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**CURRENT POSITION**      **Postdoctoral Associate**      September 2022–present  
Center for Interdisciplinary Exploration and Research in Astrophysics,  
Northwestern University, Evanston, IL  
Supervisor: Jason Jinfei Wang

**EDUCATION**      **University of California, San Diego**, La Jolla, CA, USA  
Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.) in Physics      August 2022  
Thesis: “Kinematics, Multiplicity, Rotational Dynamics, and Population Properties of Ultracool Dwarfs Inferred from High-Resolution Near-Infrared Spectroscopy”  
Advisor: Adam J. Burgasser

**National Tsing Hua University**, Hsinchu, Taiwan  
Bachelor of Science (B.S) in Physics      June 2014

**RESEARCH INTERESTS**      lowest-mass stars; brown dwarfs; exoplanets; medium-/high-resolution spectroscopy;  
very low-mass binaries; stellar populations; stellar kinematics; stellar rotation

**RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**      **Postdoctoral Associate**      2022–present  
Center for Interdisciplinary Exploration and Research in Astrophysics,  
Northwestern University, Evanston, IL  
Supervisor: Jason Jinfei Wang

**Graduate Research Student**      2016–2022  
Center for Astrophysics and Space Sciences, UC San Diego, La Jolla, CA  
Advisor: Adam J. Burgasser

**Research Assistant**      2015–2016  
Institute of Astronomy, National Tsing Hua University, Hsinchu, Taiwan  
Supervisor: Huei-Ru “Vivien” Chen

**Undergraduate Research Student**      2013–2014  
Physics Department, National Tsing Hua University, Hsinchu, Taiwan  
Advisor: Kingman Cheung

**ACADEMIC HONORS & AWARDS**      **Cool Stars 21 Travel Grant**      July 2022  
Cool Stars 21<sup>st</sup> Meeting, Toulouse, France

**Rodger Doxsey Travel Prize**      June 2022  
AAS 240<sup>th</sup> Meeting, Pasadena, CA  
Awarded for providing graduate students/postdocs within one year of receiving or receipt of their PhD a monetary prize to enable the oral presentation of their dissertation research (transferred from the AAS 239<sup>th</sup> Meeting).

**Friends of the International Center fellowship**      2020

UC San Diego, La Jolla, CA  
 Awarded for promoting international friendship, understanding, and cooperation.

**Carol and George Lattimer Award for Graduate Excellence** 2019–2020  
 UC San Diego, La Jolla, CA  
 Awarded to graduate students in the Divisions of Physical Sciences who seek interdisciplinary approaches to problem-solving and have a strong commitment to education, mentorship, and service.

**Physics Chair’s Challenge Award \* 3** 2017, 2018, 2022  
 UC San Diego, La Jolla, CA  
 Awarded for supporting educational excellence and training for physics students.

**Physics Excellence Award** 2016  
 UC San Diego, La Jolla, CA  
 Awarded to highly qualified students admitted to the Physics PhD program.

**College of Science Elite Student Award \* 3** 2012–2014  
 National Tsing Hua University, Hsinchu, Taiwan  
 Awarded to the top student of class based on academic achievements.

**Academic Achievement Award \* 5** 2011–2014  
 National Tsing Hua University, Hsinchu, Taiwan  
 Awarded to top 5 % of class.

**College of Science Scholarship** 2013  
 National Tsing Hua University, Hsinchu, Taiwan  
 Awarded to one student in College of Science based on academic achievements.

## FIRST AUTHOR PUBLICATIONS

- [4] **Hsu, C.**; Burgasser, A. J.; Theissen, C. A.; Gelino, C. R.; Birky, J. L.; Diamant, S. J. M.; Bardalez Gagliuffi, D. C.; Aganze, C.; Blake, C. H.; Jacqueline K. Faherty, “The Brown Dwarf Kinematics Project (BDKP). VI. Radial and Rotational Velocities of late-M and L Dwarfs from Keck/NIRSPEC High-Resolution Spectroscopy”, in prep.
- [3] **Hsu, C.**; Burgasser, A. J.; Theissen, C. A.; Birky, J. L.; Aganze, C.; Gerasimov, R.; Schmidt, S. J.; Blake, C. H.; Covey, K. R.; Moreno-Hilario, E., “*Ultracool Dwarf Radial and Rotational Velocity Survey with SDSS/APOGEE High-Resolution Spectrometer*”, in prep.
- [2] **Hsu, C.**; Burgasser, A. J.; Theissen, C. A., “*Discovery of the Exceptionally Short Period Ultracool Dwarf Binary LP 413-53AB*”, ApJL, 945, L6, March 2023
- [1] **Hsu, C.**; Burgasser, A. J.; Theissen, C. A.; Gelino, C. R.; Birky, J. L.; Diamant, S. J. M.; Bardalez Gagliuffi, D. C.; Aganze, C.; Blake, C. H.; Faherty, J. K., “The Brown Dwarf Kinematics Project (BDKP). V. Radial and Rotational Velocities of T Dwarfs From Keck/NIRSPEC High-Resolution Spectroscopy”, ApJS 257, 45, December 2021.

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- [14] Schneider, Adam C.; Burgasser, Adam J.; Bruursema, Justice; Munn, Jeffrey A.; Vrba, Frederick J.; Caselden, Dan; Kabatnik, Martin; Rothermich, Austin; Sainio, Arttu; Bickle, Thomas P.; Dahm, Scott E.; Meisner, Aaron M.; Kirkpatrick, J. Davy; Suarez, Genaro; Gagne, Jonathan; Faherty, Jacqueline K.; Vos, Johanna M.; Kuchner, Marc J.; Williams, Stephen J.; Bardalez Gagliuffi,

- Daniella; Aganze, Christian; **Hsu, Chih-Chun**; Theissen, Christopher; Cushing, Michael C.; Marocco, Federico; Casewell, Sarah; Backyard Worlds: Planet 9 Collaboration, “Redder than Red: Discovery of an Exceptionally Red L/T Transition Dwarf”, arXiv:2301.02322, Accepted to ApJ Letters, January 2023
- [13] Kiwy, Frank; Faherty, Jacqueline K.; Meisner, Aaron; Schneider, Adam C.; Kirkpatrick, J. Davy; Kuchner, Marc J.; Burgasser, Adam J.; Casewell, Sarah; Kiman, Rocio; Calamari, Emily; Aganze, Christian; **Hsu, Chih-Chun**; Sainio, Arttu; Thakur, Vinod; The Backyard Worlds: Planet 9 Collaboration, “Discovery of 34 low-mass comoving systems using NOIRLab Source Catalog DR2”, AJ, 164, 3, July 2022
- [12] Aganze, Christian; Burgasser, Adam J.; Malkan, Mathew; Theissen, Christopher A; Tejada Arevalo, Roberto A; **Hsu, Chih-Chun**; Bardalez Gagliuffi, Daniella C; E Ryan, Russell, Jr; Holwerda, Benne, “Beyond the Local Volume II: Population Scaleheights and Ages of Ultracool Dwarfs in Deep HST/WFC3 Parallel Fields”, ApJ, 934, 73, July 2022
- [11] Softich, Emma; Schneider, Adam C.; Patience, Jennifer; Burgasser, Adam J.; Shkolnik, Evgenya; Faherty, Jacqueline K.; Caselden, Dan; Meisner, Aaron M.; Kirkpatrick, J. Davy; Kuchner, Marc J.; Gagne, Jonathan; Bardalez-Gagliuffi, Daniella; Cushing, Michael C.; Casewell, Sarah L.; Aganze, Christian; **Hsu, Chih-Chun**; Andersen, Nikolaj Stevnbak; Kiwy, Frank; Thevenot, Melina; The Backyard Worlds: Planet 9 Collaboration, “CWISE J014611.20-050850.0AB: The Widest Known Brown Dwarf Binary in the Field”, ApJL, 922, L12, February 2022
- [10] Faherty, Jacqueline K; Gagne, Jonathan; Popinchalk, Mark; Vos, Johanna M.; Burgasser, Adam J.; Schumann, Jorg; Schneider, Adam C.; Kirkpatrick, J. Davy; Meisner, Aaron M.; Kuchner, Marc J.; Bardalez Gagliuffi, Daniella C.; Marocco, Federico; Caselden, Dan; Gonzales, Eileen C.; Rothermich, Austin; Casewell, Sarah L.; Debes, John H.; Aganze, Christian; Ayala, Andrew; **Hsu, Chih-Chun**; Cooper, William J.; Smart, R. L.; Gerasimov, Roman; Theissen, Christopher A.; The Backyard Worlds: Planet 9 Collaboration, “A Wide Planetary Mass Companion Discovered Through the Citizen Science Project Backyard Worlds: Planet 9”, ApJ, 923, 48, December 2021
- [9] Aganze, Christian; Burgasser, Adam J.; Malkan, Mathew; Theissen, Christopher A; Tejada Arevalo, Roberto A; **Hsu, Chih-Chun**; Bardalez Gagliuffi, Daniella C; E Ryan, Russell, Jr; Holwerda, Benne, “Beyond the Local Volume I: Surface Densities of Ultracool Dwarfs in Deep HST/WFC3 Parallel Fields”, ApJ, 924, 144, January 2022
- [8] Schneider, Adam C.; Meisner, Aaron M.; Gagne, Jonathan; Faherty, Jacqueline K.; Marocco, Federico; Burgasser, Adam J.; Kirkpatrick, J. Davy; Kuchner, Marc J.; Gramaize, Leopold; Rothermich, Austin; Brooks, Hunter; Vrba, Frederick J.; Bardalez Gagliuffi, Daniella; Caselden, Dan; Cushing, Michael C.; Gelino, Christopher R.; Line, Michael R.; Casewell, Sarah L.; Debes, John H.; Aganze, Christian Ayala, Andrew; Gerasimov, Roman; Gonzales, Eileen C.; **Hsu, Chih-Chun**; Kiman, Rocio; Popinchalk, Mark; Theissen, Christopher; Backyard Worlds: The Planet 9 Collaboration, “Ross 19B: An Extremely Cold Companion Discovered via the Backyard Worlds: Planet 9 Citizen Science Project”, ApJ, 921, 150, November 2021
- [7] Theissen, C. A.; Konopacky, Q. M.; Lu, J. R.; Kim D.; Zhang, S. Y.; **Hsu, C.**; Chu, L.; Wei, L., “The 3-D Kinematics of the Orion Nebula Cluster: NIRSPEC-AO Radial Velocities of the Core Population”, ApJ, 926, 141, February 2022

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- [5] J. Davy Kirkpatrick; Christopher R. Gelino; Jacqueline K. Faherty; Aaron M. Meisner; Dan Caselden; Adam C. Schneider; Federico Marocco; Alfred J. Cayago; R. L. Smart; Peter R. Eisenhardt; Marc J. Kuchner; Edward L. Wright; Michael C. Cushing; Katelyn N. Allers; Daniella C. Bardalez Gagliuffi; Adam J. Burgasser; Jonathan Gagne; Sarah E. Logsdon; Emily C. Martin; James G. Ingalls; Patrick J. Lowrance; Ellianna S. Abrahams; Christian Aganze; Roman Gerasimov; Eileen C. Gonzales; **Chih-Chun Hsu**; Nikita Kamraj; Rocio Kiman; Jon Rees; Christopher Theissen; Kareem Ammar; Nikolaj Stevnbak Andersen; Paul Beaulieu; Guillaume Colin; Charles A. Elachi; Samuel J. Goodman; Leopold Gramaize; Leslie K. Hamlet; Justin Hong; Alexander Jonkeren; Mohammed Khalil; David W. Martin; William Pendrill; Benjamin Pumphrey; Austin Rothermich; Arttu Sainio; Andres Stenner; Christopher Tanner; Melina Thevenot; Nikita V. Voloshin; Jim Walla; Zbigniew Wedracki; “The Field Substellar Mass Function Based on the Full-sky 20-pc Census of 525 L, T, and Y Dwarfs”, *ApJS*, 253, 7, March 2021
- [4] Sahlmann, Johannes; Dupuy, Trent J.; Burgasser, Adam J.; Filippazzo, Joseph C.; Martín, Eduardo L.; Bardalez Gagliuffi, Daniella C.; **Hsu, Chih-Chun**; Lazorenko, Petro F.; Liu, Michael C., “Individual Dynamical Masses of DENIS J063001.4–184014AB Reveal A Likely Young Brown Dwarf Triple”, *MNRAS*, 500, 5453, January 2021
- [3] Meisner, Aaron M.; Faherty, Jacqueline K.; Kirkpatrick, J. Davy; Schneider, Adam C.; Caselden, Dan; Gagné, Jonathan; Kuchner, Marc J.; Burgasser, Adam J.; Casewell, Sarah L.; Debes, John H.; Artigau, Étienne; Bardalez Gagliuffi, Daniella C.; Logsdon, Sarah E.; Kiman, Rocio; Allers, Katelyn; **Hsu, Chih-Chun**; Wisniewski, John P.; Allen, Michaela B.; Beaulieu, Paul; Colin, Guillaume Durantini Luca, Hugo A.; Goodman, Sam; Gramaize, Léopold; Hamlet, Leslie K.; Hinckley, Ken; Kiwy, Frank; Martin, David W.; Pendrill, William; Rothermich, Austin; Sainio, Arttu; Schümann, Jörg; Andersen, Nikolaj Stevnbak; Tanner, Christopher; Thakur, Vinod; Thévenot, Melina; Walla, Jim; Wędracki, Zbigniew; Aganze, Christian; Gerasimov, Roman; Theissen, Christopher; The Backyard Worlds: Planet 9 Collaboration, “Spitzer Follow-up of Extremely Cold Brown Dwarfs Discovered by the Backyard Worlds: Planet 9 Citizen Science Project”, *ApJ*, 889, 123, August 2020
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PUBLICATIONS**

- [4] Valencia, Julissa Villalobos ; Burgasser, Adam J.; **Hsu, Chih-Chun**; Aganze, Christian, “Spectral Characterization of the Low-mass Companion  $\mu$  Virgenes B”, RNAAS, 6, 670, December 2022
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- [2] Theissen, Christopher A.; Burgasser, Adam J.; Martin, Emily C.; Cushing, Michael C.; Konopacky, Quinn M.; McLean, Ian S.; **Hsu, Chih-Chun**; Bardalez Gagliuffi, Daniella C.; Schneider, Adam C.; Kuchner, Marc J.; Faherty, Jacqueline K.; Beichman, Charles A.; Miles, Brittany; Skemer, Andy; Logsdon, Sarah E.; Meisner, Aaron M.; Kirkpatrick, J. Davy, “Keck NIRES Spectral Standards for L, T, and Y Dwarfs”, RNAAS, 6, 151, July 2022
- [1] Low, Ryan; Burgasser, Adam J.; Reylé, Céline; Gerasimov, Roman; **Hsu, Chih-Chun**; Theissen, Christopher A, “Spectroscopic Confirmation of an M6 Dwarf Companion to the Nearby Star BD-08 2582”, RNAAS, 5, 26, February 2021

**TALKS**

- “Discovery of the Shortest-Period Ultracool Dwarf Binary” January 11, 2022  
AAS 241 Meeting, Seattle Convention Center, Seattle, WA
- “Discovery of the Shortest-Period Ultracool Dwarf Binary” January 10, 2022  
AAS 241 Meeting Press Conference, Seattle Convention Center, Seattle, WA
- “Kinematics and Multiplicity of Ultracool Dwarfs with High-Resolution Near-Infrared Spectroscopy” November 16, 2022  
Northwestern CIERA Observational Astronomy Meeting, Evanston, IL
- “Kinematics, Rotation, and Multiplicity of Ultracool Dwarfs with High-Resolution Near-Infrared Spectroscopy” June 14, 2022  
AAS 240 Meeting, Pasadena Convention Center, Pasadena, CA
- “Forward-Modeling High-Resolution Spectroscopic Data of Ultracool Dwarfs with Large Public Archives” June 3, 2022  
HDSI Internal Talk, Halicioglus Data Science Institute, UC San Diego, Virtual
- “Kinematics, Rotation, and Multiplicity of Ultracool Dwarfs with High-Resolution Near-Infrared Spectroscopy” May 25, 2022  
IPAC Seminar Series, Infrared Processing and Analysis Center, Virtual
- “Radial and Rotational Velocities of T Dwarfs from Keck/NIRSPEC High-Resolution Spectroscopy” September 9, 2021  
Keck Science Meeting, UC San Diego
- “Precise Radial and Rotational Velocities of Ultracool Dwarfs with the APOGEE High-Resolution Spectrometer” August 11, 2021  
2021 SDSS Collaboration Meeting, Virtual
- “Radial Velocities and Kinematic Ages of Nearby T Dwarfs from Keck/NIRSPEC High-Resolution Spectroscopy” January 15, 2021

AAS 237 Meeting, Virtual

*“Ultracool Dwarf Kinematics and Ages Revealed by High-Resolution Spectroscopy”*

November 13, 2020

CASS Journal Club, UC San Diego, La Jolla, CA

*“Precise Radial and Rotational Velocities of Ultracool Dwarfs Using a Forward-Modeling Method with High-Resolution Spectroscopy”* February 4, 2020

High-Resolution Infrared Spectroscopy for Exoplanet Characterization Hackathon, Caltech, Pasadena, CA

*“Radial and Rotational Velocities of Ultracool Dwarfs From High-Resolution Spectroscopy”* March 5, 2019

AMNH Astrophysics seminar, American Museum of Natural History, New York, NY

*“Radial and Rotational Velocities of Ultracool Dwarfs From High-Resolution Spectroscopy”* February 15, 2019

CASS Journal Club, UC San Diego, La Jolla, CA

## POSTERS

*“Kinematics, Rotation, and Multiplicity of Ultracool Dwarfs with High-Resolution Near-Infrared Spectroscopy”* July 2022

The 21 Cambridge Workshops of Cool Stars, Stellar Systems and the Sun, Toulouse, France

*“Radial Velocities and Kinematic Ages of Nearby T Dwarfs from Keck/NIRSPEC High-Resolution Spectroscopy”* March 2021

The 20.5 Cambridge Workshops of Cool Stars, Stellar Systems and the Sun, Virtual

*“Precise Radial and Rotational Velocities for over 440 Ultracool Dwarfs Observed with NIRSPEC”* September 2020

Keck Science Meeting 2020, Virtual

*“Precise Radial and Rotational Velocities for T Dwarfs Using NIRSPEC High-Resolution Spectrometer”* September 2019

Keck Science Meeting 2019, UCLA, Los Angeles, CA

*“Precise Radial and Rotational Velocities of Ultracool Dwarfs with APOGEE High-Resolution Spectra”* June 2019

SDSS-IV/V Collaboration Meeting 2019, Ensenada, Mexico

*“Radial and Rotational Velocities for 300+ Ultracool Dwarfs from NIRSPEC High-Resolution Spectroscopy”* January 2019

AAS 233 Meeting, Seattle, WA

*“Toward Measurements of Radial and Rotational Velocities of 300+ Ultracool Dwarfs from NIRSPEC High-Resolution Spectroscopy”* September 2018

Keck Science Meeting 2018, Caltech, Pasadena, CA

*“Precise Radial Velocities to Detect Exoplanets around Ultracool Dwarfs Using the NIRSPEC High-Resolution Spectrograph”* September 2018

ExSoCal 2018, Caltech, Pasadena, CA

*“Refined Measurements of Radial and Rotational Velocities of 300+ Ultracool Dwarfs*

*from NIRSPEC High-Resolution Spectroscopy”*  
Cool Stars 20, Boston University, Cambridge, MA

July 2018

**PRESS  
COVERAGE**

“Record breakers! Super-close dwarf stars orbit each other in less than a day ”,  
Space.com, March 2023

“Ultracool dwarf binary stars break records ”,  
Northwestern News, January 2023

“Astronomers Spot A Tiny Binary System”,  
Sky & Telescope, January 2023

“Ultracool dwarf binary stars break records”,  
Earth Sky, January 2023

“This Record-Breaking Star System’s Year Is Shorter Than One Earth Day”,  
CNET, January 2023

“Here’s how cool a star can be and still achieve lasting success”,  
Science News, August 2021

**WORKSHOPS**

*Future Keck IR Spectroscopy Workshop* January 27 2021  
Virtual

*High-Resolution Infrared Spectroscopy for  
Exoplanet Characterization Hackathon* February 4–6 2020  
Caltech, Pasadena, CA

*Telluric Line Hack Week Workshop* February 25–28 2019  
Flatiron Institute, New York, NY

*2017 Kraft Observational Astronomy Workshop* October 12–16 2017  
Lick Observatory, Mount Hamilton, CA

*SciCoder Workshop* July 31–August 4 2017  
Vanderbilt University, Nashville, TN

**TELESCOPE  
TIME  
AWARDED**

*Lick Observatory*  
PI: **2022B**: “Calibrations of Chemical Abundances of Ultracool Dwarfs in Wide  
Binary Systems with Optical High-Resolution Spectroscopy of G-Type Primaries”  
• 1 night awarded (APF)

*W. M. Keck Telescopes, Keck II 10-meter*  
Co-I: **2021B–2022B**: “Galactic Archaeology with Ultracool Dwarfs: Kinematic  
Structure Among L Dwarfs”  
• 5.25 nights awarded (NIRSPEC)

Co-I: **2021B–2022B**: “The Old and the Quick: A Search for Halo Brown Dwarfs  
with Backyard Worlds”  
• 5.5 nights awarded (NIREs)

Co-I: **2019B–2020B**: “Completing the Kinematic Census of Local T Dwarfs”  
• 5.75 nights awarded (NIRSPEC)

Co-I: **2018B–2021A**: “NIREs Follow-up of Young T Dwarfs from Backyard Worlds”  
 • 9 nights awarded (NIREs)

*NASA InfraRed Telescope Facility (IRTF)*

Co-I: **2018A–2019B**: “Training the Cannon: Calibrating APOGEE Observations of Ultracool Dwarfs”

- 6 nights awarded (iSHELL)

**ADDITIONAL OBSERVING EXPERIENCE**     *Keck II 10-meter/NIRSPEC 7 nights*     2017–2018  
    *Keck I 10-meter/HIRES 0.5 nights*     2018

*Shane Telescope 3-meter*

- Kast Double Spectrograph: 22 nights     2018–2021
- ShaneAO/ShARCS: 1 night     2019

*NASA InfraRed Telescope Facility (IRTF)/SpeX 2 nights*     2021–2022

**UNDERGRAD MENTORSHIP**     Brigitte Vazquez, UC San Diego     2021–2022  
    Delilah Jacobsen, UC San Diego     2021–2022  
    Tianxing “Sky” Zhou, UC San Diego     2021–2022

**TEACHING**     *Guest lectures for ASTRON 441*     October 25 and 27 2022  
    Northwestern University, Evanston, IL  
    • workshops on Overleaf and reading academic papers for first- and second-year astronomy Ph.D. students

*Teaching assistant for PHYS 2D*     Spring 2021  
    UC San Diego, La Jolla, CA  
    • lower-division modern physics lecture for engineering/physical science majors

*Teaching assistant for PHYS 5*     Fall 2020  
    UC San Diego, La Jolla, CA  
    • lower-division introductory stellar astrophysics lecture for non-physics major

*Teaching assistant for PHYS 2DL*     Spring & Fall 2017, 2019, Spring 2020, Fall 2021  
    UC San Diego, La Jolla, CA  
    • lower-division modern physics lab for engineering/physical science majors

*Teaching assistant for PHYS 1A*     Spring 2018  
    UC San Diego, La Jolla, CA  
    • lower-division mechanics lab for life-science majors

*Teaching assistant for PHYS 160*     Winter 2018, Fall 2018  
    UC San Diego, La Jolla, CA  
    • upper-division introductory stellar astrophysics lecture for physics major

*Teaching assistant for PHYS 2BL*     Fall 2016, Winter 2017  
    UC San Diego, La Jolla, CA  
    • lower-division electricity & magnetism lab for engineering/physics major

*California Professoriate for Access to Physics Careers (CPAPC)*



August 2017

- UC San Diego, La Jolla, CA

PUBLIC  
OUTREACH

**Astronomy on Tap Chicago (invited)**

February 9<sup>th</sup>, 2023

Begyle Brewing, Chicago, IL

- Famous astronomy outreach program to general public
- “Discovery of the Closest-Separated, Fastest-Orbiting Ultracool Dwarf Couple”

## Python Workshop for Physics Undergraduate Students

UC San Diego, La Jolla, CA

2019–2021

November

- Python-programming bridge program for transferred students to UC San Diego

## 2019 Institute for Scientist &amp; Engineer Educators (ISEE)

## Professional Development Program (PDP)

March–September 2019

UC Santa Cruz/UC Los Angeles, CA

- Professional development team focused on effective and inclusive teaching, including mentoring, and also includes training in professional skills such as communication, teamwork, collaboration, and leadership.

## Institute of the Americas (IOA) Science Innovation Camp

July 20 2017

UC San Diego, La Jolla, CA

- Physics outreach for Latin American high school students (14–18 year old)

## The Barrio Logan Science & Art Expo

March 16 2019

Mercado del Barrio, San Diego, CA

- Physics outreach for Mexican families from around southern San Diego

## PROFESSIONAL American Astronomical Society (AAS) AFFILIATIONS

2018–Present

## SKILLS

Python, L<sup>A</sup>T<sub>E</sub>X, Github, HTML; Languages: Mandarin (native), English (fluent)

## REFERENCES

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