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CURRICULUM VITAE

PERSONAL INFORMATION

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EDUCATION

PhD in Astronomy 2015-2019
Observatório do Valongo, Universidade Federal do Rio de Janeiro (UFRJ), Rio de Janeiro, Brazil
Advisors: Denise Rocha Gonçalves and Stavros Akras

Master in science (Astrophysics) 2012-2015
Centro de Radioastronomía y Astrofísica (CRYA), Universidad Nacional autónoma de México (UNAM), Morelia, Michoacán, México
Advisor: William John Henney

Bachelor of Education in Mathematics and Physics 2005-2010
Universidad Popular del Cesar (UPC), Valledupar, Cesar, Colombia
Advisor: Elio Fabio Mejía Henao

ADDITIONAL EDUCATION

Third Winter School of the Valongo Observatory.
Short-term course 2017
Observatório do Valongo, UFRJ, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

XX Special Courses Cycle of the National Observatory.
Short-term course 2015
Observatório Nacional, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

Superior Normalist with Emphasis in Spanish Language 2003-2004
Escuela Normal Superior María Inmaculada, Manaure, Cesar, Colombia

ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL PROFILE

Postdoctoral Researcher 2022-Present
Instituto de Astrofísica de La Plata, CONICET – UNLP, La Plata, Argentina

Supervisor: Favio R. Faifer
Co-supervisor: Claudia Lucia Mendes de Oliveira

Postdoctoral Researcher 2020-2022
*Instituto de Astronomia, Geofísica e Ciências Atmosféricas (IAG),
Universidade de São Paulo, Brazil*
Supervisor: Claudia Lucia Mendes de Oliveira

TEACHING

Assistant Professor 2016
*Stellar Evolution, University level,
Observatório do Valongo, UFRJ, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil*

Assistant Professor 2016
*Extragalactic Astronomy, University level,
Observatório do Valongo, UFRJ, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil*

Mathematics and Physics Teacher 2010
*Centro de Enseñanza Media “Santa Teresita”, High School,
Valledupar, Cesar, Colombia*

Mathematics and Physics Teacher 2009
*Institución Educativa Manuel Germán Cuello, High School,
Valledupar, Cesar, Colombia. Pedagogical and Educational
Practices of the Bachelor’s Degree in Mathematics and Physics*

OBSERVATIONAL EXPERIENCE

PI 2022
SOAR Telescope
Spectroscopic confirmation of planetary nebula candidates in VPHAS+ (DR3) and ALLWISE, impacting Galaxy’s PNe statistics

Telescope Operator 2020-2024
T80-Sur Telescope, Southern Photometric Local Universe Survey (S-PLUS)
Responsibilities included telescope operation, data acquisition, and instrument maintenance

MENTORSHIP AND SUPERVISION

Scientific Initiation 2023-Present
Débora Brandão dos Santos
Early-type star-forming galaxies in the Fornax cluster and the S-PLUS survey. Observatório do Valongo, Universidade Federal do Rio de Janeiro.
Role: Co-supervisor

Scientific Initiation 2020-2024
Giovanna Liberato César
The identification and optical follow-up spectroscopy of PN and SySt candidates in photometric surveys. Observatório do Valongo, Universidade Federal do Rio de Janeiro.
Role: Co-supervisor

PARTICIPATION IN UNDERGRADUATE THESIS COMMITTEES

On February 27, 2024, I participated as a member of the evaluation committee for the final project titled “Photometric Selection and Spectroscopic Confirmation of Planetary Nebulae and Symbiotic Stars in the Galactic Plane”, presented by Giovanna Liberato César

PEER REVIEW ACTIVITIES

- International Journal of Electrical and Computer Engineering (IJECE): Peer reviewer for submitted manuscripts.
- Galaxies: Reviewed one manuscript on October 5, 2024.

RESEARCH VISITS

Observatório do Valongo, Universidade Federal do Rio de Janeiro (UFRJ). 2024

Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

Host: Denise Rocha Gonçalves and Marco Grossi

Center for the Study of the Physics of the Cosmos of Aragón (CEFCA). 2018

Teruel, Spain

Host: Carlos López Sanjuan

AWARDS AND TITLES

Young Researcher and Innovator “Virginia Gutiérrez de Pineda” 2010

Colciencias, Colombia

SKILLS

- **Programming:** PYTHON, FORTRAN
- **Software:** TOPCAT, ALADIN, CLOUDY, L^AT_EX, GITHUB
- **Data Query:** Astronomical Data Query Language (ADQL)
- **Machine Learning:** Applied to astronomy and astrophysical simulations
- **Linux:** Development and maintenance of data analysis servers, task automation, system monitoring
- **Shell Scripting:** Automation of tasks
- **Astronomy:** Telescope operation, data processing, astronomical instrumentation
- **Experience:** Operated T80-Sul telescope for Southern Photometric Local Universe Survey (S-PLUS) project

REFEREED ARTICLES

1. *Stellar atmospheric parameters and chemical abundances of ~ 5 million stars from S-PLUS multi-band photometry.*
C. E. Ferreira Lopes, **L. A. Gutiérrez-Soto**, V. S. Ferreira Alberice, N. Monsalves, D. Hazarika, et al., 2024, A&A, submitted.
2. *The Fourth S-PLUS Data Release: 12-filter photometry covering 3000 square degrees in the Southern Hemisphere.*
F. R. Herpich, F. Almeida-Fernandes, G. B. Oliveira Schwarz, E. V. R. Lima, L. Nakazono, ... **L. A. Gutiérrez-Soto** et al., 2024, A&A, 689, A249.
3. *The S-PLUS Fornax Project (S+FP): A first 12-band glimpse of the Fornax galaxy cluster.*
A. V. Smith Castelli, A. Cortesi, R. F. Haack, A. R. Lopes, J. Thainá-Batista, ... **L. A. Gutiérrez Soto** et al., 2024, MNRAS, 530, 3787.
4. *Unveiling compact planetary nebulae: Broad-band survey analysis and LAMOST confirmation.*
L. A. Gutiérrez-Soto, M. Belén Mari, W. A. Weidmann, F. R. Faifer, 2024, NewA, 109, 102207.
5. *Euclid preparation. XXVII. A UV-NIR spectral atlas of compact planetary nebulae for wavelength calibration.*
K. Paterson, M. Schirmer, Y. Copin, J. -C. Cuillandre, W. Gillard, **L. A. Gutiérrez Soto** et al., 2023, A&A, 674, A172.
6. *Spectroscopic analysis tool for intEgraL fieLd unIt daTacubEs (SATELLITE): case studies of NGC 7009 and NGC 6778 with MUSE.*
S. Akras, H. Monteiro, J. R. Walsh, J. García-Rojas, I. Aleman, ... **L. A. Gutiérrez-Soto** et al., 2022, MNRAS, 512, 2202.
7. *Data Release 2 of S-PLUS: accurate template-fitting based photometry covering 1000 square degrees in 12 optical filters.*
F. Almeida-Fernandes, L. Sampedro, F. R. Herpich, A. Molino, C. E. Barbosa, ... **L. A. Gutiérrez-Soto** et al., 2022, MNRAS, 511, 4590.
8. *Catalogue of the central stars of planetary nebulae. Expanded edition.*
W. A. Weidmann, M. B. Mari, E. O. Schmidt, G. Gaspar, M. M. Miller Bertolami, G. A. Oio, **L. A. Gutiérrez-Soto**, M. G. Volpe, R. Gamen, and D. Mast, 2020, A&A, 640, A10.
9. *J-PLUS: Tools to identify compact planetary nebulae in the Javalambre and southern photometric local universe surveys.*
L. A. Gutiérrez-Soto, D. R. Gonçalves, S. Akras, A. Cortesi, C. López-Sanjuan, M. A. Guerrero et al., 2020, A&A, 633, A123.
10. *The Southern Photometric Local Universe Survey (S-PLUS): improved SEDs, morphologies, and redshifts with 12 optical filters.*
C. Mendes de Oliveira, T. Ribeiro, W. Schoenell, A. Kanaan, R. A. Overzier, ... **L. A. Gutiérrez-Soto**, et al., 2019, MNRAS, 489, 241.
11. *J-PLUS: The Javalambre Photometric Local Universe Survey.*
A. J. Cenarro, M. Moles, D. Cristóbal-Hornillos, A. Marín-Franch, A. Ederoclite, ... **L. A. Gutiérrez-Soto** et al., 2019, A&A, 622, A176.

NON-PEER-REVIEWED ARTICLES

1. *Bow shocks, bow waves, and dust waves. IV. Shell shape statistics.*
W. J. Henney, J. A. Tarango-Yong, **L. A. Gutiérrez-Soto**, S. J. Arthur, 2019, arXiv, arXiv:1907.00122.

These articles are preprints or manuscripts available on arXiv and have not yet undergone peer review.

PUBLISHED WORKS IN CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS

1. *S-PLUS: An atlas of integrated $H\alpha$ + $[N II]$ fluxes for planetary nebulae in the Magellanic Clouds.*
L. A. Gutiérrez-Soto, A. R. Lopes, A. V. Smith Castelli, F. R. Faifer & R. Haack, 2024, BAAA, 65, 181.
2. *Ultra Diffuse Galaxy formation constraints and possible detection in S-PLUS images .*
P. Astudillo Sotomayor, N. W. C. Leigh, R. Demarco, Smith Castelli, R. F. Haack, ... **L. A. Gutiérrez-Soto**, 2024, BAAA, 65, 244.
3. *Photometric candidate selection and spectroscopic confirmation of new PNe and SySts in the Galactic plane.*
Giovanna Liberato, Denise R Gonçalves, **L. A. Gutiérrez-Soto**, S. Akas, 2023, *Boletim da Sociedade Astronômica Brasileira*, Vol. 34, pp. 100-103.
4. *Exploring the population of $H\alpha$ emitters in the Southern Photometric Local Universe Survey (S-PLUS).*
L. A. Gutiérrez-Soto, R. Lopes de Oliveira, S. Akas, et al., 2023, BAAA, 64, 187.
5. *Identification of interacting galaxies in the S-PLUS database.*
G. B Oliveira Schwarz, N. M. Cardoso, A. Cortesi, A. V. Smith Castelli, G. Lucatelli, ... **L. A. Gutiérrez-Soto** et al., 2022, BAAA, 63, 259.
6. *Identifying Galactic halo PN candidates in the imaging surveys: J-PLUS/S-PLUS and J-PAS.*
L. Gutiérrez-Soto, D. R. Gonçalves, S. Akas, A. Cortesi, A. Ederoclite, et al., Latin American Regional IAU Meeting (LARIM) Cartagena 2016, 2017, Cartagena de Indias, Colombia. *Rev. Mex. Astron. Astrofis. (Serie de Conferencias)*, Vol. 49, pp. 162-162.

TALKS AND POSTERS AT SCIENTIFIC MEETINGS

1. *Mapping $H\alpha$ -Excess Candidate Point Sources in the Southern Hemisphere Using S-PLUS Data.*
L. A. Gutiérrez-Soto & S-PLUS Collaboration. 19th S-PLUS Collaboration Meeting, 2024, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. **Speaker.**
2. *An Integrated $H\alpha$ Flux Atlas of Planetary Nebulae in the Magellanic Clouds: Combining S-PLUS Photometry and Spectroscopic Analysis.*
L. A. Gutiérrez-Soto, A. R. Lopes, A. V. Smith Castelli & F. R. Faifer. Montevideo, Uruguay, 2023. Conference. XVII Latin American Regional IAU Meeting. **Speaker.**
3. *S-PLUS: An atlas of integrated $H\alpha$ fluxes for planetary nebulae in the Magellanic Clouds.*
L. A. Gutiérrez-Soto, A. R. Lopes, A. V. Smith Castelli, F. R. Faifer & R. Haack. San Juan, Argentina, 2023. Conference. La 65^o Reunión Anual de la Asociación Argentina de Astronomía. **Poster Presenter.**

4. *S-PLUS: An atlas of integrated H α fluxes for planetary nebulae in the Magellanic Clouds.*
L. A. Gutiérrez-Soto, A. R. Lopes, A. V. Smith Castelli & F. R. Faifer. La Serena, Chile. 2023, Conference. Galaxy Groups and Clusters III: Laboratories to study Galaxy Evolution (GGCIII). **Poster Presenter**.
5. *An atlas of integrated H α fluxes for planetary nebulae in the Magellanic Clouds.*
L. A. Gutiérrez-Soto, A. R. Lopes, A. V. Smith Castelli & F. R. Faifer. Córdoba, Argentina, 2023, Conference. XII Friends of Friends Meeting. **Poster Presenter**.
6. *Exploring the population of H α emitters in the Southern Photometric Local Universe Survey (S-PLUS).*
L. A. Gutiérrez-Soto, R. Lopes de Oliveira, S. Akas, et al., 2022, Conference. 64° Reunión Anual de la Asociación Argentina de Astronomía. **Speaker**.
7. *Revealing the population of compact emission line sources in the Southern Photometric Local Universe Survey (S-PLUS).*
L. A. Gutiérrez-Soto & S-PLUS Collaboration. 17th S-PLUS Collaboration Meeting, 2022, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. **Speaker**.
8. *H α emitters from the Southern Photometric Local Universe Survey (S-PLUS).*
L. A. Gutiérrez-Soto, R. Lopes de Oliveira, S. Akas, D. R. Gonçalves, C. Mendes de Oliveira & S-PLUS Collaboration. 16th S-PLUS Collaboration Meeting, 2021, São Paulo, Brazil. **Poster Presenter**.
9. *Planetary nebulae in S-PLUS.*
L. A. Gutiérrez-Soto, D. R. Gonçalves, S. Akas & S-PLUS Collaboration. 15th S-PLUS Collaboration Meeting, 2021, São Paulo, Brazil. **Speaker**.
10. *Planetary nebulae in S-PLUS.*
L. A. Gutiérrez-Soto, D. R. Gonçalves, S. Akas & S-PLUS Collaboration. 14th S-PLUS Collaboration Meeting, 2020, São Paulo, Brazil. **Speaker**.
11. *Tools to identify planetary nebulae and symbiotic stars.*
L. A. Gutiérrez-Soto, Denise R. Gonçalves, Stavros Akas and the J-PLUS & S-PLUS collaborations. 10th S-PLUS Meeting. 2019, São Paulo, Brazil. **Speaker**.
12. *Photometric tools to select planetary nebulae and symbiotic stars in J-PLUS and S-PLUS surveys.*
L. A. Gutiérrez-Soto, Denise R. Gonçalves, Stavros Akas and J-PLUS & S-PLUS collaborations. II Workshop: chemical abundances in gaseous nebulae. 2019, São José dos Campos, São Paulo, Brazil. **Poster Presenter**.
13. *Detecting Galactic halo planetary nebulae and symbiotic stars in multi-band photometric surveys.*
L. A. Gutiérrez-Soto, D. R. Gonçalves & S. Akas. XXXth General Assembly of the International Astronomical Union (IAU). Division G: Stars and Stellar Physics, 2018, Vienna, Austria. **Speaker**.
14. *Galactic halo planetary nebulae and symbiotic stars in multi-band photometric surveys.*
L. A. Gutiérrez-Soto, D. R. Gonçalves S. Akas. Workshop "Science with SOAR and Gemini telescopes: preparing for the GMT". 2018, São José dos Campos, São Paulo, Brazil. **Speaker**.
15. *S-PLUS, J-PLUS and J-PAS in the search for planetary nebulae.*
L. A. Gutiérrez-Soto, D. R. Gonçalves, S. Akas, A. Cortesi, S. Daflon, et al. XLI

Reunião Anual da Sociedade Astronômica Brasileira 2017, 2018, São Paulo, Brazil. Boletim da Sociedade Astronômica Brasileira, 30, no. 1, 158-159. **Poster Presenter.**

16. *Identifying Galactic halo PN candidates in the imaging surveys: J-PLUS/S-PLUS and J-PAS.*

L. Gutiérrez-Soto, D. R. Gonçalves, S. Akras, A. Cortesi, A. Ederoclite, et al., Latin American Regional IAU Meeting (LARIM) Cartagena 2016, Cartagena de Indias, Colombia. *Rev. Mex. Astron. Astrofís. (Serie de Conferencias)*. **Poster Presenter.**

17. *A catalog of stationary bow shocks in the Orion Nebula.*

L. A. Gutiérrez-Soto, W. J. Henney, J. A. Tarango-Yong, OSSF14: The Olympian Symposium on Star Formation, 2014, Paralia Katerini, Greece. **Poster Presenter.**

PARTICIPATION IN OTHER EVENTS

1. 3rd J-PLUS Virtual Meeting. 2020, Teruel, España.
2. 12th J-PAS Collaboration Meeting. 2016, Río de Janeiro, Brasil.
3. Frontiers in Contemporary Astrophysics. 2013, Morelia, México.
4. Noveno encuentro colombiano de matemática educativa. 2008, Valledupar, Colombia.

PUBLIC COMMUNICATION OF SCIENCE

1. Noche de las Estrellas. 2013, Morelia, Michoacán, México.
2. El Universo en tu Escuela. 2013, Preuniversitaria, Morelia, Michoacán, México.
3. Feria Matemática de Morelia. 2012, Morelia, Michoacán, México.

COLLABORATIONS

S-PLUS Collaboration

2015-Present

Southern Photometric Local Universe Survey (S-PLUS)

Active member of the S-PLUS collaboration, contributing to the technical team as a telescope operator and data processor. Involved in data analysis and scientific exploitation of photometric data from the survey. Participated in projects focused on the identification of planetary nebulae and emission-line objects.

J-PAS Collaboration

2024-Present

Javalambre Physics of the Accelerating Universe Astrophysical Survey (J-PAS)

Contributing to the scientific analysis and exploitation of J-PAS data, focusing on the detection and characterization of planetary nebulae and symbiotic stars. Responsible for photometric analysis and integration of multi-wavelength data.

FINANCIAL SUBSIDIES

Consejo Nacional de Investigaciones Científicas
y Técnicas, CONICET.

Postdoctoral Fellowship

2022

Fundação de Amparo à Pesquisa do Estado de São Paulo, FAPESP. <i>Postdoctoral Fellowship</i>	2020
Coordenação de Aperfeiçoamento de Pessoal de Nível Superior, CAPES. <i>Doctoral Studies Fellowship</i>	2015
Dirección General de Asuntos del Personal Académico, DGAPA. <i>Master's Studies Fellowship</i>	2013
Departamento Administrativo de Ciencia, Tecnología e Innovación, COLCIENCIAS. <i>Research Stay Fellowship</i>	2010