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PI: MPG/ESO La Silla 2.2m - 60 hours	2020
A search for detached black holes in binaries	
PI: Lick Shane 3m - 5 nights	2020
A search for detached black holes in binaries CO-I: Keck - 2 nights (PI: Alexie Leauthaud)	2019
Testing the Feedback-driven Breathing Mode in Dwarf Galaxies at $z \approx 0.1$	2019
CO-I: La Silla MPG 2.2 m - 150 hours (PI: Hans-Walter Rix)	2019
Wide Binaries as Fundamental Calibrators of Galactic Archeology	
CO-I: Magellan - 3 nights (PI: Yuan-Sen Ting)	2018
The Chemical Homogeneity of Wide Binaries in Gaia DR2	
CO-I: McDondald - 5 nights (PI: Keith Hawkins)	2018
The Chemical Homogeneity of Wide Binaries in Gaia DR2	2017 2010
CO-I: Keck - 7 nights total (PI: Tucker Jones) Dissecting Galaxy Formation and Testing Feedback Models on 100 pc Scales: An OSIRIS	2017, 2018
Survey of Lensed Galaxies at $z=2$)
CO-I: Keck - 2.5 nights (PI: Dan Weisz)	2017
Stellar Chemistry in Isolated Dwarf Galaxies	
PI: Palomar Hale 200 inch - 1 night	2015
Probing Radial Star-Formation Histories of Isolated Dwarf Galaxies	
CO-I: Keck - 1 night (PI: Andrew Wetzel)	2015
Constraining Star-Formation Quenching Mechanisms using Isolated Low-Mass Galaxies	
Awarded Supercomputing Time	
PI: NERSC Cori/KNL Early Access - 4.7 M cpu-hours	2017
Simulating the Formation of Dwarf Galaxies	
Observing Experience	
Public data – significant experience with data from Gaia, Kepler/K2, TESS, LAMOST, SDS	SS. ZTF
Lick Shane telescope, KAST Spectrograph – 28 nights	2020-2021
Keck DEIMOS – 2.5 nights	2017
Palomar Hale telescope, Wide-Field IR Camera – 1 night	2015
Keck ESI – 3 nights WIYN, Hydra Multi-Fiber Spectrograph – 2 nights	2015, 2016 2014
Arecibo, L-Band HI – 2 nights	2013, 2014
Journal Referee	
A&A, A&AL, ApJ, ApJL, MNRAS, MNRASL, SCPMA	17 papers total; 2017 –
Student mentoring	
	2020
Pranav Nagarajan (Berkeley undergrad) Mapping the Local Group with RR Lyrae stars	2020-
Nick Choksi (Berkeley undergrad; now Berkeley grad student)	2018 - 2019
Forecasting high-redshift observations of globular cluster formation	2010 2013
Teaching Experience	
Co-Instructor, Astro 375, Graduate Pedagogy, UC Berkeley	2019, 2020
Sole Instructor, Stellar Physics, Hyeonpung High School, Daegu, South Korea	2019
Graduate Student Instructor, Astro 128, Astronomy Data Lab, UC Berkeley	2019, 2020, 2021
Course Designer, Astro 128, Astronomy Data Lab, UC Berkeley	2018, 2019, 2020
Graduate Student Instructor, Astro 160, Stellar Physics, UC Berkeley Graduate Student Instructor, Astro 7A, Introduction to Astronomy, UC Berkeley	$ \begin{array}{r} 2018 \\ 2017 \end{array} $
Graduate Student Instructor, Astro C12, The Planets, UC Berkeley	2017
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RECENT TALKS

Binary stars as probes of stellar evolution and fundamental physics — Colloquium, CIERA/Northwestern	2021
Emission-line stars and binary mass transfer – Astronomy seminar, University of Warwick	2021
Globular clusters as tracers of halo assembly — Lunch talk, UC Berkeley	2021
Binary stars as probes of stellar evolution and fundamental physics — Colloquium, UC Berkeley	2021
Binary stars as probes of stellar evolution and fundamental physics — Colloquium, Caltech	2021
Binary stars as probes of stellar evolution and fundamental physics — Colloquium, U. Chicago	2021
Binary stars as probes of stellar evolution and fundamental physics — Colloquium, U. Utah	2021
Found: the cataclysmic variable progenitors of ultra-compact binaries — Lunch talk, Berkeley	2020
Emission-line stars, binary mass transfer, and dormant black holes — Tea talk, Caltech	2020
A companion-stripping origin for Be stars — CIERA seminar, Northwestern	2020
Emission-line stars, mass transfer, and the search for stellar-mass black holes — Colloquium, Princeton	2020
A stripped star a day keeps the black holes away — Galaxy coffee, MPIA, Heidelberg	2020
A stripped-companion origin for Be stars — Bildsten group meeting, KITP	2020
Caught in the act: a stripped-companion origin for Be stars — Lunch talk, UC Berkeley	2020
Be stars masquerading as black holes — Special discussion on HR 6819, compact objects group, CCA	2020
Black holes in detached binaries – Virtual ZTF theory meeting	2020
Wide binaries as probes of star formation and dynamical evolution — Astronomy seminar, U. Chicago	2019
Hunting for black holes in detached Galactic binaries — KIPAC Tea Talk, SLAC	2019
Separated at birth? An unexpected population of identical-twin binaries — Lunch talk, UC Berkeley	2019
Wide binaries as probes of star formation and evolution — Astronomy seminar, Boston University	2019
Wide binaries as dynamical probes — Galaxies and cosmology seminar, Harvard CFA	2019
Binary stars in wide-field surveys — Tea talk, Caltech	2019
Twin binaries – The Milky Way 2019: LAMOST and other Leading Survey meeting, Yichang, China	2019
Wide binaries as probes of star formation and evolution — Charles University, Prague, Czech Republic	2019
Wide binaries in 2019 — Universe of Binaries meeting, Telč, Czech Republic	2019
Gas kinematics of low-mass galaxies — CosmoDwarfs meeting, Durham, UK	2019
Conduction and cooling in supernovae-driven superbubbles — Galaxy coffee, MPIA, Heidelberg	2019
A new model for superbubbles driven by clustered supernovae — Lunch talk, UC Berkeley	2019
Successes and challenges in modeling low-mass galaxies — FLASH seminar, UC Santa Cruz	2019
Successes and challenges in modeling low-mass galaxies — Cosmology seminar, UC Davis The alchylar elector systems of low mass halos. I county Center workshop I siden Netherlands	2019 2019
The globular cluster systems of low-mass halos — Lorentz Center workshop, Leiden, Netherlands Feedback in low-mass galaxies at high redshift — Near/Far workshop, Napa, CA	2019
White dwarf demographics with Gaia — Lunch talk, UC Berkeley	2018
The binary fraction and metallicity – GSPS, UC Berkeley	2018
Dwarf galaxies as laboratories for astrophysics and cosmology – CCAPP Price Prize lecture, Ohio State	2018
Stars re-shaping galaxies — Galactic angular momentum focus group, IAU, Vienna, Austria	2018
Thermal conduction in superbubble evolution – KSPA, CCA, NYC	2018
What can Gaia do for white dwarfs? – Lunch talk, CCA, NYC	2018
The formation and hierarchical assembly of globular clusters — Galaxy coffee, MPIA, Heidelberg	2018
What do globular clusters tell us about the high-redshift universe? — Galaxy lunch, Yale	2018
How to fit a stellar spectrum – GSPS, UC Berkeley	2018
Gas kinematics from unresolved HI data — Lunch talk, UC Berkeley	2018
Globular cluster formation scenarios — Near/Far workshop, Napa, CA	2017
How to find long-period spectroscopic binaries – Lunch talk, UC Berkeley	2017
A self-consistent model for binary star spectra — SFB seminar, ARI, Heidelberg	2017
Effects of stellar feedback on dwarf galaxy evolution — Galaxy coffee, MPIA, Heidelberg	2017
Angular momentum of low-mass halos (poster) — Galaxy-Halo Connection Workshop, KITP	2017
Does the IMF vary in ultrafaint galaxies? — GSPS, UC Berkeley	2017
What regulates disk formation in low-mass galaxies? — Lunch talk, UC Berkeley	2017
Small-scale problems in Λ CDM: feedback to the rescue? — GalForm seminar, UC Berkeley	2017
Dust and the simulated SED - Near/Far Workshop, Santa Rosa, CA	2016
Dynamical modeling of low-mass galaxies — Lunch talk, UC Berkeley	2016
Can baryonic feedback save Λ CDM on small scales? — undergraduate thesis talk, Yale	2016

h-index: 25 (all papers), 16 (first-author papers)

- 51. Nelson, T., Ting, Y.-S., Hawkins, K., Ji, A., Kamdar, H., **El-Badry, K.**, 2021, "Distant relatives: The chemical homogeneity of comoving pairs identified in Gaia", arXiv:2104.12883, ApJ, submitted.
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- 49. Stern, J., Sternberg, A., Faucher-Giguère, C.-A., Hafen, Z., Fielding, D., Quataert, E., Wetzel, A., Anglès-Alcàzar, D., El-Badry, K., Kereš, D., Hopkins, P. F., 2021, "Neutral CGM as damped Ly absorbers at high redshift", MNRAS, submitted.
- 48. Santistevan, I., Wetzel, A., Sanderson, R., **El-Badry, K.**, Samuel, J., Faucher-Giguère, C.-A., "The origin of metal-poor stars on prograde disk orbits in FIRE simulations of Milky Way-mass galaxies", arXiv:2102.03369, MNRAS, in press.
- 47. **El-Badry, K.,** Rix, H.-W., Heintz, T. M., 2021, "A million binaries from Gaia eDR3: sample selection and validation of Gaia parallax uncertainties", arXiv:2101.05282, MNRAS, in press.
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- Mercado, F. J., Bullock, J. S., Boylan-Kolchin, M., Moreno, J., Wetzel, A., El-Badry, K., Graus, A. S., Fitts, A., Hopkins, P. F., Faucher-Giguère, C.-A., 2020, "Totally metal: A relationship between stellar metallicity gradients and galaxy age in dwarf galaxies", arXiv:2009.01241, MNRAS, 501, 5121.
- 44. Velázquez, J. F., Gurvich, A. B., Faucher-Giguère, C.-A., Bullock, J. S., Starkenburg, T. K., Moreno, J., Lazar, A., Mercado, F. J., Stern, J., Sparre, M., Hayward, C., Wetzel, A., **El-Badry, K.**, 2020 "The time-scales probed by star formation rate indicators for realistic, bursty star formation histories from the FIRE simulations", arXiv:2008.08582, MNRAS, 501, 4812.
- 43. Xiang, M.-S., Rix, H.-W., Ting, Y.-S., Zari, E., **El-Badry, K.**, Yuan, H.-B., Cui, W.-Y., 2020, "Data-driven spectroscopic estimates of absolute magnitude, distance, and binarity method and catalog of 16,002 O- and B-type stars from LAMOST", arXiv:2008.10637, ApJ, in press.
- 42. Irrgang, A., Geier, S., Heber, U., Kupfer, T., **El-Badry, K.**, Bloemen, S., 2020, "A proto-helium white dwarf stripped by a substellar companion via common-envelope ejection: Uncovering the true nature of a candidate hypervelocity B-star", arXiv:2007.03350, A&A., in press.
- 41. Kamdar, H., Conroy, C., Ting, Y.-S., **El-Badry, K.**, 2020, "Spatial and kinematic clustering of stars in the Galactic disk", arXiv:2007.10990, ApJ, submitted.
- 40. Stern, J., Faucher-Giguère, C.-A., Fielding, D., Quataert, E., Hafen, Z., Gurvich, A. B., Ma, X., Byrne, L., El-Badry, K., Anglès-Alcàzar, D., Chan, T.-K., Feldmann, R., Kereš, D., Wetzel, A., Murray, N., Hopkins, P. F., 2020, "Virialization of the inner CGM in the FIRE simulations and implications for galaxy discs, star formation and feedback", arXiv: 2006.13976, ApJ, in press.
- 39. El-Badry, K. and Quataert, E., 2020, "A stripped-companion origin for Be stars: clues from the putative black holes HR 6819 and LB-1", arXiv:2006.11974, MNRAS, 502, 3436.
- 38. Li, F., Rahman, M., Murray, N., Hafen, Z., Faucher-Giguère, C.-A., Stern, J., Hummels, C. B., Hopkins, P. F., El-Badry, K., Kereš, D., 2020, "Probing the CGM of low-redshift dwarf galaxies using FIRE simulations", arXiv:2010.13606, MNRAS, 500, 1038.
- 37. Lazar, A., Bullock, J. S., Boylan-Kolchin, M., Chan, T.-K., Hopkins, P. F., Graus, A., Wetzel, A., El-Badry, K., Wheeler, C., Straight, M. C., Kereš, D., Faucher-Giguère, C.-A., Fitts, A., Garrison-Kimmel, S., 2020, "A dark matter profile to model diverse feedback-induced core sizes of ΛCDM haloes", arXiv:2004.10817, MNRAS, 497, 2393.

- 36. Coronado, J., Rix, H.-W., Trick, W., **El-Badry, K.**, Rybizki, J., Xiang, M., 2020, "From birth associations to field stars: mapping the small-scale orbit distribution in the Galactic disc", arXiv:2002.09496, MNRAS, 495, 4098.
- 35. Santistevan, I. B., Wetzel, A., **El-Badry, K.**, Bland-Hawthorn, J., Boylan-Kolchin, M., Bailin, J., Faucher-Giguère, C.-A., Benincasa, S., 2020, "Growing pains: the formation times and building blocks of Milky Way-mass galaxies in the FIRE simulations", arXiv:2001.03178, MNRAS, 497, 747.
- 34. Pelliccia, D., Mobasher, B., Darvish, B., Lemaux, B. C., Lubin, L. M., Hirtenstein, J., Shen, L., Wu, P.-F., **El-Badry, K.**, Wetzel, A., Jones, T., 2020, "Effects of stellar feedback on stellar and gas kinematics of star-forming galaxies at 0.6 < z < 1.0", arXiv:2001.00590, ApJL, 896, 26.
- 33. **El-Badry, K.** and Quataert, E., 2019, "Not so fast: LB-1 is unlikely to contain a $70 M_{\odot}$ black hole", arXiv:1912.04185, MNRASL, 493, 22.
- 32. Hafen, Z., Faucher-Giguère, C.-A., Anglès-Alcàzar, D., Stern, J., Kereš, D., Esmerian, C., Wetzel, A., El-Badry, K., Chan, T.-K., Murray, N., 2019, "The fates of the circumgalactic medium in the FIRE simulations", arXiv:1910.01123, MNRAS, 494, 3581.
- 31. Tian, H.-J., **El-Badry, K.**, Rix, H.-W., Gould, A., 2019, "The separation distribution of ultrawide binaries across galactic populations", arXiv:1909.04765, ApJS, 246, 4.
- 30. Hawkins, K., Lucey, M., Ting, Y.-S., Ji, A., Katzberg, D., Thompson, M., **El-Badry, K.**, Teske, J., Nelson, T., Carrillo, A., 2019, "Identical or fraternal twins?: The chemical homogeneity of wide binaries from *Gaia* DR2", arXiv:1912.08895, MNRAS, 492, 1164.
- 29. El-Badry, K., Rix, H.-W., Tian, H., Duchêne, G., Moe, M., 2019, "Discovery of an equal-mass "twin" binary population reaching 1000+ AU separations", arXiv:1906.10128, MNRAS, 489, 5822.
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- 26. Garrison-Kimmel, S., Wetzel, A., Hopkins, P. F., Sanderson, R., El-Badry, K., Graus, A., Chan, T.K., Feldmann, R., Boylan-Kolchin, M., Hayward, C., Bullock, J. S., Fitts, A., Samuel, J., Wheeler, C., Kereš, D., Faucher-Giguère, C.-A., 2019, "Star formation histories of dwarf galaxies in the FIRE simulations: dependence on mass and Local Group environment", arXiv:1903.10515, MNRAS, 489, 4574.
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- 24. Dickey, C. M., Geha, M., Wetzel, A., **El-Badry, K.**, 2019, "AGN all the way down? AGN-like line ratios are common in the lowest-mass isolated quiescent galaxies", arXiv:1902.01401, ApJ, 884, 180.
- 23. Emami, N., Siana, B., Weisz D. R., Johnson, B. D., Ma, X., **El-Badry, K.**, 2018, "A closer look at bursty star formation with $L_{\text{H}\alpha}$ and L_{UV} distributions", arXiv:1809.06380, ApJ, 881, 71.
- 22. Fitts, A., Boylan-Kolchin, M., Bozek, B., Bullock, J. S., Graus, A., Robles, V., Hopkins P. F., **El-Badry, K.**, Garrison-Kimmel, S., Faucher-Giguère, C.-A., Wetzel, A., Kereš, D., 2018, "Dwarf galaxies in CDM, WDM, and SIDM: disentangling baryons and dark matter physics", arXiv: 1811.11791, MNRAS, 490, 962.
- 21. Hafen, Z., Faucher-Giguère, C.-A., Anglès-Alcàzar, D., Stern, J., Kereš, D., Hummels, C., Esmerian, C., Garrison-Kimmel, S., **El-Badry, K.**, Wetzel, A., Chan, T. K., Hopkins, P. F., Murray, N., 2018, "The origins of the circumgalactic medium in the FIRE simulations", arXiv:1811.11753, MNRAS, 488, 1.
- 20. Hirtenstein, J., Jones T., Wang, X., Wetzel, A., **El-Badry, K.**, Hoag, A., Treu, T., Bradač, M., Morishita, T., 2018, "The OSIRIS lens-amplified survey (OLAS) I: dynamical effects of stellar feedback in low mass galaxies at $z \sim 2$ ", arXiv:1811.11768, ApJ, 880, 54.
- 19. **El-Badry, K.,** 2019, "The geometric challenge of testing gravity with wide binaries", arXiv:1810.13397, MN-RAS, 482, 5018.
- 18. **El-Badry, K.** and Rix, H.-W., 2019, "The wide binary fraction of solar-type stars: emergence of metallicity dependence at a < 200 AU", arXiv:1809.06860, MNRASL, 482, 139.

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- 12. **El-Badry, K.**, Bland-Hawthorn, J., Wetzel, A., Quataert, E., Weisz, D. R., Boylan-Kolchin, M., Hopkins, P. F., Faucher-Giguère, C.-A., Kereš, D., Garrison-Kimmel, S. 2018, "Where are the most ancient stars in the Milky Way?", arXiv:1804.00659, MNRAS, 480, 652.
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