Marcell Howard

Curriculum Vitae

PERSONAL DETAILS

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EDUCATION

University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA

2019-Present

Ph.D., Physics and Astronomy

Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, OH

2015-2019

B.Sc., Mathematics and Physics

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Case Western Reserve University

Sept 2018-May 2019

Senior Thesis advised by Kurt Hinterbichler

Investigated the possible deviations that a theory of dark energy may have from General Relativity by applying the 3 of the 4 classical tests of General Relativity

Rutgers University

Jun 2018-Aug 2018

Research Experience for Undergraduates advised by Andrew Baker

Probed the evolution of galaxies by stacking stellar mass selected samples by developing a pipeline that automated the process for modeling the stellar population in over 2000 galaxies

Cornell University

Jun 2017-Aug 2017

Research Experience for Undergraduates advised by Gordon Stacey

Used far-infrared fine structure lines for characterizing the star formation processes in nearby galaxies by using Python to process, analyze, and perform calculations on various data files

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Supplemental Instructor

Sept 2017-May 2019

MATH121+122: Calculus for Scientists and Engineers I and II

- Held 3 small groups and 1 recitation session per week.
- Graded quizzes and tests.

Teaching Assistant

Sept 2017-May 2019

PHYS121+122: General Physics I – Mechanics and General Physics II – Electricity and Magnetism

- Graded written homework handed in every week.
- Handed out in class assignments and provided help to various students.

TALKS AND POSTER PRESENTATIONS

Case Western Reserve University

Oct 2018

Counting the Degrees of Freedom in Mimetic Gravity

Contributed talk

Rutgers University

Aug 2018

Probing the Evolution of Galaxies Using Stellar Mass Selected Samples

Contributed poster and talk

Cornell University

Aug 2017

Using Far-Infrared Fine-Structure Lines for Characterizing the Star Formation Processes in Nearby Galaxies

Contributed poster and talk

SKILLS

Programming Python, Mathematica, IATEX, Software SciPy/matplotlib, AstroPy, git

AWARDS

Kenneth P. Dietrich School of Arts & Sciences Fellowship

August~2019

Arts and Sciences Summer Research Predoctoral Fellowship

 $June\ 2020$

Case Alumni Scholarship

May 2017

University Scholarship

Sept 2015

CWRU Grant

Sept 2015

Hayden Scholarship

Dec 2017

Gaemsslen Grant Fund

Dec 2017