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## EDUCATION

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- **Bachelor of Physics** Sept 2015 – June 2019
  - Top-Notch Innovative Talent Project, College of Physics  
Sichuan University, China, GPA: 3.66/4.00.
- **Dissertation Defense & Research** Sept 2018 – July 2019
  - Chinese Center for Antarctic Astronomy  
Purple Mountain Observatory, China.
- **Ph.D Astronomy** August 2019 – July 2024
  - Department of Physics and Astronomy  
Texas A & M University, USA.

## COMPUTER SKILLS

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- **Programming Languages:** Python (PyTorch, keras), C++, R, Julia.
- **Astronomical Software:**
  - **AIAI-SN:** An artificial intelligence to determine the elemental abundance of type Ia supernovae based on TARDIS radiative transfer program. AIAI-SN can estimate the elemental abundances from carbon to nickel elements, a power-law density profile, and a series of simulated spectra, given an observational spectral time sequence. I have **led the development** of AIAI-SN.
  - **SFFT:** An image subtraction program to detect supernova candidates from the sky survey telescopes, using GPU to accelerate the computation. I have **participated in the development** of SFFT.
  - **SNAIL:** An artificial intelligence designed to predict the optical spectrum of type Ia supernovae. I have **participated in the development** of SNAIL.
  - **SEDONA:** A monte carlo radiative transfer program for supernova optical light curve and spectra simulation. I have **contributed to the development** of SEDONA for 3-dimensional time dependent radiative transfer calculations with polarization.
- **Platforms:** TAMU HPRC (7.8 million CPU hours), NERSC Cori (50,000 CPU hours), NERSC Perlmutter (1352 Node hours).

## OBSERVING

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- **CTIO DECam:** Developed the supernova search and light curve measurement pipeline for the supernova searching programs 2020B-0279, 2021A-0148, 2022A-388025, 2022B-297190, 2023A-881453, 2023B-735801. Totally 50.5 scheduled nights.

## TALKS & OUTREACH

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2019 Aug	<i>Deep-Learning on Synthetic Ia Supernovae Spectra</i> TAMU Astronomy Symposium, USA.
2020 Aug	<i>Building an Observatory on Antarctica</i> Astronomy on Tap Bryan College Station, USA.
2021 May	<i>Finding Supernovae in Big Data</i> 4th Annual Texas A&M Research Computing Symposium, USA.
2021 Oct	<i>Using Physics-Informed Neural Network to Calculate Radiative Transfer Problems</i> TAMIDS SciML workshop, USA.
2022 Mar	<i>Constraining Type Ia supernova Delay Time With Spatially Resolved Star Formation Histories</i> Cook's Branch Workshop on Supernovae, USA.
2022 Aug	<i>Three Dimensional Radiative Transfer Calculation on Supernovae</i> TAMU Astronomy Symposium, USA.

## TEACHING

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2020 – 2022	TAMU ASTR420 <i>Advanced Astrophysical Research</i> Teaching Assistant with grading, office hour, telescope observation arrangement. 3 semesters.
2021	TAMU ASTR320 <i>Astrophysical Research</i> Teaching Assistant with grading, office hour, program testing. 1 semester.

## PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

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- **Xingzhao Chen**, Danqing Zhang, Xi Zhang, Yong Liu, Xueyan Li, Gang Xiang. *Synthesis and growth mechanism of Mn-doped nanodot embedded silica nanowires*. 2019, Physica B, 571, 10.
- Shihao Kou, **Xingzhao Chen**, Xuewen Liu. *A New Method to Classify Type IIP/III Supernovae Based on Their Spectra*. 2020, ApJ, 890, 177.
- **Xingzhao Chen**, Lei Hu, Lifan Wang. *Artificial Intelligence-Assisted Inversion (AIAI) of Synthetic Type Ia Supernova Spectra*. 2020, ApJS, 250, 12.
- **Xingzhao Chen**, Lei Hu, Lifan Wang. *Constraining Type Ia Supernova Delay Time with Spatially Resolved Star Formation Histories*. 2021, ApJ, 922, 15.
- Lei Hu, Lifan Wang, **Xingzhao Chen**, Jiawen Yang. *Image Subtraction in Fourier Space*. 2022, ApJ, 936, 157.
- Lei Hu, **Xingzhao Chen**, Lifan Wang. *Spectroscopic Studies of Type Ia Supernovae Using LSTM Neural Networks*. 2022, ApJ, 930, 70.
- Jia Lu, Lifan Wang, **Xingzhao Chen**, David Rubin, Saul Perlmutter, Dietrich Baade, Jeremy Mould, Jozsef Vinko, Eniko Regos, Anton M. Koekmoer. *Constraints on Cosmological Parameters with a Sample of Type Ia Supernovae from JWST*. 2022, ApJ, 941, 71.

## PUBLICATIONS IN PREPARATION

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- **Xingzhuo Chen**, Lifan Wang, Lei Hu, Peter J. Brown. *Artificial Intelligence Assisted Inversion (AIAI): Quantifying the Spectral Features of  $^{56}\text{Ni}$  of Type Ia Supernovae*. arxiv:2210.15892. Accepted for publication in Astrophysical Journal.

## NOT PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

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- **Xingzhuo Chen**, David J. Jeffery, Ming Zhong, Levi McClenny, Ulisses Braga-Neto, Lifan Wang. *Using Physics Informed Neural Networks for Supernova Radiative Transfer Simulation*. arxiv:2211.05219.