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RESEARCH INTEREST

General relativity and Cosmology; particularly, using the modified theories of gravity for solving current problems.

EDUCATION

| 2018 - 2023 | Integrated Masters of Science in Physics Department of Physics, Sardar Vallabhbhai National Institute of Technology Surat, India (svnit.ac.in) | 9.64/10 VIII sem |
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| 2016 - 2018 | Senior Secondary Education Kendriya Vidyalaya No.1 Sagar Madhya Pradesh, India | 93.0% |
| 2014 - 2016 | Higher Secondary Education Kendriya Vidyalaya No.1 Sagar Madhya Pradesh, India | 10/10 |

FELLOWSHIPS / RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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Visiting Student

- Digital Signal Processing Lab, Raman Research Institute, Banglore, India
- Advisor: Prof. Avinash Deshpande
- Detecting H1 line with horn antenna using an SDR.

March - May 2019

SWAN Imaging Challenge: Online

 \bullet Participated in the imaging challenge which involved making a 100 sq deg radio image of CAS-A from the data collected during late 2017 by the Sky Watch Array Network, RRI, India.

January 2020

Hands-On Programme

- Sky Watch Array Network, Raman Research Institute, India
- Hands-on experience with Murchison Widefield Array(MWA) at Gauribidanur Field Station(GBD), RRI, India.

February 2020

Poster: "Indian Sky Watch Array Network: A Strategic Initiative"

• Mind Bend 2020, SVNIT, Surat, India.

January 2021

The 2020 University Physics Competition: Online

- Earned bronze medal
- For computing trajectory and fuel required for Ion Thruster powered Space-craft from Earth to Saturn; utilized open-sourced repo PoliAstro for orbital calculations and a python script for fuel calculations. [report; certificate]

7-18th June 2021

Summer Student: Escape Summer School, LAPP [escape]

• The aim of the school was to provide theoretical and hands-on training on Data Science and Python development for Astronomers. [github.com/escape2020/school2021]

12-23 July 2021

International Summer School on The interstellar Medium on Galaxies from the Epoch of Reionization to the Milky Way [ISM; certificate]

observational constraints, the interpretative tools and the theoretical frameworks used for studying the interstellar medium in galaxies from the epoch of reionization to contemporary Universe

5-30th July 2021

Summer Student: Hamburg International Summer School Particles, Strings & Cosmology

Department of Physics, Universität Hamburg and DESY [HISS] Lessons on general relativity, QFT, modern topics in cosmology,

particles, string theory with some basic German culture and language courses.

PUBLICATIONS

Preprints

- [1] D. Shukla, A. M. A, and K. Pathak, "Orbital motion of a test particle around a Schwarzschild's Black Hole in STVG gravity." arXiv, 2022. doi: 10.48550/ARXIV.2211.02008 [https://arxiv.org/abs/2211.02008].
 - Under review at Physical Review D, APS

SELF-DEVELOPED CODE(S)

- Maintainer for SAS-RFI
 - Developed a Python Program for RFI(Radio Frequency Interferance) Scan at Sardar Vallabhbhai National Institute of Technology, Surat, India.
 - The program acquires data using an SDR(Software Defined Radio) and processes it to generate the dynamic spectrum.
 - github.com/devanshshukla99/SAS
- Contributor to SunPy
 - SunPy is an open-source Python library for Solar Physics data analysis and visualization. [github.com/sunpy]

COMPUTATIONAL SKILLS

Languages: Python, C/C++, Fortran 95, Vue.js

Platforms: Linux, Windows

Software & Tools: LATEX, WxMaxima, Mathematica, GNU Octave, WIPL-D Pro, Altair-FEKO

Python Packages: AstroPy, PoliAstro, Pandas, NumPy, SciPy, Matplotlib, SymPy, ...

RELEVENT COURSES

• Cosmology [HISS 2021] • General Relativity [HISS 2021] • Tensor Calculus

• Special Relativity • Quantum Mechanics • Advanced Quantum Mechanics

• Electrodynamics • Electromagnetics • Classical Mechanics

PERSONAL PROFILE

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Languages: English[C1], Deutsch[A1.1], Hindi

REFERENCE(S)

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