "Almost Darks": HI Mapping and Optical Analysis

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145.11 SHIELD: EVLA HI Spectral Line Observations of Low-mass Dwarfs

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145.13 Rotational Dynamics and Star Formation in the Nearby Dwarf Galaxy NGC 5238

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145.14 The Frequency of Starbursts in Dwarf Galaxies

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145.16 Exploring the Metal Retention Fractions of Dwarf Galaxies

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145.17 Photometric and spectroscopic study of the ultra-faint Milky Way satellite Pegasus III

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145.18 Gas Stripping in the Simulated Pegasus Galaxy

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145.19 The Nonbarred Double-Ringed Galaxy, PGC 1000714

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145.20 A Study of Low-Metallicity Red Giant Stars in the Ursa Minor Dwarf Spheroidal Galaxy Using APOGEE Survey Data

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145.21 Spitzer Merger History and Shape of the Galactic Halo: The Distance to the Core of the Sagittarius Dwarf Galaxy from the Mid-Infrared Period-Luminosity Relation for RR Lyrae Variable Stars

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145.22 Mass-to-Light versus Color Relations for Dwarf Irregular Galaxies

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145.23 The Magellanic Analog Dwarf Companions and Stellar Halos (MADCASH) Survey: Near-Field Cosmology with Resolved Stellar Populations Around Local Volume LMC Stellar-Mass Galaxies

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145.24 Hubble Space Telescope observations of the optical counterpart to a ultracompact high-velocity cloud

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145.25 Analyzing the Formation of Ultra-compact Dwarfs through Stellar Populations

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145.26 Comparison between high and low star forming sides of dwarf irregular galaxies with asymmetrical distributions of star formation.

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145.27 Characterizing the Bow Shock of the Large Magellanic Cloud

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145.28 Cold Gas in Quenched Dwarf Galaxies using HI-MaNGA

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146.01 The Gemini Planet Imager Exoplanet Survey

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146.02 Orbits for the Impatient: A Bayesian Rejection Sampling Method for Quickly Fitting the Orbits of Long-Period Exoplanets

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146.03 Astrometric Calibration of the Gemini Planet Imager

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146.04 Gemini Planet Imager Calibrations, Pipeline Updates, and Campaign Data Processing

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146.05 The Gemini Planet Imager view of the HD 32297 debris disk system

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146.06 Blind Source Separation Algorithms for PSF Subtraction from Direct Imaging

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146.07 Reprocessing of Archival Direct Imaging Data of Herbig Ae/Be Stars

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146.08 Project MINERVA's Follow-up on Wide-Field, Small Telescope Photometry to **Identify Exoplanets**

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146.09 MINERVA-Red: A telescope dedicated to the discovery of planets orbiting the nearest low-mass stars

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146.10 Simulating a Radial Velocity Precurser Survey for Target Yield Optimization for a Future Direct Imaging Mission

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146.11 A Search and Exploration of Multi-Exoplanet Systems Via Transit Timing Variation (TTV) Algorithms for the K2 Mission

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146.12 Analytical Methods for Exoplanet Imaging Detection Metrics

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146.13 Finding Planets in K2: A New Method of Cleaning the Data

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146.14 MICRONERVA: A Novel Approach to Large Aperture Astronomical Spectroscopy

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146.15 Distribution-dependent total exoplanet yield for a large aperture space telescope

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146.16 The NASA Exoplanet Archive

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146.17 Searching for Wide, Planetary-Mass Companions in Archival Spitzer/IRAC Data Author(s): Raquel Martinez¹

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146.18 Planet Occurrence Rates for K2 M Dwarfs

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146.19 The Snapshot A-Star SurveY (SASSY)

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146.20 Results of Edge Scatter Testing for a Starshade Mission

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146.21 Testbed Demonstration of Low Order Wavefront Sensing and Control Technology for WFIRST Coronagraph

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146.23 The DeMi CubeSat: Wavefront Control with a MEMS Deformable Mirror in Space

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146.24 Experimental Verification of Sparse Aperture Mask for Low Order Wavefront Sensing

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146.25 Kernel-Phase Interferometry for Super-Resolution Detection of Faint Companions

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146.26 Status of Technology Development to enable Large Stable UVOIR Space Telescopes

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146.27 A Model for Astrometric Detection and Characterization of Multi-Exoplanet Systems

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146.28 First light of an external occulter testbed at flight Fresnel numbers

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146.29 Techniques for Constraining the Population of Small Close-in Planets Around Subgiants

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146.30 Examining the Flicker-Jitter Relation of K2 stars: the Dependence on Chromospheric Activity

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146.31 Analysis of a Close Pair of Faint Sources Near a Massive Young Star

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146.32 A Possible 5th Planet in the Kepler-89 System

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146.33 How many habitable planets can we detect around nearby M dwarfs, and are they really habitable?

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146.34 A Search for Exoplanets in the Open Star Clusters Messier 35 and Koposov 62 Using A Photometric Algorithm for the K2 Mission

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146.35 A Search for Radio Emission from Nearby Exoplanets

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146.36 KELT-FUN and the discovery of KELT-18b

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146.37 An astro-comb calibrated solar telescope to study solar activity and search for the radial velocity signature of Venus

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146.38 Planet Hunters, Undergraduate Research, and Detection of Extrasolar Planet Kepler-818 b

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147.01 Understanding the Earth's Composition through Neutrino Oscillations

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147.03 Recovering Neptune 170 Years After its Initial Discovery

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147.04 A Search for Planet 9 at the Thacher Observatory

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147.05 Rotational Study of Ambiguous Taxonomic Classified Asteroids

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147.06 Eight Potentially Hazardous Near Earth Asteroids: Characterization and Threat Assessment

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147.07 Spectral Classification of NEOWISE Observed Near-Earth Asteroids

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147.08 Density and Macroporosity Distribution of Near Earth Asteroids

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147.09 Models of millimeter-wave emission from dust in the coma of Comet 67P

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148 Planetary Nebulae, Supernova Remnants Poster Session

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148.01 17 Years of Chandra Observations of SN1987A

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148.02 Calculating the Flux Density Decay of Cas A with LWA1

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148.03 Exploring Supernova Remnants with the SPIES Project

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148.04 A Survey of X-Ray Luminosity Limits for Unobserved Compact Stellar Remnants in Core-Collapse SNRs

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148.05 Revealing the Detailed Structure of the Galactic Core-Collapse Supernova Remnant G292.0+1.8 with X-Ray Mapping

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148.06 Optical Observations of Galactic Supernova Remnant G64.5+0.9

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148.07 Measuring the Symmetry of Supernova Remnants in the Radio

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148.08 Behind the Curtain: Revealing the Nebular Influence on X-ray Emission from Planetary Nebulae

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148.09 Spectroscopy of Planetary Nebulae at the Bright End of the Luminosity Function

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148.10 The Eclipsing Central Stars of the Planetary Nebulae Lo 16 and PHR J1040-5417 Author(s): Todd C. Hillwig³, David Frew², David Jones¹, Danielle Crispo³ Institution(s): ^{1.} Instituto de Astrofisica de Canarias, ^{2.} University of Hong Kong, ^{3.} Valparaiso University

148.11 Zeeman Effect observations toward 36 GHz methanol masers in the Galactic Center

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149 Gamma Ray Bursts Poster Session

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149.01 Long-Wavelength Demographics of GRB Host Galaxies

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149.02 A Study of the Gamma-Ray Burst Fundamental Plane

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149.03 A Spatially - Resolved Study of the GRB 020903 Host Complex

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150 Intergalactic Medium, QSO Absorption Line Systems Poster Session

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150.01 Quasar Absorption Lines and SDSS Galaxies

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150.02 Shock waves and particle acceleration in clusters of galaxies

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150.03 First light with Trident: multi-platform synthetic quasar spectra

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150.04 A Measurement of the z=4 Ultraviolet Background from the Proximity Effect

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150.05 Understanding the IGM Through the Use of a Lensed Quasar

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150.06 Deeper Insights into the Circumgalactic Medium using Multivariate Analysis Methods

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151 Stellar Atmospheres, Winds, Be Stars, & Wolf-Rayet Phenomena Poster Session

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151.01 Circumstellar Dust Composition of M-type Mira Variables observed with phase with Spitzer

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151.02 Bridging the Gap between Coronal and Non-Coronal Evolved Stars

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151.03 Stratification in Ap star atmospheres: Simulations

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151.04 Spectroscopic Parameters of B Stars in the Carina Nebula

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151.05 The Fe Group Abundances in the B3 IV Standard ι Herculis Determined from ASTRAL II Observations

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151.06 The Be Population in 10 Galactic Open Clusters From the Discovery Channel Telescope

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151.07 Variable Circumstellar Disks: Prevalence, Timescales, and Physical Mechanisms

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151.08 A spectroscopic orbit for the late-type Be star β CMi

Author(s): **Nick Dulaney**⁴, Noel Richardson⁴, Cody Gerhartz⁴, Jon Eric Bjorkman⁴, Karen S. Bjorkman⁴, Alex C. Carciofi³, Luqian Wang², Nancy D. Morrison⁴, Robert Klement¹

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151.09 Destruction of Be star disk by large scale magnetic fields

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151.10 Spectral Classification of Central Stars of Bowshock Nebulae

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151.11 Polarization signatures of bow shocks: A diagnostic tool to constrain the properties of stellar winds and ISM

Author(s): **Manisha Shrestha**², Jennifer L. Hoffman², Hilding R. Nielson³, Richard Ignace¹

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- 151.12 Exploring X-ray Emission from Winds in Two Early B-type Binary Systems
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- 151.13 The Variability of the BRITE-est Wolf-Rayet star gamma Velorum. Photometric and Spectroscopic Evidence of Colliding Winds.

Author(s): **Noel Richardson**⁵, Lucas St-Jean⁴, Anthony F. J. Moffat⁴, Nicole St. Louis⁴, Christopher Michael Post Russell², Tomer Shenar³, Herbert Pablo⁴, Grant M. Hill¹, Tahina Ramiaramanantsoa⁴, Kenji Hamaguchi², Michael F. Corcoran² *Institution(s):* ^{1.} *Keck Observatory,* ^{2.} *NASA Goddard,* ^{3.} *Universitat Potsdam,* ^{4.} *Universite de Montreal,* ^{5.} *University of Toledo*

151.14 Stagnant Shells in the Vicinity of the Dusty Wolf-Rayet-O/B Binary WR 112

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151.15 TRES Survey of Variable Diffuse Interstellar Bands

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152 Pulsating & Variable Stars Poster Session

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- 152.01 Variable Stars in the Large Magellanic Cloud from Archival HST Observations Author(s): Gabriel Alejandro Fuentes¹, Ata Sarajedini¹ Institution(s): 1. University of Florida
- 152.02 The First Kepler Observations of the Pulsations of R Coronae Borealis Stars Author(s): **Geoffrey C. Clayton**², C. Simon Jeffery¹, Edward Montiel⁴, Hideyuki Saio³, Gavin Ramsay¹ Institution(s): ^{1.} Armagh Observatory, ^{2.} Louisiana State Univ., ^{3.} Tohoku University, 4. UC Davis
- 152.03 Multiband Fourier Analysis and Interstellar Reddening of Variable Stars in the **Globular Cluster NGC 6584**

Author(s): **Nathan J. Villiger**¹, Sedrick Weinschenk¹, Paul T Hettinger¹, Brian W. Murphy¹

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152.05 Monitoring Period and Amplitude Changes in Classical Cepheids

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152.06 Discovering Cepheid and RR Lyrae Stars: Pan-STARRS Science Archive @ STScI and Robotically Controlled Telescopes

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152.07 The Search for RR Lyrae Variables in the Dark Energy Survey

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152.08 KELT RR Lyrae Variable Stars Observed by NKU Schneider and Michigan State Observatories

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152.09 Reddening determination of RR Lyrae from small scale observations

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152.10 Evidence for Binarity in Kepler Observations of the Pulsating RV Tau Variable DF Cygni

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152.11 O-C analysis of the pulsating subdwarf B star PG 1219 + 534

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152.12 Radiative Transfer Modeling of the Mid-IR/Far-IR Dust Emissions of the Symbiotic Mira, V* R Aqr

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152.13 Period Analysis of Three SRS: Stars in the Kepler Field

Author(s): **Wesley Red**¹, Gabrielle Jones¹, Jennifer Cash¹, Donald K. Walter¹ *Institution(s)*: ¹ South Carolina State University

152.14 A Testing Ground for Polarized Maser Transport: Multi-Epoch Analysis of a $\pi/2$ Electric Vector Rotation

Author(s): **Taylor Tobin**¹, Athol J. Kemball¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *University of Illinois*

153 Star Formation Poster Session

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153.01 Probing turbulent, magnetized star formation with ALMA observations and next-generation AREPO simulations

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153.02 Simulating Stellar Cluster Formation and Early Evolution

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153.03 Is Episodic Accretion Necessary to Resolve the Luminosity Problem in Low-Mass Protostars?

Author(s): **Raymond Andrew Sevrinsky**¹, Michael Dunham¹ *Institution(s):* ¹. *Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics*

153.04 Predicting Complex Organic Molecule Emission from TW Hya Author(s): Shreyas Vissapragada¹, Catherine Walsh²

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153.05 Modeling Protostar Envelopes and Disks Seen With ALMA

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153.06 3-D MHD disk wind simulations of jets and outflows from high-mass protostars

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153.07 Argus: a new 16-pixel millimeter-wave spectroscopic instrument for star formation studies at the Green Bank Telescope

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153.08 An LMT/AzTEC 1.1 mm Survey of Dense Cores in the Monoceros R2 Giant Molecular Cloud

Author(s): **Alyssa D Sokol²**, Robert A. Gutermuth², Grant Wilson², Stella Offner², Mark H. Heyer², Riwaj Pokhrel², Arturo Gomez-Ruiz¹, Abraham Luna¹ *Institution(s):* ¹. *National Institute of Astrophysics, Optics and Electronics,* ². *University of Massachusetts Amherst*

153.09 High Resolution 33 GHz Observations of Embedded Star Formation in NGC 6240

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153.10 The Dense Gas Fraction in the Central Molecular Zone in the Milky Way

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153.11 Interactions of mid-infrared bubbles with the interstellar medium: are bubble rims associated with collapsing cores?

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153.12 Stars and Star Clusters: A Look at Intermediate-Mass Star-Forming Regions Author(s): Michael J. Lundquist¹, Henry A. Kobulnicky³, Ryan M. Lau² Institution(s): ¹ Gemini Observatory, ² Jet Propulsion Laboratory, ³ University of Wyoming

153.13 Investigating Star-Gas Correlation and Evolution in the 100pc Cygnus X Complex

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153.14 ATLASGAL: Chemical evolution of star forming clumps

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153.15 A Star-Formation Rate Atlas of the Nearby Universe Author(s): Tristan Ashton², David Pooley², Saul A. Rappaport¹ Institution(s): ¹. MIT, ². Trinity University

153.16 How Does Dense Molecular Gas Contribute to Star Formation in the Starburst Galaxy NGC 2146?

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154 Stellar Evolution, Stellar Populations Poster Session

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154.01 Comparing Stellar Populations of Galaxies Across the Hubble Sequence
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154.02 Kinematics of Hα Emitting Stars in Andromeda

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154.03 A Mysterious Population of Stars With Weak CN Absorption in the Disk of M31

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154.04 The Red Supergiant Content of the LMC and SMC

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154.05 Stellar Evolution of the Star Cluster NGC 602 and Massive Star Formation in the Low-Density Wing of the SMC

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154.06 M dwarfs kink and TPAGB in the MIST and PARSEC Infrared Isochrones

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154.07 Rotation in Praesepe with K2

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154.08 Isochrone Fitting of Hubble Photometry in UV-Vis Bands

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154.09 Conservation of Angular Momentum Confirmed: Rotational Deceleration in an Intermediate-Age Star Cluster

Author(s): **Richard de Grijs²**, Xiaohan Wu², Chengyuan Li², Licai Deng¹ *Institution(s)*: ¹. *National Astronomical Observatories, Chinese Academy of Sciences*, ². *Peking University*

154.10 Follow up of stellar migrants from globular clusters using the Hobby-Eberly Telescope

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154.11 Sakurai's Object Continues to Brighten and Expand

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154.12 Sizing Up Southern Red Dwarfs in the Solar Neighborhood

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154.13 Modeling the spatial distribution of fragments formed from tidally disrupted stars

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154.14 Understanding Activity Cycles of Solar Type Stars with Kepler

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154.15 Extension of H-alpha/H-beta Photometry to Additional Luminosity Classes and Emission Line Objects

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154.16 Calibrating the Luminosity of Carbon Stars: An Archival Study of Galaxies in the Nearby Universe

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154.17 Detailed Iron-Group Abundances in a Very Metal-Poor Main Sequence Turnoff Star

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154.18 A Multi-Fiber Spectroscopic Search for Low-mass Young Stars in Orion OB1

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154.19 An Analytical Approach to the Evolution and Death of AGB Stars

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154.20 Investigating the Common Origins of Stars Using Dynamical Modeling Author(s): Elizabeth Gutierrez², Ivan Ramirez¹
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154.21 A near-infrared surface compositional analysis of blue straggler stars in open cluster M67.

Author(s): **Richard Seifert**¹, Natalie M. Gosnell¹, Chris Sneden¹ *Institution(s)*: ¹ *University of Texas at Austin*

154.22 The Evolutionary Status of the Enigmatic Field Star RZ Piscium: A Search for Comoving Companions

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154.23 Neutron-Capture Elements in Low Metallicity Stars within the Inner Galactic Halo

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154.24 A Fast Method to Predict Distributions of Binary Black Hole Masses Based on Gaussian Process Regression

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154.25 Automated Detection of Dwarf Galaxies and Star Clusters in SMASH through the NOAO Data Lab

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154.26 A Novel Approach to Constraining Uncertain Stellar Evolution Models
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154.27 On the Quantification of Incertitude in Astrophysical Simulation Codes
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155 Ground Based Facilities & Instrumentation Poster Session

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155.01 Re-development of the Mount Evans Womble Observatory

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155.02 Instruments at the Lowell Observatory Discovery Channel Telescope (DCT)

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155.03 First Light of the Renovated Thacher Observatory

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155.04 Quality Control of The Miniature Exoplanet Radio Velocity Array(MINERVA)

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155.05 Brown University Radio Student Telescope (BURST)

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155.06 Weizmann Fast Astronomical Survey Telescope (WFAST)

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155.07 Estimating Noise in the Hydrogen Epoch of Reionization Array

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155.08 Spectrographs and Large Telescopes: A Study of Instrumentation

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155.09 Use of the Half-Degree Imager as a Photometric Instrument

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155.10 On-Sky Performance Verification of the CHARIS IFS

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155.11 Photometric Calibration of the Gemini South Adaptive Optics Imager

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155.12 DuOCam: A Two-Channel Camera for Simultaneous Photometric Observations of Stellar Clusters

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155.13 Spectro-spatial reconstruction of Wide Field Imaging Interferometry Testbed (WIIT) data

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155.14 Simulations and Interpretations of BETTII Observations

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155.15 Monitoring Telluric Water Absorption with CAMAL

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155.16 Wide Band Artificial Pulsar

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155.17 Preparing ZEUS-2 for Observing Run at the APEX Telescope

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155.18 Developing a Single-shot Polarimeter for Astronomy with Stessed-engineered Optics

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155.19 Design Considerations for the Installation of an Iodine (I2) Cell onto TRES

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155.20 A dispersed fringe sensor prototype for the Giant Magellan Telescope

Author(s): **Danielle Frostig**¹, Brian A. McLeod¹, Derek Kopon¹ *Institution(s):* ¹. *Harvard Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics*

155.21 Camera Development for the Cherenkov Telescope Array

Author(s): **Roberto Jose Moncada**¹ *Institution(s):* ^{1.} *University of Wisconsin-Madison*

156 Catalogs Poster Session

Wednesday, 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm; Longhorn Exhibit Hall D

156.01 The SUPERBLINK all-sky catalog of 2.8 million stars with proper motions larger than 40 mas/yr, enhanced with data from the first GAIA release

Author(s): Sebastien Lepine¹

Institution(s): 1. Georgia State University

156.02 The Reliability of Galaxy Classifications by Citizen Scientists

Author(s): Lennox Francis², Stefan J. Kautsch², Dmitry Bizyaev¹

Institution(s): 1. Apache Point Observatory, 2. Nova Southeastern University

156.03 Cross-matching within the Chandra Source Catalog

Author(s): **Arnold H. Rots**¹, Douglas J. Burke¹, Francesca Civano¹, Roger Hain¹,

Dan Nguyen¹

Institution(s): 1. Harvard-Smithsonian CfA

156.04 Classifying TDSS Stellar Variables

Author(s): Rachael Christina Amaro², Paul J. Green¹

Institution(s): 1. Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics, 2. University of

Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Contributing team(s): The TDSS Collaboration

157 Societal Matters Poster Session

Wednesday, 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm; Longhorn Exhibit Hall D

157.01 The AAS Working Group on Accessibility and Disability (WGAD): Year 1 Highlights

Author(s): Alicia Aarnio⁴, Jacqueline Monkiewicz¹, Nicholas Arnold Murphy²,

Jason Nordhaus³, Sarah E. Tuttle⁵

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Astrophysics, ^{3.} Rochester Institute of Technology, ^{4.} University of Michigan,

5. University of Texas

157.02 Astronomy Allies

Author(s): Heather Flewelling², Katherine A. Alatalo¹

Institution(s): 1. Carnegie Observatories, 2. University of Hawaii

158 HAD IV: Poster Session

Wednesday, 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm; Longhorn Exhibit Hall D

158.01 This Month in Astronomical History: Preliminary Survey Results

Author(s): Teresa Wilson¹

Institution(s): 1. Michigan Technological University

158.02 Oxford Astronomer John Knight Fotheringham (1874-1936) as Unwitting Godfather of J.R.R. Tolkien's Fictional Luni-solar Holiday "Durin's Day"

Author(s): Kristine Larsen¹

Institution(s): 1. Central Connecticut State University

158.03 Caroline Furness and the Evolution of Visual Variable Star Observing

Author(s): Kristine Larsen¹

Institution(s): 1. Central Connecticut State University

158.04 Changes in Latitude, Changes in Attitude: U.S. Naval Observatory Observations of Solar Eclipses 1869 to the Present

Author(s): Malynda R. Chizek Frouard¹, Linda Towne¹, George H. Kaplan¹

Institution(s): 1. US Naval Observatory

158.05 Instrumentation for Infrared Astronomy in the Collections of the National Air and Space Museum, Smithsonian Institution

Author(s): **David H. DeVorkin**¹
Institution(s): ¹ Smithsonian Inst.

158.06 Airborne Infrared Astronomical Telescopes

Author(s): Edwin F. Erickson¹

Institution(s): 1. NASA Ames Research Center

158.07 Urania in the Marketplace: The Blue Comet (A Railroad's Astronomical Heritage)

Author(s): **Kenneth S. Rumstay¹** *Institution(s):* ¹ *Valdosta State Univ.*

SPS Evening of Undergraduate Science

Wednesday, 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm; Yellow Rose Ballroom

The Society of Physics Students (SPS) sponsors this meeting and invites all undergraduates attending the AAS Meeting. At this meeting students will have an opportunity to display their posters and showcase their research. A noted astronomer will give a short talk on astronomy as a personal endeavor, providing a perspective on the field and the SPS Director will give a short presentation on career tools, resume writing skills, and astronomy trivia. The session provides an opportunity to slow down and savor the field and the accomplishments of one's colleagues.

Organizer(s): Brad Conrad (Society for Physics Students/AIP)

CSMA Meet & Greet

Wednesday, 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm; San Antonio 5

The CSMA Meet & Greet is an informal forum for students and researchers from underrepresented minority groups, and their allies, to meet with each other and AAS leadership (including CSMA members), network, and disseminate information about how to pursue a career in Astronomy and get involved with the AAS. Confirmed Speakers Jorge Moreno (CSMA chair), Adam Burgasser (AAS Council)

Organizer(s): Adam Burgasser (UC San Diego)

Career Networking and Job Fair

Wednesday, 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm; Grapevine C

The AAS Employment Committee invites employers and potential employees to the Career Networking and Job Fair. Learn about the various career services offered at the meeting and by the association, including the Career Center, Job Register, career hours, workshops, and much more. Employers have a special opportunity to sponsor a table at the concurrent Job Fair. This is an open event, but registration is requested. Sign up to sponsor this event at aas.org/meetings/aas229/jobfair.

Organizer(s): AAS Employment Committee (AAS)

LGBTIQA Networking Dinner

Wednesday, 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm; AAS Registration Desk

The AAS Committee for Sexual-Orientation and Gender Minorities in Astronomy (SGMA) works to promote equality for lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, intersex, questioning, and asexual individuals within our profession. Join us for dinner on Wednesday evening, January 4. We'll meet in front of the Meeting Registration Desk at 7:30 and walk to a local restaurant. Please bring a method of payment for this dinner.

Organizer(s): William Dixon (Space Telescope Science Institute)

Science Opportunities with the NASA K2 and TESS Missions

Wednesday, 7:30 pm - 9:00 pm; Texas C

The NASA K2 and TESS missions have many similar science goals and guest observer opportunities. This Town Hall will present summaries of the mission status and science highlights for K2 and mission progress and guest observer plans for TESS. Many of the K2 and TESS project staff will be on hand to answer questions and chat in the informal reception to follow a few brief talks.

Organizer(s): Steve Howell (NASA ARC)

159 LSST Town Hall

Wednesday, 7:30 pm - 9:00 pm; Grapevine A

All US scientists, and a growing list of scientists affiliated with international partners, have the opportunity to contribute now to the development of the LSST observing strategy and to precursor scientific studies. This broad astronomical community will also have equal access to all LSST transient alerts, data products and software. The LSST Town Hall will bring updates to the community on the activities and policies of the LSST Project (Beth Willman), LSST Corporation (Pat Eliason), and LSST Science Collaborations (Lucianne Walkowicz). This town hall will include emphasis on elucidating the complementary missions of these entities, highlighting ways for community members to get involved in LSST now, and soliciting community feedback.

Organizer(s): Suzanne Jacoby (Large Synoptic Survey Telescope)

Film Screening: StarMen

Wednesday, 8:00 pm - 10:00 pm; Grapevine D

Four exceptional astronomers celebrate 50 years of work and friendship on a return road trip in the southwestern United States, recapturing youthful adventures and recounting each other's influences on the most exciting period in astronomy's history. I wanted to go with them because I became enchanted with astronomy as a young girl, at the time they were becoming leaders in their field: Roger the instrument-maker, Donald the theoretician, Nick the visionary, and Wal the observer. Together they represent the most productive period astronomy has ever had. They helped build the world's biggest observatories and made revolutionary discoveries about the evolving universe, discoveries that have the power to change the way humanity sees itself. In old age and facing death, their journey through memory and the breathtaking landscape provokes them to reflect on how their profound work on the universe has reflected back on the individual, affecting their sense of religious faith, how life may have purpose, and what is knowable and unknowable. Filmed in California, Arizona, New Mexico and Utah, the film features POV narration, and draws a character-driven, intimate portrait of friendship as the men travel from the century-old telescope on Mt. Wilson through a progression of larger and more powerful observatories. They pause at the Grand Canyon, and re-take a hike that nearly defeated them when they were young. Alison Rose is a producer, director, and writer whose filmmaking explores how people experience and understand the world – scientifically; ethically. Alison worked at the Canadian Institute for Theoretical Astrophysics for 18 months during the making of this film. Her previous documentaries include Galileo's Sons & Love at the Twilight Motel. STAR MEN is her first cross-platform project.

200 Plenary Talk: The LED Outdoor Lighting Revolution: Opportunities, Threats and Mitigation, Martin Aubé (Cégep de Sherbrook)

Thursday, 8:30 am - 9:20 am; Texas A

Chair: James Lowenthal (Smith College)



200.01 The LED outdoor lighting revolution : Opportunities, threats and mitigation

Author(s): Martin Aube¹

Institution(s): 1. Cegep de Sherbrooke

201 Plenary Session: AAS Prize Presentations: Buchalter Cosmology, Weber, George Van Biesbroeck, Tinsley, LAD Astrophysics Prize, Education

Thursday, 9:20 am - 9:40 am; Texas A

Chair: Christine Jones (Harvard-Smithsonian, CfA)

Citations:

Weber: James J. (Jamie) Bock For his development of low noise "spider web" bolometers that enable a broad range of submillimeter and millimeter observations with ground-based, balloon-based, and space-based instruments, leading to critically important measurements of the cosmic microwave background radiation.

Van B: Richard (Rick) A. Perley For his tireless and unrelenting career-long service to the global astronomical community, and the dedication of his unparalleled expertise in radio interferometry to the design, commissioning, and optimization of the world's premier radio telescope, the Very Large Array.

Tinsley: Andrew Gould For his development of gravitational microlensing as an important tool for the discovery and characterization of exoplanets.

LAD Astrophysics Prize: Peter Beiersdorfer For his numerous contributions to the study of astronomical environments at extreme-ultraviolet and X-ray wavelengths.

Education: Lynn R. Cominsky For her long-standing leadership of the Sonoma State University Education and Public Outreach Group, which has had a broad and significant impact both locally and nationally. Cominsky has done extensive work on teacher training and on public outreach for many high-energy-astrophysics missions, including XMM-Newton, Swift, Fermi, and NuSTAR.

2017 Eclipse of the Sun: Education and Outreach

Thursday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; San Antonio 1

This 90-minute discussion and share-a-thon, organized by members of the AAS Solar Eclipse Task Force, is an opportunity to learn what education and outreach projects other astronomers and institutions are doing in anticipation of the August 2017 eclipse of the Sun, and to share information about your own plans with your peers. Even if you plan to go to the path of totality, you may want to be part of eclipse outreach in the months preceding the event. Tables will be set out for an exchange of handouts or brochures, and panelists will discuss some of the key projects now under discussion or under way. Among these will be: • The AAS NSF small grants program for eclipse outreach programs to underserved communities • Where the work of the AAS Solar Eclipse Task Force (and its committees) stand now and what else needs to be done • NASA's plans for education, outreach, and citizen science • Other planned national citizen science and outreach projects, plus examples of promising local and regional outreach activities • Insights from the Astronomical Society of the Pacific's December meeting on eclipse outreach to inner city and other diverse communities • Projects for bulk distribution of eclipse glasses and safe-viewing information • Tips and resources for setting up your own local eclipse outreach events • Work with the medical and publicsafety communities • Media related projects and materials. If you would like to share information about your education or outreach project through a handout, bring 200 copies with you to the meeting.

Organizer(s): Andrew Fraknoi (Foothill College)

202 Extrasolar Planets: Characterization & Theory II

Thursday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Texas A

Chair: Zdzislaw Musielak (Univ. of Texas, Arlington)

202.01 Cloud and Haze in the Atmospheres of Wide-Separation Exoplanets Author(s): Renyu Hu¹

Institution(s): 1. Jet Propulsion Laboratory

202.02 Formation of Hazes & Clouds on Tidally Locked Hot-Jupiters: Insights from Size Distribution Dynamics

Author(s): **Diana Powell**², Xi Zhang², Peter Gao¹, Vivien Parmentier³
Institution(s): ¹ California Institute of Technology, ² UC Santa Cruz, ³ University of Arizona

202.03 Impact of Sulfur Hazes on the Reflected Light Spectra of Giant Exoplanets

Author(s): **Peter Gao**¹, Mark S. Marley¹, Kevin Zahnle¹, Tyler D. Robinson³, Nikole K. Lewis²

Institution(s): ^{1.} NASA Ames Research Center, ^{2.} Space Telescope Science Institute, ^{3.} University of California, Santa Cruz

202.04D The Exo-Atmosphere of WASP-103b

Author(s): **Kimberly Michelle Star Cartier**¹, Jason Wright¹, Thomas G. Beatty¹ *Institution(s):* ¹. *Pennsylvania State University*

202.05 Probing the Physics and Chemistry in Hot Jupiter Exoclimes for Future Missions

Author(s): **Mahmuda Afrin Badhan**⁴, Ravi Kumar Kopparapu⁴, Shawn Domagal-Goldman¹, Drake Deming⁴, Eric Hébrard³, Patrick GJ Irwin⁵, Natasha Batalha², Avi Mandell¹

Institution(s): ^{1.} NASA Goddard Space Flight Center, ^{2.} Pennsylvania State University, ^{3.} University of Exeter, ^{4.} University of Maryland College Park, ^{5.} University of Oxford

202.06 Through the Looking-Glass: Reflected Light from Other Worlds

Author(s): **Jayne Birkby**¹, Roi Alonso², Sergio Hoyer², Mercedes Lopez-Morales¹ *Institution(s)*: ^{1.} *Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics,* ^{2.} *Instituto de Astrofisica de Canarias*

202.07D Searching for new diagnostics of exoplanet atmospheres

Author(s): **Antonija Oklopcic**¹, Christopher M. Hirata², Kevin Heng³ *Institution(s)*: ¹ California Institute of Technology, ² Ohio State University, ³ University of Bern

203 AGN, QSO, Blazars: Energetics & Physics

Thursday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Texas C

Chair: Nico Cappelluti (Yale University)

203.01 A Radiative Transport Model for Blazars

Author(s): **Tiffany Lewis**¹, Finke Justin², Peter A. Becker¹ *Institution(s):* ^{1.} *George Mason University,* ^{2.} *Naval Research Laboratory*

203.02D Kepler and K2 Light Curves of Active Galaxies: Optical Time Domain Windows into the Central Engine

Author(s): **Krista Lynne Smith**⁴, Richard Mushotzky⁴, Patricia T. Boyd³, Steve B. Howell², Neil Gehrels³, Dawn M. Gelino¹ *Institution(s):* ^{1.} *Caltech,* ^{2.} *NASA ARC,* ^{3.} *NASA GSFC,* ^{4.} *University of Maryland College Park*

203.03D Excitation Mechanisms of Near-Infrared Emission Lines in LINER Galaxies

Author(s): **Anna Boehle**¹
Institution(s): ¹ UCLA

203.04 The Similarity of Luminosity in Quasar Doppelganger Pairs

Author(s): **Michael S. Brotherton²**, Thomas Bernard Rochais², Vikram Singh², William T. Chick², Jaya Maithil², Jessica Sutter², Zhaohui Shang¹ *Institution(s):* ^{1.} *Tianjin Normal University*, ^{2.} *Univ. of Wyoming*

203.05D Probing Feedback with the Thermal Sunyaev-Zel'dovich Effect

Author(s): Devin T Crichton1

Institution(s): 1. Johns Hopkins University

Contributing team(s): Atacama Cosmology Telescope Collaboration

204 Star Formation: Galactic to Extragalactic

Thursday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Texas D

Chair: Anuj Sarma (DePaul Univ.)

204.01 Mapping the High-Dimensional ISM with Kinetic Tomography

Author(s): **Gail Zasowski**², Joshua Eli Goldston Peek², Kirill Tchernyshyov¹ *Institution(s):* ^{1.} *Johns Hopkins University,* ^{2.} *Space Telescope Science Institute*

204.02D Deciphering Galactic Hydrogen with 21-SPONGE

Author(s): **Claire Murray**⁴, Snezana Stanimirovic⁴, Miller Goss¹, Carl E. Heiles², John Miller Dickey³, Robert Lindner⁴, Brian L Babler⁴ *Institution(s)*: ¹ NRAO, ² University of California - Berkeley, ³ University of Tasmania, ⁴ University of Wisconsin - Madison

204.03D Bridging the Gap from Galactic to Extragalactic: Star Formation and Giant Molecular Clouds within the Nearby Spiral Galaxy NGC 300

Author(s): **Christopher Faesi**¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *Harvard Univ.*

204.04D Untangling the magnetic fields in spiral galaxy NGC 6946 with wide-band polarimetry

Author(s): **Anna Williams**², George Heald¹, Eric M. Wilcots², Ellen Gould Zweibel² *Institution(s)*: ¹. CSIRO, ². University of Wisconsin-Madison

204.05D The EDGE--CALIFA Survey: Molecular Gas Depletion Time in Galaxy Centers

Author(s): **Dyas Utomo**², Leo Blitz², Alberto D. Bolatto⁴, Tony H. Wong³, Eve C. Ostriker¹

Institution(s): ^{1.} Princeton University, ^{2.} University of California, Berkeley, ^{3.} University of Illinois, ^{4.} University of Maryland

Contributing team(s): the EDGE--CALIFA collaboration

205 First Galaxies & Early Universe

Thursday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Grapevine A

Chair: Kim-Vy Tran (Texas AandM University)

205.01 The pair and major merger history of galaxies up to z=6 over 3 square degrees

Author(s): **Christopher Conselice**², Carl Mundy², Kenneth Duncan¹ *Institution(s)*: ¹. *Leiden Observatory*, ². *Univ. of Nottingham*

205.02D The formation and evolution of high-redshift dusty galaxies

Author(s): Jingzhe Ma⁷, Anthony H. Gonzalez⁷, Jian Ge⁷, Joaquin D. Vieira⁸, Jason X. Prochaska⁵, Justin Spilker⁶, Maria Strandet³, Matthew Ashby¹, Pasquier Noterdaeme², Britt Lundgren⁹, Yinan Zhao⁷, Tuo Ji⁴, Shaohua Zhang⁴, Paul Caucal²

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Contributing team(s): SPT SMG collaboration

205.03 Physical and observable properties of the first galaxies

Author(s): **John Wise**¹, Kirk Stuart Simeon Barrow¹, Brian W. O'Shea², Michael L. Norman³, Hao Xu³

Institution(s): ^{1.} Georgia Institute of Technology, ^{2.} Michigan State University, ^{3.} UC - San Diego

205.04D High-Redshift Astrophysics Using Every Photon

Author(s): **Patrick Breysse**¹, Ely Kovetz¹, Mubdi Rahman¹, Marc Kamionkowski¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *Johns Hopkins University*

205.05 RELICS: Reionization Lensing Cluster Survey

Author(s): **Dan A. Coe**¹
Institution(s): ¹ STScI

Contributing team(s): RELICS Team

205.06D Magnetizing the Universe during the Epoch of Reionization

Author(s): **Daegene Koh**¹, John Wise¹
Institution(s): ¹ Georgia Institute of Technology

206 Space Missions from Cubesats to LUVOIR

Thursday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Texas 5

Chair: Brendan Crill (Jet Propulsion Laboratory)

206.01D The Behavior of Warm Molecules in Planet-forming Disks and CHESS: a

Pathfinder UV Spectrograph for the LUVOIR Surveyor

Author(s): **Keri Hoadley**¹, Kevin France¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *University of Colorado - Boulder*

206.02 Optics Technologies for LUVOIR & HabEx: Polarization & Mirror Count

Author(s): James B. Breckinridge¹

Institution(s): 1. College of Optical Sciences, University of Arizona

206.03 A new active method to correct for the effects of complex apertures on coronagraph performance

Author(s): **Johan Mazoyer**², Laurent Pueyo², Mamadou N'Diaye², Kevin Fogarty², Marshall D. Perrin², Remi Soummer², Colin Arthur Norman¹ *Institution(s)*: ¹ Johns Hopkins University, ² Space Telescope Science Institute

206.04 Improving HST/WFC3 photometric calibration

Author(s): Susana E. Deustua¹

Institution(s): 1. Space Telescope Science Institute

Contributing team(s): WFC3 Team

206.05 CubeSats for Astrophysics: The Current Perspective

Author(s): **David R. Ardila**³, Evgenya Shkolnik¹, Varoujan Gorjian ² *Institution(s):* ^{1.} *Arizona State University,* ^{2.} *Jet Propulsion Laboratory,* ^{3.} *The Aerospace Corporation*

206.06 The Crisis in Astrophysics and Planetary Science: How Commercial Space and Program Design Principles will let us Escape

Author(s): Martin Elvis1

Institution(s): 1. Harvard-Smithsonian CfA

206.07 Exoplanet mass determination using precision imaging astrometry and coronagraphy

Author(s): **Eduardo Bendek**², Ruslan Belikov², Emily R Finan³, Olivier Guyon³, Eugene Pluzhnik², Stephen Ammons¹

Institution(s): ^{1.} Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory, ^{2.} NASA Ames, ^{3.} University of Arizona

207 Black Holes II

Thursday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Grapevine C

Chair: Maria Dainotti (Stanford University)

207.01 Tidal Disruption Events Across Cosmic Time

Author(s): **Anastasia Fialkov**¹, Abraham Loeb¹

Institution(s): ^{1.} *Harvard*

207.02 What sets the line widths in tidal disruption events?

Author(s): **Nathaniel Roth**², Daniel Kasen¹
Institution(s): ^{1.} Univ. of California, Berkeley, ^{2.} University of Maryland, College Park

207.03 Discovery of transient infrared emission from dust heated by stellar tidal disruption flares

Author(s): **Sjoert Van Velzen**², Julian H. Krolik², Varoujan Gorjian ¹ *Institution(s)*: ^{1.} *JPL*, ^{2.} *The Johns Hopkins University*

207.04 New Results from Chandra on the X-ray Emission from the Massive Black Hole in the Compact Starburst Galaxy Henize 2-10

Author(s): **Amy E. Reines**², Mark Reynolds⁵, Jon M. Miller⁵, Gregory R. Sivakoff⁴, Jenny E. Greene³, Ryan C. Hickox¹, Kelsey E. Johnson⁶ *Institution(s):* ¹. Dartmouth, ². NOAO, ³. Princeton University, ⁴. University of Alberta, ⁵. University of Michigan, ⁶. University of Virginia

207.05 NuSTAR Discovery of a Possible Black Hole HMXB and Cygnus X-1 Progenitor Author(s): Jonathan E. Grindlay², Charles James Hailey¹, Shuo Zhang¹, Kaya Mori¹, Sebastian Gomez², Jaesub Hong², John Tomsick³

Institution(s): ^{1.} Columbia University, ^{2.} Harvard-Smithsonian, CfA, ^{3.} University of California

207.06D Spectral-Timing to Probe Strong Gravity in X-ray Binaries

Author(s): **Abigail Stevens**¹, Phil Uttley¹ *Institution(s):* ¹. *Anton Pannekoek Institute*

207.07 Finding Free-Floating Black Holes using Astrometric Microlensing

Author(s): **Jessica R. Lu**¹, Eran Oded Ofek⁴, Evan Sinukoff², Andrzej Udalski³, Szymon Kozlowski³

Institution(s): ^{1.} UC Berkeley, ^{2.} University of Hawaii, ^{3.} Warsaw University Observatory, ^{4.} Weizmann Institute

207.08 Improved Constraints to the Local Supermassive Black Hole Occupation Fraction

Author(s): Jianfeng Wu², Elena Gallo², Brendan P. Miller¹

Institution(s): ^{1.} College of St. Scholastica, ^{2.} University of Michigan

208 HEAD II: The Physics of the Perseus Cluster, and Other Highlights, From Hitomi

Thursday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Grapevine D

Before the tragic loss of the spacecraft, the Soft X-ray Spectrometer on the Hitomi/ Astro-H observatory observed the Perseus cluster of galaxies, producing X-ray spectral data with unprecedented spectral resolution. This session reviews the scientific impact of these transformation data on our understanding of cluster physics and the central active galaxy. We end with a discussion of Hitomi observations of the three other objects for which Hitomi data were obtained, the Crab Nebula, G21.5 and N132D

Chair: Christopher Reynolds (Univ. of Maryland)

208.01 Hitomi measurements of the dynamics of the intracluster medium in the Perseus Cluster

Author(s): Andrew C Fabian1

Institution(s): 1. University of Cambridge Contributing team(s): Hitomi Collaboration

208.02 Hitomi results on the Perseus cluster thermodynamics, elemental abundances, and emission processes

Author(s): Maxim L. Markevitch1

Institution(s): 1. NASA GSFC

Contributing team(s): Hitomi collaboration

208.03 Hitomi Results -NGC 1275: The Origin of Fe-Kα Line

Author(s): Richard Mushotzky1

Institution(s): 1. University of Maryland Contributing team(s): Hitomi Collaboration

208.04 Highlights from Hitomi observations of non-Perseus targets

Author(s): **Hiroya Yamaguchi**⁴, Aya Bamba⁷, Manabu Ishida³, Satoru Katsuda¹, John Patrick Hughes⁵, Greg Madejski⁶, Yasushi Fukazawa² *Institution(s):* ^{1.} *Chuo University,* ^{2.} *Hiroshima University,* ^{3.} *JAXA/ISAS,* ^{4.} *NASA/GSFC,* ^{5.} *Rutgers University,* ^{6.} *Stanford University,* ^{7.} *The University of Tokyo* Contributing team(s): Hitomi Collaboration

209 Making Great Observatories Even Better: Hubble's Hand in Studying the Multi-Wavelength Universe

Thursday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Texas 1

Hubble has a long history of encouraging and facilitating multi-wavelength science through its joint observing programs. Since Cycle 9 of HST in the year 2000, scientists thinking about multi-wavelength projects with Hubble have been able to propose for

an expanding list of facilities that now spans the Chandra X-ray Observatory, NOAO telescopes, Spitzer, XMM-Newton, and NRAO telescopes. This science is often more than the sum of its parts, and enables time-domain and synergistic astrophysics studies not possible with the traditional double-jeopardy approach to arranging observing campaigns. Almost 4000 HST orbits in about 350 joint observing programs have been awarded since the inception of the joint observing program framework, equivalent to more than a year's worth of Hubble observations. The purpose of this special session is to describe some of the important science results which have been enabled through the joint observing programs, and look ahead to enabling science from additional joint programs. The invited speaker list consists of astronomers who have authored papers resulting from data obtained through joint observing programs, and will highlight the breadth of science enabled from these several joint programs. We propose for a poster session to accompany the oral session, for additional contributions by the science community.

Chair: Rachel Osten (Space Telescope Science Institute)

209.01 Coordinated UV and X-ray Observations of AGN Outflows

Author(s): **Gerard A. Kriss¹** *Institution(s):* ^{1.} *STScI*

209.02 Leo P: A very low-mass, extremely metal-poor, star-forming galaxy

Author(s): **Kristen B. McQuinn¹** *Institution(s):* ¹ *University of Texas*Contributing team(s): Leo P team

209.03 High Resolution Studies of Mass Loss from Massive Binary Stars

Author(s): **Michael F. Corcoran**⁷, Theodore R. Gull², Kenji Hamaguchi⁴, Noel Richardson⁶, Thomas Madura³, Christopher Michael Post Russell², Mairan Teodoro⁷, Joy S. Nichols¹, Anthony F. J. Moffat⁵, Tomer Shenar⁵, Herbert Pablo⁵ *Institution(s)*: ^{1.} CfA, ^{2.} NASA/GSFC, ^{3.} San Jose State University, ^{4.} UMBC, ^{5.} University of Montreal, ^{6.} University of Toledo, ^{7.} USRA

209.04 Multi-wavelength Characterization of Exoplanet Host Stars with the MUSCLES Treasury Survey

Author(s): **Kevin France**², Allison Youngblood², R. O. Parke Loyd², Christian Schneider¹

Institution(s): 1. ESA, 2. Univ of Colorado

209.05 Extrasolar Storms: Mapping Cloud Cover Evolution with Joint HST-Spitzer Observations

Author(s): Daniel Apai¹

Institution(s): 1. University of Arizona

Contributing team(s): Extrasolar Storms Team

209.06 Multi-Wavelength Spectroscopy of Super-Earth Atmospheres

Author(s): **Diana Dragomir**², Björn Benneke¹, Ian Crossfield³, Joshua Lothringer⁴, Heather Knutson¹

Institution(s): 1. Caltech, 2. MIT, 3. UC Santa Cruz, 4. University of Arizona

209.07 HST, ALMA, and revealing the throes of planet formation

Author(s): Aaron C. Boley¹

Institution(s): 1. The University of British Columbia

210 The Presidential Transition: What Can We Expect?

Thursday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Grapevine B

A new president has been elected and the incoming administration is currently preparing to take charge. How does this transition process impact federal support of science, especially at NASA, NSF, and DOE? Policy experts will discuss the process of a presidential transition, with a particular emphasis on federal support of science.

Chair: Joel Bregman (Univ. of Michigan)

211 The Value of Astronomical Data & Long Term Preservation

Thursday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Texas 3

As more sky surveys collect large amounts of data, we automatically assume that all the data will be accessible, preserved and curated for eternity. However, as more data is accumulating, we will have to face some hard tradeoffs what to keep and what to discard, and how much to invest in long-term preservation. As these issues are becoming more and more acute, it is time to have a public discussion about how to make these difficult choices and how to create a sustainable data preservation strategy for the US Astronomy community. The session would feature five speakers and would have an extended open discussion.

Chair: Alexander Szalay (Johns Hopkins Univ.)

211.01 The long term future of astronomical archives

Author: Alex Szalay

211.02 Curating and Archiving LSST Data Products

Author: Beth Wilman

211.03 NASA Astronomy Archives: Enabling Science Now and in the Future

Author: Lisa J. Storrie-Lombardi

211.04 Policy and Practice for Data Preservation at NIST

Author: Robert J. Hanisch

211.05 The PanSTARRS Public Data Archive: A Case Study in Data Preservation

Author: Marc Postman

212 Young Stellar Objects, Very Young Stars, T-Tauri Stars, H-H Objects

Thursday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Texas 4
Chair: James De Buizer (SOFIA/USRA)

212.01 Assessing Magnetospheric Accretion in Herbig Ae/Be Stars

Author(s): **Alicia Aarnio**¹, John D. Monnier¹ *Institution(s)*: ¹. *University of Michigan*

212.02 A WISE Study of Star Formation in Canis Major and Target Selection for JWST

Author(s): **William J. Fischer²**, Deborah Padgett², Karl R. Stapelfeldt¹, Marta M. Sewilo²

Institution(s): 1. JPL, 2. NASA Goddard Space Flight Center

212.03D Searching for the bottom of the IMF

Author(s): **Taran Esplin**¹, Kevin Luhman¹ *Institution(s):* ¹. *Pennsylvania State University*

212.04 A Newly Discovered Source with Peculiar Chemistry Near the HH 111/HH 121 Protostellar System

Author(s): **Jennifer J. Wiseman²**, Marta M. Sewilo², Remy Indebetouw³, Johan Lindberg², Steven B. Charnley², Jaime E. Pineda¹ *Institution(s): ^{1.} Max Planck Institute for Extraterrestrial Physics, ^{2.} NASA / GSFC, ^{3.} University of Virginia*

212.05 A Triple Protostar System in L1448 IRS3B Formed via Fragmentation of a Gravitationally Unstable Disk

Author(s): **John J. Tobin**⁹, Kaitlin M. Kratter⁷, Magnus Persson¹, Leslie Looney⁸, Michael Dunham⁵, Dominique Segura-Cox⁸, Zhi-Yun Li¹⁰, Claire J. Chandler⁴, Sarah Sadavoy², Robert J. Harris⁸, Carl Melis⁶, Laura M. Perez³ Institution(s): ^{1.} Chalmers University of Technology, Onsala Space Observatory, ^{2.} Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics, ^{3.} Max Planck Institute for Radio Astronomy, ^{4.} National Radio Astronomy Observatory, ^{5.} SUNY - Fredonia, ^{6.} UC San Diego, ^{7.} University of Arizona, ^{8.} University of Illinois, ^{9.} University of Oklahoma, ^{10.} University of Virginia

212.06DHST 1.6µm Imaging Survey of Orion Protostars

Author(s): **Joseph J. Booker**⁹, S. Thomas Megeath⁹, William J. Fischer¹, Marina Kounkel⁶, Charles A. Poteet³, Elise Furlan², Amelia Marie Stutz⁵, Manoj Puravankara⁴, John J. Tobin⁷, Zsofia Nagy⁹, Dan M. Watson⁸ Institution(s): ^{1.} Goddard Space Flight Center, ^{2.} IPAC, ^{3.} Space Telescope Institute, ^{4.} Tata Institute of Fundamental Research, ^{5.} Universidad de Concepcón, ^{6.} University of Michigan, ^{7.} University of Oklahoma, ^{8.} University of Rochester, ^{9.} University of Toledo
Contributing team(s): Herschel Orion Protostar Survey

213 Innovations in Astronomy Teaching & Learning

Thursday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Grapevine 1

The field of Astronomy Education Research is a quickly advancing area of study that gives insights into the teaching and learning of astronomy. Presenters in this special session will discuss the results of research on a variety of recent innovations in astronomy education for college-level instruction and lifelong learning. Topics will include innovations in Pedagogy, Assessment, and Curricular materials for face-to-face, and online college-level instruction as well as MOOCs (Massive Open Online Courses).

Chair: Chris Impey (Univ. of Arizona)

213.01 Results of Studying Astronomy Students' Science Literacy, Quantitative Literacy, and Information Literacy

Author(s): **Sanlyn Buxner**⁴, Chris David Impey⁴, Katherine B. Follette³, Erin F. Dokter⁴, Don McCarthy⁴, Beau Vezino⁴, Martin Formanek⁴, James M Romine¹, Laci Brock⁴, Megan Neiberding², Edward E. Prather⁴

Institution(s): ^{1.} Independent, ^{2.} NOAO, ^{3.} Stanford University, ^{4.} University of Arizona

213.02 A Preliminary Analysis of College Students' Preinstructional Ideas About Planet Formation

Author(s): **Molly Simon**¹, Chris David Impey¹, Sanlyn Buxner¹ *Institution(s):* ¹. *University of Arizona*

213.03 Using pedagogical discipline representations (PDRs) to enable Astro 101 students to reason about modern astrophysics

Author(s): **Colin Scott Wallace**⁴, Edward E. Prather¹, Timothy G. Chambers³, Julia R. Kamenetzky⁵, Seth D. Hornstein²

Institution(s): 1. University of Arizona, 2. University of Colorado Boulder,

^{3.} University of Michigan, ^{4.} University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill,

^{5.} Westminster College

Panel Discussion and Audience Q&A

213.04 Astronomy for Astronomical Numbers with Massive Open Online Classes Author(s): Chris David Impey¹, Matthew Wenger¹, Sanlyn Buxner¹, Martin Formanek¹

Institution(s): 1. Univ. of Arizona

213.05 Research on Peer Grading in an Astronomy Massive Open Online Course
Author(s): Martin Formanek¹, Chris David Impey¹, Matthew Wenger¹, Tenzin
Sonam¹, Sanlyn Buxner¹
Institution(s): ¹ University of Arizona

213.06 Studying Student Motivations in an Astronomy Massive Open Online Class
Author(s): Matthew Wenger¹, Chris David Impey¹, Sanlyn Buxner¹, Martin
Formanek¹

Institution(s): ¹ University of Arizona Panel Discussion and Audience Q&A

214 Galaxies at High Redshift

Thursday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Grapevine 2

Chair: Rachael Livermore (University of Texas at Austin)

214.01D The diversity of evolutionary pathways of compact elliptical galaxies in cosmological simulations

Author(s): Sarah Wellons¹

Institution(s): 1. Harvard University

214.02 What drives the kinematic evolution of star-forming galaxies?

Author(s): **Chao-Ling Hung³**, Christopher C. Hayward², Tiantian Yuan¹ *Institution(s):* ^{1.} *Australian National University,* ^{2.} *Center for Computational Astronomy,* ^{3.} *University of Texas at Austin*

214.03D Star formation history and chemical enrichment in the early Universe: clues from the rest-optical and rest-UV spectra of z~2-3 star-forming galaxies in the Keck Baryonic Structure Survey

Author(s): **Allison L. Strom**¹
Institution(s): ¹ Caltech

214.04 Fast-Timescale Star Formation at z ~ 1 Revealed by H alpha

Author(s): **Peter Kurczynski**³, Eric J. Gawiser³, Viviana Acquaviva², Marc Rafelski⁴, Harry I. Teplitz¹

Institution(s): ^{1.} Infrared Processing and Analysis Center, MS 100-22, CalTech, ^{2.} New York City College of Technology, ^{3.} Rutgers University, ^{4.} Space Telescope Science Institute

Contributing team(s): UVUDF Team, CANDELS Team

214.05 The Evolution of Massive Morphological Spheroid and Disk Galaxies in CANDELS from 11 to 6 Billion Years Ago

Author(s): **Daniel H. McIntosh**¹

Institution(s): ¹ University of Missouri-Kansas City Contributing team(s): CANDELS Collaboration

214.06 The ZINGRS Radio Survey: Probing metallicities at high-z with far-IR finestructure lines and the radio continuum

Author(s): **Carl Ferkinhoff**⁴, Sarah Higdon², James L. Higdon², Hannah Tidwell², Miguel Rangel², Amit Vishwas¹, Thomas Nikola¹, Gordon J. Stacey¹, Drew Brishin³

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215 Cataclysmic Variables, Novae, & Symbiotic Stars

Thursday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Fort Worth 6

Chair: Eric Schlegel (Univ. of Texas, San Antonio)

215.01 Mind the Gap when Data Mining the Ritter-Kolb Cataclysmic Variable Catalogue

Author(s): **Warren M. Sparks**¹, Edward M. Sion² *Institution(s):* ^{1.} *formerly LANL,* ^{2.} *Villanova University*

215.02 The Disk Instability Model for SU UMa systems - a Comparison of the Thermal-Tidal Model and Plain Vanilla Model

Author(s): John K. Cannizzo1

Institution(s): 1. NASA/GSFC/CRESST/UMBC

215.03D Radio Observations as a Tool to Investigate Shocks and Asymmetries in Accreting White Dwarf Binaries

Author(s): Jennifer Helen Seng Weston¹

Institution(s): 1. Columbia University

Contributing team(s): The E-Nova Project

215.04 SOFIA/FORCAST Observations of the Symbiotic Mira, R Aquarii

Author(s): Ravi Sankrit⁴, Eric B. Omelian³, L. Andrew Helton⁴, Uma Gorti², R.

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215.05 New Results on RZ Leo and CC Scl

Author(s): **Paula Szkody**¹, Anjum S. Mukadam¹, Boris T Gaensicke², Odette Toloza², Zhibin Dai³

Institution(s): ¹ Univ. of Washington, ² University of Warwick, ³ Yunnan Observatories

Contributing team(s): HST GO12870 team

215.06 The luminous red nova M101-OT2015-1: a candidate for common envelope ejection

Author(s): **Nadejda Blagorodnova**¹, Mansi M. Kasliwal¹, Rubina Kotak² *Institution(s):* ¹. *Caltech*, ². *Queens University Belfast*

215.07 The Peculiar Evolution of V1535 Sco

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216 The Galactic Disk, Galactic Bulge, & Galactic Center

Thursday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Dallas 6

Chair: Robyn Sanderson (Columbia University)

216.01 Chemical Cartography in the Milky Way with SDSS/APOGEE: Multi-element abundances and abundance ratio variations

Author(s): **Jon A. Holtzman**¹, Sten Hasselquist¹, Jennifer Johnson², Jonathan C. Bird⁴, Steven R. Majewski³

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Contributing team(s): SDSS/APOGEE team

216.02 On the Radial Abundance Gradients of Europium and Oxygen of Stars Inside the Disk of a Simulated Milky Way

Author(s): **Krystal Ruiz-Rocha**¹, Gabriela Montes¹, Enrico Ramirez-Ruiz¹ *Institution(s):* ¹. *University of California, Santa Cruz*

216.03 Multiple stellar populations and the origin of the double red clump in the Milky Way bulge

Author(s): **Young-Wook Lee**¹
Institution(s): ¹ Yonsei University

216.04 Can Star-Disk Collisions Explain the Missing Red Giants Problem in the Galactic Center?

Author(s): **Tamara Bogdanovic**¹, Thomas Kieffer¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *Georgia Institute of Technology*

216.05D The Mysterious Galactic Center Radio Source N3

Author(s): **Dominic Ludovici**⁵, Cornelia C. Lang⁵, Mark Morris⁴, Robert Lucien Mutel⁵, Elisabeth A.C. Mills¹, James E Toomey³, Juergen Ott² *Institution(s):* ^{1.} *Jan Jose State University,* ^{2.} *NRAO,* ^{3.} *United States Coast Guard Academy,* ^{4.} *University of California,* ^{5.} *University of Iowa*

216.06 High Resolution Surveys of the Water and Methanol Star Formation Masers in the Central Molecular Zone

Author(s): **Matthew Rickert**⁴, Farhad Yusef-Zadeh⁴, Juergen Ott², David S. Meier³, Nico Krieger¹

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Contributing team(s): SWAG

216.07 Modelling the thermal X-ray emission around the Galactic center from colliding Wolf-Rayet winds

Author(s): **Christopher Michael Post Russell**¹, Q. Daniel Wang³, Jorge Cuadra² Institution(s): ¹ NASA/GSFC, ² Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile, ³ University of Massachusetts Amherst

216.08 Probing the Southern Fermi Bubble in Ultraviolet Absorption

Author(s): **Md. Tanveer Karim**³, Andrew Fox², Edward B. Jenkins¹ *Institution(s):* ^{1.} *Princeton University Observatory,* ^{2.} *Space Telescope Science Institute,* ^{3.} *University of Rochester*

Education and Public Outreach Event, Student Welcome

Thursday, 11:40 am - 12:10 pm; Grapevine C

217 Plenary Talk: What We Don't Know about the Beginning of the Universe, Sean Carroll (Caltech)

Thursday, 11:40 am - 12:30 pm; Texas A

Chair: Jack Burns (Univ. of Colorado at Boulder)



217.01 What We Don't Know about the Beginning of the Universe Author(s): Sean Carroll¹

Institution(s): 1. Caltech

Career Hour 2: Interviewing: What you Need to Do Before, During, and After to Get the Job

Thursday, 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm; San Antonio 1

Find out what you need to know and do to get the job from the first moment of contact to the moment you leave the interview.

Organizer(s): AAS Employment Committee (AAS)

New Methods for Teaching in the Flipped Classroom

Thursday, 12:30 pm - 2:00 pm; Dallas 1

Been thinking about flipping your class? So have we! Working with a national collaboration of astronomy educators we have developed a suite of active learning materials that can be used during the freed-up class time the flipped classroom offers. Come engage in a fun and supportive environment designed to help you successfully motivate students to participate, facilitate student learning groups, assess student learning, and manage time in the flipped classroom. Participants will come away with instructional materials and assessment strategies ready for immediate classroom use. Presenters will be Edward Prather and Gina Brissenden (Center for Astronomy Education, Steward Observatory, Univ. of Arizona), who encourage you to bring your lunch! This workshop is based upon work supported by NASA under award number NNX16AC65A. Any opinions, findings, and conclusions or recommendations expressed in this material are those of the author(s) and do not necessarily reflect the views of the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

Organizer(s): Gina Brissenden (Center for Astronomy Education (CAE), Steward Observatory, Univ. of Arizona)

218 NASA Town Hall

Thursday, 12:45 pm - 1:45 pm; Texas C

Senior representatives from NASA's Science Mission Directorate and Astrophysics Division will discuss NASA's science program and outlook. Topics will include the

status of the research program, highlights of operating missions, NASA's progress in implementing the 2010 Decadal Survey and planning for the 2020 Decadal Survey, progress of missions in development, and anticipated opportunities for both non-flight basic research awards (grants) and flight mission investigations.

Organizer(s): Linda Sparke (NASA Headquarters)

Annual meeting of the USVOA

Thursday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Appaloosa 1

The USVOA (US Virtual Observatory Alliance) is a forum for collaboration in the US in the area of data and interoperability standards for astronomy. This collaboration represents the US community in the International Virtual Observatory Alliance, the world-wide collaboration times at developing and establishing these standards. The annual meeting will discuss progress and issues in this areas, and also in the area of astronomy user tools enabled by these standards.

Organizer(s): Giuseppina Fabbiano (Harvard-Smithsonian, CfA)

219 Extrasolar Planets: Characterization & Theory III

Thursday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Texas A

Chair: Jayne Birkby (Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics)

- 219.01 Orbital Architectures of Planet-Hosting Binaries: Testing Co-alignment
 Author(s): Trent J. Dupuy³, Adam L. Kraus³, Kaitlin M. Kratter², Lisa A. Prato¹
 Institution(s): ¹. Lowell Observatory, ². Steward Observatory, ³. University of Texas
 at Austin
- 219.02 Exploring the optical contrast effect in strong atomic lines for exoplanets transiting active stars

Author(s): **Paul W. Cauley**¹, Seth Redfield¹ *Institution(s):* ¹. *Wesleyan University*

219.03 Characterizing K2 Planetary Systems Orbiting Cool Dwarfs

Author(s): **Courtney D. Dressing**¹, Elisabeth R. Newton³, Joshua Schlieder⁴, Andrew Vanderburg², David Charbonneau², Heather Knutson¹ *Institution(s)*: ¹ California Institute of Technology, ² Harvard University, ³ Massachusetts Institute of Technology, ⁴ NASA Exoplanet Science Institute Contributing team(s): K2C2

219.04 Confirming Variability in the Secondary Eclipse Depth of the Rocky Super-Earth 55 Cancri e

Author(s): **Patrick Tamburo**², Avi Mandell¹, Drake Deming², Emily Garhart² *Institution(s)*: ¹. NASA GSFC, ². University of Maryland

219.05 The Ruinous Influence of Close Binary Companions on Planetary Systems
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Trent J. Dupuy²
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Austin, ^{3.} University of Sydney

219.06 Assessing the Effect of Stellar Companions to Kepler Objects of Interest

Author(s): **Lea Hirsch**², David R. Ciardi¹, Andrew Howard¹ *Institution(s)*: ¹. *Caltech*, ². *UC Berkeley*

219.07D Hubble Case Studies of Transiting Giant Exoplanets

Author(s): **Ashlee N. Wilkins**⁷, Drake Deming⁷, Adrian Barker⁶, Björn Benneke¹, Laetitia Delrez⁵, Michaël Gillon⁵, Douglas P. Hamilton⁷, Emmanuel Jehin⁵, Heather Knutson¹, Nikole K. Lewis⁴, Nikku Madhusudhan², Avi Mandell³, Peter R. McCullough⁴, Hannah R Wakeford³

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219.08 Bayesian Inference of Giant Exoplanet Physics

Author(s): **Daniel Thorngren**¹, Jonathan J Fortney¹ *Institution(s):* ¹. *UCSC*

220 AGN, QSO, Blazars: High Redshift

Thursday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Texas C

Chair: Steven B. Kraemer (Catholic University of America)

220.01D Quasars at Cosmic Dawn: Discoveries and Probes of the Early Universe

Author(s): **Feige Wang²**, Xue-Bing Wu², Xiaohui Fan³, Jinyi Yang², Fuyan Bian¹, Ian D. McGreer³, Richard F. Green³, Qian Yang², Linhua Jiang², Ran Wang² Institution(s): ^{1.} Australian National University, ^{2.} Peking University, ^{3.} University of Arizona

Contributing team(s): DECaLS team, UHS team

220.02D Surveys of Luminous Quasars in the Post-reionization Universe at z=5-6

Author(s): **Jinyi Yang**², Xue-Bing Wu², Xiaohui Fan³, Feige Wang², Ian D. McGreer³, Fuyan Bian¹, Richard F. Green³, Qian Yang², Linhua Jiang², Ran Wang², Weimin Yi⁴

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Contributing team(s): UHS team

220.03D The z~4 Quasar Luminosity Function: Implications for supermassive black hole growth, reionization, and future time domain surveys

Author(s): **Yusra AlSayyad**¹, Andrew J. Connolly³, Ian D. McGreer², Zeljko Ivezic³, Xiaohui Fan²

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Contributing team(s): LSST Data Management

220.04D The High-Redshift Clustering of Photometrically Selected Quasars

Author(s): **John Timlin**¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *Drexel University*

220.05 New High-z Fermi BL Lacs with the Photometric Dropout Technique

Author(s): **A. Kaur¹**, Arne Rau², Marco Ajello¹, Dieter Hartmann¹, Vaidehi Paliya¹, Jan Bolmer², Jochen Greiner², Patricia Schady² *Institution(s):* ¹ Clemson University, ² MPE

221 Star Associations, Star Clusters - Galactic & Extragalactic II

Thursday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Texas D

Chair: Peter Frinchaboy (Texas Christian Univ. (TCU))

221.01D NLTE Effects in Globular Cluster Integrated Light Spectra and Photometric Colors

Author(s): **Mitchell Young**¹, C. Ian Short¹
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221.02 The Evolutionary Population Synthesis Model for Helium-Enhanced Stellar Populations

Author(s): **Chul Chung¹**, Suk-Jin Yoon², Young-Wook Lee² *Institution(s): ¹. Center for Galaxy Evolution Research, ². Department of Astronomy, Yonsei University*

221.03 Two Groups of Red Giants with Distinct Chemical Abundances in the Bulge Globular Cluster NGC 6553 Through the Eyes of APOGEE

Author(s): **Baitian Tang**⁶, Roger Cohen⁶, Douglas Geisler⁶, Ricardo P. Schiavon³, Steven R. Majewski¹, Sandro Villanova⁶, Ricardo Carrera², Olga Zamora², D Garcia-Hernandez², Matthew D. Shetrone⁷, Peter M. Frinchaboy⁴, Jose Gregorio Fernandez Trincado⁵

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221.04 RR Lyrae stars as a tracer of multiple stellar populations in globular clusters Author(s): Sohee Jang¹, Young-Wook Lee¹ Institution(s): ^{1.} Yonsei Univ.

221.05 The Multiple Generations and Populations of the Massive Globular Cluster NGC 6273 (M 19)

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221.06 The High-mass Truncation of the Star Cluster Mass Function: Limits on Massive Cluster Formation

Author(s): L. C. Johnson¹

Institution(s): 1. University of California, San Diego

Contributing team(s): PHAT Team

222 Starburst Galaxies Near & Far

Thursday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Grapevine A

Chair: Michael N. Fanelli (NASA Ames Research Center)

222.01D Characterizing Lyman Alpha Scattering in Nearby Galaxies

Author(s): **Joanna Bridge**¹, Matthew Hayes², Jens Melinder², Göran Östlin², Caryl Gronwall¹

Institution(s): 1. Pennsylvania State University, 2. Stockholm University

222.02 Green Peas emit X-rays: Extreme Star Formation in Early Universe Analog Galaxies

Author(s): **Matthew Brorby**¹, Philip Kaaret¹ *Institution(s):* ¹. *University of Iowa*

222.03 The Dense Molecular Gas and Nuclear Activity in the Local ULIRG IRAS 13120-5453

Author(s): **George C. Privon**⁶, Susanne Aalto², Niklas Falstad², Sebastien Muller², Eduardo González-Alfonso⁸, Kazimierz Sliwa⁴, Ezequiel Treister⁶, Francesco Costagliola², Lee Armus⁷, Aaron S. Evans¹⁰, Santiago Garcia-Burillo⁵, Takuma Izumi⁹, Kazushi Sakamoto¹, Paul van der Werf³ Institution(s): ¹ Academia Sinica, ² Chalmers University of Technology, ³ Leiden University, ⁴ Max Planck Institute for Astronomy, ⁵ Observatorio de Madrid, ⁶ Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile, ⁷ SSC/Caltech, ⁸ Universidad de Alcalá, ⁹ University of Tokyo, ¹⁰ University of Virginia

222.04 Scaling Relations of Galactic Winds with Star Formation Rate

Author(s): Ryan Tanner¹, Gerald Cecil², Fabian Heitsch²
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222.05D Simulating Galactic Winds on Supercomputers

Author(s): **Evan Schneider**¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *University of Arizona*

222.06 Photometric Redshifts for High Resolution Radio Galaxies in the SuperCLASS

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Centre for Astrophysics, University of Manchester,
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Contributing team(s): SuperCLASS Team

222.07 Probing the Circumgalactic Medium of Submillimeter Galaxies with QSO Absorption Line Spectroscopy

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223 Surveys & Data - From the Ground

Thursday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Grapevine B

Chair: Namir Kassim (NRL)

223.01 The Dynamic Infrared Sky

Author(s): Mansi M. Kasliwal¹

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Contributing team(s): SPIRITS (Spitzer InfraRed Intensive Transients Survey)

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223.02 Guard Earth, but Monitor the Universe: ATLAS and the Variable Sky

Author(s): **Aren Heinze**¹, John Tonry¹, Larry Denneau¹, Brian Stalder¹, Andrei Sherstyuk¹, Armin Rest², Ken Smith², Steven Smartt²

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223.03 The Pan-STARRS1 Survey Data Release

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Contributing team(s): Pan-STARRS Team

223.04D Late-Time Follow-up of ASAS-SN Tidal Disruption Events

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Contributing team(s): The ASAS-SN Team

223.05 Selected First Results from the 7 Ms Chandra Deep Field-South Survey

Author(s): W. Niel Brandt¹

Institution(s): 1. Penn State Univ.

Contributing team(s): Chandra Deep Field-South Team

223.06 A Numerical Study on the Streams of Star Debris after Tidal Disruption

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Institution(s): 1. University of California Santa Cruz

224 Large Scale Structure, Cosmic Distance Scale

Thursday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Grapevine C

Chair: Mehmet Alpaslan (NASA Ames Research Centre)

224.01 Where does cosmic far-infrared background come from? Interpreting the

Planck and Herschel results using physical and empirical models

Author(s): Hao-Yi Wu1, Olivier Doré1

Institution(s): 1. California Institute of Technology.

224.02D Methods for accurate analysis of galaxy clustering on non-linear scales

Author(s): Mohammadjavad Vakili¹

Institution(s): 1. New York University

224.03 Redshift-Independent Distances in the NASA/IPAC Extragalactic Database Surpass 166,000 Estimates for 77,000 Galaxies

Author(s): lan Steer¹
Institution(s): 1. NED

224.04D Galaxy-galaxy and galaxy-CMB Lensing with SDSS-III BOSS galaxies

Author(s): **Sukhdeep Singh**¹, Rachel Mandelbaum¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *Carnegie Mellon University*

224.05 Efficient Cosmological Perturbation Theory with FAST-PT

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225 Extremes of Time Domain Astrophysics: Stellar Mergers to Black Hole Outbursts

Thursday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Grapevine D

Time Domain Astrophysics (TDA) covers an enormous landscape of timescales and energies: from stellar birth to death; and from mergers of stars, to stellar mass black holes, to supermassive black hole mergers -- to list but a few. We propose a Special Session to to focus on the extremes of TDA phenomena, with duration timescales from months to milliseconds and currently observed (or inferred) rates (if recurrent) of <~10^-2 -- >~10^+3 per year. The Session will deal not only with extreme phenomena, but the current and planned surveys and analysis methods to study them. Both observation and analysis techniques will be paramount to the session organization. An accompanying Poster session will be solicited. This session is also designed to promote the newly formed (2014) Working Group on Time Domain Astronomy (WGTDA) and enlist new members to work in and promote this now major field of Astronomy/Astrophysics as well as to consider its future needs and plans for the coming 2020 Decadal Survey.

Chair: Stanislav Djorgovski (Caltech)

225.01 Stellar Mergers and Common Envelope Episodes in the Transient Night Sky

Author(s): Morgan MacLeod1

Institution(s): 1. Institute for Advanced Study

225.02 Fast Radio Bursts

Author(s): **Victoria M. Kaspi**¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *McGill Univ.*

225.03 Changing Look Quasars

Author(s): **Paul J. Green²**, Chelsea MacLeod², Scott F. Anderson⁵, Michael Eracleous³, John J. Ruan⁵, Jessie C. Runnoe⁴, Matthew J. Graham¹
Institution(s): ^{1.} California Institute of Technology, ^{2.} Harvard-Smithsonian CfA, ^{3.} Penn State University, ^{4.} University of Michigan, ^{5.} University of Washington

225.04 Exciting Developments in Tidal Disruption Event Observations

Author(s): Suvi Gezari1

Institution(s): 1. University of Maryland

225.05 Electromagnetic Counterparts to Gravitational Waves

Author(s): Mansi M. Kasliwal¹

Institution(s): 1. Caltech

Contributing team(s): GROWTH collaboration, iPTF/ZTF collaboration

225.06 Harvesting Extremes of Time Domain Astrophysics in the 2020s and Beyond

Author(s): Jonathan E. Grindlay¹

Institution(s): 1. Harvard-Smithsonian, CfA

226 Science with the Hyper Suprime-Cam (HSC) Survey

Thursday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Texas 1

This goal of this session, including both talks and poster contributions, is to present a selection of initial science results from the first year of the HSC survey, including exciting results in the fields of weak gravitational lensing, strong lensing, galaxy clusters including SZ-selected ACT clusters, galaxy evolution, and high-redshift quasars. The Hyper Suprime-Cam (HSC) Subaru Strategic Program is an ongoing 300 night survey at the 8.2m Subaru telescope using the wide-field HSC imager over a period of five years. The survey has three layers — wide, deep, and ultra-deep — covering 1400 deg^2, 27 deg^2, and 3.5 deg^2, respectively; observations are being taken in five broadband filters and several narrow-band filters. The survey depth (r~26 for the wide layer) and the excellent imaging quality (median seeing of 0.6 arcsec in the i band), combined with the overlap with many ancillary multi-wavelength datasets like SDSS/BOSS and ACTPol, makes this survey very powerful for a wide range of scientific goals, from weak lensing cosmology, to studies of galaxies at low and high redshift, to quasars (with many additional investigations in other areas enabled by the dataset). The first dataset from the survey will be released in early 2017. For more information about the HSC survey, see http:// hsc.mtk.nao.ac.jp/ssp/.

Chair: Satoshi Miyazaki (NAOJ)

226.01 The Subaru Hyper Suprime-Cam Survey

Author(s): **Michael A. Strauss**¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *Princeton Univ.*

Contributing team(s): the Hyper Suprime-Cam team

226.02 Weak gravitational lensing with the Hyper Suprime-Cam survey

Author(s): Rachel Mandelbaum¹

Institution(s): 1. Carnegie Mellon University

Contributing team(s): The Hyper Suprime-Cam (HSC) collaboration

226.03 Weak Lensing with the Hyper Suprime-Cam Survey: Connecting the Mass Profiles of Massive Galaxies with their Dark Matter Halos

Author(s): Alexie Leauthaud¹

Institution(s): 1. UCSC

Contributing team(s): HSC Survey Collaboration

226.04 HSC Weak Lensing Measurement of ACTPol SZ-selected Galaxy Clusters

Author(s): Hironao Miyatake¹

Institution(s): ^{1.} Jet Propulsion Laboratory/California Institute of Technology

Contributing team(s): HSC collaboration, ACTPol collaboration

226.05 One survey to find them all: detecting and studying galaxy clusters from infancy to maturity with Subaru HyperSuprimeCam Survey

Author(s): Yen-Ting Lin¹

Institution(s): 1. Academia Sinica

Contributing team(s): HSC collaboration

226.06 Exciting discoveries of strong gravitational lenses from the HSC Survey

Author(s): Anupreeta More1

Institution(s): 1. Kavli IPMU, U. of Tokyo

Contributing team(s): Team 1: Masayuki Tanaka, Kenneth Wong, et al.; Team 2:

Chien-Hsiu Lee, Masamune Oguri, et al.

226.07 Environment and Structure of Massive Central Galaxies through the Eye of Hyper Suprime-Cam

Author(s): Song Huang¹

Institution(s): 1. Kavli-IPMU, University of Tokyo

Contributing team(s): The HSC Survey Collaboration

226.08 Subaru High-z Exploration of Low-Luminosity Quasars (SHELLQs): New z > 6 Quasar Survey with Subaru/HSC

Author(s): Yoshiki Matsuoka1

Institution(s): 1. National Astronomical Observatory of Japan

Contributing team(s): The SHELLQs collaboration

227 W. M. Keck Observatory: A Resource for NASA and the Entire US Community

Thursday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Texas 5

This 90 minute session will feature 6 speakers, presenting a broad array of science highlighting the scientific complementarity between NASA missions and Keck Observations. The session will include such scientific milestones as: 1) The confirmation of planets from the Kepler and K2 missions to establish the demography and physical properties of planetary systems; 2) Spectroscopy of exoplanets revealing the presence of various molecular species; 3) Spectroscopic measurements of Pluto's surface and atmosphere to provide context for the New Horizon's encounter; 4) Spectroscopy of brown dwarf candidates identified by WISE, allowing astronomers to establish new spectroscopic classes T and Y; 5) The validation and characterization of extremely high redshift galaxies first located by NASA space observatories Spitzer and HST; 6) The ongoing effort to observe a large number of high redshift galaxies to determine their spectroscopic redshifts in preparation for Euclid and WFIRST. The session will also inform the attendees on how the broad US community can apply for Keck time through the NASA Exoplanet Science Institute (NExScI), as well as how to access public Keck data through the NASA-Keck joint Keck Observatory Archive (KOA).

Chair: Anne Kinney (NASA Headquarters)

227.01 Andrew Howard

227.01 Direct spectroscopy of exoplanets revealing the presence of various molecular species

Author(s): Quinn M. Konopacky1

Institution(s): 1. University of California, San Diego

227.02 Every Member of the U.S. Astronomical Community Can Apply for NASA Keck Time

Author(s): Dawn M. Gelino1

Institution(s): 1. NASA Exoplanet Science Institute

227.03 Spectroscopic constraints on Pluto's coupled surface and atmosphere: context for the New Horizons encounter

Author(s): Eliot F. Young1

Institution(s): 1. Southwest Research Inst.

227.04 Exploring Substellar Evolution with the Coldest Brown Dwarfs

Author(s): Trent J. Dupuy1

Institution(s): 1. University of Texas at Austin

227.05 The Confirmation and Characterization of the Highest Redshift Galaxies: The Power of Complementary Observations by Keck, Spitzer and Hubble.

Author(s): **Garth D. Illingworth**¹ *Institution(s):* ^{1.} *UC, Santa Cruz*

227.06 C3R2 - Complete Calibration of the Color-Redshift Relation: Keck spectroscopy to train photometric redshifts for Euclid and WFIRST

Author(s): **Daniel Stern**¹

Institution(s): ¹ JPL/ Caltech

Contributing team(s): C3R2 Team

228 White Dwarfs

Thursday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Texas 3

Chair: Terry Oswalt (Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University)

228.01 White Dwarf Pulsational Constraints on Stellar Evolution

Author(s): **Bart H. Dunlap**¹, J. Christopher Clemens¹, Patrick C. O'Brien¹, J. J.

Hermes¹, Joshua T Fuchs¹

Institution(s): 1. University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

228.02D Outbursts from Cool Pulsating White Dwarfs in Kepler and K2

Author(s): **Keaton J. Bell**², J. J. Hermes¹, Michael H. Montgomery², Donald E. Winget²

Winget²

Institution(s): ^{1.} University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill, ^{2.} University of Texas-Austin

228.03 Evolution of double white dwarf binaries undergoing direct-impact accretion: Implications for gravitational wave astronomy

Author(s): **Kyle Kremer**¹, Katelyn Breivik¹, Shane L. Larson¹, Vassiliki Kalogera¹ *Institution(s)*: ¹ CIERA-Northwestern University

228.04 When flux standards go wild: white dwarfs in the age of Kepler

Author(s): JJ Hermes¹

Institution(s): 1. University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

228.05D A Uniform Set of DAV Atmospheric Parameters to Enable Differential Seismology

Author(s): **Joshua T Fuchs**¹, Bart H. Dunlap¹, J. Christopher Clemens¹, Jesus Meza¹, Erik Dennihy¹

Institution(s): 1. University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

228.06D Compact binaries in the globular cluster 47 Tucanae

Author(s): **Lilliana Rivera Sandoval**⁷, Maureen Van Den Berg⁷, Craig O. Heinke⁶, Haldan N. Cohn², Phyllis M. Lugger², Paulo Freire³, Jay Anderson⁵, Adrienne Cool⁴, Jonanthan Grindlay¹, Peter Edmonds¹, Rudy Wijnands⁷, Natalia Ivanova⁶ Institution(s): ¹. Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics, ². Indiana University, ³. Max Planck Institute for Radio Astronomy, ⁴. San Francisco State University, ⁵. Space Telescope Science Institute, ⁶. University of Alberta, ⁷. University of Amsterdam

229 Star-forming Galaxies at z~2

Thursday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Texas 4

Chair: Stephan McCandliss (Johns Hopkins University)

229.01D A Multi-Wavelength Census of Dust and Star Formation in Galaxies at z ~ 2

Author(s): Irene Shivaei1, Naveen Reddy1

Institution(s): 1. UC Riverside

Contributing team(s): MOSDEF collaboration

229.02 ZFIRE: Similar Stellar Growth in Halpha-emitting Cluster and Field Galaxies at z~2

Author(s): **Kim-Vy Tran**⁶, Leo Alcorn⁶, Glenn Kacprzak⁵, Themiya Nanayakkara⁵, Caroline Straatman⁴, Tiantian Yuan¹, Michael Cowley³, Romeel Dave⁹, Karl Glazebrook⁵, Lisa J. Kewley¹, Ivo Labbe², davide martizzi⁷, Casey J. Papovich⁶, Ryan Quadri⁶, Lee Spitler³, Adam R. Tomczak⁸

Institution(s): ^{1.} Australian National University, ^{2.} Leiden University, ^{3.} Macquarie University, ^{4.} MPIA, ^{5.} Swinburne University, ^{6.} Texas A&M University, ^{7.} UC Berkeley, ^{8.} UC Davis, ^{9.} University of Edinburgh

229.03D The Physical Properties of z ~ 2 Lyman-alpha Emitters and their Use as Tracers of the Star Forming Galaxy Population

Author(s): **Alex Hagen**¹, Robin Ciardullo¹, Caryl Gronwall¹, Joanna Bridge¹, Henry Gebhardt¹, Gregory Zeimann²

Institution(s): ¹ Pennsylvania State University, ² University of Texas at Austin Contributing team(s): HETDEX Team

229.04D The MOSDEF Survey: Outflows from Broadened Emission Lines at z=[1.3 - 3.8]

Author(s): **William R. Freeman²**, Brian D. Siana², Mariska T Kriek³, Alice E. Shapley⁴, Alison L. Coil⁵, Naveen Reddy², Bahram Mobasher², Irene Shivaei², Mojegan Azadi⁵, Ryan Sanders⁴, Sedona Price³, Laura DeGroot¹, Dusan Keres⁵, Alexander Muratov⁵

Institution(s): ^{1.} Denison University, ^{2.} Univ of CA Riverside, ^{3.} Univ of CA, Berkeley, ^{4.} Univ of CA, Los Angeles, ^{5.} Univ of CA, San Diego

229.05 Low Gas Fractions Connect Compact Star-Forming Galaxies to their z~2

Quiescent Descendants

Author(s): **Justin Spilker**², Rachel Bezanson¹, Daniel P. Marrone², Benjamin J. Weiner², Katherine E. Whitaker³, Christina C. Williams² *Institution(s):* ¹. *Princeton University,* ². *University of Arizona,* ³. *University of Massachusetts - Amherst*

230 Cool Stars II

Thursday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Grapevine 1

Chair: Elisabeth Newton (Harvard Univ.)

- 230.01 An X-ray and Optical Spectroscopic Study of the Perplexing Star RZ Piscium
 Author(s): Kristina Marie Punzi¹, Joel H. Kastner¹, Carl Melis³, Ben M. Zuckerman²
 Institution(s): ¹. Rochester Institute of Technology, ². University of California, Los
 Angeles, ³. University of California, San Diego
- 230.02 Flares of Nearby, Mid-to-late M-dwarfs Characterized by the MEarth Project
 Author(s): Nicholas Mondrik², David Charbonneau², Jonathan Irwin¹, Elisabeth
 R. Newton³
 Institution(s): ¹. Center for Astrophysics, ². Harvard University, ³. MIT
- 230.03D Companions and Environments of Low-Mass Stars: From Star-Forming Regions to the Field

Author(s): **Kimberly Ward-Duong**², Jenny Patience², Robert J De Rosa⁷, Joanna Bulger⁶, Abhijith Rajan², Simon Goodwin¹⁰, Richard J Parker⁵, Donald W. McCarthy⁹, Craig Kulesa⁹, Gerrit van der Plas³, Francois Menard⁸, Christophe Pinte⁸, Alan Patrick Jackson², Geoffrey Bryden⁴, Neal J. Turner⁴, Paul M. Harvey¹¹, Antonio Hales¹

Institution(s): ^{1.} ALMA/JAO, ^{2.} Arizona State University, ^{3.} DAS, Universidad de Chile, ^{4.} JPL, ^{5.} Liverpool John Moores University, ^{6.} Subaru Telescope, ^{7.} UC Berkeley, ^{8.} Univ. Grenoble Alpes, IPAG, ^{9.} University of Arizona, ^{10.} University of Sheffield, ^{11.} UT Austin

230.04D Elucidating the True Binary Fraction of VLM Stars and Brown Dwarfs with Spectral Binaries

Author(s): **Daniella Bardalez Gagliuffi**⁶, Adam J. Burgasser⁶, Christopher R. Gelino¹, JOHANNES SAHLMANN⁵, Sarah J. Schmidt⁴, Jonathan Gagne², Nathalie Skrzypek³

Institution(s): ^{1.} California Institute of Technology, ^{2.} Carnegie Institution of Washington, ^{3.} Imperial College, ^{4.} Leibniz-Institut für Astrophysik, ^{5.} Space Telescope Science Institute, ^{6.} University of California, San Diego

230.05 The Active Latitudes of HAT-P-11

Author(s): **Brett Morris**², Leslie Hebb¹, James R. A. Davenport³, Suzanne L. Hawley²

Institution(s): ^{1.} Hobart and William Smith Colleges, ^{2.} University of Washington, ^{3.} Western Washington University

230.06 About K Dwarfs - Investigating the Goldilocks Stars of Exobiology

Author(s): Manfred Cuntz¹, Edward F. Guinan²

Institution(s): 1. Univ. of Texas at Arlington, 2. Villanova University

231 Galaxy Clusters & Local Environment

Thursday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Grapevine 2

Chair: Alexandra Pope (Univ. of Massachusetts, Amherst)

231.01 Probing the mass distribution at the outskirts of galaxy clusters using weak lensing

Author(s): **Matthew Fong¹**, Lindsay J King¹ Institution(s): ¹ University of Texas, Dallas

231.02 Unusually gas-rich central galaxies in small groups

Author(s): **Steven Janowiecki**¹ *Institution(s)*: ¹ *ICRAR/UWA*Contributing team(s): xGASS team

231.03 The Massive and Distant Clusters of WISE Survey (MaDCoWS): Stellar mass fractions in a sample of infrared-selected galaxy clusters at z~1

Author(s): **Bandon Decker**¹, Mark Brodwin¹
Institution(s): ¹ University of Missouri -- Kansas City

231.04 Low star formation efficiencies in z=1.62 star-forming proto-cluster galaxies as seen in CO(1-0).

Author(s): **Gregory Rudnick**¹
Institution(s): ¹ University of Kansas

231.05D Faint Submillimeter Galaxies Behind Lensing Clusters

Author(s): **Li-Yen Hsu³**, Lennox Lauchlan Cowie³, Amy J. Barger⁴, Vandana Desai¹, Eric J. Murphy²

Institution(s): ^{1.} Infrared Processing and Analysis Center, ^{2.} NRAO, ^{3.} University of Hawaii, ^{4.} University of Wisconsin–Madison

231.06 The ALMA Frontier Fields

Author(s): **Franz E. Bauer**², Jorge Gonzalez-Lopez², Nicolas Laporte⁴, Alejandra Muñoz Arancibia³, Eric Villard¹, Ruediger Kneissl¹, Sam Kim² *Institution(s)*: ^{1.} *ALMA-JAO*, ^{2.} *Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile*,
^{3.} *Universidad de Valparaiso*, ^{4.} *University College London*Contributing team(s): The ALMA Frontier Fields Team

231.07 CANDELS Sheds Light on the Environmental Quenching of Low-mass Galaxies Author(s): **Yicheng Guo²**, Eric F. Bell³, David C. Koo², Sandra M. Faber², Yu Lu¹

Institution(s): ^{1.} Carnegie Observatories, ^{2.} UCO/Lick Observatory, ^{3.} University of Michigan

231.08 Effect of local environment and stellar mass on galaxy quenching at 0.3 < z < 2.5 in ZFOURGE

Author(s): Lalitwadee Kawinwanichakij¹, Casey J. Papovich¹, Ryan Quadri¹

Institution(s): 1. Texas A&M University
Contributing team(s): the ZFOURGE team

232 Stellar Evolution, Stellar Populations

Thursday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Fort Worth 6

Chair: Rodolfo Montez Jr. (Vanderbilt University)

232.01 Seeing Stars Like Never Before: A Multi-Year Interferometric Imaging Study of Red Supergiants in the H-Band.

Author(s): Ryan P. Norris¹, Fabien Baron¹

Institution(s): ^{1.} Center for High Angular Resolution Astronomy, Georgia State University

232.02D Bayesian Analysis and Characterization of Multiple Populations in Galactic Globular Clusters

Author(s): **Rachel A. Wagner-Kaiser**⁶, David Stenning⁴, Ata Sarajedini⁶, Ted von Hippel², David A van Dyk³, Elliot Robinson¹, Nathan Stein⁵, William H. Jefferys⁷ *Institution(s): ^{1.} Argiope Technical Solutions, ^{2.} Embry Riddle Aeronautical University, ^{3.} Imperial College London, ^{4.} Statistical and Applied Mathematical Sciences Institute, ^{5.} The Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania, ^{6.} University of Florida, ^{7.} University of Texas*

Contributing team(s): BASE-9, HST UVIS Globular Cluster Treasury Program

232.03 Searching for New Highly r-Process-Enhanced Stars in the Halo of the Milky Way

Author(s): **Timothy C. Beers**³, Vinicius Placco³, Erika M. Holmbeck³, Terese T. Hansen¹, Joshua D. Simon¹, Ian Thompson¹, Anna Frebel²
Institution(s): ¹. Carnegie Observatories, ². MIT, ³. University of Notre Dame

232.04 Kinematics and chemistry of faint high latitude dwarf carbon stars

Author(s): **Jinmi Yoon**², Timothy C. Beers², Sarah Dietz², Young Sun Lee¹, Vinicius M Placco²

Institution(s): 1. Chungnam National University, 2. University of Notre Dame

232.05D Testing the Wind-Shock Paradigm for B-Type Star X-Ray Production with θ Carinae

Author(s): **Trisha Doyle (Mizusawa)**¹, Veronique Petit¹, David Held Cohen⁴, Maurice A. Leutenegger², Alexander W. Fullerton³

Institution(s): ^{1.} Florida Institute of Technology, ^{2.} GSFC, ^{3.} STScI, ^{4.} Swarthmore College

232.06 Using a Weak CN Spectral Feature as a Marker for Massive AGB Stars in the Andromeda Galaxy

Author(s): **Puragra Guhathakurta**⁴, Anika Kamath³, Alyssa Sales², Atmika Sarukkai², Jon Hays¹

Institution(s): ^{1.} Cabrillo College, ^{2.} Castilleja School, ^{3.} Crystal Springs Uplands School, ^{4.} UC, Santa Cruz

Contributing team(s): PHAT collaboration, SPLASH collaboration

232.07 Variable Polarization from Co-Rotating Interaction Regions in Massive Star Winds

Author(s): **Richard Ignace**¹, Nicole St. Louis², Patrick Tremblay², Felix Proulx-Giraldeau²

Institution(s): 1. East Tennessee State Univ., 2. University of Montreal

233 Neutron Stars (Pulsars, Magnetars, Pulsar Wind Nebulae) I

Thursday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Dallas 6

Chair: Sarah Vigeland (University of Wisconsin)

233.01D Polarized X-ray Scattering and Birefringence in Magnetars

Author(s): **Joseph Barchas**¹, Matthew G. Baring¹ *Institution(s)*: ¹ Rice University

233.02 Testing the electron-capture supernova scenario using universal relations between neutron star properties

Author(s): William Newton1

Institution(s): 1. Texas A&M University-Commerce

233.03 A Model for Axions Producing Extended gamma-ray Emission from Neutron Star J0108-1431

Author(s): Bijan Berenji1

Institution(s): 1. California State University, Los Angeles

Contributing team(s): Fermi LAT Collaboration

233.04D An Analytic Particle Acceleration Model in Pulsar Wind Termination Shocks Applied to the Crab Nebula Gamma-Ray Flares

Author(s): **John J. Kroon**², Peter A. Becker¹, Finke Justin², Charles D. Dermer² *Institution(s):* ^{1.} *George Mason University,* ^{2.} *Naval Research Lab*

233.05 A Library of known X-ray Pulsars in the Small Magellanic Cloud: Time Evolution of their Luminosities and Spin Periods

Author(s): **Jun Yang**², Silas Laycock², Dimitris Christodoulou², Jeremy J. Drake¹, Jaesub Hong¹, Vallia Antoniou¹, Andreas Zezas¹, Malcolm Coe³, Wynn Ho³ *Institution(s):* ¹. *Harvard-Smithsonian CfA*, ². *University of Massachusetts*, ³. *University of Southampton*

233.06D Characterization of a Precision Pulsar Timing Gravitational Wave Detector

Author(s): Michael T. Lam¹

Institution(s): 1. West Virginia University

234 Plenary Session: Dannie Heineman Prize for Astrophysics: Increasing Accuracy and Increasing Tension in Ho, Wendy Freedman (University of Chicago)

Thursday, 3:40 pm - 4:30 pm; Texas A

Chair: Robert Brown (AIP)



234.01 Increasing Accuracy and Increasing Tension in Ho Author(s): Wendy L. Freedman¹

Institution(s): 1. The University of Chicago

Citation: For her outstanding contributions and leadership role in using optical and infrared space- and ground-based observations

of Cepheid variable stars, together with innovative analysis techniques, to greatly improve the accuracy of the cosmic distance scale and thereby constrain fundamental cosmological parameters.

235 Plenary Session: HEAD Bruno Rossi Prize: A Good Hard Look at Growing Supermassive Black Holes in the Distant Universe, W. Neil Brandt (Pennsylvania State University)

Thursday, 4:30 pm - 5:20 pm; Texas A

Chair: Christopher Reynolds (Univ. of Maryland)



235.01 A Good Hard Look at Growing Supermassive Black Holes in the Distant Universe

Author(s): **W. Niel Brandt**¹
Institution(s): ¹ Penn State Univ.

Contributing team(s): The Chandra Deep Fields Tea

Citation: Who led the effort to obtain the deepest Chandra fields, enabling the most sensitive cosmological X-ray surveys to date. His work traces the accretion history of SMBH and their coevolution with host galaxies across cosmic time.

POSTER SESSIONS

236 Computation, Data Handling, Image Analysis & Light Pollution Poster Session

Thursday, 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm; Longhorn Exhibit Hall D

236.01 When Will It Be ...?: U.S. Naval Observatory Sidereal Time and Julian Date

Author(s): **Malynda R. Chizek Frouard**¹, Michael V. Lesniak¹, Jennifer L. Bartlett¹ *Institution(s)*: ¹. *US Naval Observatory*

236.02 Automated Approaches to RFI Flagging

Author(s): **Karthik Garimella**¹, Emmanuel Momjian² *Institution(s):* ^{1.} Hendrix College, ^{2.} National Radio Astronomy Observatory

236.03 First Science Verification of the VLA Sky Survey Pilot

Author(s): **Amy Cavanaugh**¹

Institution(s): 1. West Chester University

236.04 Image-based query-by-example for big databases of galaxy images

Author(s): **Lior Shamir¹**, Evan Kuminski¹

Institution(s): 1. Lawrence Technological University

236.05 Bifrost: a Modular Python/C++ Framework for Development of High-Throughput Data Analysis Pipelines

Author(s): **Miles Cranmer**¹, Benjamin R Barsdell³, Danny C Price⁴, Hugh Garsden¹, Gregory B. Taylor⁵, Jayce Dowell⁵, Frank Schinzel², Timothy Costa¹, Lincoln J. Greenhill¹

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236.06 photPARTY: Python automated square-aperture photometry

Author(s): **Teresa A. Symons**¹, Barbara J. Anthony-Twarog¹ *Institution(s):* ¹. *University of Kansas*

236.07 A Modified Bootstrap Monte Carlo Method to Investigate the Impact of Systematic Effects on Calibrated Optical Interferometry Data

Author(s): **Mahmudul Hasan**¹, Christopher Tycner¹, Aaron Sigut², Robert T. Zavala³

Institution(s): ^{1.} Central Michigan University, ^{2.} The University of Western Ontario, ^{3.} US Naval Observatory, Flagstaff Station

236.08 DRAGraces: An open source pipeline to extract your GRACES data!

Author(s): **André-Nicolas Chené**¹ *Institution(s)*: ¹ *Gemini Observatory*

236.09 TOASTing Your Images With Montage

Author(s): G. Bruce Berriman¹, John Good¹

Institution(s): 1. Caltech

236.10 Galaxy Classification using Machine Learning

Author(s): **Lucas Fowler**¹, Kevin Schawinski¹, Ben-Elias Brandt¹, Nicole widmer¹ *Institution(s):* ^{1.} *ETH Zürich*

236.11 Gemini Observatory Operations and Software for the 2020s

Author(s): **Bryan W. Miller²**, Andrew W. Stephens¹, Arturo Nunez², Mischa Schirmer²

Institution(s): 1. Gemini Observatory - North, 2. Gemini Observatory - South

236.12 Maestro and Castro: Simulation Codes for Astrophysical Flows

Author(s): **Michael Zingale**⁴, Ann Almgren², Vince Beckner², John Bell², Brian Friesen², Adam Jacobs³, Maximilian P. Katz⁴, Christopher Malone¹, Andrew Nonaka², Weiqun Zhang²

Institution(s): 1. LANL, 2. LBNL, 3. MSU, 4. Stony Brook University

236.13 Top ten reasons to register your code with the Astrophysics Source Code Library

Author(s): **Alice Allen**¹, Kimberly DuPrie¹⁰, G. Bruce Berriman⁴, Jessica D. Mink⁹, Robert J. Nemiroff⁷, Thomas Robitaille³, Judy Schmidt¹, Lior Shamir⁶, Keith Shortridge⁵, Peter J. Teuben¹¹, John F. Wallin⁸, Rein Warmels² Institution(s): ^{1.} Astrophysics Source Code Library, ^{2.} European Southern Observatory, ^{3.} Freelance, ^{4.} IPAC, Caltech, ^{5.} Knave and Varlet, ^{6.} Lawrence Technological University, ^{7.} Michigan Technological Univ., ^{8.} Middle Tennessee State University, ^{9.} Smithsonian Astrophysical Observatory, ^{10.} STScI, ^{11.} University of Maryland

236.14 3D Immersive Visualization with Astrophysical Data

Author(s): **Brian R. Kent¹** *Institution(s):* ¹ *NRAO*

236.15 SciServer: An Online Collaborative Environment for Big Data in Research and Education

Author(s): **Jordan Raddick¹**, Barbara Souter¹, Gerard Lemson¹, Manuchehr Taghizadeh-Popp¹

Institution(s): 1. Johns Hopkins University

236.16 Understanding and Using the Fermi Science Tools

Author(s): Joseph Asercion¹

Institution(s): 1. Fermi Science Support Center

Contributing team(s): Fermi Science Support Center

236.17 Secondary Standard Sequence and BVRI-H-alpha Light Curves for NGC 4151

Author(s): **Melissa Hallum**¹, Micheal Joner¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *Brigham Young University*

236.18 Improving Photometric Redshifts for Hyper Suprime-Cam

Author(s): **Josh S Speagle**¹, Alexie Leauthaud⁵, Daniel Eisenstein¹, Kevin Bundy⁵, Peter L. Capak³, Boris Leistedt⁴, Daniel C. Masters³, Daniel Mortlock², Hiranya Peiris⁶

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Contributing team(s): HSC Photo-z Team, HSC Weak Lensing Team

236.19 Comparing High-redshift Galaxy Dropouts in GOODS-S from SelfCal and MultiDrizzle Maps

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236.20 Measuring the color and brightness of artificial sky glow from cities using an all-sky imaging system calibrated with astronomical methods in the Johnson-Cousins B and V photometric systems

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236.21 Studying the Light Pollution around Urban Observatories: Columbus State University's WestRock Observatory

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237 Surveys & Large Programs Poster Session

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237.01 A methodology to address mixed AGN and starlight contributions in emission line galaxies found in the RESOLVE survey and ECO catalog

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237.02 Structure and Morphology of RESOLVE Galaxies in Relation to Environment, Gas, and Star Formation

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237.03 The Environmental Dependence of the Galaxy Stellar Mass Function in the ECO Survey

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237.04 An Automated Census Of Variable X-Ray Objects in the Direction of Clusters of Galaxies

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237.05 Point and Condensed Hα Sources in the Interior of M33

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237.06 Pan-STARRS1 Medium Deep Survey

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237.07 Pan-STARRS Data Release 1

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237.08 Census of the Local Universe (CLU) Galaxy Survey: Results Within Preliminary Fields

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237.09 Highlights from the La Silla QUEST Variability Survey

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237.10 Transients Discovered by the All-Sky Automated Survey for Supernovae

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237.11 The Expansion of the Astronomical Photographic Data Archive at PARI

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237.12 The first two years of the Gemini Fast Turnaround Proposal Program

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237.13 The Formation of COINS: Equity and Inclusion in SDSS

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238 Space Missions & Instrumentation Poster Session

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238.01 NASA Astrophysics Prioritizes Technology Development Funding for Strategic Missions

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238.02 Ensuring the Enduring Viability of the Space Science Enterprise: New Questions, New Thinking, New Paradigms

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238.03 Determination of the STIS CCD Gain

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238.04 HST Wide Field Camera 3: Instrument Status and Advice for Cycle 25 Proposers Author(s): Ivelina G. Momcheva¹

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238.05 Charge transfer efficiency in HST WFC3/UVIS: monitoring and mitigation

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238.06 Low Frequency Flats for Imaging Cameras on the Hubble Space Telescope
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238.07 Fermi Science Support Center Data Servers and Archive

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238.08 Wide Field Lyman alpha Geocoronal Simulator (WFLaGS) for the Far-uv Off Rowland-circle Telescope for Imaging and Spectroscopy (FORTIS)

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238.09 LISA Pathfinder: A Summary of results to date

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238.10 Build up and integration of the rocket-borne Cosmic Infrared Background ExpeRiment-2

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238.11 Near Ultraviolet Spectrograph for Cubesats

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238.12 The James Webb Space Telescope: Observatory Status Update

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238.13 WebbPSF for JWST and WFIRST

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238.14 Cryo-Vacuum Testing of JWST's Integrated Telescope & Scientific Instrument Suite

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238.15 Starshade Orbital Maneuver Study for WFIRST

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238.16 Science Advancements for Black Hole Binaries from Observations with NICER

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238.17 eLISA Telescope In-Field Pointing and Scattered Light Study

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238.18 Origins Space Telescope: Study Plan

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238.19 Origins Space Telescope: Community Participation

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238.20 Origins Space Telescope: Telescope Design and Instrument Specifications

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238.21 Origins Space Telescope: Planet-forming disks and exoplanets

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238.22 Origins Space Telescope: Galaxy and Black Hole Evolution over Cosmic Time

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238.23 Origins Space Telescope: Solar System Science

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238.24 Origins Space Telescope: Interstellar Medium, Milky Way, and Nearby Galaxies

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238.25 The Space Infrared Telescope for Cosmology and Astrophysics and Pending US Contribution

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238.26 Depicting the MeV realm with the Compton Pair-Production Telescope (ComPair)

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238.27 Cosmic Evolution Through UV Spectroscopy (CETUS): A NASA Probe-Class Mission Concept

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238.28 Instrumental and Calibration Advancements for the Dark Ages Radio Explorer (DARE)

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238.29 A Modular Orbital Demonstration of an Evolvable Space Telescope (MODEST) Author(s): Alberto Conti¹, Jonathan Arenberg¹, Brian Baldauf¹ Institution(s): ¹ Northrop Grumman Corporation

238.30 TeraHertz Space Telescope (TST)

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238.31 Linear-constraint wavefront control for exoplanet coronagraphic imaging systems

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238.32 Soft x-ray transmission grating spectrometer for X-ray Surveyor and smaller missions with high resolving power

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238.33 Lightweight ZERODUR®: Validation of mirror performance and mirror modeling predictions

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238.34 Use of Plasma Enhanced ALD to Construct Efficient Interference Filters for Astronomy in the FUV - Year 2 Update

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238.35 An Exploration of Software-Based GNSS Signal Processing at Multiple Frequencies

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238.36 Origins Space Telescope: Cosmology and Reionization

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239 Making Great Observatories Even Better: Hubble's Hand in Studying the Multi-Wavelength Universe Poster Session

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239.01 A Multiwavelength Study of Three Hybrid Blazars

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239.02 A Multi-Observatory View of the Alpha Persei Coronal Conundrum Author(s): Thomas R. Ayres¹ Institution(s): ¹. University of Colorado

239.03 The era of synoptic galactic archeology: using HST and Chandra observations to constrain the evolution of elliptical galaxies through the spatial distribution of globular clusters and X-ray binaries.

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239.04 An Ultraviolet Counterpart to the Fast X-ray Outflow in the Quasar PG1211+143

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239.05 The Survey of HI in Extremely Low-mass Dwarfs: A Multi-Wavelength Perspective on Low-Mass Galaxy Evolution

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240 Cool Stars & Others: Surveys, Spectra, Rotation, Fundamentals Poster Session

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- 240.01 Photometry and Kinematics of Ultracool Dwarfs in the Pan-STARRS 3pi Survey
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- 240.02 A Pan-STARRS1 Proper-Motion Survey for Young Brown Dwarfs in the Taurus and the Upper Scorpius Star-Forming Regions

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- 240.03 DECam Survey for Substellar and Low-mass Stellar Members of Sco-Cen
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- 240.04 Your Age is Showing: Understanding the Spectral Features of Young Brown Dwarfs

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240.05 Principal Component Analysis of Brown Dwarfs

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240.06 Comparison of BT Settl Model Spectra in NIR to Brown Dwarfs and Massive Exoplanets

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240.07 Spectral Variability at the L/T Transition and Beyond

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240.08 Too Cool for Stellar Rules: A Bayesian Exploration of Trends in Ultracool Magnetism

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240.09 The Search for Signatures Of Transient Mass Loss in Active Stars

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240.10 H2 Fluorescence in M dwarf Systems: A Stellar Origin

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240.11 Modeling molecular hydrogen emission in M dwarf exoplanetary systems

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240.12 Tuning Into Brown Dwarfs: Long-Term Radio Monitoring of Two Very Low Mass Dwarfs

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240.13 Knowing Our Neighbors: Four New Nearby High Proper Motion Systems

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240.14 Characterization of Low-mass K2 planet hosts using Near-Infrared Spectroscopy

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240.15 A Nearby Survey of M-Dwarfs

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240.16 Investigating the Spectroscopic Variability and Magnetic Activity of Photometrically Variable M Dwarfs in SDSS

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240.17 Toward a Comprehensive Sample of VLM Chemical Abundances with APOGEE

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240.18 Modeling Stellar Parameters for High Resolution Late-M and Early-L Dwarf SDSS/APOGEE Spectra

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240.19 Characterizing the Resolved M6 Dwarf Twin LP 318-218AB

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240.20 Does the Eclipsing Binary KIC 10935310 Contain a Massively Inflated M Dwarf? Author(s): Jonathan Swift³, Eunkyu Han¹, Jeffrey Ding³, Kathleen O'Neill³, Yousef Lawrence³, Douglas Klink³, Philip Steven Muirhead¹, Yutong Shan²
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240.21 M Dwarf Mysteries

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240.22 The Rotational Properties of M Dwarfs

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- 240.23 Differential rotation as a model for starspots in magnetically active stars
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- 240.24 Identification of Misclassified Rotational Variables in the ASAS Catalog
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- 240.26 Gyrochronology of Stars in Wide Binaries in the Kepler K2 Cycle 5 Field Author(s): Terry D. Oswalt¹, Derek L. Buzasi², Tomomi Otani¹

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- 240.27 M Dwarfs in the Solar Neighborhood: Analysis of 16,000 SUPERBLINK-K2 Light Curves

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- 240.28 The PTI Giant Star Angular Size Survey: Effective Temperatures & Linear Radii Author(s): Gerard van Belle³, Kaspar von Braun³, David R. Ciardi², Genady Pilyavsky¹

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- 240.29 The Fundamental Stellar Parameters of FGK Stars in the SEEDS Survey
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240.30 Fundamental Stellar Parameters with HST/FGS Dynamical Masses and HST/ STIS Spectroscopy of M Dwarf Binaries

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240.33 Analytic, piecewise solution to the Lane-Emden equation for stars with complex density profiles

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240.34 The Evolution of Starspots on LO Pegasi

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240.35 PyHammer: An Automatic and Visual Suite for Spectral Typing Stars
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240.36 FTS Spectra from the Mayall 4-m Telescope, 1975-1995

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241 Young Stellar Objects, Very Young Stars, T-Tauri Stars, H-H Objects Poster Session

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241.01 Constraining the orbits of young binary systems with ALMA

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241.02 The Young Visual Binary Database

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241.03 Effective Temperatures for Young Stars in Binaries

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241.04 Variable Stellar and Circumstellar Properties of the Young Binary VV CrA

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241.05 Orbiting Clouds of Material at or near the Keplerian Co-Rotation Radius in Late M Dwarfs WTTs of Upper Sco

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241.06 Is the Young UY Auriga System a Triple?

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241.07 Interpreting Infant Stars: SOFIA Imaging of Protostars in L1630 and NGC 2264

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241.08 A search for the lasts gasps of disk accretion in Orion T Tauri stars

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241.09 X-ray Observations of LkCa 15: A T Tauri Star Hosting a Protoplanetary System Author(s): Steve L. Skinner¹, Manuel Guedel²

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241.10 Finding High Quality Young Star Candidates in Ceph C using X-ray, Optical, and IR data

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241.11 An Infrared Search for Young Stellar Objects in IC 1396

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241.12 A full 1---40 micron spectral energy distribution for the Becklin-Neugebauer object: Placing constraints on disk size for a runaway massive young stellar object

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241.13 Probing the Evolution of Massive Young Stellar Objects using Weak Class II 6.7GHz Methanol Maser Emission

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241.14 Massive Star Formation in the Cygnus-X DR15 Complex

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241.15 Bipolar Outflows Properties from Class 0/I protostars in Perseus

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242.01 Time Evolution of Pulsar Magnetosphere: An Implicit Approach

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242.02 Timing will Tell: Constraining Pulsar Timing Errors in the Search for **Gravitational Waves**

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242.03 Long-Term Timing of Globular Cluster Pulsars

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242.04 A Multi-Frequency Study of Nearby MSP J1400-1431

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242.05 Steep Spectrum Pulsar Candidates Near Sgr A*

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242.06 Black Widow Pulsar radiation hydrodynamics simulation using Castro: Methodology

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242.07 A New, Low Braking Index For the LMC Pulsar B0540-69

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242.08 Post-outburst radio monitoring of the high magnetic field pulsar PSR J1119-

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242.09 FRB **121102**: Searching for a Host

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242.10 Seeking Fast Radio Burst Origins Using the Very Large Array

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242.11 Quasi-Periodicities in the Anomalous Emission Events in Pulsars B1859+07 and B0919+06

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242.12 Follow-up Observations of the Magnetar PSR J1745-2900 and Sgr A*

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242.13 Nuclear pasta in protoneutron stars: simulations of neutrino emission from nucelar de-excitation

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242.14 High Time Resolution Studies with the GBT

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242.16 The Arecibo Remote Command Center Network

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242.17 Searches for Optical Counterparts to Fermi Unassociated Sources with the Intermediate Palomar Transient Factory

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242.18 Upper Limits On High-Frequency Single-Source Gravitational Waves

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242.19 The CHIME Fast Radio Burst Project

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243 Cataclysmic Variables, Novae, & Symbiotic Stars Poster Session

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243.01 Realistic MHD Modelling of Cataclysmic Variable Spin-Down

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243.02 Cataclysmic Variables discovered in the ChaMPlane Survey

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243.03 The Kepler2 70-day Observation of the Eclipsing Cataclysmic AC Cnc Author(s): Eric M. Schlegel², R. K. Honeycutt¹
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243.05 Detecting Nova Shells around known Cataclysmic Variable systems

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243.06 The Fall and Rise of FO Aquarii - King of the Intermediate Polars

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243.07 Recent Observations of AG Pegasi's Latest Outburst Phase by Harvard Observing Project

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243.08 Long-term Accretion Variations of the Magnetic Cataclysmic Variable Star QQ Vulpecula

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244 White Dwarfs Poster Session

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244.01 Orbital Stability of the Hierarchical Triple System HIP 3678

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244.02 Searching For Infrared Excesses Around White Dwarf Stars

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244.03 Transit probabilities for debris around white dwarfs

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244.04 White Dwarf Pollution by Disk Accretion of Tidally Disrupted Rocky Bodies

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244.05 Three-Dimensional Simulations of the Convective Urca Process in Pre-Supernova White Dwarfs

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244.06 Spectroscopic Reductions of White Dwarf Stars to Support Dark Energy Survey Calibrations

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245 Extrasolar Planets: Characterization & Theory Poster Session

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245.01 Characterizing Extrasolar Planets from Transit Light Curves obtained at the Universidad de Monterrey Observatory – Part 2

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245.02 Simulated JWST/NIRISS Spectroscopy of Anticipated TESS Planets and Selected Super-Earths Discovered from K2 and Ground-Based Surveys

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245.03 Exploring JWST's Capability to Constrain Habitability on Simulated Terrestrial TESS Planets

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245.04 Reaching the Diffraction Limit: High-Resolution Imaging for Exoplanet and Stellar Studies

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245.05 WIRC-POL: A near-IR spectro-polarimetric imager at Palomar Observatory

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245.06 Hobby-Eberly Telescope Optical Transmission Spectroscopy of the Hot Jupiter WASP-12h

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245.07 Using Transmission Spectroscopy to Determine the Rotation Rate of HD 189733b

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245.08 Determining Vsin(i) of Young Planet-hosting Stars

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245.09 A search for inversion layers in hot Jupiters with high-resolution spectroscopy Author(s): Callie Hood², Jayne Birkby¹, Mercedes Lopez-Morales¹ Institution(s): ¹. Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics, ². University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

245.10 Regular satellite formation and evolution in a dead zone

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245.11 Quantifying the Effects of Temperature on Rocky Planets

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245.13 Transit Timing Variation analysis with Kepler light curves of KOI 227 and Kepler 93b

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245.14 Blue Skies through a Blue Sky: an attempt to detect Rayleigh scattering in an exoplanet atmosphere from a ground-based telescope

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245.15 The HD 202206 Exoplanetary System: Companion Masses and (in)Stability Author(s): George Fritz Benedict², Thomas E. Harrison¹, Barbara E. McArthur² Institution(s): ¹ New Mexico State University, ² Univ. of Texas, Austin

245.16 Exoplanet Transit Analysis of KIC 8462852

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245.17 A Search for Host Stars of Free-Floating Planetary Mass Objects

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245.18 Obliquities of Exoplanet Host Stars from Precise Distances and Stellar Angular Diameters

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245.19 The Perfect Map

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245.20 How obliquitiy influences the climate of aquaplanets

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245.21 Small Friends of Hot Jupiters

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245.22 The Occurrence Rate of Hot Jupiters

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245.23 Constraining hot Jupiter's atmospheric structure and dynamics through Doppler shifted emission spectra

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245.24 Let's Grow Old Together: The Simultaneous Evolution of Planet and Host Star Author(s): Megan Barnett¹, Leslie Rogers² Institution(s): ¹. University of California Berkeley, ². University of Chicago

245.25 The effect of stellar radiation on exoplanet atmospheric heating and mass loss Author(s): Winonah Ojanen¹, Brendan P. Miller¹, Elena Gallo⁴, Jason Wright², Katja Poppenhaeger³ Institution(s): ¹· College of St. Scholastica, ²· Pennsylvania State University,

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245.26 Atmospheric evaporation in super-Earth exoplanet systems

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245.27 Swift X-ray monitoring of M dwarf coronal variability

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245.28 Effects of exomoon's magnetic field on generation of radio emissions

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245.29 The Influence of Volcanic Aerosols on Planetary Habitability

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246 Large Scale Structure, Cosmic Distance Scale Poster Session

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246.01 A Catalog of Proper Motions to Dynamically Measure the Hubble Expansion and the Evolution of Large-Scale Structure

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246.02 Using Quasar Pairs to put Constraints on Cosmological Parameters

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246.03 Detecting the BAO using Discrete Wavelet Packets

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246.04 Does the HI Mass Function Vary with Environment?

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246.05 Galaxy Interaction in Overdense Environments

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247 Black Holes Poster Session

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247.01 Super-resolution Polarimetric Imaging of Black Holes using the Event Horizon Telescope

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247.02 Optical Observations and Modeling of a Possible Black Hole HMXB and Cygnus X-1 Progenitor

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247.03 Long-term X-ray and Optical Monitoring of RZ2109

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247.04 Longterm Multi-wavelength Monitoring of the Relativistic Tidal Disruption Event Swift J164449.3+573451

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247.05 The contribution of SUBARU-HSC faint galaxies to the Spitzer-CIB fluctuations in COSMOS

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247.06 Exploring Sources of Gravitational Waves From Star Cluster Dynamics
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247.07 Distinguishing Between Formation Channels for Binary Black Holes with LISA
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247.08 Chandra HETGS and VLBI Observations of SS 433
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247.09 Measuring X-ray Binary Accretion State Distributions in Extragalactic Environments using XMM-Newton

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247.10 Active Galactic Nuclei from He II: a more complete census of AGN in SDSS galaxies yields a new population of low-luminosity AGN in highly star-forming galaxies

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- 247.11 You're Cut Off: HD and MHD Simulations of Truncated Accretion Disks
 Author(s): J. Drew Hogg¹, Christopher S. Reynolds¹
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- **247.12** On the Supermassive Black Hole-Galaxy Coevolution
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- 247.13 Measuring the Stellar Kinematics of the SO Galaxy NGC 4203

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- 247.14 Efficiency of Dynamical Friction in Presence of Black Hole Radiative Feedback Author(s): Alexander Buser¹, Tamara Bogdanovic¹, KwangHo Park¹

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- 247.15 What is the nature of the high energy X-ray sources in the galaxy?

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248 Dark Matter & Dark Energy Poster Session

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- 248.01 A Blind Search Pipeline for Dark Satellites of the Milky Way in Gamma Rays Author(s): Nathan Ross Sandford², Eric Charles¹, Mattia Di Mauro¹

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- 248.02 Searching for a 3.5-keV line in the spectrum of the deepest Chandra blank fields

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248.03 Simulating Xenon Bubble Chambers for Dark Matter Detection Author(s): Joseph Arroyo¹, Eric Dahl¹

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248.04 Testing Ultra-Light Dark Matter Axions Using Galaxy Surveys

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248.05 In Theory: Dark Energy as a Power Source

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249 Starburst Galaxies Near & Far Poster Session

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249.01 GMRT HI Imaging of the Ly-α Emitting Starburst Galaxy Tololo 1924-416

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249.02 GMRT HI Imaging of Selected LARS+eLARS Galaxies

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249.03 VLA HI Imaging of the LARS+eLARS Galaxies: Global HI Properties

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249.04 VLA HI Imaging of the LARS+eLARS Galaxies: Tidally Interacting Systems

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249.05 Too Young to Shine? Chandra analysis of X-ray emission in nearby primordial galaxies

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249.06 Initial Results of a Far-Ultraviolet Spectroscopic Survey of Nearby Star-forming Galaxies with the Cosmic Origins Spectrograph

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249.07 Toward Gas Chemistry in Low Metallicity Starburst Galaxies

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249.08 Hα Kinematics of High-z Dusty Star Forming Galaxies

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249.09 The HDUV Survey: Seven Lyman Continuum Emitter Candidates at z~2 Revealed by HST UV Imaging

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249.10 AGN contamination in total infrared determined star formation rates in dusty galaxies at z~2-3

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249.11 Molecular Gas Content of an Extremely Star-forming Herschel Observed Lensed Dusty Galaxy at z=2.685

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249.12 $\,$ C IV and He II line emission of Lyman α blobs: powered by shock-heated gas

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249.13 Serendipitous ALMA detections of faint submm galaxies in SERVS

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250 AGN, QSO, Blazars Poster Session

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250.01 New quasar survey with WIRO: Color-selection of quasar candidates behind M33

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250.02 New quasar surveys with WIRO: UV variability of known quasars behind M33 Author(s): Sophie Deam⁸, Neil Bassett⁶, Don Dixon¹, Emily Griffith⁵, William

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250.03 New quasar survey with WIRO: The light curves of quasars over ~15 year timescales

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250.04 New Quasar Surveys With WIRO: Planning and Depth of Observations

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250.05 New Quasar Surveys with WIRO: Data and Calibration for Studies of Variability

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250.06 New Quasar Surveys with WIRO: Colors of ~1000 Quasars at 0 < z < 3

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250.07 New quasar surveys with WIRO: Searching for high redshift (z~6) quasar candidates

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250.08 In Search Of Tiny Giants: Finding Supermassive Black Holes In Low Mass Galaxies

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250.09 Clustering, Cosmology and a New Era of Black Hole Demographics: The Conditional Luminosity Function of AGNs

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250.10 Improving LSST Photometric Redshifts using Differential Chromatic Refraction Author(s): Christina M. Peters², Gordon T. Richards¹

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250.11 Identifying Merging Binary Active Galactic Nuclei with Wide-Field High-Resolution Radio Surveys

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250.12 The Era of Monster Formation: Peering into the Heart of ULIRGs out to z ~ 1
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250.13 Likelihood for detection of sub-parsec supermassive black hole binaries in spectroscopic surveys

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250.14 EMPCA and Cluster Analysis of Quasar Spectra: Construction and Application to Simulated Spectra

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250.15 EMPCA and Cluster Analysis of Quasar Spectra: Sample Preparation and Validation

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- 250.17 SimBAL: A Spectral Synthesis Approach to Analyzing Broad Absorption Line Quasar Spectra

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250.18 Determining Black Hole Mass of AGN using FWHM of H-beta Emission Line and Luminosity Relations

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250.19 Broad and Narrow Intrinsic Absorption in Quasars as it Relates to Outflows, Orientation, and Radio Properties

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250.20 Correlations between different line-forming regions in quasar environments

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250.21 Investigating the Sensitivity of Emission Line Spectra to the Incident SED in Narrow Line Seyferts and LINERs

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250.22 Identifying Evolutionary Patterns of SMBHS Using Characteristic Variables of the Quasar AGNs of eBOSS

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250.23 Statistical Analysis of Quasar Light Curves from Pan-STARRS1

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250.24 Infrared Reverberation Mapping of 17 Quasars from the SDSS Reverberation Mapping Project

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250.25 Powerful Quasar Outflows at High Redshifts

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250.26 Cross-Correlating the Cosmic Infrared and Cosmic X-Ray Background Fluctuations

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250.27 Luminous, High-z, Type-2 Quasars are Still Missing

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250.28 Discovery of a New Quasar: SDSS J022155.26-064916.6

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250.29 Multiwavelength and Polarimetric Analysis of the Flat Spectrum Radio Quasars 3C 273 and 3C 279

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250.30 Associated TeV Emission from the Double-Synchrotron Model for Large-Scale Quasar Jets

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250.31 On the Time Scales of Optical Variability in Radio-Quiet Quasar PDS 456

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250.33 The Dramatic June 2016 Optical Outburst and Micro-Variability of the Blazar 3C 454.3

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250.34 The Optical Variability of the Blazar 3C 454.3 over Three Decades from the Colgate University Foggy Bottom Observatory

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250.35 Searching for X-Ray Variability in Resolved Jets from Radio-Loud AGN Author(s): Natalie DeNigris¹, Eileen T. Meyer¹, Markos Georganopoulos¹

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250.36 AGN Variability: Probing Black Hole Accretion

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250.37 Searching for Short Term Variable Active Galactic Nuclei: A Vital Step Towards Using AGN as Standard Candles

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250.38 K2 Observations of Optical Variability in Fermi Gamma Ray Blazars in 2015-2016

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250.39 The bursting behavior of the blazar PKS 1130+009 from K2 and ground based photometry

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250.40 A Comparison of Two Methods for Estimating Black Hole Spin in Active Galactic Nuclei

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250.41 B-FlaP: Classifying Gamma-ray Blazars Using Machine LearningAuthor(s): **David John Thompson**³, Graziano Chiaro⁴, Marcello Giroletti², David Salvetti¹, Giovanni La Mura⁴, Denis Bastieri⁴

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250.42 Searching for Hard X-Ray Emission from Radio-Loud Gamma-Ray Quiet Blazars
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250.43 Spectral and Temporal Analysis of 1H1934-0617: Observing an "Eclipsed" AGN with XMM-Newton and NuSTAR

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- 250.44 Fermi Observations of Resolved Large-Scale Jets: Testing the IC/CMB Model Author(s): Peter Breiding¹, Eileen T. Meyer¹, Markos Georganopoulos¹
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- 250.45 Testing for Shock-Heated X-Ray Gas around Compact Steep Spectrum Radio Galaxies

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- 250.48 A Hubble Space Telescope Survey of Intrinsic Absorption in Nearby AGN
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- 250.49 Exploring the Vertical Structure of Nuclear Starburst Disks: A Possible Source of AGN Obscuration at Redshift ~ 1

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- 250.50 Optical to extreme ultraviolet reddening curves for normal AGN dust and for dust associated with high-velocity outflows

Author(s): Japneet Singh¹, Martin Gaskell³, Jake Gill² Institution(s): ^{1.} Archbishop Mitty High School, ^{2.} Santa Cruz High School, ^{3.} University of California at Santa Cruz

- 250.51 Tracing the Far-Infrared Roles of AGN in Dusty Star-Forming Galaxies
 Author(s): Arianna Brown¹, Hooshang Nayyeri², Asantha R. Cooray², Ketron
 Mitchell-Wynne²
 Institution(s): ¹ CSU Los Angeles, ² UC Irvine
- 250.52 Circumnuclear Star Formation in Seyfert Galaxies
 Author(s): Melissa Marquette², Erin K. Hicks⁴, Francisco Mueller Sanchez⁵,
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 UCLA, ^{4.} University of Alaska Anchorage, ^{5.} University of Colorado Boulder
- 250.53 Disentangling the NLR Structure in Mrk 573 with Integral Field Spectroscopy
 Author(s): Travis C. Fischer⁴, Camilo Machuca³, Marlon Diniz⁶, D. Michael
 Crenshaw³, Steven Kraemer¹, Rogemar A Riffel⁶, Henrique R. Schmitt⁵, Fabien
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250.54 An Extended Look at the Narrow-Line Region of the Seyfert 2 Galaxy Mrk 573
Author(s): Camilo Machuca¹, Travis C. Fischer², D. Michael Crenshaw¹
Institution(s): ¹ Georgia State University, ² NASA's Goddard Space Flight Center

250.55 NGC 3393: multi-component AGN feedback as seen by CHEERS

Author(s): **W. Peter Maksym**¹, Giuseppina Fabbiano¹, Martin Elvis¹, Margarita Karovska¹, John C. Raymond¹, Thaisa Storchi-Bergmann³, Alessandro Paggi¹, Junfeng Wang⁴, Guido Risaliti²

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- 250.56 A Search for H2O Maser Emission from Wide-Angle Outflows in Nearby AGN
 Author(s): Emily Wilson¹, James A. Braatz², Dom Pesce³
 Institution(s): ^{1.} Franklin and Marshall College, ^{2.} National Radio Astronomy
 Observatory, ^{3.} University of Virginia
 Contributing team(s): Megamaser Cosmology Project
- 250.57 Probing the Physical Properties and Origins of Ultra-fast Outflows in AGN Author(s): Steven B. Kraemer¹, Francesco Tombesi³, Mark Bottorff² Institution(s): ¹. Catholic University of America, ². Southwestern University, ³. University of Maryland, College Park
- 250.58 Possible Superluminal Components in the Nearest Tidal Disruption Event
 Author(s): Eric S. Perlman¹, Eileen T. Meyer⁴, Daniel Wang⁵, Qiang Yuan², Judith
 Irwin³, Richard N. Henriksen³
 Institution(s): ^{1.} Florida Institute of Technology, ^{2.} Purple Mountain Observatory,
 ^{3.} Queens University, ^{4.} University of Maryland, Baltimore County, ^{5.} University of
 Massachusetts
- 250.59 AGN-halo Mass Assembly Connection in Galaxy Clusters: Investigation Using the Splashback Radius

Author(s): **Missy McIntosh**¹, Surhud More², John D Silverman² *Institution(s):* ¹. *Harvard University,* ². *Kavli IPMU, UTokyo*

Gemini Observatory Open House

Thursday, 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm; Texas 4

Director Markus Kissler-Patig will share the latest news from Gemini Observatory and seek feedback from the user community to better achieve your scientific goals. He will report on progress with Gemini's Strategic Vision that will prepare the observatory for 2020 and beyond. The robust instrumentation program includes two major new facility instruments under development and ongoing opportunities for community involvement to upgrade current capabilities. Novel operations approaches enable regular proposal opportunities every month and targets of opportunity in both hemispheres. Completion of several observatory initiatives has reduced Gemini's carbon footprint and delivered the world's highest solar electricity system connected to the utility grid. We look forward to your input and ideas in an open conversation.

Organizer(s): Markus Kissler-Patig (Gemini Observatory)

251 Proposing for the James Webb Space Telescope

Thursday, 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm; Grapevine C

The James Webb Space Telescope will be the most powerful telescope that astronomers have ever constructed, serving a broad range of high priority science, as identified by the 2010 decadal survey. The October 2018 launch is rapidly approaching, and the Jan 2017 AAS meeting will take place less than one year before JWST's Cycle 1 Call for Proposals, and only a few months before the call for Early Release Science (ERS) Proposals. The ERS represents the first opportunity for the general astronomical community to win JWST observing time. A suite of tools to help proposers propose for JWST time will become available around the time of the 229th AAS. At the Town Hall, STScI will present the flight release of the JWST exposure time calculator, the Astronomer's Proposal Tool and the JWST observer's documentation, as well as the science timeline for JWST as it relates to proposal planning. STScI will also outline specifics for the Nov 2017 Cycle 1 Call for proposals. Finally, the Town Hall will feature a presentation on JWST status: Dr. Eric Smith (JWST Program Director, NASA HQ) will describe the progress of JWST, and its readiness for the planned October 2018 launch (e.g., testing activities at Johnson Space Flight Center and final integration activities). Ample time will be reserved for discussion with the community and to answer questions related to proposing for JWST.

Organizer(s): Klaus Pontoppidan (California Institute of Technology)

252 HEAD Business Meeting

Thursday, 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm; San Antonio 5

The High Energy Astrophysics Division will hold its business meeting on Thursday, 5 January 2017 at 6:30pm-7:30pm. This is a chance for members and potential members to hear the latest status of the HEAD, and to interact with the HEAD Chair and other members of the Executive Committee. Refreshments will be served.

Chair: Christopher Reynolds (Univ. of Maryland)

WFIRST Status and Science Opportunities

Thursday, 7:30 pm - 9:00 pm; Grapevine B

WFIRST is the top ranked large space mission of the Astro2010 Decadal Survey. The mission has recently started its Phase A study for launch in 2025 and science teams have been selected. The predicted performance is impressive with IR surveys covering 1000's of square degrees to 26.5AB magnitude. The wide-field imaging camera has 288 Mpixels, a grism and an IFU spectrograph. The high contrast coronagraph will significantly advance exoplanet direct imaging and spectroscopy, the highest ranked ASTRO2010 mid-scale priority. Observing time will be available to the community through a vigorous Guest Investigator / Guest Observer program. The mission will make large advances in studies of dark energy, exoplanets, galaxy formation and many other areas of extragalactic, galactic and solar system astrophysics. This session will examine the scientific opportunities available with WFIRST.

Organizer(s): Neil Gehrels (NASA's GSFC)

GMT Open House

Thursday, 7:30 pm - 9:00 pm; Grapevine A

The Giant Magellan Telescope (GMT) Project is a collaboration of US and international research institutions constructing a next-generation extremely large optical/infrared telescope. The GMT will have a seven-segment primary mirror 25 meters in diameter and will be sited at Las Campanas Observatory in Chile. It is designed with integrated adaptive optics and an advanced suite of instruments to support a program of key scientific investigations. Onsite construction began in 2015. GMT partners are:

Astronomy Australia Ltd, The Australian National University, Carnegie Institution for Science, Harvard University, Korea Astronomy and Space Science Institute, FAPESP, Smithsonian Institution, University of Texas at Austin, Texas A&M, University of Arizona, and the University of Chicago. Come to this Open House to meet senior project staff and Science Advisory Committee members. There will be a short update on the project and followed by open discussion. Complimentary snacks and refreshments will be provided.

Organizer(s): Amanda Kocz (GMTO Corporation)

AAS Open Mic Night

Thursday, 8:00 pm - 9:30 pm; Texas C

The 4th Annual AAS Open Mic Night is an event you cannot miss! Members and meeting attendees are encouraged to share their talents with their colleagues in a welcoming, accepting environment. Story tellers, poets, musicians, comedians, jugglers (no fire!): everyone is invited to participate. We welcome all styles and genres of music from bluegrass to speed metal...seriously! Performances must be acceptable to a general audience of your peers and the AAS reserves the right to limit performances based on content. Let us know if you want to perform quickly, as we will be on a first-come, first-served basis for this popular event, but we may be able to accept walk-on performances depending on time availability. Come have some fun and strut your stuff. Cocktails, wine, and beer will be available for purchase.

300 Plenary Session: SPD George Ellery Hale Prize: Magnetic Energy Release in Solar Flares, Terry Forbes (University of New Hampshire)

Friday, 8:30 am - 9:20 am; Texas A

Chair: Dana Longcope (Montana State Univ.)



300.01 Magnetic Energy Release in Solar Flares Author(s): **Terry G. Forbes**¹ *Institution(s):* **. Univ. of New Hampshire

Citation: For his significant contributions to the theory of magnetic reconnection, for his development of important new models of the

physics of solar flares and coronal mass ejections, and for his achievements mentoring students and junior scientists in the solar physics community.

Graduate School and Postdocs as Means to a Job

Friday, 9:30 am - 11:30 am; San Antonio 1

In this workshop, led by academic career counselor and author Dr. Karen Kelsky, we examine the conditions of the current American job market, the most common mistakes made by job-seekers, and the ways you can maximize your chances of success while looking for a tenure-track job. We'll cover: the big-picture conditions of the U.S. tenure track job market; how to build a competitive CV in grad school; the all-important 5-year-plan; how to think like a search committee; the qualities of a successful tenure track job candidate; the ethos of job market documents; the most common mistakes made by job seekers; the three keys to academic interviewing; and the non-academic option. We also examine some of the intangible pitfalls that bedevil job documents and interviewing.

Organizer(s): AAS Employment Committee (AAS)

Thirty Meter Telescope Open House

Friday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Yellow Rose Ballroom

The Thirty Meter Telescope (TMT) will make transformational contributions to most areas of astronomy and astrophysics, from the solar system to cosmology. With an order of magnitude more collecting area than today's largest optical/infrared telescopes, and nearly 5 times better angular resolution than the James Webb Space Telescope at similar infrared wavelengths, TMT will open entirely new regimes of observation and research. At this Open House we will report on the status of TMT, and highlight the continued role of the US astronomical community in planning the observatory and its future scientific programs. We will discuss the permitting process in Hawaii, as well as the characterization and prioritization of potential alternate sites for the observatory. There will be updates on the continued development of the telescope and its instrumentation and adaptive optics systems, planning for future-generation instruments, and ongoing activities in education, workforce development, and public outreach. The TMT International Observatory partnership includes Canada, China, India, Japan, Caltech, and

the University of California. AURA is an Associate Member of TMT, and NOAO executes AURA's TMT-related activities on behalf of the US community. As part of a cooperative agreement with the National Science Foundation, the US TMT Science Working Group (SWG) and the TMT project have developed a plan for US national participation in TMT. This plan describes the scientific, technological, educational, and programmatic benefits of TMT participation for the US community, and considers choices that would maximize those benefits. Members of the US TMT SWG will attend this Open House, and there will be ample time for audience questions and discussion. Complimentary refreshments will be provided.

Organizer(s): Mark Dickinson (NOAO)

Early Science with the Large Millimeter Telescope

Friday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Grapevine 4

The Large Millimeter Telescope is the world's largest single-dish millimeter telescope. In the early science phase, the LMT has been taking observations of gas and dust from debris disks around nearby stars to star forming regions within our Galaxy to galaxies and active galactic nuclei over cosmic time. In this session, we will highlight new science results from the LMT, discuss synergies with other facilities such as ALMA, and motivate the next phase including a new suite of instruments on the 50m LMT.

Organizer(s): Alexandra Pope (Univ. of Massachusetts, Amherst)

301 Extrasolar Planets: Characterization & Theory IV

Friday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Texas A

Chair: Eric Mamajek (University of Rochester)

301.01D A Model of the Hα Transmission Spectrum of HD 189733b

Author(s): **Chenliang Huang²**, Phil Arras², Duncan Christie¹, Zhi-Yun Li² *Institution(s)*: ¹. *University of Forida*, ². *University of Virginia*

- 301.02 Unveiling exoplanetary atmospheres through LBT spectrophotometry
 - Author(s): **Valerio Nascimbeni**², Giampaolo Piotto², Isabella Pagano¹, Gaetano Scandariato¹, Lorenzo Pino²

Institution(s): 1. INAF-OACT, 2. Università di Padova

301.03 VLT FORS2 comparative transmission spectral survey of clear and cloudy exoplanet atmospheres

Author(s): **Nikolay Nikolov**⁶, David K Sing⁶, Neale Gibson³, Jonathan J Fortney⁵, Tom M. Evans⁶, Joanna Barstow⁴, Tiffany Kataria², Paul Wilson¹
Institution(s): ^{1.} IAP, ^{2.} JPL, ^{3.} Queens University Belfast, ^{4.} UCL, ^{5.} University of California Santa Cruz, ^{6.} University of Exeter

301.04 Exploring an Earth-sized neighbor: ground-based transmission spectroscopy of GJ1132b, a rocky planet transiting a small nearby M-dwarf

Author(s): **Hannah Diamond-Lowe**², Zachory K. Berta-Thompson¹, David Charbonneau², Jonathan Irwin², Elisabeth R. Newton³, Jason Dittmann² *Institution(s):* ¹ *CU Boulder,* ² *Harvard University ,* ³ *MIT*

301.05 Emission Spectroscopy of the Super-Earth 55 Cnc e

Author(s): **Diana Dragomir**³, Jacob Bean⁵, Laura Kreidberg², Kevin B. Stevenson⁴, Michael R. Line¹

Institution(s): ^{1.} Arizona State University, ^{2.} Harvard, ^{3.} MIT, ^{4.} Space Telescope Science Institute, ^{5.} University of Chicago

301.06 Challenges to Constraining Exoplanet Masses via Transmission Spectroscopy Author(s): Eliza Kempton¹, Natasha Batalha², Rostom Mbarek³ Institution(s): ¹ Grinnell College, ² Pennsylvania State University, ³ University of Chicago

301.07 The ACCESS Transiting Exoplanets Spectroscopy Survey and the Impact of Heterogeneous Stellar Atmospheres on Transit Spectroscopy

Author(s): **Daniel Apai**⁶, Benjamin V. Rackham⁶, Mercedes Lopez-Morales³, Nestor Espinoza¹, Andres Jordan¹, David Osip⁴, Nikole K. Lewis⁵, Florian Rodler², Jonathan Fraine⁶, Caroline Morley⁷, Jonathan J Fortney⁷, Alex Bixel⁶ Institution(s): ^{1.} Catholic University Chile, ^{2.} European Southern Observatory, ^{3.} Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics, ^{4.} Observatories of the Carnegie Institution for Science, ^{5.} Space Telescope Science Institute, ^{6.} University of Arizona, ^{7.} University of California Santa Cruz
Contributing team(s): ACCESS Team; Earths in Other Solar Systems Team

301.08 FINESSE: A Dedicated Transiting Exoplanet Spectroscopy Mission

Author(s): Jacob Bean¹

Institution(s): 1. University of Chicago

Contributing team(s): FINESSE Science Team

302 AGN, QSO, Blazars: Jets, Outflows, & Winds

Friday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Texas C

Chair: Bradley Peterson (Ohio State Univ.)

302.01 Polarization Signatures distinguish the kinetic- and the magnetic-driven blazar jet models

Author(s): **Haocheng Zhang²**, Hui Li¹, Gregory B. Taylor² *Institution(s): ¹Los Alamos National Lab, ² University of New Mexico*

302.02 The remarkable optical jet in 4C +00.58

Author(s): **Eileen T. Meyer**³, William B. Sparks², Markos Georganopoulos³, Marco Chiaberge², Eric S. Perlman¹ *Institution(s)*: ^{1.} Florida Institute of Technology, ^{2.} Space Telescope Science Institute, ^{3.} University of Maryland, Baltimore County

302.03D The link between quasar broad-line region and galaxy-scale outflows and accurate CIV-based black hole masses

Author(s): **Liam Coatman²**, Paul C Hewett², Manda Banerji², Gordon T. Richards¹, Joseph F Hennawi³, Jason X. Prochaska⁴ *Institution(s):* ¹ Department of Physics, Drexel University, ² Institute of Astronomy, University of Cambridge, ³ MPIA, ⁴ UCO/Lick, UCSC

302.04 Determining the Spatially Resolved Mass Outflow Rate in Markarian 573

Author(s): **Mitchell Revalski**¹, D. Michael Crenshaw¹, Travis C. Fischer², Steven B. Kraemer⁴, Henrique R. Schmitt³

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302.05 Composite Spectra of Broad Absorption Line Quasars in SDSS-III BOSS

Author(s): **Hanna Herbst**⁴, Fred Hamann³, Isabelle Paris¹, Daniel M. Capellupo² *Institution(s):* ¹ *Institut de Astrophysics*, ² *McGill University*, ³ *UC Riverside*, ⁴ *University of Florida*

302.06 The LBT/WISSH quasar survey: revealing powerful winds in the most luminous AGN

Author(s): Giustina Vietri1

Institution(s): 1. Astronomical Observatory of Rome - INAF

302.07D Probing Quasar Winds Using Intrinsic Narrow Absorption Lines

Author(s): **Christopher S. Culliton**¹, Jane C. Charlton¹, Michael Eracleous¹, Amber Roberts¹, Rajib Ganguly³, Toru Misawa², Sowgat Muzahid¹ *Institution(s):* ¹. *Pennsylvania State University,* ². *Shinshu University,* ³. *University of Michigan - Flint*

303 Extrasolar Planets Detection: Imaging

Friday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Texas D

Chair: Harley Thronson (NASA GSFC)

303.01D Using direct imaging to investigate the formation and migration histories of gas giant exoplanets

Author(s): Henry Ngo1

Institution(s): 1. California Institute of Technology

303.03D Imaging Protoplanets: Observing Transition Disks with Non-Redundant Masking

Author(s): Stephanie Sallum¹

Institution(s): 1. University of Arizona

303.04 Directly Imaging Planets with SCExAO: First Results

Author(s): **Thayne M. Currie**², Olivier Guyon², Nemanja Jovanovic², Julien Lozi², Motohide Tamura³, Tomoyuki Kudo², Taichi Uyama³, Eugenio Garcia¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory,* ² *NAOJ/Subaru Telescope,* ³ *University of Tokyo*

303.05 Illuminating Free-floating Planet Demographics with Keck AO

Author(s): **Calen B. Henderson**¹ *Institution(s):* ^{1.} *JPL/Caltech*

303.06 Laboratory Demonstration of High Contrast Imaging in Multi-Star Systems

Author(s): **Ruslan Belikov**², Eduardo Bendek², Eugene Pluzhnik², Dan Sirbu²,

Sandrine Thomas¹

Institution(s): 1. LSST, 2. NASA Ames Research Center

303.07 Technologies Required to Image Earth 2.0 with a Space Coronagraph

Author(s): Nicholas Siegler¹

Institution(s): 1. Jet Propulsion Laboratory

304 Properties of Nearby Galaxies

Friday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Grapevine A

Chair: Caitlin Casey (University of Cambridge)

304.01 The SAMI Galaxy Survey: Publicly Available Spatially Resolved Emission Line Data Products

Author(s): **Anne Medling**³, Andrew W. Green¹, I-Ting Ho⁴, Brent Groves², Scott Croom⁵

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Contributing team(s): the SAMI Galaxy Survey Team

304.02D The Dragonfly Nearby Galaxies Survey: A Census of the Stellar Halos of Nearby Luminous Galaxies

Author(s): **Allison T. Merritt**¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *Yale University*

304.03 The Shocked POststarburst Galaxy Survey

Author(s): Katherine A. Alatalo¹

Institution(s): ¹ Carnegie Observatories Contributing team(s): The SPOGS Team

304.04D Resolved Ammonia Thermometry, Water and Methanol Masers from the "Survey of Water and Ammonia in Nearby Galaxies (SWAN)"

Author(s): **Mark Gorski**⁴, Juergen Ott², Richard J. Rand⁴, David S. Meier³, Emmanuel Momjian², Fabian Walter¹, Eva Schinnerer¹

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304.05 Analyzing Extragalactic Magnetic Fields Using Faraday Rotation Measure Synthesis

Author(s): **Dylan Pare**¹, Q. Daniel Wang¹, Patrick Kamieneski¹, Kendall Sullivan¹ *Institution(s):* ¹. *University of Massachusetts, Amherst*

304.06D A New Perspective on Galaxy Evolution from the Low Density Outskirts of Galaxies

Author(s): Aaron Emery Watkins1

Institution(s): 1. Case Western Reserve University

305 Galactic Archaeology with Kepler and K2

Friday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Grapevine B

The exquisite lightcurves of the Kepler and K2 missions have been an unexpected boon to the field of near-field cosmology. Ages and evolutionary states can now be derived for field red giants, by combining asteroseismology with spectroscopic data. Red giants, far more luminous than the main-sequence turnoff stars usually used, allow us to probe the evolution of the whole Galaxy. Originally these investigations were restricted to a single line of sight of the Kepler field. With the failure of two of the reaction wheels and the start of the K2 program to observe many fields along the ecliptic, we now probe distinctly different Galactic populations, including the inner and outer disks, the bulge-halo interface, and far more of the Galactic halo. In K2, the Galactic Archaeology Program has been awarded the second largest number of targets, with over 50,000 stars targeted to understand the formation of the Milky Way. The data from the Kepler field has already been used to calibrate the largest age map yet made of the Galaxy, and we are just beginning to explore this vast dataset. The ongoing release of Kepler/ K2 light curves and the public availability of follow-up spectra for thousands of targets over the last year alone indicates that this is an ideal time to discuss the most recent breakthroughs in the rapidly evolving field of Galactic archeology In this special session, we will discuss the extensive follow-up work underway to make Galactic archaeology possible, discuss how Kepler/K2 data in stellar clusters reveals the history of stellar activity, and present the pioneering results of Galactic archaeology. These include investigations of the age spread in the Galactic halo, examination of the vertical and radial age gradients in the thick and thin disk, measurement of the timescales for chemical evolution, calibration of age indicators for even larger age maps, and discussion of synergies with Gaia.

Chair: Jennifer Johnson (Ohio State Univ.)

305.01 Overview of Galactic Archaelogy with Kepler and K2

Author(s): Jennifer Johnson¹
Institution(s): ¹ Ohio State Univ.
Contributing team(s): APOKASC Team, APO-K2

305.02 Synergies between spectroscopic and time-series photometric surveys – LAMOST observations for the Kepler field and K2 fields

Author(s): **Jianning Fu¹**, Peter De Cat², Martin Smith³
Institution(s): ¹ Beijing Normal University, ² Royal Observatory of Belgium,
³ Shanghai Astronomical Observatory

305.03 K2 red giant asteroseismology using Bayesian Asteroseismology data Modeling (BAM)

Author(s): **Joel Zinn**¹, Dennis Stello², Marc H. Pinsonneault¹ *Institution(s)*: ¹ Ohio State University, ² University of New South Whales

305.04 Activity and age from Kepler and K2 observations of field and cluster stars Author(s): David R. Soderblom¹

Institution(s): 1. STScI

305.05 APOKASC 2.0: Asteroseismology and Spectroscopy for Cool Stars

Author(s): Marc H. Pinsonneault¹, Yvonne P Elsworth² Institution(s): ¹ Ohio State Univ., ² University of Birmingham Contributing team(s): APOKASC

305.07 Disentangling the stellar components of the metal-poor Milky Way

Author(s): **Matthew D. Shetrone**³, Jennifer Johnson², Giuseppina Battaglia¹, Dennis Stello⁴, Joel Zinn², Sanjib Sharma²

Institution(s): ^{1.} Instituto de Astrofisica De Canarias, ^{2.} Ohio State University, ^{3.} Univ. of Texas, ^{4.} University of New South Wales

Contributing team(s): APOGEE Team

306 Cosmology II

Friday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Grapevine C

Chair: Renee Hlozek (Princeton University)

306.01 The SDSS-IV Extended Baryon Oscillation Spectroscopic Survey: The Clustering of Luminous Red Galaxies Using Photometric Redshifts

Author(s): Abhishek Prakash¹

Institution(s): ^{1.} *University of Pittsburgh* Contributing team(s): SDSS-IV/eBOSS

306.02 Strong New Evidence for Oscillation of the Cosmological Scale Factor Observed in the Large Scale Structure

Author(s): **Harry I. Ringermacher**¹, Lawrence R Mead¹ *Institution(s):* ¹. *U. of Southern Mississippi*

306.04 The Properties of Primordial Stars and Galaxies measured from the 21-cm Global Spectrum using the Dark Ages Radio Explorer (DARE)

Author(s): Jack O. Burns⁸, Judd D. Bowman¹, Richard F. Bradley⁵, Anastasia Fialkov³, Steven R. Furlanetto⁷, Dayton L. Jones⁶, Justin Kasper⁹, Abraham Loeb², Jordan Mirocha⁷, Raul A. Monsalve⁸, David Rapetti⁸, Keith Tauscher⁸, Edward Wollack⁴

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306.05 Lyman-alpha radiation hydrodynamics of galactic winds before cosmic reionization

Author(s): **Aaron Smith**², Volker Bromm², Abraham Loeb¹ *Institution(s):* ^{1.} *Harvard University,* ^{2.} *University of Texas at Austin*

306.06 Cosmological consistency tests of gravity theory and cosmic acceleration Author(s): Mustapha B. Ishak-Boushaki¹
Institution(s): ¹. Univ. Of Texas at Dallas

306.07 Cosmology with Independently Varying Neutrino Temperature and Number Author(s): Richard Galvez¹

Institution(s): 1. Vanderbilt University

307 Merging Galaxies & Gravitational Waves: From Mpc to mpc

Friday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Grapevine D

This Special Session will highlight advancements in astrophysics in the low frequency gravitational waveband. Galaxy mergers are key to galaxy assembly and dynamics, as large galaxies in the local Universe are thought to undergo multiple mergers during their development. It is also established that most, if not all, large galaxies in the local Universe host a supermassive black hole (SMBH). During a merger SMBHs sink, through dynamical friction, to the center of the merger product; this simple dynamical evolution model can replicate a variety of galaxy and quasar properties, including the M BHsigma relation, the quasar luminosity function, and the central brightness of galaxies. The two SMBHs will form a bound *binary* when their separation is of order 10 pc. Further interactions with stars in the central region, and possibly gas interactions, may drive the binary to a point at which gravitational wave emission dominates its dynamics. The nanohertz gravitational waves emitted by a binary SMBH should be detectable by precise timing of radio pulsars. The sensitivity of pulsar timing arrays has now breached the strength of gravitational-wave signals expected from the known population of merging galaxies. The upper limits on nanohertz gravitational waves have a number of implications for galaxy dynamics: (i) masses of SMBH binaries could be systematically over-estimated, such that their gravitational waves are too; (ii) SMBH binaries could "stall," remaining at pc-scale separations and never emit gravitational waves; or (iii) Binaries could evolve rapidly through the nanohertz regime because they couple strongly to the galactic environment. This session will review what is known about the SMBH mass function, black hole-host relations, the galaxy merger process, and the influence of these on the expected gravitational wave signals. We will explore potential resolutions of the emerging mismatch between observed galaxy mergers and their notyet-detected gravitational waves.

Chair: Joseph Lazio (Jet Propulsion Laboratory)

307.01 AGN Triggering in Kpc-scale Separation Merging Galaxies

Author(s): Julia M. Comerford1

Institution(s): 1. University of Colorado, Boulder

307.02 Gravitational waves from binary supermassive black holes in galactic nuclei

Author(s): David Merritt¹

Institution(s): 1. Rochester Inst. of Technology

307.03 Implications of gravitational-wave observations observations for supermassive binary black holes

Author(s): Xavier Siemens¹

Institution(s): 1. University of Wisconsin -- Milwaukee Contributing team(s): NANOGrav Physics Frontiers Center

307.04D Evolution of massive black hole binaries in rotating galactic nuclei:

implications for gravitational wave detection

Author(s): **Alexander Rasskazov**¹, David Merritt¹ *Institution(s)*: ¹ Rochester Institute of Technology

307.05 Gravitational Wave Multi-Messenger Prospects for Pulsar Timing Arrays
Author(s): Joseph Simon¹, Sarah Burke-Spolaor²
Institution(s): ¹ University of Wisconsin Milwaukee, ² West Virginia University

307.06 Nanohertz gravitational wave sources in the local universe

Author(s): **Chiara M. F. Mingarelli**¹, Steve Croft⁵, Justin Ellis², Jenny E. Greene⁴, Joseph Lazio², Chung-Pei Ma⁵, Alberto Sesana⁶, Sarah Burke-Spolaor³, Stephen R Taylor²

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308 Supernovae

Friday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Texas 1

Chair: Peter Garnavich (Univ. of Notre Dame)

308.01 On Variations Of Pre-Supernova Model Properties

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308.02 The Fate of Exploding Carbon-Oxygen Chandrasekhar-Mass White Dwarfs: The Production of Stable Iron-Peak Elements in the Type Ia Supernova Remnant 3C 397

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308.03 The Type Ia Supernova Color-Magnitude Relation and Host Galaxy Dust: A Simple Hierarchical Bayesian Model

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308.04 Progressive Red Shifts in the Late-Time Spectra of Type Ia Supernovae

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308.05D Simulation of compact circumstellar shells around Type Ia supernovae and the resulting high-velocity features

Author(s): **Brian W. Mulligan**¹, J. Craig Wheeler¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *University of Texas at Austin*

308.06 Short-Lived Circumstellar Interaction in a Low-Luminosity Type IIP Supernova

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308.07D Time Lapse Spectropolarimetry: Constraining the Nature and Progenitors of Interacting CCSNe

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309 Space Missions: X-ray Instruments

Friday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Texas 3

Chair: Philip Kaaret (Univ. of Iowa)

309.01 Status of the Micro-X Sounding Rocket Telescope

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309.02 Prospects for Sterile Neutrino Observations with the Micro-X Sounding Rocket Author(s): Antonia Hubbard⁶, Joseph D Adams⁴, Bob Baker⁴, Simon Bandler⁴, Meredith E. Danowski², Randy Doriese⁵, Megan Eckart⁴, Enectali Figueroa-Feliciano⁶, Sarah N. Heine³, Gene Hilton⁵, David Goldfinger³, Richard L. Kelley⁴, Caroline Kilbourne⁴, Renée Manzagol⁶, Dan McCammon⁷, Takashi Okajima⁴, Frederick Scott Porter⁴, Carl Reintsema⁵, Peter J. Serlemitsos⁴, Stephen J Smith⁴,

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309.03 NICER ground verification: as-built timing, spectroscopy, and throughout performance of NASA's next X-ray timing astrophysics mission

Author(s): Keith Gendreau¹, Zaven Arzoumanian¹

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309.04 STROBE-X: X-ray Timing & Spectroscopy on Dynamical Timescales from Microseconds to Years

Author(s): **Colleen A. Wilson-Hodge**⁵, Paul S. Ray⁷, Keith Gendreau⁴, Deepto Chakrabarty³, Marco Feroci², Tom Maccarone⁹, Zaven Arzoumanian¹, Ronald A. Remillard³, Kent Wood⁸, Christopher Griffith⁶

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309.05 Diffraction efficiency of a replicated, flight-like off-plane reflection grating baselined for future X-ray missions

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310 Planets & Planetesimals in Circumstellar Disks

Friday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Texas 4

Chair: Ilaria Pascucci (LPL/University of Arizona)

310.01 Using Disk Eclipsing Systems to Understand Planet Formation and Evolution Author(s): Joseph E. Rodriguez², Hugh P. Osborn³, Benjamin John Shappee¹

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310.02D Studying the inner regions of young stars and their disks with aperture masking interferometry

Author(s): **Alexandra Greenbaum²**, Anand Sivaramakrishnan¹
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310.03 The First 40 Million Years of Circumstellar Disk Evolution: The Signature of Terrestrial Planet Formation

Author(s): **Huan Meng¹**, George Rieke¹, Kate Y.L. Su¹, Andras Gaspar¹ *Institution(s):* ¹. *University of Arizona*

310.04D Illuminating the Role of Spiral Waves in Circumstellar Disks

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310.06 The highly varying circumstellar debris disk of HD 183324

Author(s): **Barry Welsh**², Sharon Lynn Montgomery¹ *Institution(s):* ^{1.} *Clarion University,* ^{2.} *UC, Berkeley*

310.07 Spectroscopic Evolution of Disintegrating Planetesimals: Minutes to Months Variability in the Circumstellar Gas Associated with WD 1145+017

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311 Molecular Clouds, HII Regions, PDRs

Friday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Grapevine 1

Chair: Laura Fissel (National Radio Astronomy Observatory)

311.01 Measurements of Molecular Cloud Ages using the HI/ H2 Ratio

Author(s): Marko Krco1, Di Li1

Institution(s): 1. National Astronomical Observatories of China

311.02D Physical properties of CO-dark molecular gas with C+ and OH observations

Author(s): Ningyu Tang², Di Li², Carl E. Heiles¹

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311.03 Spectral Classification of Heavily Reddened Stars by CO Absorption Strength Author(s): Christopher Garling², Jeffrey S. Bary¹, Tracy L. Huard³

Institution(s): ¹ Colgate University, ² Haverford College, ³ University of Maryland

311.04D Quantifying the Multiphase Galactic Outflows Driven by Supernovae

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311.05 Striae and MHD Waves in Molecular Clouds

Author(s): **Paul Goldsmith**², Mark H. Heyer³, Umut Yildiz², Ronald L. Snell³, Edith Falgarone¹, Jorge L. Pineda² *Institution(s)*: ¹. ENS, ². JPL, ³. University of Massachusetts

311.06D Probing the conditions within Photo-dissociation Regions with high resolution near-infrared spectroscopy of UV-excited molecular hydrogen

Author(s): **Kyle Kaplan**¹, Harriet L. Dinerstein¹, Daniel Thomas Jaffe¹ *Institution(s):* ¹. The University of Texas at Austin

312 Perspectives in Research Software: Education, Funding, Reproducibility, Citation, & Impact

Friday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Grapevine 2

Software is of vital importance to scientific research. Indeed, a recent informal survey found that all astronomers use software in their research(1). All disciplines, including astronomy, struggle with funding for developing and maintaining software, and with methods for sustaining, sharing, discovering, and citing software. Further, scientists are often not taught how to program well, efficiently, and in a sustainable manner, and software-related activities are frequently not rewarded in academic and research institutions. Given the importance of software to research, improving all aspects of research codes will result in even better science. This session, organized by the Astrophysics Source Code Library (ASCL) and the Moore-Sloan Data Science Environment (DSE) at NYU, builds on previous AAS special sessions and brings together experts from other fields and within astronomy. They will present information on activities and

projects that are addressing some of the challenges the astronomy community and the scientists who write software face and will share lessons learned in other disciplines that have direct applicability to astronomy. After the presentations, the floor will be open for discussion and questions. (1)https://www.authorea.com/users/10533/articles/18046

Chair: G. Berriman (Caltech)

312.01 Software not as a service

Author(s): Tracy Teal¹

Institution(s): 1. Data Carpentry

312.02 Funding Research Software Development

Author(s): Ivelina G. Momcheva¹

Institution(s): 1. Space Telescope Science Institute

312.03 Reproducibility and reusability of scientific software

Author(s): Lior Shamir¹

Institution(s): 1. Lawrence Technological University

312.04 Finding the right wheel when you don't want to reinvent it

Author(s): Michael Hucka1

Institution(s): 1. California Institute of Technology

312.05 Update on research software citation efforts

Author(s): Alice Allen1

Institution(s): 1. Astrophysics Source Code Library

312.06 Capturing the impact of software

Author(s): Heather Piwowar1

Institution(s): ^{1.} *Impactstory*

312.07 The relationships between software publications and software systems

Author(s): David W. Hogg1

Institution(s): 1. New York University

313 Exploring the Optical Time Domain with the Intermediate Palomar Transient Factory

Friday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Fort Worth 6

The Intermediate Palomar Transient Factory (iPTF) has conducted a range of time-domain surveys since 2013, including high-cadence searches for fast transients, targeted followup of Fermi gamma-ray bursts and Advanced LIGO triggers, and an extensive variability survey of the Northern Galactic Plane. As the survey concludes, we review the scientific returns from these surveys as well as implications for next-generation surveys such as the Zwicky Transient Facility and LSST. Finally, we provide an overview of the public data products being released.

Chair: Stephen Cenko (University of California, Berkeley)

313.01 An Overview of the The Intermediate Palomar Transient Factory Surveys

Author(s): Eric Christopher Bellm¹, Shrinivas R. Kulkarni¹

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Contributing team(s): The Intermediate Palomar Transient Factory Collaboration

313.02 Early rise of Type Ia supernovae in the iPTF sample

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313.03 Exploding massive stars in real time: highlights from iPTF studies of corecollapse supernovae

Author(s): Avishay Gal-Yam1 Institution(s): 1. Weizmann Institute of Science

313.04 Superluminous Supernovae and Other Transients from iPTF

Author(s): Ragnhild Lunnan¹, Robert Quimby⁴, Lin Yan¹, Annalisa De Cia³, Avishay Gal-Yam⁵, Paul Vreeswijk⁵, Giorgos Leloudas⁵, Daniel A. Perley² Institution(s): 1. California Institute of Technology, 2. Dark Cosmology Center, ^{3.} ESO, ^{4.} SDSU, ^{5.} Weizmann Institute of Science Contributing team(s): Intermediate Palomar Transient Factory

313.05 Leo Singer

313.06 The iPTF variability data and the iPTF Galactic Plane survey

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313.07 Exploring Near to Home: Solar System Science with the Palomar Transient Factory

Author(s): Thomas Allen Prince¹ Institution(s): 1. Caltech/JPL

Contributing team(s): Palomar Transient Factory, Intermediate Palomar

Transient Factory

314 Graduate, Majors, & Gen. Ed. Astronomy Education: Research, Practice, & Funding Opportunities!

Friday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Dallas 6

Chair: Kristine Larsen (Central Connecticut State University)

314.01 The AstroPAL Starter Pack: How to Create a Grad Mentoring Program That **Fosters Equity and Inclusion in Your Department**

Author(s): Nicole Cabrera1 Institution(s): 1. Georgia State University

314.02 ZTF Undergraduate Astronomy Institute at Caltech and Pomona College

Author(s): Bryan Edward Penprase², Eric Christopher Bellm¹

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314.03 Harvard Observing Project (HOP): Involving Undergraduates in Research Projects

Author(s): **Allyson Bieryla**¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *Harvard Univ.*

314.04 A Bridge to the Stars: A Model High School-to-College Pipeline to Improve Diversity in STEM

Author(s): **Daniel H. McIntosh**¹, Derrick H Jennings¹
Institution(s): ¹ University of Missouri-Kansas City

314.05 Unpacking Exoplanet Detection Using Pedagogical Discipline Representations (PDRs)

Author(s): **Edward E. Prather**², Timothy G. Chambers³, Colin Scott Wallace¹, Gina Brissenden²

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314.06 Mobile Learning of Astronomy Through Apple's iTunes U

Author(s): Robert M. Wagner¹

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314.07 Analysis of the NSF IUSE Physics & Astronomy Education Portfolio

Author(s): Kevin M. Lee¹

Institution(s): 1. National Science Foundation

315 Plenary Session: Newton Lacy Pierce Prize: The Chemistry of Planet Formation, Karen Öberg (Harvard-Smithsonian, CfA)

Friday, 11:40 am - 12:30 pm; Texas A

Chair: Christine Jones (Harvard-Smithsonian, CfA)



315.01 The Chemistry of Planet Formation

Author(s): Karin I. Oberg¹

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Citation: For her research on the astrochemistry and astrophysics of ices and molecules in star-forming regions and protoplanetary disks.

Öberg's scientific leadership and her comparison of observations and simulations have led to new understanding of the chemical processes taking place in planet-forming circumstellar disks and fundamental advances in the field of star and planet formation.

NASA COPAG-Far-Infrared SIG Meeting

Friday, 12:30 pm - 3:30 pm; San Antonio 1

Science Interest Group for Far-Infrared Science and Technology

Organizer(s): Susan Neff (NASA's GSFC)

316 Astro2020: The Next Decadal Survey of Astronomy and Astrophysics

Friday, 12:45 pm - 1:45 pm; Grapevine C

The decadal survey is the process through which the broad astronomy and astrophysics community forms recommendations to the agencies supporting its research for the next decade. The most recent survey and the resulting report, "New Worlds, New Horizons in Astronomy and Astrophysics," completed in August 2010, recommended a suite of new activities that NASA, NSF, and DOE are working to implement. In addition, the 2015 report, "The Space Science Decadal Surveys: Lessons Learned and Best Practices", and the 2016 mid-decadal survey report, both provide important input as the National Academy of Sciences, Engineering, and Medicine (the Academies) and its Committee on Astronomy and Astrophysics (CAA) begin to plan for the next decadal survey, Astro2020. Community involvement throughout the process is essential to the success of a survey. We therefore seek the community's engagement in a Town Hall during the 229th Meeting of the American Astronomical Society. At this Town Hall, the co-chairs of the CAA will briefly describe the planning process and expected schedule for Astro2020. They will then facilitate a community discussion on key matters facing the next survey, including technical and programmatic scope and boundaries, inputs (including white papers), timing and structure, the cost and technical evaluation (CATE) process, the international context, and the state of the profession. Marcia Rieke, University of Arizona, and Steven Ritz, University of California, Santa Cruz, CAA Co-Chairs, will chair the session. Other CAA members will be present.

Organizer(s): Michael Moloney (National Research Council)

317 NOAO Town Hall: NOAO Forward

Friday, 12:45 pm - 1:45 pm; Texas C

The National Optical Astronomy Observatory (NOAO) is deploying a new suite of research capabilities for the community-at-large in partnership with NSF, DOE, NASA, and various major science collaborations. Instrumentation capabilities available now include the ultra-wide field optical imager DECam as well as new optical and infrared medium-resolution spectrometers. Coming in the near future are DESI ultra-wide-field, 5000-fiber optical spectrometer and the Extreme Precision Doppler Spectrometer (EPDS). Wide-field optical surveys are delivering major new data products to the Science Archive for community use now. In support of those new data products, NOAO is developing catalog exploration, exploitation, and visualization tools within the Data Lab project. NOAO remains active as the US gateway to Gemini and its recently improved instrument suite. Meanwhile, NOAO is laying the groundwork for supporting LSST-related research in the 2020s, especially in the time-domain. Join us for a presentation by the NOAO Director as well as ample opportunity for discussion.

Chair: David Silva (National Optical Astronomy Observatory)

NOAO Mini-Workshop: Mining Observatory Archives

Friday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; San Antonio 4

Publication statistics from major public observatories show that less than half of all programs scheduled on telescopes result in a publication. Statistics collected at Gemini show this to be independent of instrument, mode of observation, and whether or not raw or pipeline reduced data were delivered. Even the percentage completed does not have a strong impact for programs that are over 50 percent complete. The average time between observation and publication is two years with the number publications after two years declining roughly exponentially. With astronomy transitioning from largely PI driven observations to increasing dependence on survey data, the discovery and use of archival data is becoming important. We will discuss both observatory metrics and tools for mining archived data. Staff from NOAO, Gemini, and the two largest public archives, MAST and IPAC, will give presentations. The NOAO Data Lab, which includes tools well suited to mining both survey and archival data, will be discussed.

Organizer(s): Kenneth Hinkle (NOAO)

Starshade Development for Direct Imaging of Exoplanets

Friday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Appaloosa 1

Flying between a space telescope and its target star, a starshade can suppress starlight to levels needed for direct imaging of habitable exoplanets. If developed in time to rendezvous with WFIRST, a starshade would enable the habitable zones of ~30 nearby stars to be searched for Earth-like planets. To prepare a starshade rendezvous option for the 2020 Decadal Survey's consideration, the NASA Exoplanet Exploration Program (ExEP) has organized two community working groups. This splinter session will present the technology development and validation strategy for 2017-2019 that was recommended by the 50-member StarShade readiness Working Group (SSWG), and plans for ExEP's new Starshade Technology Project (STP) which is charged to carry out those recommendations in collaboration with the national community.

- 2:00 PM Introduction to NASA Starshade Development Activities (Gary Blackwood, JPL)
- 2:10 PM Starshade-enabled Exoplanet Science for the 20s and 30s (Margaret Turnbull, SETI Institute)
- 2:30 PM The Engineering Strategy to Demonstrate Technical Readiness (Charley Noecker and Gary Blackwood, JPL)
- 3:00 PM Next Steps in Starshade Technology Development (John Ziemer, JPL)
- 3:20 PM Accommodation of Starshade Readiness on WFIRST (Dominic Benford, NASA HQ)

3:30 PM end

Organizer(s): Karl Stapelfeldt (NASA Goddard Space Flight Center)

318 Extrasolar Planets: Characterization & Theory V

Friday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Texas A

Chair: Sarah Ballard (University of Washington)

318.01D Observational constraints on planet formation and migration timescales

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318.02 Forming Gaps in Debris Disks with Migrating Planets

Author(s): Sarah J. Morrison¹, Kaitlin M. Kratter¹

Institution(s): 1. Univ. of Arizona

318.03D Messages from the Reversing Layer: Clues to Planet Formation in Spectral Abundances

Author(s): John Michael Brewer¹, Debra Fischer¹, Sarbani Basu¹

Institution(s): 1. Yale University

318.04 The Formation of Close-in Exoplanets

Author(s): Jacob B. Simon1

Institution(s): 1. University of Colorado

318.05 Is Collisional Fragmentation a Barrier to the Formation of Short-Period Planets?

Author(s): **Joshua Wallace**³, Scott D. Tremaine², John E. Chambers¹
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318.07 The World is Spinning: Constraining the Origin of Supermassive Gas Giant Planets at Wide Separations Using Planetary Spin

Author(s): Marta Bryan¹, Heather Knutson¹, Konstantin Batygin¹, Björn

Benneke¹, Brendan Bowler²

Institution(s): 1. Caltech, 2. UT Austin

319 AGN, QSO, Blazars: Hosts & Interactions

Friday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Texas C

Chair: Herman Marshall (MIT)

319.01 Improving Calibration of the MBH-σ* Relation for AGN with the BRAVE Program

Author(s): **Merida Batiste**², Misty C. Bentz², Emily Manne-Nicholas², Sandra I. Raimundo³, Christopher A. Onken¹, Marianne Vestergaard³, Matthew A.

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319.02D AGN multi-wavelength identification and host galaxy properties

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319.03D Investigating the host galaxies of luminous AGN in the local universe with integral field spectroscopy

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319.04D Characterizing the population of active galactic nuclei in dwarf galaxies

Author(s): **Vivienne F Baldassare**³, Amy E. Reines¹, Elena Gallo³, Jenny E. Greene² *Institution(s)*: ¹ *NOAO*, ² *Princeton University*, ³ *University of Michigan*

319.05 Galaxy Interactions and AGN-triggering to z~1: an unprecedented new view from the Hyper Suprime-Cam Survey

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319.06 Serendipitous Discovery of a Radio Transient in the Luminous Radio Galaxy Cygnus A

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320 Extrasolar Planets Detection: Radial Velocity I

Friday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Texas D

Chair: Debra Fischer (Yale University)

320.01 Upgrades to MINERVA control software

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320.02 Spectroscopic commissioning results from MINERVA

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320.03D The Promise of Many Worlds: Detection and Characterization of Exoplanets with Extreme Precision Spectroscopy

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320.04 Discovery of Two Jovian Planet Candidates Around AU Mic

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320.05 Update from the ongoing precision radial velocity campaign to characterize the HD 3167 system

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320.06D Hide and Seek: Radial-velocity searches for planets around active stars

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320.07 The Anglo-Australian Planet Search Legacy

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321 Galaxy Formation & Evolution

Friday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Grapevine A

Chair: Ivelina Momcheva (Carnegie Observatories)

321.01 Quantifying the Effects of Gas-Rich Flyby Encounters on Galaxy Evolution

Author(s): **Julie Dumas²**, Kelly Holley-Bockelmann², Meagan Lang¹ *Institution(s):* ^{1.} *University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign,* ^{2.} *Vanderbilt University*

321.02D Evolving Galaxies in a Hierachical Universe

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321.03 The Spatial Distribution and Kinematics of the Circumgalactic Medium

Author(s): **Christopher W. Churchill¹**, Nikole M. Nielsen³, Glenn Kacprzak³, Jane C. Charlton², Sowgat Muzahid²

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321.04D First Detection of a Cluster-scale Gradient in the ISM metallicity of the Starforming Galaxies

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321.05D Observations and Models of Galaxy Assembly Bias

Author(s): **Duncan A. Campbell**¹
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322 Beyond the Academy: Panel Discussion on Entering Non-Academic Careers

Friday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Grapevine B

More of our astronomy colleagues are choosing meaningful careers in industry, and yet very little information trickles back into academia about what those careers are like, what skills transferred from astronomy training, or even how to make the career transition. The lack of solid information and mentoring can make any career path beyond the academy seem daunting. We propose to fill this information gap in a continuation of the Employment Committee's professional development workshops and seminars at the annual winter meeting of the American Astronomical Society (AAS). In partnership with the American Institute of Physics (AIP), the 2017 meeting will feature a panel discussion on careers beyond academia. Invited speakers from the professional, entrepreneurial, and government sectors will be joined by recruiters and other astronomers from a wide spectrum of fields for an engaging panel discussion on how to start a career outside academia. Topics will cover advice on: marketing your existing skills for a position outside academia, what highly-sought skills will increase your competitiveness, how the job-hunting process works, what to expect in the interview process, and what the initial transition is really like. We will have the panel introduce themselves for 30 minutes, followed by questions from the audience for 30 minutes. The final 30 minutes will allow the audience to network with individual panelists in small groups.

Chair: Kelly Holley-Bockelmann (Vanderbilt University)

323 Cosmic Microwave Background

Friday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Grapevine C

Chair: Brian Nord (University of Michigan)

323.01 The Atacama Cosmology Telescope: Two-season spectrum and parameters Author(s): Renée Hlozek¹, Thibaut Louis², Emily Grace⁵, Matthew Hasselfield⁴, Marius Lungu⁶, Loic Maurin³

Institution(s): ^{1.} Dunlap Institute for Astronomy and Astrophysics, ^{2.} Institut d'Astrophysique de Paris, ^{3.} Instituto de Astrofísica P. Universidad Católica de Chile, ^{4.} Penn State, ^{5.} Princeton University, ^{6.} University of Pennsylvania Contributing team(s): Atacama Cosmology Telescope

323.02D Multifrequency Beam Characterization and Systematics for the Keck Array, BICEP3, and Future CMB Polarization Experiments

Author(s): Kirit Karkare1

Institution(s): ^{1.} Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics Contributing team(s): BICEP/Keck Array Collaboration

323.03D The Cosmology Large Angular Scale Surveyor

Author(s): Aamir Ali², John W Appel², Charles L. Bennett², Fletcher Boone³, Michael Brewer², Manwei Chan², David T. Chuss³, Felipe Colazo³, Sumit Dahal², Kevin Denis³, Rolando Dünner⁵, Joseph Eimer², Thomas Essinger-Hileman², Pedro Fluxa⁵, Mark Halpern³, Gene Hilton⁴, Gary F. Hinshaw³, Johannes Hubmayr⁴, Jeffrey Iuliano², John Karakla², Tobias Marriage², Jeff McMahon³, Nathan Miller³, Samuel H Moseley³, Gonzalo Palma⁶, Lucas Parker², Matthew Petroff², Bastián Pradenas⁶, Karwan Rostem³, Marco Saglioccaց¸, Deniz Valle², Duncan Watts², Edward Wollack³, Zhilei Xu², Lingzhen Zeng¹ Institution(s): ¹· Harvard Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics, ²· Johns Hopkins University, ³· NASA Goddard Space Flight Center, ⁴· National Institutes of Science and Technology, ⁵· Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile, ⁶· Universidad de Chile, ¹· University of British Columbia, ^{8·} University of Michigan, ^{9·} Villanova University

323.04 Testing the ultra-light axion hypothesis with CMB-SIV

Author(s): **Daniel Grin**¹, Renee Hlozek³, David Marsh² *Institution(s):* ¹ *Haverford College,* ² *Kings College London,* ³ *University of Toronto*

323.05 Cosmic Microwave Background Small-Scale Structure: I. Observations of the Foreground Emission

Author(s): **Joan T. Schmelz¹**, Gerrit L. Verschuur¹ *Institution(s)*: ¹ *Arecibo Observatory*

323.06 Cosmic Microwave Background Small-Scale Structure: II. Model of the Foreground Emission

Author(s): **Gerrit L. Verschuur**¹, Joan T. Schmelz¹ *Institution(s)*: ¹ *Arecibo Observatory*

324 Surveys & Data - Radio and High Energy

Friday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Grapevine D

Chair: Mansi Kasliwal (Caltech)

324.01 MALATANG: MApping the dense moLecular gAs in the sTrongest stAr-formiNg Galaxies

Author(s): Yu Gao1

Institution(s): 1. Purple Mountain Observatory

Contributing team(s): Zhiyu Zhang, Thomas Greve, and MALATANG team

324.02 First imaging results from Apertif, a phased-array feed for WSRT

Author(s): **Elizabeth A. Adams**¹, Björn Adebahr¹, Willem J.G. de Blok¹, Kelley M Hess³, Boudewijn Hut¹, Danielle M. Lucero³, Filippo Maccagni³, Raffaella Morganti¹, Tom Oosterloo¹, Lister Staveley-Smith², Thijs van der Hulst³, Marc Verheijen³, Joris Verstappen³

Institution(s): 1. ASTRON, 2. ICRAR, 3. Kapteyn Astronomical Institute

324.03 The VLA Sky Survey - science goals and some early results from the pilot survey

Author(s): Mark Lacy¹, Claire J. Chandler¹, Amy E. Kimball¹, Steven T. Myers¹,

Frank Schinzel¹

Institution(s): 1. NRAO

Contributing team(s): VLASS Survey Science Group

324.04 The VLA Sky Survey (VLASS): Technical Implementation and Pilot Survey Results

Author(s): **Steven T. Myers**³, Stefi Baum⁵, Claire J. Chandler³, Shami Chatterjee¹, Amy E. Kimball³, Mark Lacy², Casey J. Law⁴, Frank Schinzel³, Demian Arancibia³, R. Hiriart³, Drew Medlin³

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Contributing team(s): for the VLA Sky Survey Team, and the Survey Science Group

324.05 An Enhanced Multiwavelength Photometric Catalog for the Spitzer Extragalactic Representative Volume Survey

Author(s): **Kristina Nyland¹** *Institution(s): ¹ NRAO*

324.06 The SAGE-Spec Spitzer Legacy program: Identification of Spitzer-IRS staring mode targets in the Large Magellanic Cloud

Author(s): Olivia Jones¹
Institution(s): ¹ STScI

Contributing team(s): Sage-Spec team

325 The Sun

Friday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Texas 3

Chair: Alicia Aarnio (University of Michigan)

325.01 Why Theory Fails to Reproduce the Observed Variation of Acoustic Cutoff in the Solar Atmosphere?

Author(s): **Zdzislaw E. Musielak**², Krzysztof Murawski¹ *Institution(s):* ^{1.} *Uni. Maria Curie-Sklodowska,* ^{2.} *Univ. of Texas, Arlington*

325.02 The solar corona through the sunspot cycle: preparing for the August 21, 2017, total solar eclipse

Author(s): **Jay M. Pasachoff**³, Daniel Seaton², Vojtech Rusin¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *Astronomical Inst., Slovak Academy of Sciences,* ² *CIRES, U. Colorado,* ³ *Williams College*

325.03 A Hierarchical Relationship between CME Properties and the Fluence Spectral Index of Large Solar Energetic Particle Events

Author(s): **N. Gopalswamy**¹, Seiji Yashiro², Neeharika Thakur², Pertti Makela², Hong Xie², Sachiko Akiyama²

Institution(s): 1. NASA GSFC, 2. The Catholic University of America

325.04D White-Light and Radioastronomical Remote-Sensing of Coronal Mass Ejections

Author(s): Jason E. Kooi¹, Steven R. Spangler²

Institution(s): ^{1.} U.S. Naval Research Laboratory, ^{2.} University of Iowa

326 Binary & X-ray Stellar Systems

Friday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Texas 4

Chair: Lynn Cominsky (Sonoma State Univ.)

326.01 Flow Patterns in Simulated Contact Binaries

Author(s): **Patrick M. Motl¹**, Kundan Kadam², Juhan Frank², Geoffrey C. Clayton² *Institution(s)*: ¹ *Indiana University Kokomo*, ² *Louisiana State University*

326.02D A Chandra X-ray census of the interacting binaries in old open clusters - NGC 188

Author(s): **Smriti Vats**¹, Maureen Van Den Berg¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ Anton Pannekoek Institute for Astronomy, University of Amsterdam

326.03 Low-mass X-ray binaries in the outer halo of NGC 4472: a consequence of natal kicks?

Author(s): **Lennart M Van Haaften**⁴, Thomas J. Maccarone⁴, Paul Sell⁵, Chris Mihos¹, David J. Sand⁴, Arunav Kundu², Stephen Zepf³

Institution(s): ¹ Case Western Reserve University, ² Eureka Scientific, ³ Michigan State University, ⁴ Texas Tech University, ⁵ University of Crete

326.04 Tracing X-ray Binary Population Evolution By Galaxy Dissection: First Results from M51

Author(s): **Bret Lehmer**⁶, Rafael T. Eufrasio⁶, Larissa Markwardt⁶, Andreas Zezas¹, Antara Basu-Zych⁴, Tassos Fragos², Ann E. Hornschemeier⁴, Vassiliki Kalogera⁵, Andrew Ptak⁴, Panayiotis Tzanavaris⁴, Mihoko Yukita³ *Institution(s)*: ^{1.} Crete, ^{2.} Geneva Observatory, ^{3.} Johns Hopkins University, ^{4.} NASA GSFC, ^{5.} Northwestern, ^{6.} Univ of Arkansas

326.05 The evolution of triple-star systems

Author(s): **Silvia Toonen**¹, Adrian Hamers², Simon Portegies Zwart³ *Institution(s)*: ¹ Anton Pannekoek Institute, ² Institute for Advanced Study, ³ Leiden University

326.06 Close encounters of Proxima and alpha Centauri as a consequence of the galactic environment

Author(s): **Russell Deitrick**², Thomas R. Quinn², Rory Barnes², Nathan A. Kaib¹ *Institution(s)*: ¹ *University of Oklahoma*, ² *University of Washington*

326.07 N-body Simulation of Binary Star Mass Transfer

Author(s): **Taylor Hutyra**¹, William Sumpter¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *Tarleton State University*

326.08 Hunting the Huntsmen: Compact Pulsar Binaries with Giant Companions

Author(s): **Samuel Swihart**², Jay Strader², Laura Chomiuk², David J. Sand⁴, Chi C. Cheung³, Tyrel J. Johnson¹

Institution(s): ^{1.} George Mason University, ^{2.} Michigan State University, ^{3.} NRL, ^{4.} Texas Tech University

327 ALMA Observations of Circumstellar Disks

Friday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Grapevine 1

Chair: Gaspard Duchene (University of California Berkeley)

327.01 The End of Protoplanetary Disk Evolution: An ALMA Survey of Upper Scorpius

Author(s): **Scott A. Barenfeld**¹, John M. Carpenter³, Anneila I. Sargent¹, Luca Ricci², Andrea Isella⁴

Institution(s): ^{1.} California Institute of Technology, ^{2.} Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics, ^{3.} Joint ALMA Observatory, ^{4.} Rice University

327.02 A Steeper than Linear Disk Mass-Stellar Mass Scaling Relation

Author(s): Ilaria Pascucci¹

Institution(s): 1. LPL/University of Arizona Contributing team(s): SLICK, EOS

327.03D Millimeter Studies of Nearby Debris Disks

Author(s): Meredith A. MacGregor¹

Institution(s): 1. Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics

327.04 ALMA 1.3 mm Observation of the Fomalhaut Debris Disk

Author(s): **Jacob White**⁴, Aaron C. Boley⁴, Eric B. Ford³, Matthew J. Payne², William Dent¹, Stuartt Corder¹

Institution(s): ^{1.} ALMA, ^{2.} Harvard CfA, ^{3.} Pennsylvania State University, ^{4.} University of British Columbia

327.05D Searching for the Youngest Protostellar Disks and Earliest Signs of Planet Formation

Author(s): **Dominique Segura-Cox**¹ *Institution(s):* ^{1.} *University of Illinois*

327.06 ALMA Measurements of Circumstellar Material in the GQ Lup System

Author(s): **David J. Wilner**³, Meredith A. MacGregor³, Ian Czekala³, Sean M. Andrews³, Yu Sophia Dai¹, Gregory Herczeg⁴, Kaitlin M. Kratter⁵, Adam L. Kraus⁶, Luca Ricci³, Leonardo Testi²

Institution(s): ^{1.} Caltech, ^{2.} ESO, ^{3.} Harvard-Smithsonian, CfA, ^{4.} KIAA, ^{5.} University of Arizona, ^{6.} University of Texas

327.07 A Three-Dimensional View of Turbulence Amid Complex Structure in the HD 163296 Protoplanetary Disk

Author(s): **Kevin M. Flaherty**⁵, A. Meredith Hughes⁵, Sanaea Rose⁴, Sean M. Andrews¹, David J. Wilner¹, Eugene Chiang³, Jacob B. Simon² *Institution(s):* ¹. *Harvard Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics,* ². *Southwest Research Institute,* ³. *UC, Berkeley,* ⁴. *Wellesley College,* ⁵. *Wesleyan University*

328 CubeSats in Astronomy & Astrophysics

Friday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Grapevine 2

CubeSats, small satellites built in increments of 10 cm cubes (1 cube is called 1U or "unit," two 10 cm cubes together are known as 2U, and so on) are being used more and more to carry out science observations and collect data while providing low-cost access to space, platforms for technology development, and training ground for students and other early-career researchers. While most CubeSats launched to date are studying the earth and other objects within the solar system, interest in using CubeSats in astronomy and astrophysics is growing. An ad hoc committee of the The National Academy has recently concluded a study reviewing the current state of the scientific potential and technological promise of CubeSats. This study, chaired by Thomas Zurbuchen (Univ. Michigan), focused on the potential of using CubeSats as platforms for obtaining high priority science, such as that recommended in recent Decadal Surveys and the 2014 NASA Science Plan. Their report, to be released this month (May 2016) includes an overview of science goals that can be accomplished with current CubeSat technological capabilities and those anticipated in the near future. This Special Session will provide a broad look at CubeSats in astronomy and astrophysics, including an overview of their scientific potential, as well as the current state and future promise of CubeSat technology. Application of CubeSats to study decadal priorities will be highlighted, and experiences with carrying out CubeSat development in university settings will be shared.

Chair: Joan Centrella (NASA's GSFC)

328.01 Achieving Science with CubeSats: Thinking Inside the Box

Author(s): **Thomas H. Zurbuchen**², Bhavya Lal¹
Institution(s): ¹ IDA Science and Technology Policy Institute, ² Univ. of Michigan

328.02 How CubeSats contribute to Science and Technology in Astronomy and Astrophysics

Author(s): **Kerri Lynn Cahoy**¹, Ewan Douglas¹, Ashley Carlton¹, James Clark¹, Christian Haughwout¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *MIT*

328.04 CUTIE: Cubesat Ultraviolet Transient Imaging Experiment

Author(s): **Stephen B. Cenko**⁴, Eric Christopher Bellm¹, Avishay Gal-Yam⁶, Suvi Gezari⁵, Varoujan Gorjian³, April Jewell³, Jeffrey W. Kruk⁴, Shrinivas R. Kulkarni¹, Richard Mushotzky⁵, Shouleh Nikzad³, Anthony Piro², Eli Waxman⁶, Eran Oded Ofek⁶

Institution(s): ^{1.} Caltech, ^{2.} Carnegie Observatories, ^{3.} JPL, ^{4.} NASA Goddard Space Flight Center, ^{5.} University of Maryland, ^{6.} Weizmann Institute of Science

328.03 HaloSat – A CubeSat to Study the Hot Galactic Halo

Author(s): **Philip Kaaret**¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *Univ. of Iowa*

329 Results from the New Half-Degree Imager on the WIYN-0.9m Telescope

Friday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Fort Worth 6

We will discuss early results from the new HDI imager in operation on the WIYN-0.9m telescope at Kitt Peak National Observatory. While part of the session will deal with the technical aspects of the imager and early science results: we will also discuss opportunities for the community to become involved and use of the telescope in education and outreach activities. The partner institutions of the WIYN-0.9m consortium represent a range of universities from small to large; undergraduate-only to Tier-1 research schools; and public and private educational institutions. The associated poster session will present early science results developed using HDI, including many student-led projects.

Chair: J. Allyn Smith (Austin Peay State Univ.)

329.01 Technical Summary of the Half-Degree Imager (HDI)

Author(s): **Michael W. Richmond**¹
Institution(s): ¹ Rochester Inst. of Tech.

329.02 Undergraduate Education with the WIYN 0.9-m Telescope

Author(s): **Catherine A. Pilachowski**¹ *Institution(s):* ^{1.} *Indiana University*

329.03 Using the HDI camera with Tohono O'odham Tribal Community College Students

Author(s): **Catharine D. Garmany**¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *NOAO*

329.04 Making and Using Aesthetically Pleasing Images With HDI

Author(s): Spencer L. Buckner¹

Institution(s): 1. Austin Peay State Univ.

330 Neutron Stars (Pulsars, Magnetars, Pulsar Wind Nebulae) II

Friday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Dallas 6

Chair: Elizabeth Ferrara (NASA/GSFC)

330.01 Localizing the Fast Radio Burst 121102

Author(s): **Shami Chatterjee**³, Robert Wharton³, Casey J. Law¹⁰, Jason Hessels², Sarah Burke-Spolaor¹¹, Geoffrey C. Bower¹, Matthew W Abruzzo⁵, Cees Bassa², Bryan J. Butler⁹, James M. Cordes³, Demorest Paul⁹, Victoria M. Kaspi⁷, Maura McLaughlin¹¹, Scott M. Ransom⁹, Paul Scholz⁴, Andrew Seymour⁸, Laura Spitler⁶, Shriharsh P. Tendulkar⁷

Institution(s): ^{1.} ASIAA, ^{2.} ASTRON, ^{3.} Cornell University, ^{4.} DRAO, ^{5.} Haverford College, ^{6.} Max-Planck-Institut für Radioastronomie, ^{7.} McGill University, ^{8.} NAIC, ^{9.} NRAO, ^{10.} University of California, ^{11.} West Virginia University Contributing team(s): PALFA Survey Team, VLA+AO FRB121102 Simultaneous Campaign Team, EVN FRB121102 Campaign Team

330.02 Finding and Localizing FRBs in Realtime with realfast

Author(s): **Casey J. Law**⁵, Geoffrey C. Bower¹, Sarah Burke-Spolaor⁴, Bryan J. Butler⁴, Demorest Paul⁴, Joseph Lazio³, Michael P. Rupen² *Institution(s)*: ^{1.} *ASIAA*, ^{2.} *DRAO*, ^{3.} *JPL/NASA*, ^{4.} *National Radio Astronomy Observatory*, ^{5.} *UC Berkeley*

330.03 Properties of Radio Sources in the FRB 121102 Field

Author(s): **Geoffrey C. Bower**¹, Shami Chatterjee³, Robert Wharton³, Casey J. Law⁹, Jason Hessels², Sarah Spolaor⁸, Matthew W. Abruzzo⁴, Cees Bassa², Bryan J. Butler⁸, James M. Cordes³, Paul Demorest⁸, Victoria M. Kaspi⁵, Maura McLaughlin¹⁰, Scott M. Ransom⁸, Paul Scholz⁵, Andrew Seymour⁷, Laura Spitler⁶, Shriharsh P. Tendulkar⁵

Institution(s): ^{1.} ASIAA, ^{2.} ASTRON, ^{3.} Cornell University, ^{4.} Haverford College, ^{5.} McGill, ^{6.} MPIfR, ^{7.} NAIC, ^{8.} NRAO, ^{9.} UC Berkeley, ^{10.} WVU

Contributing team(s): PALFA Survey, VLA+AO FRB121102 Simultaneous

Campaign Team, EVN FRB121102 Campaign Team, realfast team

330.05 A polarised fast radio burst at low Galactic latitude

Author(s): Emily Petroff¹

Institution(s): 1. ASTRON

Contributing team(s): SUPERB collaboration, HESS collaboration, ANTARES collaboration

330.06D Algorithms for searching Fast radio bursts and pulsars in tight binary systems.

Author(s): **Barak Zackay**¹
Institution(s): ¹ Weizmnann Institute of Science

330.07 Interstellar Medium Effects on Radio Pulsars PSR B1937+21 and PSR B2224+65, and Implications for Gravitational Wave Detection

Author(s): **Timothy Dolch**³, Shami Chatterjee², James M. Cordes², Demorest Paul⁴, Daniel Halmrast³, Cody Jessup³, Glenn Jones¹, Michael T. Lam⁸, Andrew Lyne⁶, Maura McLaughlin⁸, Joshua Ramette³, Dan Stinebring⁵, Benjamin Stappers⁶, Kevin Stovall⁷

Institution(s): ^{1.} Columbia University, ^{2.} Cornell University, ^{3.} Hillsdale College, ^{4.} NRAO, ^{5.} Oberlin College, ^{6.} University of Manchester, ^{7.} University of New Mexico, ^{8.} West Virgina University

330.08 An Update on the Timing of the Millisecond Pulsar in a Triple System

Author(s): **Scott M. Ransom**¹, Anne Archibald², Ingrid H. Stairs³, Jason Hessels², Duncan Lorimer⁴, Ryan S Lynch¹

Institution(s): ^{1.} NRAO, ^{2.} University of Amsterdam, ^{3.} University of British Columbia, ^{4.} West Virginia University

331 Plenary Session: Helen B. Warner Prize: Feedback: Now with Physics, Philip Hopkins (Caltech)

Friday, 3:40 pm - 4:30 pm; Texas A

Chair: Christine Jones (Harvard-Smithsonian, CfA)



331.01 Feedback: Now with Physics

Author(s): **Philip F. Hopkins**³, Eliot Quataert³, Claude-Andre Faucher-Giguere², Dusan Keres⁵, Andrew R. Wetzel⁴, Norman W. Murray¹ *Institution(s):* ^{1.} *Canadian Institute for Theoretical Astrophysics,* ^{2.} *Northwestern University,* ^{3.} *UC Berkeley,* ^{4.} *UC Davis,* ^{5.} *UC San Diego*

Citation: For his research on galaxy formation and evolution and the growth of supermassive black holes. Hopkins builds both numerical and analytic models with strong connections to observational data. His work has provided great insight into the role of galaxy mergers on galaxy properties as well as quasar activation.

332 Plenary Talk: Astronomy from the Upper Stratosphere: Key Discoveries and New Opportunities from High Altitude Scientific Balloons, Laura Fissel (Northwestern University)

Friday, 4:30 pm - 5:20 pm; Texas A

Chair: Charles Woodward (Univ. of Minnesota)



332.01 Astronomy from the Upper Stratosphere: Key Discoveries and New Opportunities from High Altitude Scientific Balloons

Author(s): Laura M. Fissel¹

Institution(s): 1. National Radio Astronomy Observatory

POSTER SESSIONS

333 Astronomy Majors & Graduate Students: Curriculum & the GRE Poster Session

Friday, 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm; Longhorn Exhibit Hall D

- **333.01** Effectiveness of Online Module for Graduate Astronomy Course
 Author(s): Lauren E. P. Campbell¹, Kelly Holley-Bockelmann¹, Cynthia Brame¹
 Institution(s): ¹ Vanderbilt University
- 333.02 Physics GRE Scores of Prize Postdoctoral Fellows in Astronomy
 Author(s): Emily M. Levesque², Rachel Bezanson¹, Grant Tremblay³
 Institution(s): ¹. Princeton, ². University of Washington, ³. Yale
- 333.03 The Benefits of Adding SETI to the University Curriculum and What We Have Learned from a SETI Course Recently Offered at UCLA

Author(s): Larry Lesyna⁶, Jean-Luc Margot², Adam Greenberg⁵, Akshay Shinde¹, Yashaswi Alladi¹, Srinivas Prasad MN³, Oliver Bowman², Callum Fisher⁵, Szilard Gyalay⁵, William McKibbin⁵, Brittany E. Miles⁵, Donald Nguyen⁵, Conor Power³, Namrata Ramani⁴, Rashmi Raviprasad⁵, Jesse Santana⁵ Institution(s): ¹ Department of Computer Science, University of California, Los Angeles, ² Department of Earth, Planetary, and Space Sciences, University of California, Los Angeles, ³ Department of Electrical Engineering, University of California, Los Angeles, ⁴ Department of Materials Science and Engineering, University of California, Los Angeles, ⁵ Department of Physics and Astronomy,

333.04 "Pretty Pictures" with the HDI
Author(s): Spencer L. Buckner¹

Institution(s): 1. Austin Peay State Univ.

333.05 Demonstrating Supernova Remnant Evolution

Author(s): Denis A. Leahy¹, Jacqueline Williams¹

University of California, Los Angeles, ^{6.} LXL Technology

Institution(s): 1. Univ. of Calgary

334 K12 & Citizen Science Research Collaborations: Involving Scientists, Teachers, & Students Poster Session

Friday, 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm; Longhorn Exhibit Hall D

334.01 Effective Models for Scientists Engaging in Meaningful Education and Outreach Author(s): Jacob Noel-Storr¹, Isaiah Gurule¹

Institution(s): 1. InsightSTEM

Contributing team(s): InsightSTEM Teacher-Scientist-Communicator-Learner Team

334.02 The NASA/IPAC Teacher Archive Research Program (NITARP): Lessons Learned Author(s): Luisa M. Rebull¹, Varoujan Gorjian ¹, Gordon K. Squires¹

Institution(s): ¹. Caltech

334.03 NITARP: Changing Perceptions of Science Among Secondary Students and Teachers

Author(s): **Russell Kohrs**³, Kelly Kilts², Vincent Urbanowski⁵, Thomas Rutherford⁴, Varoujan Gorjian¹

Institution(s): ^{1.} JPL, ^{2.} Lexington High School, ^{3.} Massanutten Regional Governor's School for Environmental Science and Technology, ^{4.} Sullivan South High School, ^{5.} The Academy of Information Technology and Engineering

334.04 STEM Education is Missing This......

Author(s): **Laura Orr**⁴, Milton Johnson¹, Alexandra Miller³, Luisa M. Rebull² *Institution(s)*: ¹ Bioscience High School, ² Caltech, ³ Milken Community Schools, ⁴ Ukiah High School

334.05 Hawaii Student / Teacher Astronomy Research program (HI STAR): 10 years of high school students exploring the universe

Author(s): **Geoffrey Mathews**², James Armstrong¹, Michael A. Nassir², Carolyn Kaichi¹

Institution(s): ^{1.} Institute for Astronomy, ^{2.} University of Hawaii at Manoa

334.06 Are We Alone? GAVRT Search for Extra Terrestrial Intelligence (SETI) Project Author(s): Holly Bensel¹, Ian Cool¹

Institution(s): 1. St. Mary's School

Contributing team(s): St. Mary's High School Astronomy Club , St. Mary's Middle School Astronomy Club

334.07 Highschool astronomy research workshop in Thailand and how it transforms Thai astronomy education

Author(s): Matipon Tangmatitham¹

Institution(s): 1. Michigan Technical University

334.08 Confirming and Improving Ross Variable Star RV Del

Author(s): **Tyler R. Linder**¹, Rick Sanchez², Sage Palser², Kendra Schultze², Jessica Kenney², Briana Thompson³, Richard DeCoster³, Frank Mills³, Wayne Osborn³, Vivian L. Hoette³

Institution(s): ^{1.} Astronomical Research Institute, ^{2.} Johnson County School District, ^{3.} Yerkes Observatory

Contributing team(s): Skynet Junior Scholars, Stone Edge Observatory

334.09 Visual Double Stars - St. Mary's High School Astronomy Club

Author(s): **Holly Bensel**¹, Thanh Tran¹, Sean Hicks¹, Yifan He¹, Mitchell Moczygemba¹, Yuqi Shi¹, Leah Sternenberg¹, Kaycia Watson¹, kieran rooney¹, Paige Birmingham¹, Ruiyang You¹
Institution(s): ¹ St. Mary's School

334.10 South African Student Constructed Indlebe Radio Telescope

Author(s): **Charles H. McGruder**², Stuart MacPherson¹, Gary Peter Janse Van Vuuren¹

Institution(s): 1. Durban University of Technology, 2. Western Kentucky Univ.

334.11 Results of Needs Assessments Related to Citizen Science Projects

Author(s): **Sanlyn Buxner**¹, Georgia Bracey², Anna Glushko², Maya Bakerman¹, Pamela L. Gay²

Institution(s): ^{1.} Planetary Science Institute, ^{2.} Southern Illinois University Edwardsville

Contributing team(s): CosmoQuest Team

334.12 Recording A Sunrise: A Citizen Science Project to Enhance Sunrise/set Prediction Times

Author(s): **Teresa Wilson**¹, Malynda Chizek Frouard², Jennifer L. Bartlett² *Institution(s)*: ¹ *Michigan Technological University,* ² *United States Naval Observatory*

335 Education Resources & Projects Spanning Broad Audiences Poster Session

Friday, 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm; Longhorn Exhibit Hall D

335.01 Multimedia Astronomy Communication: Effectively Communicate Astronomy to the Desired Audience

Author(s): **Kimberly Michelle Star Cartier**¹, Jason Wright¹ *Institution(s):* ¹. *Pennsylvania State University*

335.02 Astrobites: Engaging Undergraduate Science Majors with Current Astrophysical Research

Author(s): **Michael Zevin¹** *Institution(s): ^{1.} Northwestern*Contributing team(s): Astrobites

335.03 APOD Data Release of Social Network Footprint for 2015

Author(s): **Robert J. Nemiroff**³, David Russell³, Alice Allen², Paul Connelly¹, Stuart R. Lowe¹, Sydney Petz¹, Ralf Haring¹, Jerry T. Bonnell¹ Institution(s): ¹ APOD, ² Astrophysics Source Code Library, ³ Michigan Technological Univ.
Contributing team(s): APOD Team

335.04 Active Galactic Videos: A YouTube Channel for Astronomy Education and Outreach

Author(s): **Carmen Austin**¹, Jenny Calahan¹, Alexandria Resi Baucco¹, Christopher William Bullivant¹, Ross Eckley¹, W. Haydon Ekstrom¹, M. Ryleigh Fitzpatrick¹, Taylor Fay Genovese¹, Chris David Impey¹, Kaitlin Libby¹, Galen McCaw¹, Alexander N Olmedo¹, Joshua Ritter¹, Matthew Wenger¹, Stephanie Williams¹

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335.05 When Will It Be ...?: U.S. Naval Observatory Religious Calendar Computers Expanded

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335.06 Planning for the Future: Revealing Underrepresented Stories in the History of Physics and Astronomy

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335.07 Astronomers Who Write Science Fiction: Using SF as a Form of Astronomy Outreach

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335.08 Conceptualizing Astronomical Distances for Urban PopulationsAuthor(s): **Mark Popinchalk**¹, Kristen Olson¹, Jenny Ingber¹, Mariel O'Brien¹

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335.09 Dark Skies, Bright Kids Year 8

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335.11 The Expanding Universe of Astronomy on Tap

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336 Promoting Research, Mentorship, & Diversity for Astronomy Majors Poster Session

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336.01 CAMPARE and Cal-Bridge: Two Institutional Networks Increasing Diversity in Astronomy

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336.02 AstroCom NYC: Equity, Inclusion, and the Next Generation of Astrophysicists
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336.03 The National Astronomy Consortium (NAC)

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336.04 Results from a Pilot REU Program: Exploring the Cosmos Using Sloan Digital Sky Survey Data

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336.05 The FAST Initiative: Fostering a More Inclusive SDSS Collaboration
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336.06 The NRAO Observing for University Classes Program

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336.07 Introducing Research Methods to Undergraduate Majors Through an On-Campus Observatory with The University of Toledo's Ritter Observatory Author(s): Noel Richardson¹, Kevin Hardegree-Ullman¹, Jon Eric Bjorkman¹,

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336.08 Spectroscopic Instrumentation in Undergraduate Astronomy Laboratories Author(s): Dominic Ludovici¹, Robert Lucien Mutel¹, Cornelia C. Lang¹ Institution(s): ¹. University of Iowa

336.09 Variable Stars as an Introduction to Computational Research

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337 Gen. Ed. Astronomy (Astro 101): Courses, Classroom, Design, & Student Research Poster Session

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337.01 A General Education Course in Cultural Astronomy: Exploring the Universe Through Human Eyes

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337.02 The Art of Astronomy: A New General Education Course for Non-Science Majors

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337.03 Teaching Astronomy Classes and Labs in a Smart Classroom

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337.04 Update on the NSF PAARE Program at SC State

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338 Internships, Fellowships, & Observatory Management Training for High School Students, Majors, & Graduates Poster Session

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338.01 Summer Internships for Students through the Air Force Research Laboratory's Scholars Program

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338.02 Shrinking the Gap Between Science Policy and Scientists

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338.03 The LSSTC Data Science Fellowship Program

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338.04 The Lowell Observatory Predoctoral Scholar Program

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338.05 Educational Programs for Graduate Level Learners and Professionals - National Radio Astronomy Observatory National and International Non-Traditional Exchange Program

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339 The Sun Poster Session

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339.01 The Evershed Effect from the Photosphere to the Chromosphere

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339.02 A Chromospheric Flare Model Consisting of Two Dynamical Layers: Critical Tests from IRIS Data of Solar Flares

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339.03 Non-Equilibrium Ionization Modeling of Coronal Mass Ejections

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339.04 Three-Dimensional Potential-Field Source-Surface Modeling of the Evolution of Coronal Structures

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339.05 Evolving Flare Ribbon Small-Scale Substructure: A Second Candidate

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339.06 Data Mining Solar X-Ray Flares Triggered by Emerging Magnetic Flux

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339.07 Citizen CATE Experiment and Polar Plume Dynamics

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339.08 Methods on Efficiently Relating Data from the Sun to In-situ Data at L1: An Application to the Slow Solar Wind

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339.09 Periodic Alpha Signatures and the Origins of the Slow Solar Wind
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340 Molecular Clouds, HII Regions, Interstellar Medium & Dust Poster Session

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- 340.01 Mapping of the Local Interstellar Medium using Absorption Line Spectroscopy
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- **340.02** A Narrowband Emission-Line Survey of the Large Magellanic Cloud Author(s): Alex Jonah Robert Gordon², Sean Points¹, Chris Smith¹ Institution(s): ¹ Cerro Tololo Inter-American Observatory, ² Macalester College Contributing team(s): MCELS Team
- 340.03 Far-ultraviolet florescent molecular hydrogen emission map of the Milky Way Galaxy

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340.04 HST/STIS Observations of the Local Interstellar Medium toward Very Nearby Stars: A Detailed Analysis of the a Centuari Sight Line

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340.05 The Fan Region at 1.5 GHz with GMIMS: Polarized synchrotron emission tracing Galactic structure

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340.06 The ALMA View of Dense Molecular Gas in 30 Doradus

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340.07 Metallicity Structure in the Milky Way Disk

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340.08 The Milky Way Project: Mapping star formation in our home Galaxy, one click at a time

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340.09 The Milky Way Project: A Citizen Science Catalog of Infrared Bow Shock Nebulae

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340.10 The properties of the hot gaseous halo around the Milky Way

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340.11 A Multi-Wavelength View of the Environments of Extreme Clustered Star Formation

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340.12 A Deuteration Survey of the Clump Population in the Gemini OB1 Molecular Cloud

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340.13 WHAM Observations of the Gum Nebula and Energetic Neighbors

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340.14 The impact of galactic environment on star formation

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340.15 Properties of Low Metallicity Molecular Clouds: A 0.3 Parsec Resolution Map of SMC B1 #1

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340.16 Examining Gaseous Behavior of Galaxies and their Environments

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340.17 Discovering the Lowest Metallicty z<1 Galaxies

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340.18 Spectroscopic Study of Low Mass Members of NGC 2244

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340.20 Herschel Far Infrared Spectra of Dusty Star-Forming Galaxies

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340.21 The Vertical Structure of Diffuse Ionized Gas in Galactic Spiral Arms

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340.22 Aggregate growth in a protoplanetary disk

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340.23 Properties of compact HII regions and their host clumps in the inner vs outer Galaxy - early results from SASSy

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340.24 Determining properties of halo dust for the Herschel EDGE-on galaxy Survey (HEDGES)

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340.25 Realistic Models for Filling Factors in HII Regions

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340.26 The Southern HII Region Discovery Survey: Preliminary Results

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340.27 HST STIS Observations of Interstellar Chlorine

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340.28 Formation of Interstellar OH and CH

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340.29 Galaxy bachelors, couples, spouses: Star formation in interacting galaxies

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340.30 Mapping the Heiles Supershell GSH 90-28-17

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340.31 Continuing the Search for Flickering Ultracompact HII Regions: EVLA Observations of W49A

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340.32 Probing Planck Cold Clump Sightlines through HST STIS UV Spectroscopy

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340.33 Hydrodynamical Modeling of the Local Interstellar Medium

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340.34 Measuring the local ISM along the sight lines of the two Voyager spacecraft with HST/STIS

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340.35 VLA Observations of the Magnetic Field of the Smith High Velocity Cloud Author(s): Sarah Betti², Alex S. Hill², Sui Ann Mao⁵, Naomi M. McClure-Griffiths¹, Felix J. Lockman³, Robert A. Benjamin⁶, Bryan M. Gaensler⁴ Institution(s): ¹. CSIRO Astronomy and Space Science, ². Haverford College, ³. National Radio Astronomy Observatory, ⁴. University of Toronto, ⁵. University of Wisconsin-Madison, ⁶. University of Wisconsin-Whitewater

340.36 Properties of Cold HI Emission Clouds in the Inner-Galaxy ALFA Survey Author(s): James Marcus Hughes⁸, Steven J. Gibson⁷, Alberto Noriega-Crespo⁵, Jonathan Newton⁷, Bon-Chul Koo⁴, Kevin A. Douglas³, Joshua Eli Goldston Peek⁵, Geumsook Park⁴, Ji-hyun Kang⁹, Eric J. Korpela¹, Carl E. Heiles⁶, Thomas M. Dame²

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341 Supernovae Poster Session

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341.01 SALT Spectroscopy of ASASSN-15lh: The Most Luminous Supernova? Author(s): Travis Court¹, Yssavo Camacho², Kyle Dettman², Saurabh W Jha² Institution(s): ¹. Allegheny College, ². Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey

341.02 SOUSA Supernova Surprises

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341.03 Fast and Furious: Analysis of the Luminous and Rapidly-Evolving Type Ic-BL Supernova iPTF16asu

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341.04 SN 2013fs & SN 2013fr: Filling the gaps between Type IIn and Type IIP supernovae

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341.05 The Extinction properties of and distance to the highly reddened Type~la supernova SN 2012cu

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- 341.06 Two New Calcium-Rich Gap Transients in Group and Cluster Environments

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- 341.07 Supernova Classification Using Swift UVOT Photometry
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- 341.08 See Change: the Supernova Sample from the Supernova Cosmology Project High Redshift Cluster Supernova Survey

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341.09 New Cosmology Results from The Pan-STARRS Type Ia Supernova Sample
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341.10 The Supernova Key Project

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- 341.11 Studies of Machine Learning Photometric Classification of Supernovae
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341.13 Understanding how Supernova Light Curves are Affected by the Density Profiles of Extended Material

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341.14 On the Nebular-Phase Spectra of Type Ia Supernovae

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341.15 A Systematic Study of Mid-Infrared Emission from Core-Collapse Supernovae with SPIRITS

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341.16 Bolometric Lightcurves of Peculiar Type II-P Supernovae

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341.17 Studying white dwarf merger remnants with FLASH

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341.18 Estimating Type Ia Supernova Metallicities Using Neural Networks

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341.19 Type Ia Supernova Modeling with Spectrophotometric Data from the Nearby Supernova Factory

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341.20 Identifying Type Ia Supernova Mechanisms in Dwarf Spheroidal Galaxies through Analysis of Iron-peak Elemental Abundances

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341.21 Uncertainty in Explosive Yields of Core-Collapse Supernovae

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341.22 r-Process Nucleosynthesis in Jet-driven Core-Collapse Supernovae

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342 Cosmology & CMB Poster Session

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342.01 The HST Frontier Fields: Complete High-Level Science Data Products for All 6 Clusters

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342.02 Detecting Massive, High-Redshift Galaxy Clusters Using the Thermal Sunyaev-Zel'dovich Effect

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342.03 The Suppression of Star Formation in Low-Mass Galaxies Caused by the Reionization of their Local Patch

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342.04 Time delay in the variability of multiply lensed QSOs HS0810+2554 and Q2237+030

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342.05 Deep Generative Models of Galaxy Images for the Calibration of the Next Generation of Weak Lensing Surveys

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342.06 Simulating Type 1a Supernova Populations Using Host Mass Information Author(s): Jared Hand¹, Daniel Scolnic²

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342.07 Analyses in Support of the WFIRST Supernova Survey

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342.09 The tethered galaxy problem: a possible window to explore cosmological models

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342.10 On the Shape of Dark Matter Halos in Milky Way-like Galaxies

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342.11 Improved linear kinetic Sunyaev-Zel'dovich effect constraints on the observed Local Void

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342.12 The rarity of Dark Matter Halos in medium-sized walls of the cosmic web

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342.13 Superconducting microstripline diplexer for CMB studies in the 200-300 GHz atmospheric window

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342.14 Variable-delay Polarization Modulators for the CLASS Telescopes

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343 Star Associations, Star Clusters - Galactic & Extragalactic Poster Session

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343.01 The Open Cluster Chemical Abundances and Mapping (OCCAM) Survey: Overview and Membership Methods

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343.02 The Open Cluster Chemical Abundances and Mapping (OCCAM) Survey: Galactic Gradients using SDSS-IV/DR13 and Gaia

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343.03 The Open Cluster Chemical Abundances and Mapping (OCCAM) Survey: Optical Extension for Neutron Capture Elements

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343.04 Barium Abundances in Omega Centauri Candidate Stars

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343.05 Searching for the Progenitor Galaxy of Omega Centauri Using RR Lyrae Spectra Author(s): Natalia Carignano⁴, Anna Katherina Vivas², Marcio Catelan³, Gabriel Torrealba⁵, Jose Gregorio Fernandez Trincado¹

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343.06 Low-Resolution Spectroscopic Study of the Intriguing Globular Cluster NGC 2808: Chemical Abundance Patterns among Subpopulations

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343.07 The Trigonometric Parallax of the Globular Cluster M4

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343.08 Interstellar Extinction toward the Young Open Cluster NGC 1502

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343.09 H-alpha and H-beta Standard Stars in M 67 and NGC 752

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343.10 H-alpha Monitoring of the Star Field around Cygnus OB2

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343.11 Variable Stars in M92 and M15

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343.12 Stellar Variability in the Intermediate Age Cluster NGC 1846

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343.13 From the Ultraviolet to the Infrared: The Stellar Population of the Globular Cluster M70

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343.16 Photometric Calibrations of Gemini Images of NGC 6253

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343.17 The Role of Dynamics in the Formation of Cataclysmic Variables in Globular Clusters

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343.18 Stellar Parameters of A- and B-type Members of the Scorpius-Centaurus OB Association

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343.19 Star Cluster Mass Functions and Hierarchical Clustering: Learning from Koposov 1 and 2

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343.20 New insight on the chemical evolution in proto-globular clusters

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343.21 Spectroscopy of globular clusters in the outer halo of M81

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343.22 The Extended Globular Cluster System of NGC3923

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343.23 Star Clusters within FIRE

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343.24 Tidal Tales II: Molecular Gas and Star Formation in the Tidal Tails of Minor Mergers

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344 X-Ray & Eclipsing Binaries, Multiple Star Systems Poster Session

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344.01 The Spectrum of SS 433 in the H and K Bands

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344.02 The Distorted Winds of V444 Cygni: New Insights from Spectropolarimetry

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344.03 The Structures of X-ray Binary Systems V801 Ara and Cyg X-3 from Doppler Tomography

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344.04 X-Ray Analysis of a Pulsating Source in the 3XMM Catalogue with a Period of 6.8 Minutes

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344.05 Selection effects on the orbital period distribution of Low Mass X-ray Binaries
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344.06 X-ray Luminosity Functions of Subgalactic Regions in the Whirlpool Galaxy (M51)

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344.07 Multi-color Photometric Study of the Contact Eclipsing Binary V1062 Her

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344.08 Artificial Neural Network Solutions to Eclipsing Binary Lightcurves from the Kepler Space Telescope Database

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344.09 Using Gaussian Processes to Model Noise in Eclipsing Binary Light Curves
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344.10 The Galactic Distribution of Contact Eclipsing Binaries

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344.11 COS Spectroscopy of White Dwarf Companions to Blue Stragglers

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344.12 K-KIDS: Companioins to K Dwarfs Within 50 Parsecs

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344.13 The K-KIDS Sample: K Dwarfs within 50 Parsecs and the Search for their Closest Companions with CHIRON

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- 344.14 New Low-Mass Wide Companions to Members of the Sco-Cen OB Association Author(s): Molly Finn³, Eric E. Mamajek³, Kevin Luhman¹, Simon Murphy² Institution(s): ¹- Pennsylvania State University, ²- University of New South Wales, ³- University of Rochester
- 344.15 An All-Sky Search for Wide Binaries in the SUPERBLINK Proper Motion Catalog Author(s): Zachary Hartman¹, Sebastien Lepine¹
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- search for the lowest mass stellar companions to intermediate-mass stars
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344.16 Assessing the fundamental limits of multiple star formation: An imaging

344.17 Analyzing Age-Rotation-Activity Relationships in Wide Binary Systems
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344.18 Searching for Long-Period Companions and False Positives within the APOGEE Catalog of Companion Candidates

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344.19 The APOGEE DR13 Catalog of Stellar and Substellar Companion Candidates Author(s): Nicholas William Troup¹

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344.20 APOGEE/Kepler Overlap Yields Orbital Solutions for a Variety of Eclipsing Binaries

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344.21 The Complex Circumstellar and Circumbinary Environment of V356 Sgr
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344.22 Robust Modeling of Stellar Triples in PHOEBE

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344.23 Heat Redistribution and Misaligned Orbit Models in PHOEBE

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344.24 Determination of the Fundamental Properties of the Eclipsing Binary V541 Cygni

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345 Circumstellar & Debris Disks Poster Session

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345.01 A New All-Sky Catalogue of Candidate Protoplanetary Disks from Aggregated Optical and Infrared Surveys

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345.03 An ALMA Survey of Planet Forming Disks in Rho Ophiuchus

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345.04 Protoplanetary disks in Taurus: Probing the role of multiplicity with ALMA observations

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345.05 Disk Sizes and Grain Growth across the Brown Dwarf Boundary from the Taurus Boundary of Stellar/Substellar (TBOSS) Survey

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345.06 Carbon Monoxide Emissions in Middle Aged Debris Disks

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345.07 Differential polarization direct imaging of FU Ori type YSO

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345.08 The correlation between HCN/H2O flux ratios and disk mass: evidence for protoplanet formation

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345.09 A CO Spectral Analysis of Protoplanetary Disks

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345.10 Variability of Disk Emission in Pre-main Sequence and Related Stars. IV. Occultation Events from the Innermost Disk Region of the Herbig AE Star HD 163296 = MWC 275

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- 345.16 Migration of Gas Giant Planets in a Gravitationally Unstable Disk
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- 345.17 Effect of External Photoevaporation on the Radial Transport of Volatiles and the Water Snowline in the Solar Nebula
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- 345.18 Understanding Gas-Phase Ammonia Chemistry in Protoplanetary Disks
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346.02 Galaxy Groups within 3500 km s-1

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346.03 Constraining the Mass of A Galaxy Cluster

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346.04 The mass of high-z massive galaxy cluster, SPT-CL J2106-5844 using weaklensing analysis with HST observations

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346.05 Discovery and Characterization of Gravitationally Lensed X-ray Sources in the CLASH Sample

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346.06 Chandra Observation of the WAT Radio Source/ICM Interaction in Abell 623

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346.07 Algorithms for Finding Substructure in Galaxy Clusters

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346.08 The Impact of Large Scale Environments on Cluster Entropy Profiles

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346.09 Undergraduate ALFALFA Team: Analysis of Spatially-Resolved Star-Formation in Nearby Galaxy Groups and Clusters

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346.11 The Gas in Virgo's "Red and Dead" Dwarf Elliptical Galaxies
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346.12 Extending ALFALFA in the Direction of the Pisces-Perseus Supercluster with the Arecibo L-Band Wide Receiver

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- 346.15 Star formation quenching and stellar mass in the cluster Abell 85
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- 346.16 The Co-Evolution of Galaxies, their ISM, and the ICM: The Hydrodynamics of Galaxy Transformation

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347.01 Extraction of global 21-cm signal from simulated data for the Dark Ages Radio Explorer (DARE) using an MCMC pipeline

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347.02 Predicting the High Redshift Galaxy Population for JWST

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347.04 A New Semi-Empirical Model of Reionization

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347.07 Searching for Extreme High Redshift Galaxies with HST Grism Spectroscopy
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347.08 First Simultaneous Detection of Lyman-alpha Emission and Lyman Break from a Galaxy at Redshift 7.51 from Faint Infrared Grism Survey (FIGS)

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347.13 ZFOURGE: Exploring the Properties of ~1500 Ks-Selected Galaxies at 2.5 < z < 4 with Composite Spectra

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- 347.14 Investigating the Metallicity Evolution of Sub-damped Lyman alpha Systems
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- 347.15 Constraining the Merging History of Massive Galaxies Since Redshift 3 Using Close Pairs. I. Major Pairs from Candels and the SDSS

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347.16 Flux sensitivity requirements for the detection of Lyman continuum radiation from star-forming galaxies below redshifts of 3

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347.17 Quantitative Morphology Measures in Galaxies: Ground-Truthing from Simulations

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347.22 Reconstruction of Galaxy Star Formation Histories through SED Fitting: The Dense Basis Approach

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347.23 Modeling the Internal Kinematics (Rotation and Dispersion) of Distant Galaxies (z ~ 1.0) Using Multi-PA Keck DEIMOS Slit Spectra

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347.26 Evolution in Solitude - Field Galaxies from Half the Age of the Universe to the Present

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347.27 Thick Disks and Galaxy Morphology in the Hubble Space Telescope Frontier Fields

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347.28 The Stability Of Disk Barred Galaxies Over the Past 7 Billion Years

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347.30 Characterizing and Cataloguing Star-Forming Galaxies in Preparation for the LADUMA Survey

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347.31 Gas dynamical imaging and dust properties of the strongly-lensed quasar host galaxy RXJ1131-1231 at z~0.65

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347.32 Prediction of the Statistical Robustness of the Measurement of Neutral Hydrogen Mass Functions in the COSMOS H i Large Extragalactic Survey (CHILES)

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347.34 Correlating The Star Formation Histories Of MaNGA Galaxies With Their Past AGN Activity

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347.35 Incidence of WISE-Selected Obscured AGNs in Major Mergers and Interactions from the SDSS

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347.36 Kinematics of Galaxy Mergers in The FIRE Simulation

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347.37 Galaxy merger time-scales in the Illustris Simulation

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347.38 Properties of Pseudo-bulges and Classical Bulges Identified Among SDSS Galaxies

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347.44 Ram Pressure Stripping: Observations Meet Simulations

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347.45 Turbulence and Star Formation in Interacting Galaxies

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347.46 A Search for Triggered Star Formation in the Compact Group of Galaxies NGC 5851, NGC 5852 and CGCG 077-007

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347.47 The prevalence of dwarf galaxy compact groups over cosmic time

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347.48 The Radial Flow Speed of the Neutral Hydrogen in the Oval Distortion of NGC 4736

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347.50 Study of Remote Globular Cluster Satellites of M87

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347.51 Tracing the Angular Dependence of the CGM

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347.52 Effects of Mechanical and Radiative Supernova Feedback on Subhalo Evolution Author(s): Amanda Quirk¹, Ena Choi², Jeremiah P. Ostriker¹ Institution(s): ¹ Columbia University, ² Rutgers University

347.53 Comparing the effects of supernovae feedback models on the interstellar medium

Author(s): **Lindsey Byrne**¹, Charlotte Christensen¹, Benjamin W Keller² *Institution(s)*: ¹ *Grinnell College*, ² *McMaster University*

347.54 Recent Advances and Coming Attractions in the NASA/IPAC Extragalactic Database

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347.55 Spectral Analysis, Synthesis, & Energy Distributions of Nearby E+A Galaxies Using SDSS-IV MaNGA

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347.56 A Study of E+A Galaxies Through SDSS-MaNGA Integral Field Spectroscopy Author(s): Muhammad Wally⁸, Olivia A Weaver⁶, Miguel Ricardo Anderson⁵, Allen Liu⁷, Julia Falcone², Nicole Lisa Wallack¹, Olivia James⁴, Charles Liu³ Institution(s): ¹ California Institute of Technology, ² Case Western Reserve, ³ CUNY College of Staten Island, ⁴ CUNY York College, ⁵ Duke University, ⁶ Florida Atlantic University, ⁷ harvard, ⁸ Xavier University of Louisiana

347.57 Gas motions within high-velocity cloud Complex A reveal that it is dissolving into the Galactic Halo

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348 Next Generation VLA Poster Session

Friday, 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm; Longhorn Exhibit Hall D

348.01 Preliminary Antenna Concept for the ngVLA

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348.02 Antenna Optics and Receiver Concept for the Next Generation Very Large Array

Author(s): **Mark M. McKinnon**², Sivasankaran Srikanth¹, Wes Grammer², Marian Pospieszalski¹, Silver Sturgis² *Institution(s)*: ¹ NRAO, ² NRAO

348.03 Low Cost 1.2 to 116 GHz Receivers for the ngVLA

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348.04 Antenna Electronics Concept for the Next-Generation Very Large Array Author(s): Anthony J. Beasley¹, Jim Jackson¹, Robert Selina¹ Institution(s): ¹ National Radio Astronomy Observatory

348.05 Implementation Status of a Ultra-Wideband Receiver Package for the nextgeneration Very Large Array

Author(s): **T. Joseph W Lazio**¹, Jose Velazco¹, Melissa Soriano¹, Daniel Hoppe¹, Damon Russell¹, Larry D'Addario¹, Ezra Long¹, James Bowen¹, Lorene Samoska¹, Andrew Janzen¹

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348.06 Computing Architecture for the ngVLA

Author(s): **Jeffrey S. Kern¹**, Brian Glendenning¹, R. Hiriart¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *NRAO*

348.07 Core Strength: Investigating Two Possible Configurations of the NGVLA Author(s): Brian S. Mason¹, Chris Luke Carilli¹, Eric J. Murphy¹, Bryan J. Butler¹ Institution(s): ¹ NRAO

348.08 Science with a Next-Generation VLA

Author(s): **Eric J. Murphy**¹, Chris Luke Carilli¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ NRAO
Contributing team(s): ngVLA Science Working Groups

- 348.09 Imaging Cold Gas to 1 kpc scales in high-redshift galaxies with the ngVLA

 Author(s): Caitlin Casey⁸, Desika Narayanan⁷, Romeel Dave⁹, Chao-Ling Hung⁸,

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 University, ^{7.} University of Florida, ^{8.} University of Texas at Austin, ^{9.} University of

 Western Cape
- 348.10 Tracing the Baryon Cycle within Nearby Galaxies with a next-generation VLA
 Author(s): Amanda A. Kepley¹, Adam Leroy², Eric J. Murphy¹
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 Contributing team(s): ngVLA Baryon Cycle Science Working Group
- 348.11 Next Generation Very Large Array: The Cradle of Life
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- 348.12 The Cold Gas History of the Universe as seen by the ngVLA

 Author(s): Dominik A. Riechers³, Chris Luke Carilli³, Caitlin Casey¹0, Elisabete
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 Technology, ³. Cornell University, ⁴. ESO, ⁵. Haverford College, ⁶. Leiden, ¬. MPIA,

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- 348.13 Time Domain Science and Fundamental Physics with the Next-generation Very Large Array

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Contributing team(s): ngVLA Time Domain/Physics Science Working Group

CSWA Meet & Greet

Friday, 6:30 pm - 7:30 pm; Yellow Rose Ballroom

Hosted by the AAS Committee on the Status of Women in Astronomy.

Organizer(s): Christina Richey (NASA HQ)

Opportunities for Time Domain Science with LCOGT: Preparing for the LSST Era

Friday, 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm; Grapevine 2

The Las Cumbres Observatory global network of 1m and 2m telescopes will be made available to the US community through an award from NSF's MSIP program, starting in 2017. The goal of this program is to stimulate time domain science projects that respond to alerts from current surveys, with a view to developing infrastructure and experience applicable to LSST. This session will discuss the challenges inherent to observational projects of this kind. We will also summarize the capabilities of the LCO network and describe some of the tools that current users have developed to help them address these challenges. LSST will be a landmark program in time domain astronomy when it begins in ~2020, but much of its science return will depend on our ability to respond effectively to discoveries within its data and our handling of follow-up observations. Surveys in current operation have similar requirements. With the inauguration of this open-access program, LCO is encouraging the US community to prepare for a number of significant challenges: How will a wide range of desired targets be identified from the high-volume alert stream? What software tools are needed? How will follow-up observations be obtained in a timely fashion? How will observations be coordinated between many competing projects across many facilities? How will the resulting data be disseminated and how quickly? These and other questions demand careful preparation to ensure that the observational, hardware and software facilities required to maximize the science return can be brought to bear effectively. Existing and near-future time domain surveys offer an excellent opportunity for follow-up programs to develop tools, services and experience, and to take advantage of new technologies.

Organizer(s): Rachel Street (Las Cumbres Global Telescope Network, Inc.)

2017 NSF Astronomy and Astrophysics Postdoctoral Fellows Showcase and Forum

Friday, 6:30 pm - 8:30 pm; Texas C

This session forms part of the annual meeting of the NSF Astronomy and Astrophysics Postdoctoral Fellowship (AAPF). The NSF AAPF supports young scientists who carry out an integrated program of independent research and education. In this part of the meeting, six current Fellows will present short talks on their research and educational activities enabled by the fellowship. Following the talks, the speakers and several past Fellows will participate in a panel discussion on the fellowship program and application process. All members of the astronomical community are welcome and encouraged to attend. NSF AAPF Fellows conduct research on a wide range of topics in astronomy. Additionally, this is the only prize fellowship that includes a significant educational component. The speakers in this special session will showcase the fruits of this postdoctoral program. This session provides an opportunity for current, past, and prospective Fellows to meet and discuss their work with members of the community, as well as to broaden participation in the AAPF application process through the panel discussion.

Organizer(s): Darcy Barron (UC San Diego)

350 NRAO Town Hall

Friday, 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm; Grapevine C

This Town Hall will inform the American Astronomical Society membership about the status of science, science operations, and development programs at the National Radio Astronomy Observatory (NRAO). The NRAO Town Hall will include an opening reception that will be followed by a presentation by NRAO Deputy Director Phil Jewell that will update the membership regarding: (a) science operations status, scientific opportunities, and technical development at the Observatory; (b) recent scientific research results from across the community and the NRAO; and (c) scientific and technical planning for the next generation of radio-millimeter-submillimeter astronomy research facilities. The NRAO Town Hall will include time for discussion and answering audience questions.

Organizer(s): Mark Adams (NRAO)

SATURDAY, 7 JANUARY 2017

400 Plenary Session: Lancelot M. Berkeley Prize: Exploring for Galaxies in the First Billion Years with Hubble and Spitzer - Pathfinding for JWST, Garth Illingworth (UC Santa Cruz)

Saturday, 8:30 am - 9:20 am; Texas A

Chair: Christine Jones (Harvard-Smithsonian, CfA)



400.01 Exploring for Galaxies in the First Billion Years with Hubble and Spitzer - Pathfinding for JWST

Author(s): Garth D. Illingworth¹

Institution(s): 1. UC, Santa Cruz
Contributing team(s): HUDF09, HLF

Citation: In recognition of his major research programs using innovative tools and techniques to investigate the formation, history, evolution, and nature of the most distant and earliest galaxies. He is awarded the Berkeley Prize for his team's report describing significant new results, "UV Luminosity Functions at Redshifts z~4 to z~10: 10,000 Galaxies from HST Legacy Fields", which was one of the most widely cited astrophysics papers of 2015."

Hack Together Day

Saturday, 10:00 am - 7:00 pm; Grapevine 4

Hack Together Day is a day to work intensively on collaborative projects of interest to the Astronomical community. A wide variety of projects will be undertaken, spanning everything from software development to creative outreach projects. Projects that take advantage of the unique gathering of enthusiasm and expertise at the Winter AAS Meeting are particularly encouraged. Hack day or programming experience is not required; newcomers are extremely welcome! Project ideas and participants will be solicited before and during the meeting. Participants can lead or join a project, and should plan on focusing on only one thing. In addition, we ask participants to commit to Hack Together Day for the majority of the day. The registration link and more information can be found here: www.astrobetter.com/wiki/AASHackDay

Organizer(s): Kelle Cruz (Hunter College/CUNY and AMNH)

401 Extrasolar Planets: Characterization & Theory VI

Saturday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Texas A

Chair: David Ciardi (Caltech)

401.01 HAT-P-26b: A Neptune-mass Exoplanet with Primordial Solar Heavy Element Abundance

Author(s): **Hannah R Wakeford**⁵, David K Sing⁹, Tiffany Kataria⁴, Drake Deming¹⁰, Nikolay Nikolov⁹, Eric Lopez⁸, Pascal Tremblin², David Skalid Amundsen³, Nikole K. Lewis⁶, Avi Mandell⁵, Jonathan J Fortney⁷, Heather Knutson¹, Björn Benneke¹, Tom M. Evans⁹

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401.02 Characterizing K2 Exoplanets with NIR Transit Photometry from the 3.5m WIYN Telescope

Author(s): **Knicole D. Colon¹**, Thomas Barclay¹, Susan E. Thompson¹, Jeffrey Coughlin², Geert Barentsen¹, Elisa V. Quintana² *Institution(s):* ¹. NASA Ames Research Center, ². SETI Institute

401.03D Kepler Planet Masses and Eccentricities from Transit Timing Variations

Author(s): **Sam Hadden**¹, Yoram Lithwick¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *Northwestern University*

401.04 Mitigating bias in testing the origins of warm Jupiters via constraints on transit duration variations

Author(s): Rebekah Ilene Dawson¹
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401.05 What Determines the Presence of a Thermal Inversion in Hot Jupiters?

Author(s): **Thomas G. Beatty**², Nikku Madhusudhan⁴, Richard W. Pogge¹, Angelos Tsiaras³, B. Scott Gaudi¹, Sun Mi Chung¹ *Institution(s):* ¹. Ohio State University, ². Pennsylvania State University, ³. University College London, ⁴. University of Cambridge

401.06 Atmosphere-magma ocean modeling of GJ 1132 b

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402 AGN, QSO, Blazars: X-rays & Gamma Rays

Saturday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Texas C

Chair: Robert Nemiroff (Michigan Technological Univ.)

402.01 Scientific Drivers for X-Ray Polarimetry Observations of Active Galactic Nuclei

Author(s): **Banafsheh Beheshtipour**¹, Henric Krawczynski¹ *Institution(s):* ¹. *Washington University in St. Louis*

402.02 A Long Look at NGC 3783 with Chandra/HETG and NuSTAR

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402.03 Chandra Observations of the Sextuply Imaged Quasar SDSS J2222+2745

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402.04D X-Ray Modeling of the Intrinsic Absorption in NGC 4151

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402.05 The BAT AGN Spectroscopic Survey (BASS)

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402.06 Gamma-ray blazars within the first two billion years

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403 Extrasolar Planets Detection: Radial Velocity II

Saturday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Texas D

Chair: Diana Dragomir (MIT)

403.01 The Dharma Planet Survey of Low-mass and Habitable Rocky Planets around Nearby Solar-type Stars

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403.02 Light Curves as Predictors of Good Radial Velocity Planet Search Targets in New Stellar Domains

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403.03D Multiplexing Precision Radial Velocities with the Michigan/Magellan Fiber System: Searching for Hot Jupiters in Southern Open Star Clusters

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403.04 Halpha as a Diagnostic of FGKM Stellar Atmospheres

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403.05D Illuminating the Origins of Planets with Solar Twins

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403.06 Precise Radial Velocity First Light Observations With iSHELL

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403.07 Planets around nearby M dwarfs

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404 Galaxy Clusters II

Saturday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Grapevine A

Chair: Daniel R. Wik (NASA Goddard Space Flight Center)

404.01 Strong Lens Models for Massive Galaxy Clusters in the Reionization Lensing Cluster Survey

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404.02 Mass Distrubtion from Strong Gravitational Lensing of Merging Cluster Abell 2146

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Author(s): Reinout J. Van Weeren⁷, Felipe Andrade-Santos⁷, William Dawson⁴,

404.03 Discovery of Electron Re-Acceleration at Galaxy Cluster Shocks

Nathan Golovich¹², Dharam V. Lal⁵, Hyesung Kang⁶, Dongsu Ryu¹⁰, Marcus Brüggen², Georgiana Ogrean⁸, William R. Forman⁷, Christine Jones⁷, Vinicius Placco¹³, Rafael Santucci¹¹, David M. Wittman¹², M. James Lee¹⁴, Ralph P. Kraft⁷, David Sobral³, Andra Stroe¹, Kevin Fogarty⁹
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^{11.} Universidade de São Paulo, ^{12.} University of California, ^{13.} University of Notre Dame, ^{14.} Yonsei University

404.04 The Fraction of Cool-Core Clusters in X-ray vs. SZ samples using Chandra Observations

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404.05 Cool Core Disruption in Abell 1763

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404.07 Are SZ and X-ray experiments detecting the same population of galaxy clusters?

Author(s): **Lorenzo Lovisari**¹, Christine Jones¹, Felipe Andrade-Santos¹, William R. Forman¹

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404.08 Subsonic evolution of the radio bubbles in the nearby massive early-type galaxy NGC 4472: uplift, buoyancy, and heating

Author(s): Ralph P. Kraft¹, Marie-Lou Gendron Marsolais², Akos Bogdan¹, Yuanyuan Su¹, William R. Forman¹, Julie Hlavacek-Larrondo², Christine Jones¹, Paul Nulsen¹, Scott W. Randall¹, Elke Roediger³

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404.09 X-ray Scaling Relations of SPT Selected Galaxy Clusters Observed with XMM-Newton

Author(s): **Esra Bulbul**³, Inon Chiu¹, Michael McDonald³, Mark W. Bautz³, Bradford Benson⁴, Lindsey Bleem⁴, Eric D. Miller³, Joseph J. Mohr² *Institution(s)*: ¹ Academia Sinica Institute of Astronomy and Astrophysics, ² LMU, ³ MIT, ⁴ University of Chicago

405 NASA's 2020 Decadal Studies: An Update

Saturday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Grapevine B

NASA has started preparations to identify the next strategic mission to follow JWST and WFIRST. A community-driven process has indicated that the most likely candidate mission concepts will be a Far-IR (FIR) Surveyor, a Habitable Exoplanet Imager (HabEx), a Large UV, Optical, and IR (LUVOIR) Surveyor, and an X-ray Surveyor. In order to define the mission Concepts for consideration and prioritization by the 2020 Decadal, NASA has assembled four Study and Technology Definition Teams (STDTs) drawing membership from the astrophysics community. STDTs' work has been progressing steadily during the last 9 months, with telecons and face-to-face meetings. This session will report the progress achieved so far as well as providing an opportunity to the astrophysics community at large to give feedback.

Chair: Rita Sambruna (NASA HQ)

405.01 Origins Space Telescope

Author(s): **Asantha R. Cooray**¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *UC Irvine*

Contributing team(s): Origins Space Telescope Study Team

405.02 The Habitable Exoplanet (HabEx) Imaging Mission: Preliminary Science Drivers and Technical Requirements

Author(s): B. Scott Gaudi¹

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Contributing team(s): Habitable Exoplanet Imaging Mission Science and

Technology Definition Team

405.03 Revealing the Invisible Universe with the Lynx Mission

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405.04 The Large Ultraviolet/Optical/Infrared Surveyor (LUVOIR)

Author(s): Bradley M. Peterson¹, Debra Fischer²

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Contributing team(s): LUVOIR Science and Technology Definition Team

406 Cosmology III

Saturday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Grapevine C

Chair: Daniel Jacobs (Arizona State University)

406.01 The Distribution of Dark and Luminous Matter in the Galaxy Cluster Merger Abell 2146

Author(s): **Lindsay King**⁴, Douglas Clowe², Joseph E. Coleman⁴, Helen Russell⁶, Rebecca Santana², Jacob White⁵, Rebecca Canning³, Nicole Deering⁴, Andrew C Fabian⁶, Brandyn Lee⁴, Baojiu Li¹, Brian R. McNamara⁷

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406.02 The impact of baryonic matter on gravitational lensing by galaxy clusters

Author(s): **Brandyn E Lee**³, Lindsay King³, Douglas Applegate², lan McCarthy¹ *Institution(s)*: ¹ *Liverpool John Moores University,* ² *University of Chicago,* ³ *University of Texas at Dallas*

406.03 A Study of the Gamma-Ray Burst Fundamental Plane

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406.04D RR Lyrae period luminosity relations with Spitzer

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Contributing team(s): CRRP team

406.05 Co-evolution of Central Direct Collapse Black Holes and Stellar Populations in the Early Universe

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406.07 The WFIRST Supernova Survey

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Contributing team(s): WFIRST Supernova Science Investigation Team

406.08 Multi-Messenger Time-Domain Astronomy with the Fermi Gamma-ray Burst Monitor

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Contributing team(s): Fermi GBM - LIGO group

407 GW-Stellar Mass BH

Saturday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Grapevine D

Chair: Tamara Bogdanovic (Univ. of Maryland)

407.01D Temporal Constraints on the Size of Gamma-ray Burst Progenitors and Implications for Gravitational Wave Follow-up

Author(s): **V. Zach Golkhou**¹, Nathaniel Butler¹, Owen Littlejohns¹ *Institution(s):* ^{1.} *ASU*

407.02 Detectability of GW150914-like events by gravitational microlensing

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407.03 Electromagnetic counterparts to Gravitational Wave events with the Fermi Large Area Telescope

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407.04 Learning about Black-Hole Formation from Gravitational Waves

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407.05 LBT in the era of electromagnetic follow-up of gravitational sources

Author(s): Andrea Rossi¹

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407.06 Discriminating Formation Channels of Binary Black Hole Systems with Advanced LIGO

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407.07D Constraining Microwave Emission from Extensive Air Showers via the MIDAS Experiment

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408 The Coolest Stars & Brown Dwarfs

Saturday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Grapevine 1

Chair: Jennifer Bartlett (US Naval Observatory)

408.01 Precision Spectral Variability of L Dwarfs from the Ground

Author(s): **Adam J. Burgasser**², Everett Schlawin³, Johanna K. Teske¹, Theodora Karalidi³, John Gizis⁴

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408.02D A Survey of Peculiar L and T Dwarfs in a Cross-Correlation of the SDSS, 2MASS and WISE Databases

Author(s): **Kendra Kellogg**¹, Stanimir A. Metchev¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *Western University*

408.03D Atmospheric Properties of T Dwarfs Inferred from Model Fits at Low Spectral Resolution as Exoplanet Atmosphere Analogs

Author(s): Paige A. Godfrey1

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408.04 Variable and Polarized Radio Emission from a T6 Brown Dwarf

Author(s): **Peter K. G. Williams**¹, John Gizis², Edo Berger¹ *Institution(s):* ^{1.} *Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics,* ^{2.} *University of Delaware*

408.05 Parallaxes for 21 late-T and Y dwarfs in the Spitzer Parallax Program

Author(s): **Emily Martin**⁶, J. Davy Kirkpatrick², Charles A. Beichman³, Richard L Smart⁴, Patrick Lowrance², James G. Ingalls², Michael Cushing⁵, Edward L. Wright⁶, Jacqueline K. Faherty¹, Christopher R. Gelino², Ian S. McLean⁶, Sarah E. Logsdon⁶, Christopher G. Tinney⁷

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408.06D Constraining Substellar Magnetic Dynamos using Auroral Radio Emission

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409 Statistical, Mathematical & Computational Methods for Astronomy (ASTRO): SAMSI 2016-17

Saturday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Grapevine 2

Statistical and Applied Mathematical Sciences Institute (SAMSI), a National Science Foundation funded institute in Research Triangle Park, NC, is organizing a year-long research (Aug 2016- May 2017) program on Statistical, Mathematical and Computational Methods for Astronomy (ASTRO). This program will bring together astronomers, computer scientists, applied mathematicians and statisticians. The main aims are: to foster cross-disciplinary activities; to accelerate the adoption of modern statistical and mathematical tools into modern astronomy; and to develop new tools needed for important astronomical research problems. This is timely given the flood of data into astronomy from ground- and space-based missions at multiple wavelengths. Interpretation of the resulting complex data require diverse statistical and mathematical

methods. Mapping appropriate methods when confronting large datasets is crucial. Astronomical themes identified by SAMSI include cosmology, exoplanets, gravitational waves and synoptic surveys. Each of the astronomical sub-fields could benefit from improved time series analysis, hierarchical modeling, uncertainty quantification, reduced order modeling and inference with misspecified models and will be addressed. The SAMSI program is working on establishing some working groups viz. I: Uncertainty Quantification and Reduced Order Modeling in Gravitation, Astrophysics, and Cosmology, II: Synoptic Time Domain Surveys, III: Time Series Analysis for Exoplanets & Gravitational Waves: Beyond Stationary Gaussian Processes, IV: Population Modeling & Signal Separation for Exoplanets & Gravitational Waves, V: Statistics, computation, and modeling in cosmology. Collaborating scientists spend extended periods (weeks to a semester) of time at SAMSI and meet regularly via webex/telecon throughout the year.

Chair: Aneta Siemiginowska (Harvard-Smithsonian, CfA)

409.01 Overview of the SAMSI year-long program on Statistical, Mathematical and Computational Methods for Astronomy

Author(s): **G. Jogesh Babu**¹

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409.02 Statistical Methods for Characterizing Variability in Stellar Spectra

Author(s): Jessi Cisewski¹

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Contributing team(s): Yale Astrostatistics

409.03 Statistics, Computation, and Modeling in Cosmology

Author(s): Jeff Jewell¹, Joe Guiness²

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Contributing team(s): SAMSI 2016 Working Group in Cosmology

409.04 Statistical and Mathematical Methods for Synoptic Time Domain Surveys

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Contributing team(s): SAMSI Synoptic Surveys Time Domain Working Group

410 Supernovae & Remnants

Saturday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Fort Worth 6

Chair: Amanda Bayless (Southwest Research Institute)

410.01 Type lax Supernovae

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410.02 Near-infrared absolute magnitudes of Type Ia Supernovae

Author(s): **Arturo Avelino**¹, Andrew S. Friedman², Kaisey Mandel¹, Robert

Kirshner¹, Peter Challis¹

Institution(s): 1. Harvard University, 2. MIT

410.03D Interstellar-medium Mapping in M82 and Circumstellar Environment Constraints through Light Echoes Around Supernova 2014J

Author(s): **Yi Yang**¹, Lifan Wang¹
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410.04 The Three-Dimensional Motions of the Ejecta of Tycho's Supernova Remnant

Author(s): **Brian J. Williams**², Nina Coyle⁵, Hiroya Yamaguchi², Joseph M. DePasquale¹, John W. Hewitt⁶, John M. Blondin³, Kazimierz J. Borkowski³, Parviz Ghavamian⁴, Robert Petre², Stephen P. Reynolds³ *Institution(s):* ¹ *Harvard-Smithsonian CfA*, ² *NASA Goddard*, ³ *North Carolina*

State University, ^{4.} Towson University, ^{5.} University of Chicago, ^{6.} University of North Florida

410.05 A new set of supernova remnant distances for the inner Galaxy

Author(s): **Denis A. Leahy**¹, Sujith Ranasinghe¹ *Institution(s)*: ¹ *Univ. of Calgary*

410.06 The Unprecedented Metamorphosis of Supernova 2014C: New Insights from New Observations by HST and Gemini

Author(s): **Dan Milisavljevic¹**, Daniel Patnaude¹, Raffaella Margutti³, Atish Kamble¹, John C. Raymond¹, Michael Bietenholz⁶, Jerod Parrent¹, Robert Kirshner¹, Peter Challis¹, Claes Fransson⁴, Wen-fai Fong⁵, Ashley Zauderer² Institution(s): ¹¹ Harvard-Smithsonian, CfA, ²¹ New York University, ³³ Northwestern University, ⁴⁵ Stockholm University, ⁵⁵ University of Arizona, ⁶ York University

410.07 Critical Resolution and Physical Dependenices of Supernovae: Stars in Heat and Under Pressure

Author(s): **David Vartanyan**¹, Adam Seth Burrows¹
Institution(s): ¹. Princeton University

410.08 The Role of Waves in the Explosion Mechanism of Core-Collapse Supernovae Author(s): Sarah Gossan¹, Jim Fuller¹, Luke Roberts²

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411 Astronomy Education Across the Human Continuum: Research, Programs, Practice, & More!

Saturday, 10:00 am - 11:30 am; Dallas 6

Chair: Nicole Gugliucci (Saint Anselm College)

411.01 Middle School Teacher Misconceptions and Anxieties Concerning Space Science Disciplinary Core Ideas in NGSS

Author(s): Kristine Larsen¹

Institution(s): 1. Central Connecticut State University

411.02 Analyzing Tibetan Monastic Conceptions of the Universe Through Individual Drawings

Author(s): Tenzin Sonam¹, Chris David Impey¹

Institution(s): 1. University of Arizona

411.03 Educating the Public about the 2017 Total Solar Eclipse

Author(s): **Jay M. Pasachoff**¹ *Institution(s):* ^{1.} *Williams College*

411.04 NASA's Universe of Learning: Connecting Scientists, Educators, and Learners

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411.05 Astrophysics for Older adults in Chicago.

Author(s): **Daniel Grin**², Randall H. Landsberg³, Karen Flude¹ *Institution(s):* ^{1.} *Age with Ease,* ^{2.} *Haverford College,* ^{3.} *University of Chicago*

411.06 Bringing the Science of JWST to the Public

Author(s): **Joel D. Green**¹, Denise A. Smith¹, Brandon L. Lawton¹, Bonnie K. Meinke¹, Hussein Jirdeh¹ *Institution(s)*: ¹ Space Telescope Science Institute

411.07 Bringing Live Astronomy into the Classroom and to the Public

Author(s): **Paul Cox**¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *Slooh LLC*

411.08 Solar System Symphony: Combining astronomy with live classical music

Author(s): Kyle Kremer¹

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Contributing team(s): WorldWide Telescope

411.09 Do Facilitate, Don't Demonstrate: Meaningful Engagement for Science Outreach

Author(s): Richard Gelderman¹

Institution(s): 1. Western Kentucky University

412 Plenary Talk: The 21st Century: The Century of Biology on Earth and Beyond, Jill Tarter (SETI Institute)

Saturday, 11:40 am - 12:30 pm; Texas A

Chair: Charles Woodward (Univ. of Minnesota)



412.01 The 21st Century: The Century of Biology on Earth and Beyond

Author(s): Jill C. Tarter¹
Institution(s): ¹. SETI Institute
Contributing team(s): SETI Team

POSTER SESSIONS

424 The Sun & Solar System Late Poster Session

Saturday, 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm; Longhorn D

424.01 Multi-site Observations of the March 2016 Total Solar Eclipse: Calibration of Images to Simulate Continuous Monitoring

Author(s): **Robert Bosh**⁹, Matthew J. Penn⁴, Myles McKay⁷, Robert Baer⁶, David Garrison³, Richard Gelderman⁹, Honor Hare⁹, Fred Isberner⁶, Logan Jensen⁸, Sarah Kovac⁶, Adriana Mitchell⁴, Michael Pierce⁸, Patricia Thompson⁹, Andrei Ursache³, John R. Varsik¹, Donald K. Walter⁵, Zachary Watson4, David Young² Institution(s): ¹. Big Bear Solar Observatory, ². Citizen CATE Team, ³. Mathworks Inc., ⁴. National Solar Observatory, ⁵. South Carolina State University, ⁶. Southern Illinois University, ⁷. Space Telescope Science Institute, ⁸. University of Wyoming, ⁹. Western Kentucky University

Contributing team(s): Citizen Cate Team

424.02 DIY Astrophysics: Examining diurnal and seasonal fluctuations in the effects of solar gravity using a three-axis accelerometer

Author(s): **Kristine Romich**¹, Andrew Kruger¹ *Institution(s):* ¹. *City Colleges of Chicago*

424.03 Albedos of Centaurs, Jovian Trojans and Hildas

Author(s): **William Romanishin**¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *Univ. of Oklahoma*

424.04 Shape Modeling and Boulder Mapping of Asteroid 1992 UY4

Author(s): **Nicholas Duong²**, Michael W. Busch¹
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424.05 Simulation of Rogue Planet Encounters with the Solar System: Is Planet 9 a Captured Rogue?

Author(s): James Vesper¹, Paul A. Mason¹ Institution(s): ¹ New Mexico State University

424.06 Matching intermediate-term, multi-angle averages of CIRS FP1+FP3 observations for the He VMR and cloud in Saturn's atmosphere

Author(s): **Joshua Serrano²**, Glenn S. Orton¹, James Sinclair¹, Leigh N. Fletcher³ *Institution(s):* ¹ NASA Jet Propulsion Laboratory, ² University of La Verne, ³ University of Leicester

425 Extrasolar Planets Late Poster Session

Saturday, 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm; Longhorn D

425.01 Transiting Planets with LSST: Finding exoplanets in the Large Magellanic Cloud Author(s): Michael Lund³, Joshua Pepper², Savannah Jacklin¹, Keivan G. Stassun³ Institution(s): ¹. Fisk University, ². Lehigh University, ³. Vanderbilt University

425.02 Planets, Moons, and Multiple Stars – Gravitational Microlensing by Three-Body Systems

Author(s): David Heyrovsky¹, Kamil Danek¹

Institution(s): 1. Charles University

425.03 The metallicity distribution and hot Jupiter rate of the Kepler field: Hectochelle High-resolution spectroscopy for 776 Kepler target stars

Author(s): **Xueying Guo**³, John A. Johnson², Andrew W Mann⁴, Adam L. Kraus⁴, Jason L. Curtis¹, David W. Latham²

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425.04 Insights on the spectral signatures of RV jitter from PCA

Author(s): **Allen Bradford Davis**³, Jessica Cisewski³, Xavier Dumusque², Debra Fischer³, Eric B. Ford¹

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425.05 The Escaping Upper Atmospheres of Hot Jupiters

Author(s): **Eric Davidson**¹, Gabrielle Jones², Ana Uribe¹, Joseph Carson¹ *Institution(s):* ¹. *College of Charleston,* ². *South Carolina State University*

425.07 ZEIT: Searching for Young Stars in K2

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425.08 A Novel Statistical Technique for Determining the Properties of Exrasolar Planets

Author(s): **Cassandra Starr Henderson**¹, Andrew Skemer¹, Caroline Morley¹, Jonathan J. Fortney¹
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425.09 pyLIMA: an open source microlensing software

Author(s): **Etienne Bachelet**¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *LCO*

425.10 A population of planetary systems from Kepler data that are characterized by short-period, Earth-sized planets

Author(s): **Jason H. Steffen**², Jeffrey Coughlin¹ *Institution(s):* ^{1.} *SETI Institute,* ^{2.} *University of Nevada, Las Vegas*

425.11 Extra Solar Planet Science With a Non Redundant Mask

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425.12 Investigating Exoplanets Within Stellar Clusters

Author(s): **Joseph Paul Glaser**¹, Tyler Reisinger¹, Jonathan Thornton¹, Stephen L. W. McMillan¹

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426 Galaxy Clusters and the IGM Late Poster Session

Saturday, 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm; Longhorn D

426.01 The dark matter distribution of merging galaxy cluster PLCKG287.0+32.9 by weak lensing

Author(s): **Kyle Finner**⁴, James Jee⁴, William Dawson¹, Nathan Golovich³, Daniel Gruen², Brian Lemaux³, David M. Wittman³

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426.02 Helium Reionization in From New Sightlines

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426.03 Magnetic Draping as a Possible Solution to Turbulent Heating of the ICM in Kinetic Mode AGN Feedback

Author(s): **Christopher John Bambic**¹, Christopher S. Reynolds¹, Brian Morsony¹ *Institution(s)*: ¹ *University of Maryland, College Park*

426.04 Probing Galaxy Clusters and Substructures using Gravitational Lensing

Author(s): **Miyoung Choi**², Hoang Nguyen², Lindsay King², Brandyn E Lee², Ian McCarthy¹

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426.05 Ratio of Dust to Metal Abundance in Quasar Absorption Line Systems from 1.9 < z < 3.3

Author(s): **Stephanie Stawinski**¹, Sangeeta Malhotra¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *Arizona State University*

426.06 Observation of Weak Low-ionization Winds in Host Galaxies of Low Luminosity
Active Galactic Nuclei at z ~1

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427 Galaxy Evolution Late Poster Session

Saturday, 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm; Longhorn D

427.01 Galaxy Structure in the Far-Ultraviolet

Author(s): **Violet Mager**⁴, Christopher Conselice⁶, Mark Seibert², Courtney Gusbar³, Anthony Katona⁵, Joseph Villari⁵, Barry F. Madore², Rogier A. Windhorst¹

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427.02 The Universe Going Green: Extraordinarily Strong [OIII]5007 in Typical Dwarf Galaxies at z~3

Author(s): **Matthew Arnold Malkan**¹, Daniel Cohen¹ *Institution(s):* ¹. *UC, Los Angeles*

427.03 Constraining the Effect of Close-Pairs on the Measurements of the Number Density of the Most Massive Galaxies in the Early Universe

Author(s): **Zehra Cemile Marsan**², Danilo Marchesini², Gabriel Brammer¹, Adam Muzzin³

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427.04 Galactic Winds and Cosmic Ray Transport in a Multiphase Interstellar Medium

Author(s): **Ryan Farber**², Mateusz Ruszkowski², Karen Hsiang-Yi¹, Ellen Gould Zweibel³

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427.05 The multi-wavelength properties of faint submillimeter galaxies at 450 and 850um

Author(s): **Jorge Zavala**¹, Itziar Aretxaga¹, David Hughes¹, James Dunlop², Michal Michalowski²

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Contributing team(s): SCUBA-2 Cosmology Legacy Survey

427.06 Environmental Variations in the Atomic and Molecular Gas Radial Profiles of Nearby Spiral Galaxies

Author(s): Angus Mok1, Christine Wilson1

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Contributing team(s): JCMT Nearby Galaxies Legacy Survey

427.07 Ram Pressure Stripping and Morphological Transformation in the Coma Cluster

Author(s): Michael Gregg², Michael West¹

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427.08 Bar Evolution and Bar Properties from Disc Galaxies in the Early Universe

Author(s): Tenley Hutchinson-Smith¹, Brooke Simmons²

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428 The Milky Way and Other Galaxies Late Poster Session

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428.01 Two Populations of SiO Masers in the Galactic Bulge

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428.02 The Colors and Stellar Populations of Ultra-Diffuse Galaxies in the Coma and Virgo Clusters

Author(s): Maria Babakhanyan Stone¹, Aaron J. Romanowsky¹

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428.03 A New High Resolution JVLA Survey of the Fireworks Galaxy, NGC 6946

Author(s): **Christina K. Lacey**¹, Zuzana Isabelle Calbo¹, Thomas Pannuti³, Christopher Stockdale², Kelly E. Fries¹

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428.04 Simulating Galaxies: Investigating Spiral Pitch Angle and the Efficiency of Radial Mixing

Author(s): **Noah Lifset**², Luke Barbano², Kathryne J Daniel¹ *Institution(s):* ¹. *Bryn Mawr College,* ². *Swarthmore College*

428.05 Spectral Analysis of CLU Galaxies

Author(s): **Jessica Sutter²**, David O. Cook¹, Mansi M. Kasliwal¹, Daniel A. Dale² *Institution(s)*: ¹. *Caltech*, ². *University of Wyoming*

428.06 Numerical Simulations of a Jet-Cloud Collision and Starburst: Application to Minkowski's Object

Author(s): **Jason Witry**¹, P. Christopher Christopher Fragile¹, Peter Anninos², Steve Croft⁴, Mark Lacy³

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428.07 Near-Infrared Photometric Properties of Red Supergiant Stars in Neaby Galaxies: NGC 4214, NGC 4736 and M51

Author(s): **DooSeok Jung²**, Sang-Hyun Chun¹, Samyaday Choudhury³, Young-Jong Sohn²

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428.08 Studying Lyman-alpha escape and reionization in Green Pea galaxies

Author(s): **Huan Yang¹**, Sangeeta Malhotra¹, James E. Rhoads¹, Max Gronke⁴, Claus Leitherer³, Aida Wofford², Mark Dijkstra⁴

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429 AGN and Friends Late Poster Session

Saturday, 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm; Longhorn D

429.01 AGN feedback in action? - outflows and star formation in type 2 AGNs
Author(s): Jong-Hak Woo¹
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429.02 Infrared Variability and Time Lags for Periodic Quasars

Author(s): **Hyunsung David Jun**³, Daniel Stern³, Matthew J. Graham¹, Stanislav G. Djorgovski¹, Amy Mainzer³, Roc M. Cutri², Andrew J. Drake¹, Ashish A. Mahabal¹ *Institution(s):* ¹ *Caltech*, ² *IPAC*, ³ *Jet Propulsion Laboratory*

429.03 Near-Infrared Spectroscopic Analysis of Galaxy Mergers: Revealing Obscured Accretion

Author(s): Jason Ferguson², Anca Constantin², Shobita Satyapal¹, Barry Rothberg³ Institution(s): 1. George Mason University, 2. James Madison University, 3. Large Binocular Telescope Observatory

429.04 Reverberation mapping of PG 0934+013

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429.05 Constraining Quasar Properties with Variability via the Dark Energy Survey and Australian DES

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429.06 Integrated Properties of Nearby Seyfert Galaxies Measured by 2-D Spectroscopy

Author(s): Junjie Xia1, Matthew Arnold Malkan1 Institution(s): 1. University of California, Los Angeles

429.07 Galactic Winds in Galaxies with Active Black Holes

Author(s): Lin Lee¹, Hassen Mohammed Yesuf² Institution(s): 1. The Hockaday School, 2. UC Santa Cruz

429.08 NGC1448 and IC 3639: Two Concealed Black Holes Lurking in our Cosmic Backyard Unveiled by NuSTAR

Author(s): Daniel Stern¹¹, Peter Boorman¹⁸, Ady Annuar⁵, Poshak Gandhi¹⁸, D. M Alexander⁵, George B Lansbury⁵, Daniel Asmus⁶, David R. Ballantyne⁸, Franz E. Bauer¹⁶, Steven E. Boggs¹⁷, W. Niel Brandt¹³, Murray Brightman², Finn Christensen⁴, William W. Craig¹⁷, Duncan Farrah¹⁹, Andy D. Goulding¹⁴, Charles James Hailey³, Fiona Harrison², Sebastian Hoenig¹⁸, Michael Koss⁷, Stephanie M. LaMassa¹², Alberto Masini⁹, Stephen S. Murray¹⁰, Claudio Ricci¹⁵, Guido Risaliti¹, David J. Rosario⁵, Flora Stanley⁵, William Zhang¹²

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430 Cosmology and Related Topics Late Poster Session

Saturday, 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm; Longhorn D

430.01 Cosmological constraints with weak lensing peak counts and second-order statistics in a large-field survey

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430.02 A large sample of binary quasars: Does quasar bias tracks from Mpc scale to kpc scales?

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430.03 Deep Learning the Universe

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430.04 The Primordial Inflation Polarization Explorer (PIPER)

Author(s): Natalie Gandilo², Peter Ade¹, Dominic J. Benford⁴, Charles L. Bennett², David T. Chuss⁹, Jessie L. Dotson³, Joseph Eimer², Dale J. Fixsen⁴, Mark Halpern⁷, Gene Hilton⁵, Gary F. Hinshaw⁷, Kent Irwin⁶, Christine Jhabvala⁴, Mark Kimball⁴, Alan J. Kogut⁴, Luke Lowe⁴, Jeff McMahon⁸, Timothy Miller⁴, Paul Mirel⁴, Samuel H. Moseley⁴, Samuel Pawlyk⁴, Samelys Rodriguez⁴, Elmer Sharp⁴, Peter Shirron⁴, Johannes Staguhn², Dan Sullivan⁴, Eric Switzer⁴, Peter Taraschi⁴, carole tucker¹, Edward Wollack4

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430.05 Massive Black Hole Binary Mergers and their Gravitational Waves

Author(s): Luke Zoltan Kelley¹, Laura Blecha³, Lars Hernquist¹, Alberto Sesana² Institution(s): 1. Harvard University, 2. University of Birmingham, 3. University of Maryland

430.06 The Wave Turbulence Approach to Gravitational Collapse in Anti-de Sitter

Author(s): Brian Cook1, Leopoldo Pando Zayas1 Institution(s): 1. University of Michigan

430.07 Gravitational lensing of gravitational wave

Author(s): Wang Kei Wong1, Kwan Yeung Ng1 Institution(s): 1. The Chinese University of Hong Kong

431 Neutron Stars & Friends Late Poster Session

Saturday, 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm; Longhorn D

431.01 Exploring the Physical Conditions in Millisecond Pulsar Emission Regions Author(s): Joanna M. Rankin¹

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431.02 Polarization Behavior Across Profile Modes For B0329+54: What Consistent Non-RVM Polarization Tells About the Emission Processes

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431.03 Single Pulse Searches for Pulsars in the Galactic Center

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431.04 Searching for Magnetar SGR 0755-2933

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431.05 Contrasting Magnetohydrodynamic Turbulence with alpha-Viscosity in Simulations of Black Hole Accretion

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431.06 Signatures of strong gravity in the light curves of tidal disruption events

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431.07 Tracking the Disk Wind Behavior of MAXI J1305-704

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431.08 Mass Constraints on the Black Hole Candidate in M62

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432 Star Formation, Young Stars and Clusters Late Poster Session

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432.01 Revealing the Jets in the BHR 71 Protostellar System

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432.02 High Resolution SOFIA/EXES Spectroscopy of CH4 and SO2 toward Massive **Young Stellar Objects**

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432.03 Size Distribution of Star Clusters and Stellar Groups in IC2574

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433 Stars of Many Stripes Late Poster Session

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433.01 Investigation into the Morphology and Temporal Variability of Auroral Hα Emission from LSR J1835+3259

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433.02 Using Model Point Spread Functions to Identifying Binary Brown Dwarf Systems

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433.03 Searching for GALEX FUV and NUV Detections of BOSS Ultracool Dwarfs

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433.04 The Red Supergiants of M33: Determining Physical Properties

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433.05 Regimes of Internal Rotation in Differentially Rotating White Dwarfs

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433.06 The Betelgeuse Project: Constraints from Rotation

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433.07 Magnesium Amplification: The Last Missing Piece in Integrated Light Studies Author(s): Guy Worthey¹

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433.08 The Diversity of Chemical Composition and the Effects on Stellar Evolution and Planetary Habitability

Author(s): **Amanda Truitt**¹, Patrick A. Young¹ *Institution(s):* ¹. *Arizona State University, School of Earth and Space Exploration*

433.09 BVRI Photometric Study of V1695 Aquilae, an Extreme Mass Ratio, High fill-out Contact Binary

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433.10 Characterization of Detached Main Sequence Binaries Observed by Kepler, SDSS(APOGEE) and Gaia

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433.11 Eclipsing Binary Star Detection Using Kepler

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433.12 Dynamical Tide in Action: Tidally Excited Oscillations in Kepler Heartbeat Stars

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433.13 BVRI Photometric Study of the Twin, Detached, Near-Contact W UMA Binary, GQ Cancri

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433.14 Numerical Simulations of Close and Contact Binary Systems Having Bipolytropic Equation of State

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433.15 Characterizing RR Lyraes using SDSS, Single-Epoch Spectroscopy Author(s): Stacy Scott Long², Ronald J. Wilhelm², Nathan M. De Lee¹ Institution(s): ¹ Northern Kentucky University, ² University of Kentucky

433.16 In Search of Stellar Music: Finding Pulsators for the TESS Mission Author(s): Tyler Richey-Yowell¹, Joshua Pepper² Institution(s): ¹ Dickinson College, ² Lehigh University Contributing team(s): KELT Collaboration

433.17 Searching for frequency multiplets in the pulsating subdwarf B star PG 1219+534

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433.18 Mira Period-Luminosity Relations at Near-Infrared

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433.19 The Initial-Final Mass Relation: Analysis of White Dwarfs in the M7 Open Cluster

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433.20 Planet-Planet Scattering and White Dwarf Pollution

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433.21 Low States of Polars from CRTS Optical Light Curves

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433.22 Shaping the Outbursts of Dwarf Novae with Convection and Magnetorotational Turbulence

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433.23 The Habitable Zone of the Binary System Kepler-16

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434 Supernovae et Multo Amplius Late Poster Session

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434.01 Observations of the Ultraviolet-Bright Type IIP Supernova ASASSN-14ha Author(s): Andrew Quick¹, Peter J Brown¹, Nicholas B. Suntzeff¹ Institution(s): ¹ Texas A&M University

434.02 Correlations Between Hubble Residuals and Local Stellar Populations of Type Ia Supernovae

Author(s): **Benjamin Rose**¹, Peter M. Garnavich¹ *Institution(s):* ¹. *University of Notre Dame*

434.03 SuperNovae Analysis aPplication (SNAP): A new analysis tool for understanding the physics of supernovae

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434.04 Two Years and Five Images of Supernova Refsdal

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434.05 Creation of a Unified Set of Core-Collapse Supernovae for Training of Photometric Classifiers

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434.06 Post-Merger Evolution of Betelgeuse

Author(s): **James Sullivan**¹, J. Craig Wheeler¹, Sarafina Nance¹, Manuel Diaz¹ *Institution(s):* ¹. *University of Texas at Austin*

- **434.07** Modeling Type-IIn Interacting Supernovae
 Author(s): Austin McDowell¹, Paul Duffell¹, Daniel Kasen¹
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- **434.08** Asymmetry in Supernovae
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- 434.09 Asymmetries in the bright and moderately extincted SN Ia ASASSN-14lp
 Author(s): Amber L. Porter¹, Peter Milne³, Grant Williams³, Jon Mauerhan²,
 Mark D. Leising¹, Paul S. Smith³
 Institution(s): ¹ Clemson University, ² UC Berkeley, ³ University of Arizona
- 434.10 A Chandra Observation of the Luminous Northeastern Rim of the Galactic Supernova Remnant W28 (G6.4-0.1): Spatially-Resolved Spectroscopic Analysis and Radial Fitting

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434.12 The Korean 1592—1593 Record of a Guest Star: A Luminous Transient of the Cassiopeia A Supernova?

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435 The ISM, Dust and Circumstellar Disks Late Poster Session

Saturday, 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm; Longhorn D

435.01 Revisiting the Trend of Debris Disks with regards to the Improved Ages of Early-Type Stars

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- 435.04 The generation, destination, and astrophysical applications of magnetohydrodynamic turbulence

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- 435.05 Spatial Variations of Turbulent Properties in Neutral Hydrogen Observations of the Small Magellanic Cloud Using Structure Function Analysis
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- 435.06 Toward a Kinetic Model of Silicon Carbide Condensation in Type II Supernovae Author(s): Ethan A.N Deneault¹
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436 GRBs and Space Missions Late Poster Session

Saturday, 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm; Longhorn D

436.01 Comparing Data from Telescopic X-Ray Instruments: Can We Trust All Satellites?

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436.03 Image Analysis of OSIRIS-REx Touch-And-Go Camera System (TAGCAMS) Thermal Vacuum Test Images

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436.04 Updated Status and Performance of the Cosmic Origins Spectrograph on the Hubble Space Telescope

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437 From the Earth, We Peer Outward...Late Poster Session

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437.01 The CCAT-prime Extreme Field-of-View Submillimeter Telescope on Cerro Chajnantor

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437.02 Development of Real-Time Image Stabilization for an Airborne Infrared Spectrometer

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437.03 Absorber Coatings for Mid-Infrared Astrophysics

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437.04 Development of a Low Cost Telescope System for VHE Astronomy Author(s): Rodney Querrard², Jeremy S Perkins¹ Institution(s): ¹ NASA-GSFC, ² University of the Virgin Islands

437.05 Innovative polarization-holographic imaging Stokes polarimeter for observational studies of the solar spicules: the first results

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437.06 Economical Emission-Line Mapping: ISM Properties of Nearby Protogalaxy Analogs

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438 Catalogs, Surveys, Computation, etc. Late Poster Session

Saturday, 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm; Longhorn D

438.01 Searching for short-duration transients in the Chandra archive

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438.02 A Jupyter-based Interactive Visualization Tool for Astronomical Catalogs

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438.03 MeerKAT Large Area Survey

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438.04 The JWST North Ecliptic Pole Survey Field for Time-domain Studies

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438.05 Extended X-ray Objects in the Galactic Bulge Survey

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438.06 Ultra-deep Large Binocular Camera U-band Imaging of the GOODS-North Field: Depth vs. Resolution

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438.07 Hot Star Extension to the Hubble Space Telescope Stellar Spectral Library

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438.08 PyXel: A Python Package for Astronomical X-ray Data Modeling

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438.09 What's New in CASA: 'tclean' and the Cycle 4 ALMA Pipeline

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439 Education and Public Outreach Late Poster Session

Saturday, 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm; Longhorn D

439.01 Starry Campus: Reducing Light Pollution at Smith College

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439.02 ASTRO 850: Teaching Teachers about Exoplanets

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439.04 Virtual Reality Astronomy Education Using AAS WorldWide Telescope and Oculus Rift

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439.05 Youth for Astronomy & Engineering Program: Engaging Local Families and Partners

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439.06 Adding Interferometer Restoration and Upgrade: Learning by Doing with the NINE Program

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439.07 Reaching for the Stars: NASA Science for Girl Scouts (Girl Scout Stars)

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439.08 Exploring Systems Engineering (and the Universe) Through the RadioJOVE telescope

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413 Extrasolar Planets: Characterization & Theory VII

Saturday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Texas A

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413.01D Optical-to-UV correlations and particle fluxes for M dwarf exoplanet host stars

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413.02 Leveraging Ensemble Dynamical Properties to Prioritize Exoplanet Follow-Up Observations

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413.03 Identifying Young Kepler Planet Host Stars from Keck-HIRES Spectra of Lithium

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413.04 A New Method for the Quick Determination of S-Type and P-Type Habitable **Zones in Binary Systems**

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413.05 Jupiter's Phase Variations from Cassini: a testbed for future direct-imaging

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413.06 Compositions of Small Planets & Implications for Planetary Dynamics

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413.07 Ray-tracing base integrated Earth system and instruments model for characterization and detection of exoplanets

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414 AGN, QSO, Blazars: Nuclear Regions & Black Holes

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414.01 The Sloan Digital Sky Survey Reverberation Mapping Project: Quasar Reverberation Mapping Studies

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414.02D Reverberation Mapping of AGN Accretion Disks

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414.03 Reverberation Mapping Results for NGC 4151

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414.04 The Lick AGN Monitoring Project 2016: Extending Reverberation Mapping to Higher Luminosity AGNs

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414.05 Optical Variability Signatures from Massive Black Hole Binaries

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414.06 Diagnostic Power of Broad Emission Line Profiles in Searches for Binary Supermassive Black Holes: Comparison of Models with Observations

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415 Extrasolar Planets Detection: Methodology

Saturday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Texas D

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415.01 Identifying Long-period Planets from Single Transit Events with the MEarth Project

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415.02 Searching for the First Exomoon in the Radio: A Report on GMRT Data

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415.04 Transit Clairvoyance: Enhancing TESS follow-up using artificial neural networks

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415.05D The Past, Present, and Future of Planetary Systems

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415.06 Updated Starshade Technology Gap List

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415.07 How, when and where Life will begin on another planet after Earth by Duky's Theory

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416 Dwarf & Irregular Galaxies II

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416.01D Galactic Building Blocks: Dwarf Galaxies Near and Far

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416.02 A new dwarf detection algorithm applied to M101

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416.03 Effects of Tides on Milky Way Dwarf Satellite Galaxies

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416.04 The First Data Release of the Survey of the MAgellanic Stellar History (SMASH)

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416.05 The Survey of the MAgellanic Stellar History (SMASH): Tracing Stellar Structures in the southern disk of LMC

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416.06 The Magellanic Satellites Survey: Searching for Hierarchical Structure Formation within the Local Group

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416.08 The Dark Matter Content of the Triangulum II Ultra-Faint Dwarf Galaxy

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417 Binary Stellar Systems

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417.01D Tidal Interaction among Red Giants Close Binary Systems in APOGEE Database

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417.02 Resolving M-dwarf Binaries in Young Moving Groups (YMGs) with MagAO

Author(s): **Yutong Shan**¹, Jennifer C Yee¹, Brendan P. Bowler² *Institution(s):* ¹. *Harvard University*, ². *University of Texas at Austin*

417.03 Spatial Disrtribution and Evolution of Massive Stars

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417.04 KIC 9832227: a red nova precursor

Author(s): Lawrence A. Molnar², Daniel Van Noord², Karen Kinemuchi¹, Jason P. Smolinski², Cara E. Alexander², Henry A. Kobulnicky³, Evan M. Cook², Byoungchan Jang², Steven D. Steenwyk²
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417.05 Estimating Parallax Error Due to Orbital Motion for HST/WFC3 Spatial Scan Observations of 19 Long-period Classical Cepheids

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418 Dark Matter, Dark Energy & CMB

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Chair: Lindsay King

418.02D Hidden Sector Hydrogen as Dark Matter: Predictions for Small-scale StructureAuthor(s): **Anna Kwa²**, Kimberly Boddy³, Manoj Kaplinghat², Annika Peter¹ *Institution(s): ¹- The Ohio State University, ²- University of California, Irvine,*

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418.03 Simulated Studies of Supernova Cosmology for LSST

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418.04D Complex Scalar Field Dark Matter and the Stochastic Gravitational Wave Background from Inflation: New Cosmological Constraints and Detectability

Author(s): Bohua Li¹, Paul R. Shapiro¹, Tanja Rindler-Daller²

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418.05D Using Galaxy Simulations to Examine Dark Matter in the Solar Neighborhood with Implications for Direct Detection

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418.06 Decaying sterile neutrino dark matter in the Local Group

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419 Star Formation II

Saturday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Grapevine D

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419.01 Probing the EBL evolution at high redshifts using 22 GRBs detected with the Fermi-LAT

Author(s): **Abhishek Amitbhai Desai**¹, Marco Ajello¹, Nicola Omodei², Dieter Hartmann¹

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419.02 Five-Steps Star Formation Histories across M51: Hybrid FUV+IR Star Formation Rates and the Contribution of Older Stars to the IR Emission

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419.03D Star Formation in Edge-on Galaxies and its Relation to Radio Continuum Halos

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419.04 Are We Correctly Measuring Star-Formation Rates?

Author(s): **Kristen B. McQuinn²**, Evan D. Skillman², Andrew E. Dolphin¹, Noah P. Mitchell³

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419.05D Swift/UVOT Measurements of the UV Dust Extinction Curve and the Recent Star Formation History of the SMC and M33

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419.06 Tracing magnetic fields and identifying star formation with velocity gradients Author(s): Alex Lazarian¹, DIEGO GONZALEZ CASANOVA ¹, Ka Ho YUEN¹ Institution(s): ¹ Univ. of Wisconsin

419.07 Observations of the Zeeman effect in Class I methanol masers

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420 Circumstellar & Debris Disks

Saturday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Grapevine 1

Chair: Marshall Perrin (STScI)

420.01 A New M Dwarf Debris Disk Candidate in a Young Moving Group Discovered with Disk Detective

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420.02D Modeling gas-dust interactions in debris disks

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420.03 Modeling Mid-Infrared Polarization from Protoplanetary Disks and YSOs Author(s): Han Zhang², Eric Pantin1, Dan Li², Charles M. Telesco² Institution(s): ^{1.} Service d'Astrophysique CEA, ^{2.} University of Florida

420.04 In Outburst, the Seeds of Planet Formation

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420.05 Evidence for Magnetically Driven Protoplanetary Disk Winds

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420.06 Probing the debris disks of nearby stars with Fermi-LAT

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420.07 Pushing the limits of high contrast with STIS/BAR5

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421 Astronomy Picture of the Day: Creative Uses in the Classroom & Beyond

Saturday, 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm; Grapevine 2

Do you use APOD in your class? In addition to finding relevant astronomy images, teachers around the world leverage APOD to help educate their students and the public in creative and engaging ways. The session will start with a "behind the scenes" look of how the popular Astronomy Picture of the Day (APOD; main NASA address http://apod.nasa.gov/) is created and the most spectacular APODs of 2016 will be reviewed. Next, speakers will share their APOD-related resources and how they use APOD with their classes and in public outreach. After the presentations, the floor will be opened so audience members can share their experiences with using APOD in their own activities, make general comments, ask questions, and provide criticisms. If you are curious about APOD, use APOD in your classroom, want ideas for using APOD in your classroom or for outreach, want to know how to get APOD to promote your astronomy outreach activity, or would like to make suggestions for changing APOD, this session is your chance to provide direct feedback.

Chair: Robert Nemiroff (Michigan Technological Univ.)

421.01 Can My Image Appear on APOD?: How APOD Really Works

Author(s): **Robert J. Nemiroff**¹, Jerry T. Bonnell² *Institution(s):* ¹ *Michigan Technological Univ.*, ² *NASA's GSFC*

421.02 Beyond APOD

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421.03 After APOD: From the Website to the Classroom and Beyond

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Contributing team(s): APOD

421.04 Spacetime Symphony: APOD and Gravitational Waves

Author(s): Lynn R. Cominsky¹, Aurore Simonnet¹

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Contributing team(s): LIGO-Virgo Scientific Collaboration

421.05 Teaching Astronomy with Podcasts of the APOD

Author(s): Robert M. Wagner¹

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421.06 Fake! Astronomy picture forgeries and how to find them

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Contributing team(s): APOD Team

422 Plenary Talk: The 2017 Total Solar Eclipse: Through the Eyes of NASA, Alex Young (NASA GSFC)

Saturday, 3:40 pm - 4:30 pm; Texas A

Chair: James Lowenthal (Smith College)



422.01 The **2017** Total Solar Eclipse: Through the Eyes of NASA Author(s): **C.** Alex Young¹, Louis Mayo², Carolyn Ng², Troy Cline², Elaine Lewis², Shannon Reed², Asidesach Debebe², Bryan Stephenson², Sten Odenwald², Steele Hill³, Ernest Wright¹ *Institution(s):* ^{1.} NASA's GSFC, ^{2.} NASA/GSFC/ADNET, ^{3.} NASA/GSFC/WYLE

423 Plenary Talk: How Supermassive Black Hole Feedback Might Work, Megan Donahue (Michigan State University)

Saturday, 4:30 pm - 5:20 pm; Texas A

Chair: Jack Burns (Univ. of Colorado at Boulder)



423.01 How Supermassive Black Hole Feedback Might Work Author(s): Megan Donahue¹ Institution(s): ¹ Michigan State Univ.

AAS Closing Reception

Saturday, 5:30 pm - 6:30 pm; Grapevine C

Please join us as we close the 229th AAS Meeting, and say goodbye to old friends and new, with light refreshments provided.

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