# Oliver Newton

Curriculum Vitæ

# Employment & voluntary work

#### Vocational

2019- Postdoctoral Researcher, Institut de Physique des Deux Infinis, Lyon, France.

2014–2015 **Graduate Trading Platform Engineer**, *Fidessa*, Woking, UK.

Volunteering

2014–2020 Founding trustee & Treasurer, UniBrass Foundation (charity number: 1159359), UK.

#### Education

2015–2019 **PhD**, Institute for Computational Cosmology, Durham, UK.

Probing the nature of dark matter with small-scale cosmology Supervisors: Prof. Adrian Jenkins and Prof. Carlos Frenk

2010–2014 **BSc MPhys**, *University of Warwick*, Coventry, UK, 1st Class (Hons).

Masters project: Determining the fundamental properties of Higgs candidates at the LHC

## Awards and scholarships

2019 ICC Research Scholarship, Institute for Computational Cosmology, Durham, UK.

2015–2019 STFC Postgraduate Studentship, Institute for Computational Cosmology, Durham, UK.

#### Conference contributions

#### Contributed talks

July 2020 **EAS (Online)**, Leiden, Netherlands.

Constraining the properties of WDM using the satellite galaxies of the Milky Way

Jan 2020 VIRGO Consortium meeting, Durham, UK.

Constraining the properties of WDM using the satellite galaxies of the Milky Way

Sep 2019 **CLUES Collaboration meeting**, IN2P3, Lyon, France.

Constraints on thermal relic WDM from satellites of the LG

July 2019 Small Galaxies, Cosmic Questions, Durham, UK.

Constraints on the mass of the thermal relic warm dark matter particle

Jan 2019 **DEX XV**, Edinburgh, UK.

Constraints on the mass of the thermal relic warm dark matter particle

Dec 2018 VIRGO Consortium meeting, Leiden University, Netherlands.

Constraints on the mass of the thermal relic warm dark matter particle

Aug 2018 XXX IAU General Assembly, Vienna, Austria.

Constraining the mass of the WDM particle using estimates of the total satellite population of the Milky Way

Jan 2018 **DEX XIV**, Durham, UK.

The total satellite population of the Milky Way

Dec 2017 VIRGO Consortium meeting, MPA Garching, Munich, Germany.

The total satellite population of the Milky Way

July 2017 National Astronomy Meeting, Hull, UK.

The total satellite population of the Milky Way

Dec 2016 VIRGO Consortium meeting, Durham, UK.

MW satellite galaxies: how many could there be?

**Posters** 

June 2019 **EWASS**, Lyon, France.

Constraints on the mass of the thermal relic warm dark matter particle

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## Teaching/supervising experience

2017–2019 Co-supervising two 4th year undergraduate student Master's theses

## Organisational responsibilities

Institution

2021- CLUES discussion meeting, Convener, IP2I Lyon, France.

2016–2017 Postgraduate Journal Club, Co-convener, Durham, UK.

Conferences and meetings

2018–2019 Small Galaxies, Cosmic Questions LOC, Member, Durham, UK.

## Memberships

Oct 2019- Member CLUES Collaboration

May 2017 - Fellow of the Royal Astronomical Society, UK

Oct 2015- Member Virgo Consortium

### Outreach

**Events** 

Oct 2018 Celebrate Science, Durham, UK.

Galaxy Makers

Apr 2018 Schools Science Festival, Durham, UK.

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Apr 2017 Schools Science Festival, Durham, UK.

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Jul 2016 Royal Society Summer Science Exhibition, London, UK.

Galaxy Makers

Activity development

2015-2016 Galaxy Makers, Durham, UK.

Developed design ideas and ran the constituent EAGLE volumes that were visualised in the final exhibit.

## Computer skills

Python, LATEX, TCL, SQL, Microsoft Office suite

#### Publications

**Oliver Newton**, Noam I. Libeskind, Alexander Knebe, et al., Hermeian dark matter haloes of the Local Group, *ArXiv e-prints*, http://arxiv.org/abs/2104.11242

Oliver Newton, Hermeian Paper plotting code, Zenodo, April 2021, doi: 10.5281/zenodo.4708339

Mark R. Lovell, Marius Cautun, Carlos S. Frenk, et al., The spatial distribution of Milky Way satellites, gaps in streams and the nature of dark matter,  $ArXiv\ e\text{-}prints$ , April 2021, http://arxiv.org/abs/2104. 03322

2020 **Oliver Newton**, Matteo Leo, Marius Cautun, et al., Constraints on the properties of warm dark matter using the satellite galaxies of the Milky Way, *ArXiv e-prints*, November 2020, <a href="http://arxiv.org/abs/2011.08865">http://arxiv.org/abs/2011.08865</a>

Wolfgang Enzi, Riccardo Murgia, **Oliver Newton**, et al., Joint constraints on thermal relic dark matter from a selection of astrophysical probes, *ArXiv e-prints*, October 2020, <a href="http://arxiv.org/abs/2010.13802">http://arxiv.org/abs/2010.13802</a>

2018 **Oliver Newton**, Marius Cautun, Adrian Jenkins, et al., The total satellite population of the Milky Way, *MNRAS*, 479(3):2853–2870, September 2018, doi: 10.1093/mnras/sty1085

**Oliver Newton**, Marius Cautun, Adrian Jenkins, et al., The Milky Way's total satellite population and constraining the mass of the warm dark matter particle, *Proc. IAU*, 14(S344):109-113, August 2018, doi: 10.1017/S1743921318006464

**Oliver Newton** and Marius Cautun, MW Satellite LF: V1.0.0 release, Zenodo, March 2018, doi: 10. 5281/zenodo.1205622