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Education

- 2024 📖 **PhD degree, Peking University** in Space Physics
- 2022 – 2024 📖 **Visiting PhD student, IRAP, Toulouse, France** in Space Physics
Research field: *Origin and evolution of Alfvénic switchbacks.*
- 2019 – 2024 📖 **PhD student, Peking University** in Space Physics
Research field: *Dynamics of the solar atmosphere, Evolution of solar wind, Magnetic connectivity, Waves and turbulence in space plasma.*
- 2019 📖 **Bachelor's degree, Peking University** in Space Physics
- 2015 – 2019 📖 **Undergraduate, Peking University** in Space Physics

Skills

- Coding 📖 Python, MATLAB, FORTRAN, IDL
- Languages 📖 Mandarin Chinese, English
- Knowledge 📖 Solar physics, Plasma physics, Heliosphere physics, MHD simulation
- Hobbies 📖 Baseball, Softball, Cricket

Awards and Scholarships

Awards

- 2022 📖 **Best Student Paper Awards**, Chinese Geoscience Union (CGU).
- 📖 **Best Student Poster Awards**, Asia Oceania Geosciences Society (AOGS).
- 2021 📖 **Graduate Award for Scientific Research**, Peking University.

Scholarships

- 2023 📖 **Peking University President's Scholarship**, Peking University.

Research Publications

Journal Articles (†, co-first author)

- 1 **C. Hou**, J. He, D. Duan, and et al, "Evidence that interplanetary switchbacks come from solar jets rooted at chromospheric network boundaries", *Nature Astronomy* **accepted** (2024).

- 2 **C. Hou**, A. P. Rouillard, J. He, B. Gannouni, V. Réville, P. Louarn, A. Fedorov, L. Přech, C. J. Owen, D. Verscharen, R. D'Amicis, L. Sorriso-Valvo, N. Fargette, J. Coburn, V. Génot, J. M. Raines, R. Bruno, S. Livì, B. Lavraud, N. André, G. Fruit, R. Kieokaew, I. Plotnikov, E. Penou, A. Barthe, D. Kataria, M. Berthomier, F. Allegrini, V. Fortunato, G. Mele, and T. Horbury, "Connecting solar wind velocity spikes measured by solar orbiter and coronal brightenings observed by sdo", *The Astrophysical Journal Letters* **968**, L28 (2024).
- 3 **C. Hou**, X. Zhu, R. Zhuo, J. He, D. Verscharen, and D. Duan, "Nature, generation, and dissipation of alfvénic kinks/switchbacks observed by parker solar probe and wind", *The Astrophysical Journal* **950**, 157 (2023).
- 4 **C. Hou**, J. He, D. Duan, X. Zhu, W. Li, D. Verscharen, T. Liu, and T. Wang, "Efficient energy conversion through vortex arrays in the turbulent magnetosheath", *The Astrophysical Journal* **946**, 13 (2023).
- 5 **C. Hou**, J. He, X. Zhu, and Y. Wang, "Contribution of magnetic reconnection events to energy dissipation in space plasma turbulence", *The Astrophysical Journal* **908**, 237 (2021).
- 6 **C. Hou**, J. He, L. Zhang, Y. Wang, and D. Duan, "Dynamics of the charged particles released from a sun-grazing comet in the solar corona", *Earth and Planetary Physics* **5**, 232–238 (2021).
- 7 L. Yang, **C. Hou**, X. Feng, J. He, M. Xiong, M. Zhang, Y. Zhou, F. Shen, X. Zhao, H. Li, et al., "Global morphology distortion of the 2021 october 9 coronal mass ejection from an ellipsoid to a concave shape", *The Astrophysical Journal* **942**, 65 (2023).
- 8 Y. Sun†, J. Zhao†, **C. Hou†**, and W. Jiao, "Highlight advances in planetary physics in the solar system: in situ detection over the past 20 years", *Space: Science & Technology* **3**, 0007 (2023).
- 9 J. He, X. Zhu, Q. Luo, **C. Hou**, D. Verscharen, D. Duan, W. Li, J. Zhao, T. Wang, D. B. Graham, et al., "Observations of rapidly growing whistler waves in front of space plasma shock due to resonance interaction between fluctuating electron velocity distributions and electromagnetic fields", *The Astrophysical Journal* **941**, 147 (2022).
- 10 J. He, X. Zhu, L. Yang, **C. Hou**, D. Duan, L. Zhang, and Y. Wang, "Solar origin of compressive alfvénic spikes/kinks as observed by parker solar probe", *The Astrophysical Journal Letters* **913**, L14 (2021).
- 11 J. He, B. Cui, L. Yang, **C. Hou**, L. Zhang, W.-H. Ip, Y.-D. Jia, C. Dong, D. Duan, Q. Zong, et al., "The encounter of the parker solar probe and a comet-like object near the sun: model predictions and measurements", *The Astrophysical Journal* **910**, 7 (2021).
- 12 Z. Wu, J. He, D. Duan, X. Zhu, **C. Hou**, D. Verscharen, G. Nicolaou, C. J. Owen, A. Fedorov, and P. Louarn, "Ion energization and thermalization in magnetic reconnection exhaust region in the solar wind", *The Astrophysical Journal* **951**, 98 (2023).
- 13 M. Ma, G. M. Calvés, G. Cimò, M. Xiong, P. Li, J. Kong, P. Zhang, J. He, L. Liu, P. Kumamuru, **C. Hou**, et al., "Detecting the oscillation and propagation of the nascent dynamic solar wind structure at 2.6 solar radii using very long baseline interferometry radio telescopes", *The Astrophysical Journal Letters* **940**, L32 (2022).

Conference Proceedings

- 1 **C. Hou**, A. Rouillard, J. He, B. Gannouni, and V. Réville, "Jet-flow fluctuations and plasma blobs as a mediator between interchange magnetic reconnection in solar corona and alfvénic velocity spikes in interplanetary space", in *Asia oceania geosciences society (aogs)* (2023).
- 2 **C. Hou**, A. Rouillard, J. He, B. Gannouni, and V. Réville, "Connecting solar wind velocity spikes measured by solar orbiter and coronal bright points imaged by sdo", in *Solarwind16 meeting* (2023).
- 3 **C. Hou**, A. Rouillard, J. He, B. Gannouni, and V. Réville, "Possible role of fluctuation excitation in the formation of alfvénic fluctuations originating from interchange magnetic reconnection", in *Egu* (2023).

- 4 **C. Hou**, J. He, D. Duan, H. Li, and Y. Chen, “From magnetic reconnection at chromospheric network boundaries to switchbacks in the inner heliosphere”, in Asia oceania geosciences society (aogs) (2022).
- 5 **C. Hou**, J. He, D. Duan, H. Li, and Y. Chen, “From magnetic reconnection at chromospheric network boundaries to switchbacks in the inner heliosphere”, in Egu general assembly conference abstracts (2022), EGU22–9673.
- 6 **C. Hou**, J. He, D. Duan, and Y. Chen, “Synergic observations of magnetic reconnection in the solar corona and switchback in the inner heliosphere from sdo and parker solar probe”, in Agu fall meeting abstracts, Vol. 2021 (2021), SH35C–2099.
- 7 **C. Hou**, X. Zhu, R. Zhuo, and J. He, “Statistical differences of magnetic field kinks observed by psp and wind”, in Egu general assembly conference abstracts (2021), EGU21–14696.