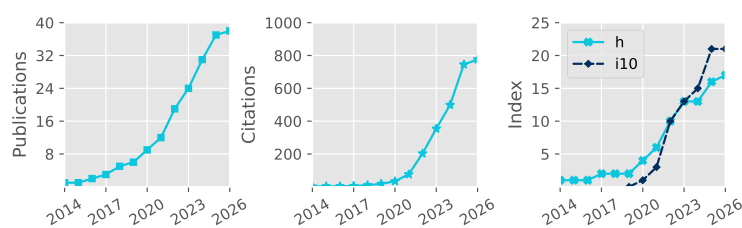


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Career history

Jan 2025–now	Lecturer in Astrophysics School of Physics, University of Bristol
Sep 2021–Dec 2024	Postdoctoral Researcher Project: Exascale Exoplanet Modelling Department of Physics & Astronomy, University of Exeter
Sep 2018–Aug 2021	Postdoctoral Researcher Project: Climate Modelling of Rocky Exoplanets Department of Mathematics & Statistics, University of Exeter

Academic Qualifications

Oct 2014–Aug 2018	PhD in Meteorology Thesis title (shortened): 'Characteristics of Polar Lows in the Nordic Seas' ↗ School of Environmental Sciences, University of East Anglia Supervisors: Ian A. Renfrew, Thomas Spengler, Stephen Dorling
Sep 2009–May 2014	Specialist Diploma (1st class) Thesis title: 'Idealised Numerical Modelling of Polar Mesocyclone Dynamics' ↗ Department of Meteorology and Climatology, Moscow State University Supervisor: Victor Stepanenko

Funding and Awards

Direct Funding, PI		Est. Total Value
2024	Above & Beyond Silver Award University of Exeter	£1000
2023	Meeting Organisation Funding (Exoclimates VI and ExoSLAM) RAS	£5000
2022	Undergraduate Student Bursary (awarded; student declined) RAS	£1200
2017	Best Presentation Award CEEDA Symposium	~£100
2016	Travel Bursary Polar Prediction School	~£1000
2015	Travel Award High-Latitude Dynamics workshop	~£1000
2014	Lord Zuckerman PhD scholarship School of Environmental Sciences, UEA	~£112 000
2014	Young Scientist Travel Award EGU General Assembly	~£200
2014	Russian Academy of Sciences Young Scientist Medal	~£1000
Direct Funding, co-I		
2025	Meeting Organisation Funding (UKExoM 2026) RAS	£2500
2025	Isambard 3 Allocation (30,000 node-hours; PI: N.J. Mayne) UKRI (Isambard 3)	■
2024	UKSA Studentships: Mars Exploration Science	~£100 000
2024	Research Software Engineer Support DiRAC HPC	~£45 000
Observational Facilities Resources, co-I		
2023	JWST Cycle 2, 49.21 hours (GO 3838, PI: J. Kirk)	■

Research Interests

Atmospheric aerosols:

- How do clouds, hazes and dust shape planetary climates?

Atmospheric convection on exoplanets:

- How does convection shape global energy redistribution?

Publications (see below):

#17, 20, 22, 24, 27, 29, 34

#8, 17, 30, 35

Extraterrestrial lightning:

#19, 35

- How is lightning generated on exoplanets and can we detect it?

Atmospheric dynamics on Earth and other planets:

#2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 10, 11, 13, 14, 16

- How do wind jets and cyclones form in planetary atmospheres?

Planet formation and atmospheric evolution:

#25, 28, 31, 32, 33, 36, 37, 38

- How does atmospheric composition relate to the planet's history?

Model development and intercomparison:

#12, 15, 16, 17, 18, 23, 30, 36

- How do we build robust and reproducible exoplanet models?

Publications

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38	Claringbold, A. B., Fisher, C. E., Kirk, J., Ahrer, E., et al. (incl. Sergeev, D. E.), 2026, BOWIE-ALIGN: Sub-solar C/O ratio and metallicity atmosphere of the misaligned hot Jupiter HAT-P-30 b, MNRAS ↗	■
37	Ahrer, E., Fairman, C., Kirk, J., Wakeford, H. R., et al. (incl. Sergeev, D. E.), 2025, BOWIE-ALIGN: weak spectral features in KELT-7b's JWST NIRSpec/G395H transmission spectrum imply a high cloud deck or a low-metallicity atmosphere, MNRAS ↗	3
36	Lichtenberg, T., Schaefer, L., Krissansen-Totton, J., Miguel, Y., et al. (incl. Sergeev, D. E.), 2025, Coupled atmospHere Interior model Intercomparison (CHILI) Protocol Version 1.0: A CUISINES Intercomparison Project of Magma Ocean Models, arXiv:2511.16142 ↗	■
35	Mak, M. T., Sergeev, D. E. , Mayne, N. J., Zamyatina, M., et al., 2025, The impact of different haze types on the atmospheres and observations of hot Jupiters: 3D simulations of HD 189733b, HD 209458b, and WASP-39b, MNRAS ↗	■
34	Sergeev, D. E. , McDermott, J. W., Woods, L., Braam, M., et al., 2025, Lightning activity on a tidally locked terrestrial exoplanet in storm-resolving simulations for a range of surface pressures, MNRAS ↗	■
33	Meech, A., Claringbold, A. B., Ahrer, E., Kirk, J., et al. (incl. Sergeev, D. E.), 2025, BOWIE-ALIGN: substellar metallicity and carbon depletion in the aligned TrES-4b with JWST NIRSpec transmission spectroscopy, MNRAS ↗	8
32	Kirk, J., Ahrer, E., Claringbold, A. B., Zamyatina, M., et al. (incl. Sergeev, D. E.), 2025, BOWIE-ALIGN: JWST reveals hints of planetesimal accretion and complex sulphur chemistry in the atmosphere of the misaligned hot Jupiter WASP-15b, MNRAS ↗	23
31	Penzlin, A. B. T., Booth, R. A., Kirk, J., Owen, J. E., et al. (incl. Sergeev, D. E.), 2024, BOWIE-ALIGN: how formation and migration histories of giant planets impact atmospheric compositions, MNRAS ↗	30
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29	Natchiar, S. R. M., Webb, M. J., Lambert, F. H., Vallis, G. K., et al. (incl. Sergeev, D. E.), 2024, Reduction in the Tropical High Cloud Fraction in Response to an Indirect Weakening of the Hadley Cell, JAMES ↗	1
28	Zamyatina, M., Christie, D. A., Hébrard, E., Mayne, N. J., et al. (incl. Sergeev, D. E.), 2024, Quenching-driven equatorial depletion and limb asymmetries in hot Jupiter atmospheres: WASP-96b example, MNRAS ↗	15
27	Mak, M. T., Sergeev, D. E. , Mayne, N., Banks, N., et al., 2024, 3D simulations of TRAPPIST-1e with varying CO ₂ , CH ₄ , and haze profiles, MNRAS ↗	8
26	Villanueva, G. L., Fauchez, T. J., Kofman, V., Alei, E., et al. (incl. Sergeev, D. E.), 2024, Modeling Atmospheric Lines by the Exoplanet Community (MALBEC) Version 1.0: A CUISINES Radiative Transfer Intercomparison Project, Planet. Sci. J. ↗	11
25	Kirk, J., Ahrer, E., Penzlin, A. B. T., Owen, J. E., et al. (incl. Sergeev, D. E.), 2024, BOWIE-ALIGN: A JWST comparative survey of aligned versus misaligned hot Jupiters to test the dependence of atmospheric composition on migration history, RAS Techniques and Instruments ↗	22
24	Mak, M. T., Mayne, N. J., Sergeev, D. E. , Manners, J., et al., 2023, 3D Simulations of the Archean Earth Including Photochemical Haze Profiles, J. Geophys. Res.: Atmospheres ↗	7
23	Sergeev, D. E. , Mayne, N. J., Bendall, T., Boutle, I. A., et al., 2023, Simulations of idealised 3D atmospheric flows on terrestrial planets using LFRic-Atmosphere, Geosci. Model Dev. ↗	14

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Conferences and Seminars

Invited Talks

- Oct 2025 CUISINES — a framework for exoplanet model intercomparison projects
Atmospheric and interior evolution of planetary magma oceans | Leiden, the Netherlands
- Jun 2025 Atmospheric dynamics on other planets [🔗](#)
Durham HPC Days | Durham, UK
- Feb 2025 Exoplanet climate modelling with LFRic
University of East Anglia | Norwich, UK
- May 2024 3D simulations of exoplanet atmospheres with the next-generation Met Office model
University of Leicester | Leicester, UK
- Apr 2024 Shall I compare thee to a distant world? Inter-planet and inter-model comparative studies
EGU General Assembly | Vienna, Austria
- Jul 2023 Simulations of idealised 3D atmospheric flows on terrestrial planets using LFRic-Atmosphere
NASA GISS Seminar | Online
- Mar 2023 First results of using LFRic for exoplanet climate modelling
NIWA Seminar | Wellington, New Zealand
- Feb 2023 Atmospheric dynamics and chemistry on exoplanets
UQ Astro Group Meeting | Brisbane, Australia
- Feb 2023 Atmospheric dynamics and chemistry on exoplanets [🔗](#)
UniSQ Exoplanet Group Seminar | Brisbane, Australia
- Feb 2023 Atmospheric dynamics and chemistry on exoplanets
UNSW AstroSeminar | Sydney, Australia
- Apr 2022 Dichotomy of the atmospheric circulation on TRAPPIST-1e [🔗](#)
NASA GISS Seminar | Online
- Jan 2022 Dichotomy of the atmospheric circulation on TRAPPIST-1e
NASA GSFC Extrasolar Planets Seminar | Online
- Nov 2021 TRAPPIST-1 Habitable Atmosphere Intercomparison (THAI)
MPIA APEX Exocoffee | Online
- May 2021 Overcast on TRAPPIST-1e [🔗](#)
RCC MSU Geophysical Seminar | Online
- Sep 2020 Simulations of convection over a range of atmospheric conditions on TRAPPIST-1e [🔗](#)
THAI Workshop | Online
- Apr 2020 Atmospheric convection plays a key role in the climate of tidally locked exoplanets [🔗](#)
University of Reading Meteorology Seminar | Online
- Apr 2020 Atmospheric convection plays a key role in the climate of tidally locked exoplanets [🔗](#)
NASA GISS Seminar | Online

Contributed Talks

- Sep 2023 Introducing GeoVista - Cartographic rendering and mesh analytics powered by PyVista (joint talk)
Met Office Seminar | Exeter, UK
- Jul 2022 Bistability of the atmospheric circulation on TRAPPIST-1e
Rocky Worlds II | Oxford, UK
- Apr 2022 Dichotomy of the atmospheric circulation on TRAPPIST-1e
Exoplanet Modelling in the James Webb Era II: Terrestrial planets and sub-Neptunes | Online
- Nov 2020 Explicit convection on tidally locked rocky exoplanets simulated with the UM nesting suite [🔗](#)
Unified Model users workshop | Online
- Aug 2019 Simulations of moist convection on tidally-locked rocky exoplanets [🔗](#)
Exoclimates V | Oxford, UK
- Jun 2019 North Atlantic polar mesoscale cyclones in ERA5 and ERA-Interim reanalyses [🔗](#)
IGP workshop | Norwich, UK
- Apr 2019 Atmospheric convection on tidally-locked Earth-like exoplanets
UK Exoplanet Community Meeting | London, UK
- Jun 2018 Modification of Polar Low Development by Sea Ice and Svalbard Orography [🔗](#)
POLAR2018 | Davos, Switzerland
- Oct 2017 The influence of Svalbard orography and sea ice on polar low development [🔗](#)
18th Cyclone Workshop | Sainte-Adèle, Canada

- Apr 2017 Polar lows and how background environment can influence their development [↗](#)
Cambridge Earth Systems Science EnvEast Doctoral Alliance Symposium | Cambridge, UK
- May 2016 Structure of the shear-line polar low south of Svalbard
NORPAN meeting | Tokyo, Japan
- Apr 2016 Structure of the shear-line polar low south of Svalbard [↗](#)
13th European Polar Lows Working Group Workshop | Paris, France

Poster Presentations

- Nov 2025 Lightning climatology on rocky exoplanets in a global storm-resolving model
CTR Wilson Meeting on Atmospheric Electricity | Bath, UK
- Jun 2024 The impact of convection on the climate of a tidally locked planet in stretched-mesh simulations
Exoplanets 5 | Leiden, Netherlands
- Apr 2024 The impact of convection on the climate of TRAPPIST-1e in global stretched-mesh simulations
EGU General Assembly | Vienna, Austria
- Apr 2024 The impact of convection on the climate of a tidally locked planet in stretched-mesh simulations
UK Exoplanet Community Meeting | Birmingham, UK
- Nov 2022 Dry Modern-Day Mars Climate in the Met Office Unified Model
UK Solar System Planetary Atmospheres | London, UK
- Sep 2022 Bistability of the Atmospheric Circulation on TRAPPIST-1e
UK Exoplanet Community Meeting | Edinburgh, UK
- Jul 2015 Structure and dynamics of a shear-line polar low during a cold-air outbreak over the Norwegian Sea
Royal Meteorological Society Student Conference | Birmingham, UK
- Mar 2015 Structure and dynamics of a shear-line polar low during a cold-air outbreak over the Norwegian Sea
Dynamics of Atmosphere-Ice-Ocean Interactions in the High Latitudes workshop | Rosendal, Norway
- May 2014 Numerical modelling of polar mesocyclones dynamics diagnosed by the energy budget
EGU General Assembly | Vienna, Austria
- Apr 2013 Impact of subgrid-scale vegetation heterogeneity on the carbon cycle
EGU General Assembly | Vienna, Austria
- Apr 2013 Numerical modelling of polar mesocyclones generation mechanisms
EGU General Assembly | Vienna, Austria

Supervision

(Projects with me as the lead supervisor are in **bold**. Students who continued their academic career are underlined.)

PhD Supervision

- Sep 2025–Sep 2029 **Alex Corbett** (U. Bristol)
Project: Convection on Sub-Neptunes
Co-supervisors: B. Shipway, Z. Leinhardt
- Sep 2025–Sep 2029 Will Luscombe
Project: Forecasting Martian dust storms
Co-supervisors: N. J. Mayne, M. Bate, B. Drummond
- Sep 2021–Apr 2025 Mei Ting (Martha) Mak (U. Exeter)
Project: Hazes in Planetary Atmospheres
Co-supervisors: N. J. Mayne, J. Manners, E. Hébrard

MSc Supervision

- Sep 2025–May 2026 **Freya Evans & Daisy Green**
Project: **Atmospheric Dynamics on Ice Giants**
- Sep 2025–May 2026 **Catherine Kerr & Lily Odhuba**
Project: Lightning Storms on Earth-like Exoplanets
- Jan 2023–May 2024 Tom Batchelor, Luke Benzing, & Alex McGinty
Project: Mars Atmosphere Modelling
Co-supervisors: M. Bate, N. J. Mayne, D. McCulloch

Sep 2020–Sep 2022	<u>Danny McCulloch (MSci by Research)</u> Project: Climate Modelling of Modern-Day Mars Co-supervisors: M. Bate, N. J. Mayne
Apr 2021–Sep 2022	<u>Meghan Plumridge (MSci by Research)</u> Project: Climate Modelling of Early Mars Co-supervisors: M. Bate, N. J. Mayne
Jan 2021–May 2022	<u>Jasper Chadwick & Esse Sellwood</u> Project: Ocean Heat Transport on Rocky Exoplanets Co-supervisors: F. H. Lambert, J. Eager-Nash
Jan 2021–May 2022	<u>Isabelle Browne & Oakley Young</u> Project: Greenhouse Effect on Early Mars Co-supervisors: F. H. Lambert, N. J. Mayne, J. Eager-Nash
Jan 2020–May 2021	<u>Toby Ferrison</u> Project: Titan Climate Modelling Co-supervisor: F. H. Lambert
Oct 2018–May 2019	<u>Jake Eager-Nash & David Reichelt</u> Project: Implications of Stellar Type on the Climate of Tidally Locked Terrestrial Exoplanets Co-supervisors: F. H. Lambert, N. J. Mayne

Undergraduate and Summer Internship Supervision

Jul–Sep 2022	<u>Oakley Young</u> Project: Ekman Ocean Model Co-supervisors: J. Eager-Nash, F. H. Lambert
Jun–Sep 2022	<u>James McDermott & Lottie Woods</u> Project: Simulations of Lightning Storms on Tidally Locked Rocky Exoplanets
Jun–Aug 2021	<u>Oakley Young</u> Project: Climate Modelling of Archean Earth Co-supervisors: J. Eager-Nash, N. J. Mayne
Jun–Aug 2021	<u>Joshua Parkin & Esse Sellwood</u> Project: The Impact of Host Star Spectrum on the Climate of Rocky Exoplanets Co-supervisors: J. Eager-Nash, N. J. Mayne
Jun–Aug 2019	<u>Isobel Parry</u> Project: Water Cycle on Proxima Centauri b Co-supervisor: F. H. Lambert

Teaching and Mentoring

2026–now	Environmental Physics Lecturer University of Bristol ~40 students
2025–now	Practical Physics III: Research Skills and Group Project Tutor University of Bristol 2 groups of ~7 students
2025–now	Research Project in Physics Supervisor & assessor University of Bristol ~10 students
Jul 2024	Algorithms For Exascale Summer School 🔗 Invited lecturer University of Exeter ~20 students
Feb 2024	Physics of Climate Change Workshop lead University of Exeter ~30 students
Jul 2023	Climatemark Academy Mentor Online 3 groups of ~5 students
Jul 2023	International Sustainability Summer School Lecturer University of Exeter ~10 students
Jun 2023	Exoclimates Summer School in Atmospheres and Modelling (ExoSLAM) 🔗 Lecturer University of Exeter ~50 students
2016–2018	Introduction to Python in Environmental Sciences 🔗 Course creator & lead University of East Anglia ~50 students

2015–2017 Modelling Environmental Processes; Meteorology; Numerical Skills
Teaching assistant | University of East Anglia

Research Leadership and Impact

2024–now Co-lead of Climates Using Interactive Suites of Intercomparisons Nested for Exoplanet Studies (CUISINES) [↗](#)

Jun 2023 Co-chair of Exoclimes Summer School in Atmospheres and Modelling (ExoSLAM) [↗](#)

2023 Interview by the University of Exeter about my research [↗](#)

2023 Interview by UKRI/STFC about my outreach [↗](#)

2023 Expert Scientist at the British Science Festival Climate Exhibition [↗](#)

2022 Press releases: University of Exeter [↗](#), American University [↗](#), & INSU CNRS [↗](#)

2020–now 3D visualisations of exoplanet simulations:
'Cloudy Skies of Distant Exoplanets' [↗](#) | University of Exeter Images of Research 2023
'A refined look at tidally locked exoplanets' [↗](#) | DiRAC HPC Research Image Competition 2023
'Exoplanetary Atmospheres' [↗](#) | Exeter Science Centre, Science as Art Gallery 2020
'Dusty exoplanet atmospheres' [↗](#) | Nature Press Release
'Virtual Reality Exploration of Exoplanets' [↗](#) | 360 VR video (contributor)

2019 Science consulting on the 'Exoplanet Explorers' videogame

2015 Blogging:
Disastrous Disaster Movies [↗](#)
Polar Lows: What Fuels Arctic Hurricanes? [↗](#)
Worldwide Weird Weather Words [↗](#)

Organisation of Scientific Meetings

Mar 2026 UK Exoplanet Community Meeting (SOC) [↗](#) | Bristol, UK

Oct 2025 Atmospheric and interior evolution of planetary magma oceans (SOC) [↗](#) | Leiden, the Netherlands

Sep 2025 BUFFET-5 (Co-chair) [↗](#) | Bordeaux, France

Jul 2025 Exoclimes VII (SOC) [↗](#) | Montreal, Canada

Jun 2025 Idealised modelling with LFRic (Chair) | Exeter, UK | ~50 attendees

Oct 2024 BUFFET-4: Building a Unified Framework For Exoplanet Treatments (Co-chair) [↗](#) | Online

Jun 2024 What's Cookin' Doc? A CUISINES meeting (Chair) | Leiden, the Netherlands | ~20 attendees

Jun 2023 ExoSLAM Summer School (Co-chair) [↗](#) | Exeter, UK | ~50 attendees

Jun 2023 Exoclimes VI (LOC) [↗](#) | Exeter, UK | ~200 attendees

Mar 2023 Challenge of Science Leadership Short Course | Exeter, UK

Reviewing and Academic Service

Journals	Nat. Astron., MNRAS, Planet. Sci. J., Geophys. Res. Lett., ApJ, Planet. Space Sci., Q. J. R. Meteorol. Soc.
Funding	STFC Consolidated Grant, STFC ERF
Observations	James Webb Space Telescope General Observer Programs (Exoplanets & Disks, Cycles 3 & 4)
Membership	Royal Astronomical Society, Europlanet Society

Technical Skills

Numerical models	LFRic, Unified Model, SOCRATES, LAGRANTO, Isca
Programming languages	Python, FORTRAN, MATLAB, NCL
Python libraries (user)	cartopy, cython, iris, matplotlib, numpy, pandas, pyvista, xarray
Python libraries (creator/contributor)	aeolus, cartopy, pyvista, geovista
Parallel computing	Dask, MPI, OpenMP
Version control	Git, Subversion
Document preparation	L ^A T _E X, Quarto, Jupyter Notebooks, Markdown, HTML, CSS, reST

Vocational Training

Sep 2023 Belbin Training [🔗](#)
Mar 2023 Challenge of Science Leadership [🔗](#)
Dec 2022 Interview Training
Jul 2020 Writing Workshop for Climate Scientists
Mar 2020 ESA JWST Master Class [🔗](#)
Jul 2019 ICTP Summer School on Convective Organization and Climate Sensitivity [🔗](#)
Apr 2018 Fortran Modernisation Workshop [🔗](#)
Jan 2018 Helicopter Underwater Escape Training Course (CA-EBS) [🔗](#)
Dec 2017 Sea Survival Course
Jun 2017 Weather Presenting
Feb 2017 Level 1 First Aid for Field Work Course
Jan 2017 Raspberry Pi Basics
Apr 2016 WWRP/WCRP/Bolin Center Polar Prediction School
Dec 2014 UK Met Office Unified Model Training

Vocational Experience

Apr–Jun 2018 Data Technician
Processing of meteorological data collected in the IGP field campaign [🔗](#) | University of East Anglia
2015–2018 Founder and Leader
Python Users Group [🔗](#) | University of East Anglia
Feb–Mar 2018 Member of the Meteorology Team
The Iceland-Greenland Seas Project (IGP) field campaign | Akureyri, Iceland
Mar 2015 Rapporteur
Dynamics of Atmosphere-Ice-Ocean Interactions in the High-Latitudes [🔗](#) | Rosendal, Norway
Oct 2013 Research Intern
Geophysical Institute | University of Bergen, Norway
Aug–Sep 2013 Trainee Forecaster
Forecast and Briefing Service | Main Aviation Meteorological Centre, Vnukovo Airport
Jul 2012 Research Intern
A.M. Obukhov Institute of Atmospheric Physics | Moscow, Russia

Unsuccessful Funding Applications

2025 STFC Small Award
2025 Leverhulme Research Leadership Award
2025 ERC Starting Grant
2025 2nd GPU Embedded CSE (eCSE) support call
2024 1st GPU Embedded CSE (eCSE) support call
2023 STFC Ernest Rutherford Fellowship
2021 Leverhulme Trust Early Career Fellowship