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## EDUCATION

08/2021 – 07/2025	PhD in Gravitational Wave Astrophysics <b>University of Zurich</b>	Advisor: Prof. Lucio Mayer
09/2018 – 12/2020	Master of Science in Physics <b>with distinction</b> <b>ETH Zurich</b>	GPA: 5.87/6 Thesis supervisor: Prof. Lavinia Heisenberg <i>Relativistic, ghost-free, and covariant hybrid model for MOND: <math>f(Q)</math></i>
07/2014 – 06/2018	Bachelor of Technology in Engineering Physics <b>IIT Delhi</b>	GPA: 8.15/10 Thesis supervisor: Prof. Ajit Kumar <i>Geodesics near a charged black hole in <math>(R \pm \mu^4/R)</math> gravity</i>

## PUBLICATIONS - 6 FIRST AUTHORED, 2 CO-AUTHORED, 2 PRE-PHD

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2024 #10	<b>MG</b> , Alessia Franchini, Alessandro Lupi, Matteo Bonetti, Lucio Mayer, <i>Gas-induced perturbations on the gravitational wave inspiral of live post-Newtonian LISA massive black hole binaries</i> , <a href="#">Submitted to ApJL</a> on 24 <sup>th</sup> October
2024 #9	<b>MG</b> , Laura Sberna, Lorenzo Speri, Francisco Duque, Jonathan Gair, <i>Systematics in tests of general relativity using LISA massive black hole binaries</i> , <a href="#">Submitted to MNRAS</a> on 7 <sup>th</sup> October
2024 #8	<b>MG</b> , Christopher Tiede, Daniel J. D’Orazio, <i>Accretion mediated spin-eccentricity correlations in LISA massive black hole binaries</i> , <a href="#">MNRAS</a> , 534, 3705
2024 #7	<b>MG</b> , Andrea Derdzinski, Shubhanshu Tiwari, Jonathan Gair, Lucio Mayer, <i>Measuring eccentricity and gas-induced perturbation from gravitational waves of LISA massive black hole binaries</i> , <a href="#">MNRAS</a> , 532, 4060
2024 #6	<b>MG</b> , Shubhanshu Tiwari, Andrea Derdzinski, John G. Baker, Sylvain Marsat, Lucio Mayer, <i>The minimum measurable eccentricity from gravitational waves of LISA massive black hole binaries</i> , <a href="#">MNRAS</a> , 528, 4176
2022 #5	<b>MG</b> , Andrea Derdzinski, Lorenz Zwick, Pedro R. Capelo, Lucio Mayer, <i>The imprint of gas on gravitational waves from LISA intermediate-mass black hole binaries</i> , <a href="#">MNRAS</a> , 517, 1339
2024 #4	En-Kun Li, [19 authors], <b>MG</b> , [31 authors], <i>Gravitational Wave Astronomy With TianQin</i> , <a href="#">ADS</a>
2022 #3	Lorenz Zwick, Andrea Derdzinski, <b>MG</b> , Pedro R. Capelo, Lucio Mayer, <i>Dirty waveforms: multiband harmonic content of gas-embedded gravitational wave sources</i> , <a href="#">MNRAS</a> , 511, 6143
2020 #2	Fabio D’Ambrosio, <b>MG</b> , Lavinia Heisenberg (alphabetical order), <i>Non-linear extension of non-metricity scalar for MOND</i> , <a href="#">PLB</a> , 811, 135970
2020 #1	Fabio D’Ambrosio, <b>MG</b> , Lavinia Heisenberg, Stefan Zentarra (alphabetical order), <i>ADM formulation and Hamiltonian analysis of Coincident General Relativity</i> , <a href="#">ADS</a>

## SELECTED TALKS - 6 SEMINARS, 1 INVITED + 6 CONTRIBUTED CONFERENCES, AND 7 INDIVIDUAL

10/2024	<b>CTC Theory Seminar</b> at University of Maryland [25+25 minutes] <i>Decoding Astrophysics from inspiraling LISA MBHBs</i>	College Park
09/2024	<b>Astrophysics Seminar</b> at John Hopkins University [45+15 minutes] <i>Decoding Astrophysics from inspiraling LISA MBHBs</i>	Baltimore
09/2024	<b>Astro Seminar</b> at Columbia University <i>Decoding Astrophysics from inspiraling LISA MBHBs</i>	NYC

06/2024	<b>GRAPPA Seminar</b> at University of Amsterdam [45+15 minutes] <i>Astrophysical signatures on the LISA data stream from MBHBs</i>	Amsterdam
05/2024	<b>Cosmology Seminar</b> at Max Planck Institute for Astrophysics <i>Astrophysical signatures on GWs from LISA MBHBs</i>	Garching
02/2024	<b>DAMTP GR Seminar</b> at University of Cambridge [50+10 minutes] <i>Astrophysical signatures on the LISA data stream from MBHBs</i>	Cambridge
08/2024	<b>Conference (Invited):</b> New ideas on the origin of BH mergers Niels Bohr Institute <i>Astrophysical signatures on the LISA data stream from MBHBs</i>	Copenhagen
11/2024	<b>Meeting:</b> LISA Astrophysics Working Group at MPA <i>What solves the ‘final parsec’ problem for LISA Massive Black Hole Binaries?</i>	Garching
09/2023	<b>Meeting:</b> LISA Astrophysics Working Group at University of Milano-Bicocca <i>The minimum measurable eccentricity from GWs of LISA MBHBs</i>	Milan
07/2023	<b>Conference:</b> GW populations: what’s next? at University of Milano-Bicocca <i>The measurability of gas and eccentricity from GWs of LISA MBHBs</i>	Milan
11/2022	<b>Conference:</b> LISA data analysis: classical methods to machine learning CNRS, L2IT, APC, CEA, and CNES <i>The imprint of Gas on GWs from LISA IMBHBs</i>	Toulouse
09/2022	<b>Conference:</b> Origin, growth and feedback of BHs in dwarf galaxies Donostia International Physics Center <i>The imprint of Gas on GWs from LISA IMBHBs</i>	San Sebastian
05/2022	<b>Conference:</b> IMBHs: New Science from Stellar Evolution to Cosmology CIERA, Northwestern University <i>Gas impact on GWs from LISA IMBHBs</i>	San Juan
10/2024	<b>CIERA theory group meeting</b> at Northwestern University <i>Decoding Astrophysics from inspiraling LISA MBHBs</i>	Evanston
09/2024	<b>Branch Lunch</b> at NASA Goddard <i>Decoding Astrophysics from inspiraling LISA MBHBs</i>	Greenbelt
09/2024	<b>Astro Coffee</b> at Institute of Advanced Study <i>Measuring eccentricity and gas-induced perturbation from GWs of LISA MBHBs</i>	Princeton
09/2024	<b>Monday Afternoon Talks</b> at MIT Kavli Institute <i>Decoding Astrophysics from inspiraling LISA MBHBs</i>	Boston
07/2024	<b>15<sup>th</sup> LISA Symposium</b> at University College Dublin <i>Poster: Astrophysical signatures on the LISA data stream from MBHBs</i>	Dublin
02/2025	<b>LISA Call</b> Systematics in tests of GR using LISA MBHBs (invited)	Online
06/2024	Measuring eccentricity and gas from GWs of LISA MBHBs	Community
07/2023	Measuring eccentricity from GWs of LISA MBHBs      Data Challenge Working Group	Community

## RESEARCH VISITS

10/2024	<b>Center for Interdisciplinary Exploration and Research in Astrophysics (CIERA)</b> <i>Host: Prof. Shane Larson</i>	Evanston
09/2024	<b>Center for Computational Astrophysics (CCA), Flatiron Institute</b> <i>Host: Prof. Will Farr, Dr. Yan-Fei Jiang, and Dr. Matteo Cantiello</i>	NYC
02/2024	<b>Institute of Gravitational Wave Astronomy</b> <i>Host: Prof. Alberto Vecchio</i>	Birmingham
02/2024	<b>Institute of Cosmology and Gravitation</b> <i>Host: Prof. Ian Harry</i>	Portsmouth
11/2023	<b>Max Planck Institute for Gravitational Physics (Albert Einstein Institute)</b> <i>Host: Dr. Jonathan Gair</i>	Potsdam

## PROGRAMS/SCHOOLS

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09/2024	<b>Workshop:</b> Fundamental Physics Meets Waveforms With LISA <i>Max Planck Institute for Gravitational Physics (Albert Einstein Institute)</i>	Potsdam
09/2023	<b>Kavli-Villum School:</b> Gravitational Waves <i>Corfu Summer Institute</i>	Corfu
11/2022	<b>Workshop:</b> LISA data analysis: classical methods to machine learning <i>CNRS, L2IT, APC, CEA, and CNES</i>	Toulouse
07/2022	<b>Workshop:</b> LISA Data Challenge Workshop <i>LISA Data Challenge Working Group</i>	Online
01/2022	<b>Saas-Fee School:</b> Multi-Messenger GW Astronomy <i>Swiss Society for Astrophysics and Astronomy</i>	Saas-Fee
08/2021	<b>NBIA School:</b> Gravitational wave astrophysics <i>Niels Bohr Institute, University of Copenhagen</i>	Copenhagen

## PROFESSIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES AND MEMBERSHIPS

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2023 –	Organizer of the ‘GWs, BHs, and Compact Binaries’ seminar <i>Department of Astrophysics, University of Zurich</i>
2022 –	Contributor to the LISA DiscIMRI hydrodynamical code comparison project <i>Tasks: Literature review, plot making, and text writing</i>
2021 –	Member of the LISA consortium, its astrophysics, waveforms, and data challenge working groups, and its early career scientist group (LECS)
2021 –	Teaching assistant for several astrophysics courses at the University of Zurich
2021	Research assistant at the Department of Astrophysics, University of Zurich

## SKILLS

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### Software and programming language

- **LISABETA:** Experienced user and frequently edits it to suit a given project’s needs. It provides a complete LISA response and Bayesian inference primarily using the PTMCMC sampler.
- **ERYN:** I have performed reversible jump MCMC with this sampler in LISABETA.
- **MATHEMATICA:** Frequent user to do analysis and plotting.
- **PYTHON:** I mainly use this programming language to perform analysis and make plots.

**Languages:** English | German (A1.1) | Hindi