

# Hao Ran

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## RESEARCH INTERESTS

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- Solar wind, space plasma physics, interplanetary magnetic field, space weather.
- Solar flares, coronal mass ejections, filaments, active regions.
- Statistical methods, observational methods, and machine learning methods in solar physics and space science.

## EDUCATION

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2024.09 - present    Ph.D. Student in Space Physics at **Mullard Space Science Laboratory, Department of Climate and Space Physics, University College London**

2021.09 - 2024.06    Master's Degree in Space Physics at **National Space Science Center, CAS & University of Chinese Academy of Sciences**

2017.09 - 2021.06    Bachelor's Degree in Astronomy at **School of Astronomy and Space Science, Nanjing University**

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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2024.07-2024.09	Research Inter in Solar Physics	<b>Nanjing Institute of Astronomical Optics Technology, CAS</b>
2019.07-2019.08	Undergraduate Inter	<b>University of Hong Kong</b>

## SCIENTIFIC TALKS

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- 2025.05 **In situ Heliospheric science meeting**  
Lyon, France
- 2025.04 **Spring Magnetosphere, Ionosphere, and Solar-Terrestrial (MIST) 2025**  
Leicester, United Kingdom
- 2024.11 **Autumn Magnetosphere, Ionosphere, and Solar-Terrestrial (MIST) 2024**  
Birmingham, United Kingdom
- 2023.12 **Graduate Research for National Service Symposium in Space Physics**  
*Peking University, Beijing, China.*
- 2023.10 **1st ASO-S and CHASE Joint Conference**  
Wuxi, Jiangsu Province, China.
- 2023.04 **20th National Solar-Terrestrial Space Science Seminar**  
Fuzhou, Fujian Province, China.

## AWARDS AND HONORS

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2024.04	STFC Studentship	UK Research and Innovation
2024.04	UCL's International Scholar Awards for Doctoral Training Centers	University College London
2023.10	National Scholarship for Graduate Students	Chinese Academy of Sciences
2023.04	Excellent Paper for Young Researchers (4/57)	20th National Solar-Terrestrial Space Science Seminar
2021.09	The Undergraduates' Scholarship	National Space Science Center, Chinese Academy of Sciences
2019.04	The People's Scholarship in China	Nanjing University

## SKILLS

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Language      Chinese (Native); English (Fluent)  
Programming   Python (proficient), IDL, C, C++, Fortran, R, MATLAB, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X

## OUTRESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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1. **Volunteer teaching in rural areas.** (Guizhou & Sichuan) 2018.07 & 2019.07
  - Responsible for the *Introduction to Astronomy* Course.
  - Obtained the "Most Welcomed Teacher" award.
2. **Amateur soccer player.** (Nanjing University) 2017.09 - 2021-06
  - Second place in the Nanjing University Champions League. (Season 2018-2019)
  - First place in the Nanjing University Champions Cup. (Season 2017-2018)

## REFERENCE

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- **Prof. Daniel Verscharen**  
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- **Prof. Yang Guo**  
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## PUBLICATIONS

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### As first author:

**Hao Ran**, Ying D. Liu, Yang Guo, and Rui Wang (Sept. 2022). "Relationship between Successive Flares in the Same Active Region and SHARP parameters". In: *The Astrophysical Journal* 937.1, p. 43. URL: <https://iopscience.iop.org/article/10.3847/1538-4357/ac80fa>.

**Hao Ran**, Ying D. Liu, Chong Chen, and Parisa Mostafavi (Feb. 2024). “The Alpha-Proton Differential Flow in the Alfvénic Young Solar Wind: From Sub-Alfvénic to Super-Alfvénic”. In: *the Astrophysical Journal* 963, p. 82. URL: <https://doi.org/10.3847/1538-4357/ad2069>.

### As significant-contributing author:

Liu, Ying D., **Hao Ran**, Huidong Hu, and Stuart D. Bale (Feb. 2023). “On the Generation and Evolution of Switchbacks and the Morphology of the Alfvénic Transition: Low Mach-number Boundary Layers”. In: *The Astrophysical Journal* 944.2, p. 116. DOI: [10.3847/1538-4357/acb345](https://doi.org/10.3847/1538-4357/acb345). URL: <https://dx.doi.org/10.3847/1538-4357/acb345>.

Jiao, Yiming, Ying D. Liu, **Ran, Hao**, and Wenshuai Cheng (Jan. 2024b). “Properties of Steady Sub-Alfvénic Solar Wind in Comparison with Super-Alfvénic Wind from Parker Solar Probe Measurements”. In: *The Astrophysical Journal* 960.1, p. 42. DOI: [10.3847/1538-4357/ad0dfe](https://doi.org/10.3847/1538-4357/ad0dfe). URL: <https://iopscience.iop.org/article/10.3847/1538-4357/ad0dfe>.

Liu, Ying D., Bei Zhu, **Hao Ran**, Huidong Hu, Mingzhe Liu, Xiaowei Zhao, Rui Wang, Michael L. Stevens, and Stuart D. Bale (Feb. 2024). “Direct In Situ Measurements of a Fast Coronal Mass Ejection and Associated Structures in the Corona”. In: *the Astrophysical Journal* 963, p. 85. URL: <https://doi.org/10.3847/1538-4357/ad1e56>.

### Other co-authored papers:

Cheng, Wenshuai, Ying D. Liu, **Hao Ran**, Yiming Jiao, Michael L. Stevens, and Justin C. Kasper (Apr. 2024). “Origin and Properties of the Near Subsonic Solar Wind Observed by Parker SolarProbe”. In: *the Astrophysical Journal* 967, p. 58. URL: <https://iopscience.iop.org/article/10.3847/1538-4357/ad3b98>.

Jiao, Yiming, Ying D Liu, Wenshuai Cheng, **Ran, Hao**, and Rui Wang (2024a). “On the Acceleration of the Young Solar Wind from Different Source Regions”. In: *The Astrophysical Journal Letters* 975.2, p. L41. URL: <https://iopscience.iop.org/article/10.3847/2041-8213/ad85ea>.