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Curriculum Vitae – January 2018

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Education

2011–2015 **Ph.D. in Physics**, University of Barcelona, Spain, Excellent Cum Laude. International Doctor.

THESIS: Non-thermal emission from high-energy binaries through interferometric radio observations (arXiv:1603.09276). Defended on 27 October 2015 and supervised by Marc Ribó and Josep M. Paredes.

 $2011-2012 \quad \textbf{Master in Astrophysics, Particle Physics and Cosmology},$

University of Barcelona, Spain.

THESIS: Low Frequency Radio Observations of Gamma-Ray Binaries supervised by Josep M. Paredes

2006–2011 Physics Degree, University of Cantabria, Spain, GPA – 8.4/10 (2.6/4).

THESIS: X-Ray Emission in Nearby Galaxies supervised by Xavier Barcons

Languages

Spanish Mothertongue

English Read, write and conversationally fluent

Computer skills

OSs GNU/Linux, Mac OS

Languages Python, C, Obj-C, Ruby, Java, Bash, HTML, CSS, Octave, Ada, Fortran

Sci. packages AIPS, CASA, ParselTongue, Difmap, Sched, Xspec, QDP, Iraf, Maple

Typesetting LaTEX, Vim, LibreOffice, iWork

Experience with Astronomical Observations

Radio EVN, GMRT, LBA, VLA, LOFAR, WSRT, VLBA

X-rays XMM-Newton

TeV MAGIC

Sources Gamma-Ray Binaries, Fast Radio Bursts, Colliding-Wind Binaries, High Mass X-Ray Binaries, Active Galactic Nuclei

Fellowships

2016–current **Support Scientist of the European VLBI Network (EVN)**, Fellowship from the Netherlands Organisation for Scientific Research (NWO).

SUPERVISOR: Zsolt Paragi

PLACE: Joint Institute for VLBI ERIC (JIVE), The Netherlands

2016 Postdoctoral Fellowship from the South African Square Kilometre Array Project, (declined).

SUPERVISOR: Vanessa McBride

PLACE: Cape Town University, South Africa

2011–2015 **Predoctoral Fellowship**, Formación de Personal Investigador (FPI), Competitive national fellowship from the Ministry of Economy and Competitiveness of Spain (MINECO), BES-2011-049886.

TITLE: High-energy phenomena in stellar objects. Theoretical and observational studies

SUPERVISOR: Josep M. Paredes PLACE: University of Barcelona, Spain

07–09/2010 **JAE-Intro**, Introduction to research fellowship from the Spanish National Research Council (CSIC).

TITLE: Quantum Mechanics and General Relativity in Early Universe

SUPERVISOR: José Navarro Salas

PLACE: Instituto de Física Corpuscular (IFIC)/University of Valencia, Spain

10/09–07/10 **Introduction to Research**, *Introduction to research fellowship from the University of Cantabria*.

TITLE: X-Ray Astronomy SUPERVISOR: Xavier Barcons

PLACE: Intituto de Física de Cantabria (IFCA)/University of Cantabria, Spain

Participation in Projects

2016–2019 Multidisciplinary approach to high-energy processes in astrophysical outflows: theory and observations, *R&D&I* National Program of the Ministry of Economy and Competitiveness of Spain (MINECO), AYA2016-76012-C3-1-P, PI: J. M. Paredes.

J. M. Paredes, V. Bosch-Ramon, J. Núñez, P. Munar-Adrover, **B. Marcote**, J. Moldón, F. L. Vieyro, G. E. Romero.

Funding: 142,000 €

2013–2016 Non-thermal high-energy processes in astrophysical outflows. Theory and multi-wavelength observations, *R&D&I* National Program of the Ministry of Economy and Competitiveness of Spain (MINECO), AYA2013-47447-C3-1-P, PI: J. M. Paredes.

J. M. Paredes, S. Migliari, G. E. Romero, J. Moldón, P. Munar-Adrover, **B. Marcote**, X. Paredes-Fortuny, V. M. de la Cita, A. Comastri, R. Gilli, C. Vignali, J. A. Combi, R. K. Zamanov. Funding: 157,000 €

Publications

Peer-reviewed articles

- ★ On the origin of the gamma-ray binary 1FGL J1018.6—5856 2018, submitted **B. Marcote**, M. Ribó, J. M. Paredes, M. Y. Mao, P. G. Edwards. A&A
- ★ An extreme magneto-ionic environment associated with the fast radio burst source FRB 121102
 - D. Michilli, A. Seymour, J. W. T. Hessels, L. G. Spitler, V. Gajjar, A. M. Archibald,
 - G. C. Bower, S. Chatterjee, J. M. Cordes, K. Gourdji, G. H. Heald, V. M. Kaspi, C. J. Law,
 - C. Sobey, E. A. K. Adams, C. G. Bassa, S. Bogdanov, C. Brinkman, P. Demorest, F. Fernandez, G. Hellbourg, T. J. W. Lazio, R. S. Lynch, N. Maddox, **B. Marcote**, M. A. McLaughlin,
 - Z. Paragi, S. M. Ransom, P. Scholz, A. P. V. Siemion, S. P. Tendulkar, P. Van Rooy,
 - R. S. Wharton, D. Whitlow. Nature, 553, 182

 * Appeared in the cover of Nature (11 January 2018).
- ★ Multi-messenger Observations of a Binary Neutron Star Merger
 B. P. Abbott, et al., including B. Marcote for the Euro VLBI Team. ApJ, 848, L12
- ★ Simultaneous X-ray, gamma-ray, and Radio Observations of the repeating Fast Radio Burst FRB 121102
 - P. Scholz, S. Bogdanov, J. W. T. Hessels, R. S. Lynch, L. G. Spitler, C. G. Bassa, G. C. Bower, S. Burke-Spolaor, B. J. Butler, S. Chatterjee, J. M. Cordes, K. Gourdji, V. M. Kaspi, C. J. Law, **B. Marcote**, M. A. McLaughlin, D. Michilli, Z. Paragi, S. M. Ransom, A. Seymour, S. P. Tendulkar, R. S. Wharton. ApJ, 846, 80S

- C. G. Bassa, S. P. Tendulkar, E. A. K. Adams, N. Maddox, S. Bogdanov, G. C. Bower, S. Burke-Spolaor, B. J. Butler, S. Chatterjee, J. M. Cordes, J. W. T. Hessels, V. M. Kaspi, C. J. Law, **B. Marcote**, Z. Paragi, S. M. Ransom, P. Scholz, L. G. Spitler, H. J. van Langevelde. ApJL, 843, L8
- ★ A model for the repeating FRB 121102 in the AGN scenario

 F. L. Vieyro, G. E. Romero, V. Bosch-Ramon, B. Marcote, M. V. del Valle. A&A, 602, A64
- ★ Towards the origin of the radio emission in AR Scorpii, the first radio-pulsing white dwarf binary 2017
 - B. Marcote, T. R. Marsh, E. R. Stanway, Z. Paragi, J. M. Blanchard. A&A, 601, L7
- ★ The First Simultaneous X-ray/Radio Detection of the First Be/BH System MWC 656
 - M. Ribó, P. Munar-Adrover, J. M. Paredes, **B. Marcote**, K. Iwasawa, J. Moldón, J. Casares, S. Migliari, X. Paredes-Fortuny, ApJL, 835, L33
- ★ A direct localization of a fast radio burst and its host
 S. Chatterjee, C. J. Law, R. S. Wharton, S. Burke-Spolaor, J. W. T. Hessels, G. C. Bower, J. M. Cordes, S. P. Tendulkar, C. G. Bassa, P. Demorest, B. J. Butler, A. Seymour, P. Scholz, M. W. Abruzzo, S. Bogdanov, V. M. Kaspi, A. Keimpema, T. J. W. Lazio, B. Marcote, M. A. McLaughlin, Z. Paragi, S. M. Ransom, M. Rupen, L. G. Spitler, H. J. van Langevelde, Nature, 541, 58
 - * Appeared in the cover and in the News & Views section of Nature (5 January 2017).
- ★ The Repeating Fast Radio Burst FRB 121102 as Seen on Milliarcsecond Angular Scales 2017
 - **B. Marcote**, Z. Paragi, J. W. T. Hessels, A. Keimpema, H. J. van Langevelde, Y. Huang, C. G. Bassa, S. Bogdanov, G. C. Bower, S. Burke-Spolaor, B. J. Butler, R. M. Campbell, S. Chatterjee, J. M. Cordes, P. Demorest, M. A. Garrett, T. Ghosh, V. M. Kaspi, C. J. Law, T. J. W. Lazio, M. A. McLaughlin, S. M. Ransom, C. J. Salter, P. Scholz, A. Seymour, A. Siemion, L. G. Spitler, S. P. Tendulkar, R. S. Wharton, ApJL, 834, L8
 - * Appeared in the Research Highlight section of Nature Astronomy (2017, 1, 2, article 50)
- ★ The Host Galaxy and Redshift of the Repeating Fast Radio Burst FRB 121102 2017
 S. P. Tendulkar, C. G. Bassa, J. M. Cordes, G. C. Bower, C. J. Law, S. Chatterjee, E. A. K. Adams, S. Bogdanov, S. Burke-Spolaor, B. J. Butler, P. Demorest, J. W. T. Hessels, V. M. Kaspi, T. J. W. Lazio, N. Maddox, B. Marcote, M. A. McLaughlin, Z. Paragi, S. M. Ransom, P. Scholz, A. Seymour, L. G. Spitler, H. J. van Langevelde, R. S. Wharton, ApJL, 834, L7
- ★ FRB 150418: clues to its nature from European VLBI Network and e-MERLIN observations 2016
 - M. Giroletti, **B. Marcote**, M. Garrett, Z. Paragi, J. Yang, K. Hada, T. W. B. Muxlow, C. C. Cheung, A&A, 593, L16
- \bigstar Orbital and superorbital variability of LS I +61 303 at low radio frequencies with GMRT and LOFAR
 - **B. Marcote**, M. Ribó, J. M. Paredes, C. H. Ishwara-Chandra, J. D. Swinbank, J. W. Broderick, S. Markoff, R. Fender, R. A. M. J. Wijers, G. G. Pooley, A. J. Stewart, M. E. Bell, R. P. Breton, D. Carbone, S. Corbel, J. Eislöffel, H. Falcke, J.-M. Grießmeier, M. Kuniyoshi, M. Pietka, A. Rowlinson, M. Serylak, A. J. van der Horst, J. van Leeuwen, M. W. Wise, P. Zarka, MNRAS, 456, 1791
- ★ A radio-map of the colliding winds in the very massive binary system HD 93129A 2015
 P. Benaglia, B. Marcote, J. Moldón, E. Nelan, M. de Becker, S. M. Dougherty, B. S. Koribalski, A&A, 579, A99

- ★ Physical properties of the gamma-ray binary LS 5039 through low and high frequency radio observations
 - B. Marcote, M. Ribó, J. M. Paredes, C. H. Ishwara-Chandra, MNRAS, 451, 4578
- ★ In quest of non-thermal signatures in early-type stars

2015

J. Martí, P. L. Luque-Escamilla, J. Casares, **B. Marcote**, X. Paredes-Fortuny, M. Ribó, J. M. Paredes, J. Núñez, Ap&SS, 356, 277

Proceedings

★ Review on the multiwavelength emission of the gamma-ray binary LS I +61 303 2017

B. Marcote

Proceedings of the XII Multifrequency Behavior of High Energy Cosmic Sources Workshop held on June 12–17, 2017, in Palermo, Italy

- ★ The origin of the Fast Radio Bursts, still an open question
 B. Marcote, M. Giroletti, M. Garrett, Z. Paragi, J. Yuang, K. Hada, C. C. Cheung
 XII Scientific Meeting of the Spanish Astronomical Society held on July 18–22, 2016, in Bilbao, Spain. p. 511
- \bigstar Measuring the expansion velocity of the outflows of LS I +61 303 through low-frequency radio observations
 - **B. Marcote**, M. Ribó, J. M. Paredes, C. H. Ishwara-Chandra, J. D. Swinbank, J. W. Broderick, S. Markoff, R. Fender, R. A. M. J. Wijers, G. G. Pooley, A. J. Stewart, M. E. Bell, R. P. Breton, D. Carbone, S. Corbel, J. Eislöffel, H. Falcke, J.-M. Grießmeier, M. Kuniyoshi, M. Pietka, A. Rowlinson, M. Serylak, A. J. van der Horst, J. van Leeuwen, M. W. Wise, P. Zarka
 - 6th International Meeting on High Energy Gamma-Ray Astronomy, AIPCP, 1792, 040018
- ★ Physical properties of the gamma-ray binary LS 5039 through low and high frequency radio observations 2015
 - B. Marcote, M. Ribó, J. M. Paredes, C. H. Ishwara-ChandraHigh Energy Phenomena in Relativistic Outflows V. AAA Workshop Series 8
- \bigstar Orbital and superorbital variability of LS I +61 303 at low radio frequencies with GMRT and LOFAR
 - **B. Marcote**, M. Ribó, J. M. Paredes, C. H. Ishwara-Chandra, J. D. Swinbank, J. W. Broderick, S. Markoff, R. Fender, R. A. M. J. Wijers, G. G. Pooley, A. J. Stewart, M. E. Bell, R. P. Breton, D. Carbone, S. Corbel, J. Eislöffel, H. Falcke, J.-M. Grießmeier, M. Kuniyoshi, M. Pietka, A. Rowlinson, M. Serylak, A. J. van der Horst, J. van Leeuwen, M. W. Wise, P. Zarka

High Energy Phenomena in Relativistic Outflows V. AAA Workshop Series 8

★ Discovering the colliding wind binary HD 93129A

2014

- **B. Marcote**, P. Benaglia, J. Moldón, E. Nelan, M. de Becker, S. M. Dougherty and B. S. Koribalski
- PoS(EVN 2014)57 12th European VLBI Network Symposium and Users Meeting
- ★ The changing morphology of the radio outflow of HESS J0632+057 along its orbit 2014
 B. Marcote, J. Moldón, M. Ribó, J. M. Paredes, Z. Paragi
 PoS(EVN 2014)95 12th European VLBI Network Symposium and Users Meeting
- ★ GMRT and LOFAR low frequency observations of the gamma-ray binaries LS 5039 and LS I+61~303
 - **B. Marcote**, M. Ribó, J. M. Paredes, C. H. Ishwara-Chandra, J. Swinbank, J. Broderick, R. Fender, S. Markoff, R. Wijers ASI Conference Series, 13, 29
- ★ First LOFAR Observations of Gamma-Ray Binaries

2012

- **B. Marcote**, M. Ribó, J. M. Paredes, J. Swinbank, J. Broderick, R. Fender, S. Markoff, R. Wijers
- HIGH ENERGY GAMMA-RAY ASTRONOMY: 5th International Meeting on High Energy Gamma-Ray Astronomy. AIPCP, 1505, 374–377

- ★ LIGO/Virgo G298048 Record of all e-MERLIN results to date on SSS17a
- 28/09/2017

Sep. 2012

- J. Moldón, R. Beswick, Z. Paragi, I. Agudo, T. An, P. Bacon, C. Casadio, E. Chassande-Mottin, S. Frey, M. Giroletti, P. Jonker, M. Kettenis, B. Marcote, A. Szomoru, H. J. van Langevelde, J. Yang for the Euro VLBI Team. GCN 21940
- ★ LIGO/Virgo G298048 Further European VLBI Network (EVN) observations of SSS17a 28/09/2017
 - Z. Paragi, J. Yang, B. Marcote, et al. for the Euro VLBI Team. GCN 21939
- ★ LIGO/Virgo G298048: e-MERLIN upper limits on 5 GHz compact emission from SSS17a 04/09/2017
 - J. Moldón, R. Beswick, Z. Paragi, I. Agudo, T. An, P. Bacon, C. Casadio, E. Chassande-Mottin, S. Frey, M. Giroletti, P. Jonker, M. Kettenis, B. Marcote, A. Szomoru, H. J. van Langevelde, J. Yang for the Euro VLBI Team. GCN 21804
- ★ LIGO/Virgo G298048: European VLBI Network (EVN) upper limit on 5 GHz compact emission from SSS17a 30/08/2017
 - Z. Paragi, I. Agudo, T. An, P. Bacon, R. Beswick, C. Casadio, E. Chassande-Mottin, S. Frey, M. Giroletti, P. Jonker, M. Kettenis, B. Marcote, A. Szomoru, H. van Langevelde, J. Yang for the Euro VLBI Team. GCN 21763
- \star EVN measurement of the FRB 150418 host galaxy candidate and its stability on VLBI
 - B. Marcote, M. Giroletti, M. Garrett, J. Yang, Z. Paragi, K. Hada, C. C. Cheung. ATel
- ★ EVN limits to compact milliarcsecond-scale radio emission from the proposed galaxy counterpart to FRB 150418 24/03/2016
 - B. Marcote, M. Giroletti, M. Garrett, J. Yang, Z. Paragi, K. Hada, C. C. Cheung. ATel #8865

Other contributions

★ Science with e-ASTROGAM (A space mission for MeV-GeV gamma-ray astrophysics) White paper, arXiv:1711.01265, to appear in Journal of High Energy Astrophysics. 2017 Contributed to the section "e-ASTROGAM contribution to unidentified gamma-ray sources", J. M. Paredes, V. Bosch-Ramon & B. Marcote, p. 186

Theses

- * Non-thermal emission from high-energy binaries through interferometric radio observations Ph.D. Thesis. University of Barcelona, Spain (arXiv:1603.09276) Oct. 2015
- ★ Low Frequency Radio Observations of Gamma-Ray Binaries Master Thesis. University of Barcelona, Spain
- ★ Emisión en rayos X de galaxias cercanas (X-Ray Emission in Nerby Galaxies) Bachelor Thesis. University of Cantabria, Spain Jul. 2011

Collaborations As member of the MAGIC Collaboration, I appear as coauthor in \sim 60 papers (appeared mostly in peer-reviewed journals) published by the Collaboration. You can find all of them looking at SAO/NASA ADS.

Talks

- 15/11/2017 Placing the gamma-ray binary 1FGL J1018.6-5856 within the Galaxy, B. Marcote, Astrolunch talk at ASTRON/JIVE, Dwingeloo, The Netherlands.
- 12/09/2017 The first localization of a Fast Radio Burst and resulting high-energy implications, B. Marcote, contributed talk at the High-Energy Phenomena in Relativistic Outflows VI Conference, Moscow, Russia.

- 05/07/2017 AR Scorpii, a low-mass binary with the first known radio pulsar white dwarf, *B. Marcote*, invited talk at the Variable Galactic Gamma-Ray Sources, Tokyo, Japan.
- 14/06/2017 Multiwavelength emission of the gamma-ray binary LS I +61 303, *B. Marcote*, invited talk at the Multifrequency Behavior of High Energy Cosmic Sources, Palermo, Italy.
- 31/05/2017 **Localizing a Fast Radio Burst for the fist time**, *B. Marcote*, contributed talk at The Labyrinth of the Unexpected: unforeseen treasures in impossible regions of phase space, Kerastari, Greece.
- 27/04/2017 Fast Radio Bursts and their possible emission at high energies, *B. Marcote*, invited talk at MAGIC Physics Spring Meeting, CERN, Switzerland.
- 17/04/2017 **A pulsar which is a white dwarf...in a binary system**, *B. Marcote*, astrolunch talk at ASTRON/JIVE, Dwingeloo, The Netherlands.
- 13/03/2017 **Localizing a Fast Radio Burst for the first time**, *B. Marcote*, talk at IFCA/UC, Santander, Spain.
- 06/02/2017 **Localizing a Fast Radio Burst for the first time**, *B. Marcote*, invited talk at the ICCUB Winter Meeting, Barcelona, Spain.
- 01/02/2017 **The Fast Radio Burster Localized!**, *B. Marcote*, astrolunch at ASTRON/JIVE, Dwingeloo, The Netherlands.
- 18/10/2016 On the origin of Fast Radio Bursts and sub-milliarcsecond localization, *B. Marcote*, invited talk at the Departament de Física Quàntica i Astrofísica, University of Barcelona, Barcelona, Spain.
- 29/09/2016 **eEVN localization of millisecond transient signals**, *B. Marcote*, contributed talk at the NW3 Meeting, Nijmegen, The Netherlands.
- 22/09/2016 Is FRB 150418 localized in WISE J0716-19? Clues from EVN observations, *B. Marcote*, contributed talk at the 13th European VLBI Network Symposium, St. Petersburg, Russia.
- 14/07/2016 Measuring the expansion velocity of the outflows of LS I +61 303 through low-frequency radio observations, *B. Marcote*, contributed talk at the 6th International Symposium on High-Energy Gamma-Ray Astronomy (Gamma2016), Heidelberg, Germany.
- 26/05/2016 Characterizing the outflows in the gamma-ray binary LS I +61 303 through low-frequency radio observations, *B. Marcote*, contributed talk at the Cargèse School on Astrophysical Jets 2016, Cargèse, France.
- 03/11/2015 **Studies on high-energy binary sources through radio observations**, *B. Marcote*, talk at ASTRON, Dwingeloo, The Netherlands.
- 27/10/2015 Non-thermal emission from high-energy binaries through interferometric radio observations, *B. Marcote*, PhD Thesis defense, Barcelona, Spain.
- 07/10/2015 Physical properties of the gamma-ray binary LS 5039 through low and high frequency radio observations, *B. Marcote*, contributed talk at HEPRO V conference, La Plata, Argentina.
- 04/05/2015 Absorption mechanisms in the gamma-ray binary LS 5039 from its full radio spectrum, B. Marcote, invited talk at the Variable Galactic Gamma-ray Sources meeting, Heidelberg, Germany.
- 04/05/2015 Orbital and superorbital variability of LS I +61 303 at low radio frequencies with GMRT and LOFAR, *M. Ribó*, talk at the Variable Galactic Gamma-ray Sources Workshop, Heidelberg, Germany.
- 15/10/2014 **Gamma-ray binaries: from low frequencies to high resolution**, *B. Marcote*, Astrolunch talk at ASTRON, Dwingeloo, The Netherlands.
- 10/10/2014 **Discovering the Colliding Wind Binary HD 93129A**, *B. Marcote*, contributed talk at EVN Symposium, Cagliari, Italy.

- 08/07/2014 Variable very-low frequency radio emission from the gamma-ray binary LS I +61 303, B. Marcote, contributed talk at BeXRB 2014 meeting, Valencia, Spain.
- 10/12/2013 **The Low Frequency Emission for Gamma-Ray Binaries**, *B. Marcote*, contributed talk at The Metrewavelength Sky Conference, Pune, India.

Scientific Posters

- July 2016 The origin of Fast Radio Bursts, still an open question, B. Marcote, M. Giroletti, M. Garrett, Z. Paragi, J. Yuang, K. Hada, C. C. Cheung, Spanish Astronomical Society (SEA) Meeting, Bilbao, Spain.
- October 2015 Orbital and superorbital variability of LS I +61 303 at low radio frequencies with GMRT and LOFAR, B. Marcote, M. Ribó, J. M. Paredes, C. H. Ishwara-Chandra, J. D. Swinbank, J. W. Broderick, S. Markoff, R. Fender, R. A. M. J. Wijers, G. G. Pooley, A. J. Stewart, M. E. Bell, R. P. Breton, D. Carbone, S. Corbel, J. Eislöffel, H. Falcke, J.-M. Grießmeier, M. Kuniyoshi, M. Pietka, A. Rowlinson, M. Serylak, A. J. van der Horst, J. van Leeuwen, M. W. Wise, P. Zarka, HEPRO V, La Plata, Argentina.
- October 2014 **The changing morphology of the radio outflow of HESS J0632+057 along its orbit**, B. Marcote, J. Moldón, M. Ribó, J. M. Paredes, Z. Paragi, EVN Symposium, Cagliari, Italy.
 - April 2013 **First LOFAR Observations of Gamma-Ray Binaries**, B. Marcote, M. Ribó, J. M. Paredes, J. Swinbank, J. Broderick, R. Fender, S. Markoff, R. Wijers, The Modern Radio Universe 2013, Bonn, Germany.
 - July 2012 **First LOFAR Observations of Gamma-Ray Binaries**, B. Marcote, M. Ribó, J. M. Paredes, J. Swinbank, J. Broderick, R. Fender, S. Markoff, R. Wijers, 2012 Heidelberg International Symposium on High Energy Gamma-Ray Astronomy, Heidelberg, Germany.

Conferences, meetings and workshops

- 09/2017 **High-Energy Phenomena in Relativistic Outflows VI**, Moscow, Russia, contributed talk. https://hepro6.cosmos.ru
- 07/2017 Variable Galactic Gamma-Ray Sources (IV), Tokyo, Japan, invited talk. http://www2.rikkyo.ac.jp/web/y_uchiyama/VGGRS2017/vggrs.html
- 06/2017 Multifrequency Behavior of High Energy Cosmic Sources, Palermo, Italy, invited talk. http://workshop2017.iaps.inaf.it/index.php
- 05/2017 The Labyrinth of the Unexpected: unforeseen treasures in impossible regions of phase space, Kerastari, Greece, contributed talk.

 http://www.atnf.csiro.au/research/conferences/2017/Labyrinth
- 04/2017 **MAGIC Physics Spring Meeting**, *CERN*, Geneva, Switzerland, invited talk. https://indico.mpp.mpg.de/event/5050/overview
- 02/2017 **ICCUB Winter Meeting**, *Institute of Cosmos Sciences*, Barcelona, Spain, invited talk. http://icc.ub.edu/webs/ICCUB_Winter_Meeting
- 09/2016 **13th European VLBI Network Symposium and Users Meeting**, *Institute of Applied Astronomy*, St. Petersburg, Russia, contributed talk. http://www.ipa.nw.ru/EVN2016
- 07/2016 XII Meeting of the Spanish Astronomical Society (SEA), SEA, Bilbao, Spain, poster. http://www.sea-astronomia.es/drupal/SEA2016
- 07/2016 6th International Symposium on High-Energy Gamma-Ray Astronomy (Gamma2016), MPI, Heidelberg, Germany, talk. https://www.mpi-hd.mpg.de/hd2016
- 10/2015 **High-Energy Phenomena in Relativistic Outflows V (HEPRO V)**, *IAR*, La Plata, Argentina, talk and poster. http://hepro5.iar.unlp.edu.ar

05/2015 Variable Galactic Gamma-ray Sources Workshop, MPI, Heidelberg, Germany, invited talk

http://www.mpi-hd.mpg.de/astrophysik/HEA/conferences/binary_heidelberg_2015/pages/index.html

10/2014 **EVN Symposium**, *INAF*, Cagliari, Italy, talk and poster.

http://evn2014.oa-cagliari.inaf.it/EVN2014

07/2014 **BeXRB 2014 Meeting**, *UV*, Valencia, Spain, talk. https://sites.google.com/site/bexrb2014

01/2014 **LOFAR TKP Meeting**, *API-UvA*, Amsterdam, The Netherlands, participant. http://www.transientskp.org/meetings/2014-01

12/2013 **The Metrewavelength Sky Conference**, *NCRA-TIFR*, Pune, India, talk. http://mwsky.ncra.tifr.res.in/mwsky/

04/2013 **The Modern Radio Universe 2013 Conference**, *MPI*, Bonn, Germany, poster. http://indico.mpifr-bonn.mpg.de/indico/conferenceDisplay.py?confId=21

04/2013 **Variable Galactic Gamma-Ray Sources Workshop**, *UB*, Barcelona, Spain, participant. http://icc.ub.edu/congress/GRBINBCN

11/2012 **Exploring the Non-thermal Universe with Gamma Rays Meeting**, *UB*, Barcelona, Spain, Local Organizing Committee. http://icc.ub.edu/congress/FAA60/

Schools

09/2016 **Fourth LOFAR data processing school 2016**, *ASTRON*, Dwingeloo, The Netherlands. http://www.astron.nl/lofarschool2016

05/2016 Cargèse School on Astrophysical Jets 2016, *IESC*, Cargèse, France. http://www.issibern.ch/cargese2016/index.php

09/2013 **ERIS2013**, *ASTRON/JIVE*, Dwingeloo, The Netherlands. www.astron.nl/eris2013

01/2013 **3rd MAGIC Software School**, *UB*, Barcelona, Spain.

11/2012 **2nd MAGIC Hardware Expert School**, *MAGIC*, La Palma, Spain.

05-06/2012 **13th Synthesis Imaging Workshop**, *NRAO*, Socorro, U.S.A.. www.aoc.nrao.edu/events/synthesis/2012

Research Stays

09–10/2014 **FPI stay at JIVE**, *Joint Institute for VLBI in Europe*, Dwingeloo, The Netherlands.

Learning on VLBI reduction techniques with EVN experts

SUPERVISOR: Zsolt Paragi DURATION: 64 days

08–10/2013 FPI stay at API/UvA, Anton Pannekoek Institute, Amsterdam, The Netherlands.

Collaboration with the Transients Key Science Group of LOFAR

 ${\bf SUPERVISOR} \colon \mbox{ John Swinbank }$

DURATION: 62 days

08–09/2012 Stay at the NCRA, National Centre for Radio Astrophysics, Pune, India.

Learn the analysis of GMRT radio observations

SUPERVISOR: C. H. Ishwara-Chandra

DURATION: 16 days

01–03/2012 **FPI stay at API/UvA**, *Anton Pannekoek Institute*, Amsterdam, The Netherlands.

Collaboration with Transients Key Science Group of LOFAR and theoretical group

 ${\bf SUPERVISORS:} \ \ \textbf{Sera} \ \ \textbf{Markoff}$

DURATION: 62 days

Lectures

19/10/2016 **The EVN Pipeline**, *ERIS School 2017*, ASTRON/JIVE, Dwingeloo, The Netherlands.

Teaching Activities

- Summer 2016 **Co-supervisor in the ASTRON/JIVE Summer Student Programme**, *2 months*. The student Yuping Huang worked on *localizing fast transients with VLBI*.
 - Spring 2015 **Fundaments of laboratory (Physics Laboratory)**, *36 hr*, laboratory and PC sessions. Physics Degree, 1st course, University of Barcelona
 - Fall 2014 **Astronomía (astronomy)**, *24 hr*, observational sessions. Physics Degree, 2nd course, University of Barcelona
 - Spring 2014 **Fonaments de Laboratori (Physics Laboratory)**, *30 hr*, laboratory and PC sessions. Physics Degree, 1st course, University of Barcelona
 - Spring 2014 **Astronomía (astronomy)**, *8 hr*, observational sessions. Physics Degree, 2nd course, University of Barcelona
 - Fall 2013 **Astronomía (astronomy)**, *8 hr*, observational sessions. Physics Degree, 2nd course, University of Barcelona

Outreach Talks

12/08/2013 **El cielo menos conocido...de radio a rayos gamma**, *AstroSantander*, Centro Cultural Dr. Madrazo, Santander, Spain.

Outreach Publications

- 08/2017 **First light of the JIVE UniBoard Correlator**, *Benito Marcote* on behalf of the JIVE Uniboard Correlator Team, ASTRON News, Summer 2017, p. 8.
- 08/2017 **FRB 121102:** A long time ago in a galaxy far-far away, J. Hessels, B. Adams, C. Bassa, A. Keimpema, H. J. van Langevelde, N. Maddox, **Benito Marcote**, Z. Paragi, ASTRON News, Summer 2017, p. 12–13.

Other Activities

- March-April Shift at the MAGIC Telescopes, 3 weeks, Shift Leader role.
 - 2015 MAGIC (Observatory of Roque de los Muchachos), La Palma, Spain.
 - June 2014 **Shift at the MAGIC Telescopes**, *3 weeks*, Shift Leader role. MAGIC (Observatory of Roque de los Muchachos), La Palma, Spain.
 - June 2013 **Shift at the MAGIC Telescopes**, *4 weeks*, Operator role. MAGIC (Observatory of Roque de los Muchachos), La Palma, Spain.

Accepted observing proposals

- October 2017 **European VLBI Network (EVN)**, *16 hr*, PI, project code EM132. Unveiling the origin of the radio emission in the gamma-ray binary LS I +61 303
 - September Green Bank Telescope (GBT), 12 hr, PI, DDT, project code GBT-17B-396.
 - 2017 Studying FRB 121102 at 5 GHz and improving its localization to pc scales
- August 2017 **European VLBI Network (EVN)**, *5 hr*, PI, ToO, RP029. Localizing the bursts of FRB 121102 during an active period
- August 2017 **European VLBI Network (EVN)**, 4 hr, co-PI, ToO, RP029. An electromagnetic counterpart to the gravitational-wave event G298048

- July 2017 **Giant Metrewave Radio Telescope (GMRT)**, 18 hr, PI, 33_007.

 Discovering the radio nebula associated with Geminga, one of the most energetic gamma-ray pulsar
- July 2017 **Giant Metrewave Radio Telescope (GMRT)**, 24 hr, co-PI, 33_056.

 Deep interferometric and time-domain search for emission from radio-quiet gamma-ray pulsars: A pilot study
- June 2017 Australian Long Baseline Array (LBA), 10 hr, PI, V565.

 Resolving the enigmatic source 2XMM J160050.7—514245: An Extreme Radio Bright Colliding Wind Binary Candidate
- June 2017 **European VLBI Network (EVN)**, 22.5 hr, PI, EM131. Unveiling the existence of wind collision regions on massive binary stars
- June 2017 **European VLBI Network (EVN)**, *16 hr*, PI, EM130. In quest of the origin of the Fast Radio Burst FRB 150418
- March 2017 **European VLBI Network (EVN)**, *16 hr*, co-PI, ToO, RP027. e-EVN follow-up of AGL J1914+1043
- March 2017 **The Low Frequency Array (LOFAR)**, *16 hr*, PI, LC8_026. The low-frequency emission of the persistent source associated with FRB 121102
- March 2017 **European VLBI Network (EVN)**, 8 hr, PI, EM129. Exploring the puzzling origin of the radio nebula G70.7+1.2
- October 2016 **European VLBI Network (EVN)**, 72 hr, co-PI (PI: J. Hessels), EP103. Proper Motion and Variability of FRB 121102
- October 2016 **European VLBI Network (EVN)**, *25 hr*, co-PI (PI: Y. Maan), EM127. Probing the off-pulse emission from pulsars B0525+21 and B2045-16
- October 2016 **MAGIC**, *25 hr*, co-PI (PI: S. Inoue & J. Cortina), regular proposal. Exploring fast radio bursts in the VHE and optical bands
 - September MAGIC, +4 hr, co-PI (PI: S. Inoue & J. Cortina), ToO proposal.
 - 2016 ToO observations of the FRB repeater simultaneous with Arecibo and Effelsberg
 - September European VLBI Network (EVN), 17 hr, co-PI (PI: J. Hessels), ToO, RP026.
 - 2016 Pinpointing the Position of Fast Radio Burst FRB 121102
 - June 2016 Australian Long Baseline Array (LBA), 8 hr, co-PI (PI: T. Marsh), V548. A unique radio emitting white dwarf binary
 - June 2016 **Australian Long Baseline Array (LBA)**, *48 hr*, PI, V454. On the origin of the gamma-ray binary 1FGL J1018.6—5856
 - June 2016 **European VLBI Network (EVN)**, *5 hr*, PI, EM125.

 Unveiling the radio counterpart of the possible gamma-ray binary HESS J1832—093
 - May 2016 **The Low Frequency Array (LOFAR)**, *4.5 hr*, PI, ToO, DDT6_002. Cygnus X-1 in the hard state: the low frequency follow-up
 - March 2016 *Chandra* & Very Large Array (VLA), 2 hr, co-PI (PI: M. Ribó), SI0460. Accretion/ejection coupling in the second Be/BH system
 - March 2016 **European VLBI Network (EVN)**, *5 hr*, co-PI (PI: M. Garrett), ToO, RG008. e-VLBI observations of FRB 150418
 - February **European VLBI Network (EVN)**, 14 hr, PI, EM121.
 - 2016 The possible connection of a compact radio source and an unidentified TeV source
 - September The Low Frequency Array (LOFAR), 36 hr, Pl, LC5_022.
 - 2015 Multifrequency campaign with coordinated GMRT and LOFAR observations: First detailed study of a gamma-ray binary outburst at 150 MHz and search for extended emission
 - July 2015 **Giant Metrewave Radio Telescope (GMRT)**, *30 hr*, PI, 29_060.

 Multifrequency campaign with coordinated GMRT and LOFAR observations: Probing the colliding-wind scenario in the gamma-ray binary LS I +61 303

- March 2014 *Chandra* & Very Large Array (VLA), 6 hr, co-PI (PI: M. Ribó), SG0905.

 Chandra proposal with coordinated VLA observation: Accretion/ejection coupling in the first Be/BH system
- October 2013 **European VLBI Network (EVN)**, *10 hr*, PI, EM111.

 Morphological changes of the extended emission of HESS J0632+057
 - March 2013 Westerbork Synthesis Radio Telescope (WSRT), 20 hr, PI, R13B012.

 Multifrequency campaign with coordinated GMRT and WSRT observations: Unveiling the absorption mechanism in the gamma-ray binary LS 5039
- January 2013 **Giant Metrewave Radio Telescope (GMRT)**, 32 hr, PI, 24_001.

 Multifrequency campaign with coordinated GMRT and WSRT observations: Understanding the low frequency phenomena in the gamma-ray binary LS 5039
 - November Westerbork Synthesis Radio Telescope (WSRT), 5 hr, PI, S12B003.
 - 2012 Is TYC 4051-1277-1 a new gamma-ray binary?
- January 2012 **Very Large Array (VLA)**, *3 hr*, PI, 12B-061. Search for radio emission from HD 215227: the newest gamma-ray binary candidate
- October 2011 Westerbork Synthesis Radio Telescope (WSRT), 30 hr, PI, S11B/013.

 Service time proposal: Search for radio emission from HD 215227: the newest gamma-ray binary candidate

Additional Information

- 2018–2020 TAC Reader of the Australia Telescope National Facility (ATNF).
 - 2018 **Member of the RadioAstron Program Evaluation Committee (RPEC)**, for the 6th Announcement of Opportunity (January 2018).
 - 2017– Referee of e-MERLIN proposals.
 - 2017- Referee of the journal MNRAS.
- 2016–2017 Co-organizer of colloquia at the ASTRON/JIVE institute.
 - 2014 Member of the Spanish Astronomical Society (SEA).
 - 2014 **Online course: Introduction to Computational Thinking and Data Science**, *edX-MITx*, Honor Code Certificate, 9 weeks/15 hr.
- 2011–2015 Member of the MAGIC Collaboration.
- 2009–2012 Member of AstroSantander, association of amateur astronomers, Santander, Spain.
- 2004–2009 **Member of Agrupación Astronómica Cántabra**, association of amateur astronomers, Santander, Spain.
 - 2006 **XVII Congreso Estatal de Astronomía**, *national meeting of amateur astronomers*, participant and local organizing committee, Santander, Spain.

Interests

- Astronomy

- Astrophysics

- Physics

- Programming

- Painting & Drawing

- Photography