

Andrea Zingarofalo

Curriculum Vitae et Studiorum

Personal Details

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Nationality Italian

Education

2020–2025 **Allievo del corso ordinario**, *Advanced School ISUFI* (Interdisciplinary School for Higher Education, Excellence Program)

 ${\sim}10\%$ Acceptance rate for the Natural Sciences Class in 2020.

Key modules: Group Theory and Symmetries, Celestial Mechanics, Applied Physics I-II, Philosophy of Science, ICT for Research, Public Speaking, Scientific Writing.

Sept 2024 – **Erasmus program**, École normale supérieure, Master ICFP (International Center for

Jan 2025 Fundamental Physics) M2, Theoretical Physics Track

Modules: Advanced General Relativity, Quantum Field Theory, Statistical Field Theory, Algorithms and Computations.

2023–2025 Master of Science in Theoretical Physics, University of Salento, Current GPA: 29.7/30. Key modules: Theoretical Particle Physics, QCD, Statistical Mechanics, Theoretical Physics of Matter, Quantum Information and Computing, Physics of Complex Systems, Data Analysis, Mathematical Methods for AI.

2020–2023 Bachelor of Science in Physics, University of Salento, 110/110 cum laude, GPA: 30/30 Electives: Nuclear Physics, Astronomy and Astrophysics, Foundations of Physics.

Dissertation: Study of one-dimensional quantum integrable systems through the Bethe Ansatz techniques. Advisor: Prof. L. Martina

2015–2020 **High School Diploma**, *Liceo Scientifico V. Lilla*, 100/100 cum laude, Oria (BR) Activities: student ambassador

Experience

March - July **Research Intern**, *Institut de Physique Théorique*, CEA Paris-Saclay, working on the 2025 geometry of quantum correlations and quantum statistics in the Quantum Information

Theory group. Supervisor: Prof. J.-D. Bancal

March - July Research Intern, University of Salento, working on integrability of nonlinear PDEs in the

2024 Mathematical Physics group, in collaboration with the University of Glasgow. Supervisor: Prof. L. Martina

2019–2025 Private tutor in Mathematics, Physics, and Chemistry for high school and university students

Publications

Journal Articles

[1] F. Giglio, G. Landolfi, L. Martina, and A. Zingarofalo. Integrability properties and multi-kink solutions of a generalised Fokker-Planck equation. *Journal of Physics A: Mathematical and Theoretical*, 58(16):165202, April 2025.

Communication and Outreach

- [2] A. Zingarofalo. Il conflitto tra meccanica quantistica e senso comune. https://www.treccani.it/magazine/chiasmo/scienze_naturali_e_tecnologia/54-conflitto/conflitto_zingarofalo_ISUFI.html, 2024. Published on Il Chiasmo by Treccani, the Italian Encyclopaedia Institute.
- [3] A. Zingarofalo. Il ruolo delle simmetrie nel problema di Keplero. In D. Avaro and F. Decataldo, editors, *Rete di Idee*, *Udine 2022*, pages 41–50, Udine, 2023. Forum Editrice.

Schools and Training

- 2025 Qiskit Global Summer School, organized by IBM, 7-22 July
- 2025 Summer School on *Mathematical Aspects of Quantum Information*, organized by Université Paris-Saclay and Institut Polytechnique de Paris, Orsay, 16-20 June
- 2024 Summer School on *Theoretical Physics of Fundamental Interactions*, organized by Scuola Normale Superiore and Scuola Galileiana di Studi Superiori, Pisa, 27-31 May
- 2023 Winter School on *Green and Digital Transition in Europe*, organized by ENCATC, Bruxelles, 2-7 Dec
- 2019 School on Modern Physics, organized by the University of Salento, Lecce, 2-6 Sep
- 2019 **University Orientation School**, organized by Scuola Normale Superiore di Pisa and Accademia Nazionale dei Lincei, Rome, 8-13 Jul
- 2018 **International Cosmic Day Masterclass**, organized by INFN (Italian Institute of Nuclear Physics) and the University of Salento, Lecce, 29 Nov
- 2018 **Stage at Astrophysical Observatory of Asiago**, organized by INAF (Italian Institute of Astrophysics) and the University of Padua, Asiago, 9-13 Jul
- 2016 **Summer School on Astronomy**, organized by INAF/Astronomical Observatory of Capodimonte and SAIt (Italian Astronomical Society), Sant'Agata sui Due Golfi, 5-8 Jul

Awards and Scholarships

- 2024-2025 Winnner of a Scholarship at Cité Internationale Universitaire de Paris
 - 2022~ Winner of RIASISSU $Rete~di~Idee,~\mathrm{X}$ edition, Udine
- 2020-2025 Winnner of the ISUFI Merit Scholarship at University of Salento, covering accommodation and a salary
 - 2018 Senior finalist at XVI National Astronomy Olympiads
- 2016-2020 Participant at Astronomy, Mathematics, and Physics Olympiads

Talks

2025 Exploring the Boundaries of Quantum Correlations, IPhT Quantum Meetings, CEA Paris-Saclay, 6 June

Technical Skills

Programming and Scientific Computing

Bash, C, C++, Python Programming

Computing Mathematica, MATLAB, NumPy, SciPy, Matplotlib

ROOT framework for data analysis, pandas, uncertainties, basic knowledge of machine Data Analysis

learning and neural networks using scikit-learn and TensorFlow.

Qiskit and PennyLane for quantum computing simulations; experience with SDP program-Quantum

Libraries ming and quantum optimization workflows using CVXPY, MOSEK, and ncpol2sdpa.

Tools LATEX, Markdown, git, Microsoft Office Suite.

Systems Basic experience with UNIX-based systems, shell scripting, and system management.

Communication and Teamwork

Excellent interpersonal and communication skills, demonstrated through frequent collaboration with peers and presentation of technical work to diverse audiences.

Languages

Italian Mother tongue

English C1, Full professional proficiency

French B2, Limited working proficiency

German A2, Elementary proficiency

Memberships and Affiliations

Since 2023 Member of the SIF - Società Italiana di Fisica (Italian Physical Society).

Since 2020 Member of RIASISSU - Rete Italiana degli Allievi delle Scuole Superiori Universitarie (Italian Network of Students from Excellence Schools).

Additional Information

Guitar Grade 2 passed with Distinction, Graded Examination of Music Performance, Trinity Music College of London.

Personal Amateur Astronomer, Speaker at XXXVII Meeting Regionale degli Astrofili Pugliesi. Participant in various astronomy stages organized by INAF (Italian Institute of Astrophysics), Interests and SAIt (Italian Astronomical Society).

Driving AM, B

Licenses