Adam B. Sokol

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EDUCATION

University of Washington

Ph.D., Atmospheric Science (Data Science Option), Advisor: Dennis L. Hartmann

June 2024

M.S., Atmospheric Science

Dec 2020

B.S., Yale University

2013-2017

Magna cum laude. Majors: Environmental Engineering, Geology & Natural Resources.

Advisor: Trude Storelymo

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Postdoctoral Research Associate, Princeton University	Sep 2024-
Interim Postdoctoral Scholar, University of Washington	June 2024 - Sep 2024
NASA FINESST Graduate Fellow, University of Washington	Sep 2020 – Aug 2023
Graduate Research Assistant, University of Washington	Sep 2018 - June 2024
Research Assistant, University of Oslo	Mar 2018 - June 2018
REU Research Assistant, Penn State University	June 2016 - Aug 2016

AWARDS, HONORS, & FELLOWSHIPS

NASA FINESST Graduate Fellowship	2020-2023
Outstanding Student Presentation Award (OSPA), AGU Fall Meeting	2020, 2023
Advanced Climate Dynamics Course, Summer School Participant (Univ. of Bergen)	2022
Joost A. Businger Fellowship in Atmospheric Sciences (Univ. of Washington)	2018
Pat Wilde Prize for excellence in Geology & Geophysics (Yale)	2017
Hammer Prize for outstanding senior thesis in Geology & Geophysics (Yale)	2017
Environmental Engineering Prize for outstanding scholarship (Yale)	2017
Tau Beta Pi, the National Engineering Honors Society	2016
Von Damm Research Fellowship (Yale)	2015, 2016
Environmental Research Fellowship (Yale)	2015
Saybrook College Research Fellowship (Yale)	2015

PEER-REVIEWED PUBLICATIONS

- **Sokol, A.B.,** V.A. Munteanu, P.N. Blossey, and D.L. Hartmann (2024). Internal ocean-atmosphere variability in kilometer-scale radiative-convective equilibrium. In review for *J. Adv. Model. Earth Sys.*
- **Sokol, A.B.,** C.J. Wall, and D.L. Hartmann (2024). Anvil cloud thinning implies higher climate sensitivity. *Nature Geoscience, 17*(5), 398-403. doi:10.1038/s41561-024-01420-6
- **Sokol, A.B.** and T. Storelvmo (2024). The spatial heterogeneity of cloud phase observed by satellite. *J. Geophys. Res.-Atmos.*, 129, e2023JD039751. doi:10.1029/2023JD039751.
- Atlas, R.L., C.S. Bretherton, **A.B. Sokol**, P.N. Blossey, and M.F. Khairoutdinov (2024). Tropical cirrus are highly sensitive to ice microphysics within a nudged global storm-resolving model. *Geophys. Res. Lett.*, *51*(1), e2023GL105868. doi:10.1029/2023GL105868

- Gasparini, B., S.C. Sullivan, S.C., **A.B. Sokol,** B. Kärcher, E. Jensen, & D.L. Hartmann (2023). Opinion: Tropical cirrus—from micro-scale processes to climate-scale impacts. *Atmos. Chem. Phys.,* 23(24), 15413-15444. doi:10.5194/egusphere-2023-1214.
- Lamraoui, F., M. Krämer, A. Afchine, **A.B. Sokol**, S. Khaykin, A. Pandey, and Z. Kuang (2023). Sensitivity of convectively driven tropical tropopause cirrus to ice habit. *Atmos. Chem. Phys.*, *23*(4), 2393-2419. doi:10.5194/acp-2022-670.
- **Sokol, A.B.** and D. L. Hartmann (2022). Congestus mode invigoration by convective aggregation in simulations of radiative-convective equilibrium. *J. Adv. Model. Earth Sys., 14*(7). doi:10.1029/2022MS003045.
- Hartmann, D.L., B.D. Dygert, P.N. Blossey, Q. Fu, and **A. B. Sokol** (2022). The vertical profile of radiative cooling and lapse rate in a warming climate. *J. Climate*, *35*(19), 2653-2665. doi:10.1175/JCLI-D-21-0861.1
- **Sokol, A.B.** and D.L. Hartmann (2022). Radiative Cooling, Latent Heating, and Cloud Ice in the Tropical Upper Troposphere. *J. Climate*, *35*(5), 1643-1654. doi:10.1175/JCLI-D-21-0444.1.
- Gasparini, B., **A.B. Sokol**, C.J. Wall, D.L. Hartmann, and P.N. Blossey (2022). Diurnal differences in tropical anvil cloud evolution. *J. Climate*, *35*(5), 1655-1677. doi:10.1175/JCLI-D-21-0211.1.
- **Sokol, A.B.** and D.L. Hartmann (2020). Tropical anvil clouds: radiative driving towards a preferred State, *J. Geophys. Res.—Atmos.*, 125(21), e2020JD033107. doi:10.1029/2020JD033107.

OTHER WORKS

Sokol, A.B. (2020). "What makes the wind?". *The Conversation's* Curious Kids series. Link.

TEACHING

University of Washington, Department of Atmospheric Sciences

Lab instructor, TA, Atmospheric Motions II (undergrad GFD) Winter 2023

Professor: David Battisti

Guest Lecturer, Exploring the Atmospheric Sciences Winter 2023

Instructor, Exploring the Atmospheric Sciences Spring 2022

Co-Instructor/Co-Facilitator, UW Atmos. Diversity, Equity, & Inclusion Seminar Fall 2021

Teaching Assistant, Global Warming: Understanding the IssuesSpring 2020

Professor: Kat Huybers

MENTORSHIP

Primary Research Advisor for UW undergraduate (Vlad Munteanu)

UW Atmos. Sci. Graduate Student Peer Mentoring Program

Fall 2022-present

Fall 2022-present

Fall 2018-present

Mentor for 4 undergraduate students (some for several years)

SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Black History Month Reading Group (coordinator), UW Atmos. Sci.	2021-2022
Graduate Student Representative, UW Atmos. Sci.	2019-2021
Graduate Student Steering Committee, UW Program on Climate Change	2019-2021
Guest Lecturer & Outreach Project Lead, Sammamish HS, Sammamish, WA	2019-2021
Coordinated outreach project for 3 yrs. Taught classes at Sammamish HS, served as expert	
resource for class projects on climate change, hosted student presentations on UW campus	

Peer Reviewer

Journal of Climate, Journal of Geophysical Research-Atmospheres, Atmospheric Chemistry & Physics, Journal of Advancement in Modeling Earth Systems, Climate Dynamics

INVITED TALKS & SEMINARS

Pre-EGU Workshop on Ice Clouds, University of Vienna Oregon State University, Physical Oceanography & Atmos. Sciences Seminar ECS & Cloud Feedback Virtual Symposium Princeton University/GFDL, AOS Atmospheric Dynamics Seminar University of Washington Atmospheric Sciences, Climate Dynamics Seminar	2024 2024 2024 2023 2023
NSF PIRE-Cirrus Virtual Seminar Series NSF-PIRE Cirrus Virtual Seminar Series AGU Fall Meeting (invited eLightning)	2023 2021 2021

CONTRIBUTED TALKS

- EGU General Assembly. *Anvil cloud thinning in high-resolution models implies greater climate sensitivity.* Vienna, Austria. 2024.
- EGU General Assembly. *Internal variability, multiple equilibria, and convection-SST coupling in a cloud-resolving model with an interactive ocean.* Vienna, Austria. 2024.
- AGU Fall Meeting. *Anvil cloud thinning implies greater climate sensitivity.* San Francisco, CA. 2023.
- AGU Fall Meeting. *Internal variability and multiple equilibria in cloud-resolving RCE with an interactive ocean.* San Francisco, CA. 2023.
- NSF PIRE-Cirrus Workshop. *Tropical Cirrus—from micro-scale processes to climate-scale impacts.* Friday Harbor, WA. 2023.
- AGU Fall Meeting. The convective response to warming in cloud-resolving simulations with an interactive ocean. Chicago, IL. 2022.
- Advanced Climate Dynamics Summer School. *Tropical convective clouds in a changing climate.* Rondane, Norway. 2022.
- CFMIP. On the relationship between large-scale radiative divergence and anvil cloud fraction in RCEMIP. Seattle, WA. 2022.
- AGU Fall Meeting. *Invited eLightning: The response of tropical cloud ice amount to surface warming.* New Orleans, LA. 2021.
- AGU Fall Meeting. Circulation, convection, and static stability in cloud-resolving simulations of radiative-convective equilibrium. New Orleans, LA. 2021.

- Graduate Climate Conference. *Tropical Anvil Clouds: Radiative Driving Towards a Preferred State*. Virtual. 2020.
- NSF PIRE-Cirrus Workshop, 2019. *Satellite observations of tropical anvil cloud evolution*. Friday Harbor Laboratories, WA.

CONTRIBUTED POSTERS

- CFMIP. Invigoration of the congestus mode by convective aggregation in simulations of radiative-convective equilibrium. Seattle, WA. 2022.
- AGU Fall Meeting. Tropical Anvil Clouds: Observations of a Preferred State. Virtual. 2020.
- AGU Fall Meeting. Satellite observations of tropical anvil cloud evolution. San Francisco, CA. 2019.
- AGU Fall Meeting. *Eddy Covariance Measurements of Methane Emissions from a Dairy Farm Waste Lagoon*. San Francisco, CA. 2016.