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Research Interests

I strive to understand Earth's context in the galaxy through the detection, characterization, and demography of exoplanets. I push the radial velocity detection method to the limit through advanced analysis techniques, observational strategies, and hardware optimization.

Education

- 2017 - Doctor of Philosophy in Astronomy from the Institute for Astronomy at the University of Hawaii, Manoa
- 2014 - Master of Science in Astronomy from the Institute for Astronomy at the University of Hawaii, Manoa
- 2009 - Bachelor of Science in Physics with a Minor in Astronomy and Planetary Science from the University of California, Santa Barbara

Professional Appointments

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| Research Scientist / NN-EXPLORE Project Scientist | NASA Exoplanet Science Institute / Caltech | April 2018 – present |
| Texaco Postdoctoral Fellow | California Institute of Technology | August 2017 – April 2018 |
| National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellow | Institute for Astronomy, University of Hawaii | August 2014 – August 2017 |
| Graduate Research Assistant | Institute for Astronomy, University of Hawaii | August 2012 – August 2014 |
| Research Associate (Astronomy) | Las Cumbres Observatory, Goleta, CA | March 2009 - August 2012 |

Publication statistics

- **9 first author & major contributions in 4 second author refereed publications**
- 132 total refereed publications
- Contributions to 4 *Nature* publications
- 4538 citations
- h-index = 35

Research Experience

- Discovered a gap in the radius distribution of small planets found by *Kepler*. This has significant implications for our understanding of the formation and evolution of these planets ([Fulton et al. 2017](#))
- Served as project scientist for the [NN-EXPLORE program](#) overseeing and consulting on the development of the facility pipeline and archive infrastructure for the [NEID spectrograph](#)
- Developed a highly extensible and open source software package for the analysis of radial velocity time-series data written in object-oriented Python ([radvel.readthedocs.io](#))
- Significant contributions to the development of the “Jump” target management and analysis database used by the California Planet Search team, which honed my skills in Django, Javascript, CSS, HamI, and Docker ([jump.caltech.edu](#))
- Wrote software that allows the Automated Planet Finder (APF) telescope at Lick Observatory to be a fully operational and autonomous observatory. Thanks in large part to my automation and scheduling software, the telescope has been operating autonomously on a nightly basis collecting high-precision radial velocities for the last 7 years
- Developed a new technique to extract radial velocities from low signal-to-noise spectra which enabled the discovery of the Jupiter-size transiting exoplanet KELT-8b ([Fulton et al. 2015b](#))
- Published two papers ([Fulton et al. 2015a](#), [Fulton et al. 2016](#)) announcing the discovery of 5 new low-mass planets orbiting four nearby stars. These discoveries were made possible, in large part, by the APF facility.
- Worked extensively with collaborators at the Space Telescope Science Institute on a project to revolutionize the way that radial velocities are calculated from gas absorption cell spectroscopy
- Published a paper ([Fulton et al., 2013](#)) for which I modeled the Rossiter-McLaughlin (R-M) effect to measure the stellar obliquity of HAT-P-17. I ported/adapted an existing Differential Evolution Markov Chain Monte Carlo code from IDL to Python, and wrote the model calculation code from scratch to take advantage of a new semi-analytical model of the R-M effect.
- Developed an automated planet detection algorithm to search for Keplerian signals in heterogeneous radial velocity datasets and characterize pipeline completeness using injection-recovery tests ([Howard & Fulton 2016](#))

- Published a paper for which we searched for transit timing variations in the HAT-P-13 planetary system and refined the system parameters ([Fulton et al. 2011](#)). This required me to become familiar with exoplanet transit light curve modeling, and the theory of transit timing variations.
- Contributed to a paper that appeared in Nature ([Howard et al. 2013](#)) in which we made the first mass measurement of an Earth-size exoplanet.
- Contributed to a paper led by Peter Nugent constraining the explosion time of the nearby supernova in M101 that appeared in Nature ([Nugent et al. 2011](#)).
- Transformed the Byrne Observatory at Sedgwick reserve from an unused and forgotten facility, into a fully operational and robotic observatory.
- Wrote a pipeline to identify and model the effects of ellipsoidal variations, reflection and relativistic beaming in *Kepler* data
- Contributed observations for seven Minor Planet Circulars, and have been credited with the discovery of two new Mars-crossing asteroids.
- I was previously involved with a project to measure the orbital motion of astrometric binaries using lucky imaging and speckle interferometry.

Academic Awards

- 2018 - Robert J. Trumpler award for a PhD thesis considered particularly important to astronomy
- 2017 - Texaco prize postdoctoral fellowship at Caltech
- 2016 - ARCS Foundation Honolulu Scholar of the Year
- 2016 - Columbia ARCS Award in Astronomy
- 2015 - Student Excellence in Research Award at the University of Hawaii at Manoa
- 2014 - National Science Foundation Graduate Research Fellowship
- 2009 - Physics Research Honors award upon graduation from UC Santa Barbara

Student Mentoring

- **Lee Rosenthal, Caltech PhD Candidate (2018-present)**
Lee expanded on the automated planet detection code developed by Cayla Dedrick and turned it into a publicly-available open-source Python package. He used this to discover ~25 new planets in Keck/HIRES radial velocity data as part of a large program to measure the demographic properties of long-period gas giant planets. I'm currently serving as co-advisor with Andrew Howard. (paper and code release in prep.)
- **Ilya Sherstyuk, Caltech Undergraduate (Summer 2019)**
Ilya developed an algorithm to analyze stellar activity indicators to distinguish between planets and stellar rotation signatures in radial velocity datasets
- **Cayla Dedrick, Caltech Undergraduate (2018-present)**
Cayla developed an algorithm for automated detection of planets in radial velocity data and used it to discover two planets straddling the habitable zone of a nearby star (paper in prep.)

Teaching Experience

- 2015 - Designed curriculum and sole-instructor of "Introduction to Astronomy" summer course at the University of Hawaii at Manoa
- 2015 - Designed and lead a "Python Power Hour" seminar at the University of Hawaii which served as a crash course introduction to Python for astronomy
- 2012-2015 - Three-time research advisor at the HISTAR program for gifted K-12 students

Invited Talks

- 2019 - Colloquium speaker at Stanford, CA
 - 2018 - Colloquium speaker at Lowell Observatory in Flagstaff, Arizona
 - 2018 - Center for Space and Habitability Colloquium speaker at Universitat, Bern, Switzerland
 - 2018 - Planetary Science / IPLEX seminar speaker at the University of California, Los Angeles
 - 2017 - Panelist on occurrence rate panel at the ExoPAG16 meeting
 - 2017 - FLASH seminar speaker at the University of California at Santa Cruz
 - 2016 - Seminar speaker at the Center for Habitable Worlds at Penn State University
 - 2013 - Public talk at a conference of The American Congress of Obstetricians and Gynecologists
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Conferences and Meetings

- 2019 - Contributed talk at the Extreme Solar Systems conference in Reykjavik, Iceland
- 2019 - Contributed talk at the Extreme Precision Radial Velocity Conference in Grindelwald, Switzerland
- 2019 - Contributed talk at the Kepler and K2 Science Meeting in Pasadena, California
- 2019 - Attended the Telluric Hackathon in New York City, New York
- 2018 - Contributed talk at the Keck Science Meeting in Pasadena, California
- 2018 - Contributed talk at the ExSoCal 2018 conference in Pasadena, California
- 2018 - Contributed talk at the Exoplanets II conference in Cambridge, UK
- 2017 - Co-Chair of "observing strategy" session at the Extremely Precise Radial Velocities III conference at Penn State
- 2017 - Poster at the Extremely Precise Radial Velocities III conference at Penn State
- 2017 - Contributed talk at the Kepler & K2 SciCon IV
- 2017 - Contributed talk at the 2017 Aspen Winter Conference: Formation and Dynamical Evolution of Exoplanets
- 2016 - Poster at the Exoplanets I conference in Davos, Switzerland
- 2015 - Poster at the Extreme Solar Systems III conference in Waikaloa, HI
- 2015 - Poster at the Sagan Workshop in Pasadena, CA
- 2015 - Poster at the Extreme Precision Radial Velocity workshop in New Haven, CT
- 2014 - Poster at the Toward Other Earths II conference in Porto, Portugal
- 2014 - Poster at the Sagan Workshop in Pasadena, CA
- 2014 - Poster at the Exoplanetary Science conference in Quy Nhon, Vietnam
- 2013 - Poster at the Kepler Science Conference II in Mountain View, CA
- 2013 - Poster at the American Astronomical Society Winter Meeting in Long Beach, CA

Observing Experience

- ~100 full or partial nights using the HIRES instrument on the Keck I telescope located on Maunakea
- ~800 nights on the Automated Planet Finder Telescope at Lick Observatory (mostly robotic running on my software)
- Approximately 20 nights using the OPTIC imager on the University of Hawaii 2.2 m telescope located on Maunakea
- Approximately 7 nights on the Nickel 1.0 m at Lick Observatory
Approximately 180 nights on the Sedgwick telescope of the Las Cumbres Observatory network (mostly robotic running on my software)

Hobbies and Interests

- Auto racing
 - 2018 - SCCA San Diego Match Tour STU class win
 - 2016-2018 - SCCA regional STU class champion
 - Digital photography, including astrophotography
(Astronomy Picture of the Day, 08/26/2011 <http://apod.nasa.gov/apod/ap110826.html>)
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Publication List

First Author

- **Fulton, B.J.** et al. (2018); *The California Kepler Survey VII. Precise Planet Radii Leveraging Gaia DR2 Reveal the Stellar Mass Dependence of the Planet Radius Gap*, AJ, 156, 264, ([2018AJ....156..264F](#))
- **Fulton, B.J.** et al. (2018); *RadVel: The Radial Velocity Modeling Toolkit*, PASP, 130, 986, ([2018PASP...130d4504F](#))
- **Fulton, B.J.** et al. (2017); *The California-Kepler Survey. III. A Gap in the Radius Distribution of Small Planets*, AJ, 154, 109 ([2017AJ....154..109F](#))
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- **Fulton, B.J.** et al. (2015b); *KELT-8b: A Highly Inflated Transiting Hot Jupiter and a New Technique for Extracting High-precision Radial Velocities from Noisy Spectra*, ApJ, 810, 30 ([2015ApJ...810...30F](#))
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- **Fulton, B. J.** et al (2011); *Long-term Transit Timing Monitoring and Refined Light Curve Parameters of HAT-P-13b*, 2011, AJ, 142, 84 ([2011AJ....142...84F](#))

Significant Contributions

- Howard, A. W., and **Fulton, B. J.** (2016); *Limits on Planetary Companions from Doppler Surveys of Nearby Stars*, PASP, 128, 969, ([2016PASP...128k4401H](#)) - Performed all analysis, produced all plots, and wrote most of the methods section
- Street, R. A., **Fulton, B. J.** et al (2015); *Extended Baseline Photometry of Rapidly Changing Weather Patterns on the Brown Dwarf Binary Luhman-16*, ApJ, 812, 161, ([2015ApJ...812..161S](#)) – Extracted the photometry in an initial reduction (the photometry was eventually superseded in the referee process)
- Knutson, H., **Fulton, B. J.** et al (2014); *Friends of Hot Jupiters. I. A Radial Velocity Search for Massive, Long-period Companions to Close-in Gas Giant Planets*, ApJ, 785, 126, ([2014ApJ...785..126K](#)) – Performed all radial velocity analysis, and wrote some of the methods section
- Sinukoff, E.; **Fulton, B. J.**; Scuderi, L.; Gaidos, E. (2013); *Below One Earth The Detection, Formation, and Properties of Subterrestrial Worlds*, Space Science Reviews, 10.1007 (<http://dx.doi.org/10.1007/s11214-013-0019-1>) – Performed analysis and wrote text for one of the major sections of the paper involving Kepler photometry

High Impact Journals

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- Gaudi et al. (2017); *A giant planet undergoing extreme-ultraviolet irradiation by its hot massive-star host*, Nature, Volume 546, Issue 7659 ([2017Natur.546..514G](#))
- Howard et al. (2013); *A rocky composition for an Earth-sized exoplanet*, Nature, Volume 503, Issue 7476 ([2013Natur.503..381H](#))
- Nugent et al. (2011); *Supernova SN 2011fe from an exploding carbon-oxygen white dwarf star*, Nature, Volume 480, Issue 7377 ([2011Natur.480..344N](#))

Other Publications

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- David et al. (2019); *A Warm Jupiter-sized Planet Transiting the Pre-main-sequence Star V1298 Tau*, AJ, 158, 79D ([2019AJ....158...79D](#))
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- Yahalom et al. (2019); *The Mass of the White Dwarf Companion in the Self-lensing Binary KOI-3278: Einstein versus Newton*, ApJ, 880, 33Y ([2019ApJ...880...33Y](#))
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 - Mills et al. (2019); *Long-period Giant Companions to Three Compact, Multiplanet Systems*, AJ, 157, 145M ([2019AJ....157..145M](#))
 - Kosiarek et al. (2019); *K2-291b: A Rocky Super-Earth in a 2.2 day Orbit*, AJ, 157, 116K ([2019AJ....157..116K](#))
 - Livingston et al. (2019); *Spitzer Transit Follow-up of Planet Candidates from the K2 Mission*, AJ, 157, 102L ([2019AJ....157..102L](#))
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 - Bryan et al. (2019); *An Excess of Jupiter Analogs in Super-Earth Systems*, AJ, 157, 52B ([2019AJ....157..52B](#))
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 - Labadie-Bartz et al. (2019); *KELT-22Ab: A Massive, Short-Period Hot Jupiter Transiting a Near-solar Twin*, ApJS, 240, 13L ([2019ApJS..240...13L](#))
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