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Post-doc,
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in Space Weather

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Social Network

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Languages

- English ● ● ● ● ●
- Hindi ● ● ● ● ●

Hard Skills

- Programming ● ● ● ● ●
 - Python, IDL, MATLAB, Fortran
- Machine Learning
 - NLP, Feature engineering, Regression analysis
- Data Visualisation

Soft Skills

- Leadership
 - Leading a collaboration spread across various countries
- Communication

Working Experience

- currently **Postdoc** Researcher
Machine learning in space weather
- 2017 – 2020 **Post Graduate Researcher** Northumbria University
Doctoral thesis on the waves in the solar corona
- 2017 – 2019 **Demonstrator II** Northumbria University
Taught first year undergraduate mathematics .

Education

Research Experience

- 2018 **Visiting Researcher** KU Leuven
On simulating the damping of propagating kink waves in solar corona.
- January- November 2016 **MS Thesis** IIA, Bangalore
On the study of Waves in solar corona, with Prof. Dipankar Banerjee

Study

- 2011 – 2016 **BS-MS** IISER Pune
Focus: Magnetohydrodynamic waves in the solar atmosphere.
- 2016 **MS Theses** (Ø 1, 0) IIA, Bangalore
Studying the MHD waves in the solar corona and as a part of my thesis detected first imaging observations of standing slow wave in coronal fan loops.

Publications

- 2020 **Accepted paper: Unsupervised automated detection of coronal holes**
Machine learning for physical sciences, NeuRIPS
- 2019 **Damping of Propagating Kink Waves in the Solar Corona**
Ajay K Tiwari, Richard J Morton, Stéphane Régnier, James A McLaughlin
The Astrophysical Journal
- 2017 **First imaging observation of standing slow wave in coronal fan loops**
Vaibhav Pant, Ajay Tiwari, D Yuan, Dipankar Banerjee
The Astrophysical Journal Letters

Awards

- 2019 Project Provider Nuffield Foundation

Extra-Curricular Activities

- Relaxing Sports Learning about history and politics, reading books
- Badminton and running

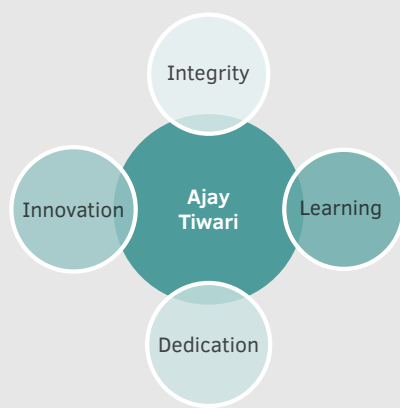
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About Me

A data aficionado by heart. I am interested in anything related to data and data analysis. As a self-proclaimed biologist by heart and a space physicist by profession I look for opportunities to learn and transfer methods from one field to the other.

Me



Memberships



Royal Astronomical Society



European Astronomical Society

Computational Skills

Techniques	Machine learning, Image processing, Computer vision, Bayesian statistics, Time series analysis
Packages	pandas, statsmodels, emcee, Numpy, Astropy, Tensorflow, Gaussian mixture models, Pytorch, matplotlib, seaborn
Tools	python, \LaTeX , OpenOffice, Unix, Linux, Microsoft Office
Courses	Computational Physics, Scientific Computing
Others	IDL, Matlab, Fortran, HTML5

Conferences

Attended	Deep Learnign for science, Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory, Berkeley, CA, online, July - September, 2020
Attended	Virtual Astrohackweek 2020, 31-04 Spetember, 2020
Attended	Virtual Heliohackweek 2020, NASA Center for Climate Simulation and NVIDIA, online, 20-28 August, 2020
Attended	AstroHackWeek 2019, Kavli Institute for Cosmology, Cambridge University in Cambridge, 26-30 August, 2019
Attended	Poster presentation, National Astronomy Meeting 2019, Lancaster University, 30-4 July 2019
Attended	Contributed talk, Loops 9, University of St. Andrews, 11-14 June 2019
Loops 9	Created the conference word cloud and performed sentiment analysis of the tweets with the conference hashtag
Attended	Contributed talk at the STFC Advanced Summer School in Solar, Solar-Terrestrial and Solar-Planetary Physics, 9-14 September 2018, University of Southampton
Attended	European Week in Astronomy and Space Sciences, 2018, Liverpool John Moors University, United Kingdom, 03-06 April 2018
Attended	Contributed talk at International Space Science Institute meeting, Bern, Switzerland, 02-06 July 2018
Attended	Contributed talk at the Dynamic Sun II, Cambodia, 12-16 February 2018
Attended	Poster presentation at RAS Specialist meeting on Wave heating of Corona, London, January 12, 2018
Attended	STFC Introductory Summer School in Solar Physics, Northumbria university, 10-15 September 2017
Attended	Oral talk at BSA Newcastle SciBar, 21 July 2017
Attended	13 th PENCIL code users meeting at Newcastle University, 10-14 July 2017
Attended	Poster Presentation at UKMHD 2017, Durham University, 20-21 April 2017
Attended	The SCOSTEP/ISWI International School on Space Science, Sangali, November 7-17, 2016
Attended	IRIS 5 Workshop, at IUCAA, Pune, October 26-29, 2015
Attended	The in-house mini course on Time Series Econometrics, IISER Pune, September 29- October 2, 2015
Attended	<i>Astronomical Society of India, ASI 2015</i> , NCRA, February 17-20, 2015
Attended	Workshop on <i>Advances in Mathematical Biology</i> , ICTS-IISER PUNE-PIMS CANADA, December 7-16, 2014