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Curriculum vitae

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EDUCATION

B.A. Physics, B.A. Astrophysics, University of California, Berkeley

2016—2020 (projected)

Major GPA: 3.868 · Overall GPA: 3.845 · Honors to Date

Research Interests numerical hydrodynamics, exoplanets/protoplanetary disks,

galaxy evolution

Relevant Coursework Undergraduate: Statistical and Thermal Physics, Quantum Mechanics I-II,

Classical Mechanics, Mathematical Methods in Physics, Stellar Physics

Graduate: General Relativity, Radiative Processes in Astrophysics,

Classical Electrodynamics, Geophysical and Astrophysical Fluid Dynamics

Stellar Dynamics and Galactic Structure Italics denote in-progress coursework.

PUBLICATIONS

1. Fung, Jeffrey; **Muley, Dhruv**. "A staggered semi-analytic method for simulating dust grains subject to gas drag," *The Astrophysical Journal Supplement Series*; (2019, submitted)

2. **Muley, Dhruv**; Fung, Jeffrey; van der Marel, Nienke. "PDS 70: A transition disk sculpted by a single planet," *The Astrophysical Journal Letters*, 879, 1; (2019, ArXiv:1902.07191)

RESEARCH

SURF Fellow, California Institute of Technology

2019—

Advisor: Dr. Coral Wheeler, Prof. Philip F. Hopkins

Implementing an improved sub-grid stellar evolution model into the GIZMO hydrodynamics code.

Undergraduate Researcher, University of California, Berkeley

2018 - 19

Advisor: Dr. Jeffrey Fung

Devised a model to explain the observed morphology of the transition disk PDS 70, and tested it with the GPU-hydrodynamics code PEnGUIn. Subsequently, investigating other topics in disk dynamics and numerical methods.

Affiliate, Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory

2017 - 18

Advisor: Dr. Carlton Pennypacker

Undergraduate Researcher, Columbia University (remote)

2016

Advisor: Prof. David Kipping

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Advisor: Darlene Yan

Advanced Python, Unix Intermediate C/C++, CUDA, Java, Mathematica, LATEX Basic HTML, JavaScript, Photoshop, MPI TEACHING Reader, Astronomy C162, University of California, Berkeley 2019 Instructor: Prof. Eugene Chiang Graded roughly 40 homework assignments biweekly for Astronomy C162, an upperdivision planetary astrophysics course, in Fall 2019. Reader, Physics 137B, University of California, Berkeley 2019 Instructor: Prof. Michael Crommie Graded roughly 60 homework assignments biweekly for Physics 137B, the second semester of upper division quantum mechanics at Berkeley, during Spring 2019. Undergraduate Student Instructor, Astronomy C10, University of California, Berkeley 2018 Instructor: Prof. Alex Filippenko Ran weekly discussion sections, devised worksheets and study materials, and graded exams for approximately 60 students in Astronomy C10, UC Berkeley's survey course on astronomy for non-majors, during the Fall 2018 semester. Reader, Astronomy C10, University of California, Berkeley 2017 Instructor: Prof. Alex Filippenko Graded roughly 100 homework assignments per week for Astronomy C10. Talks and Conferences "PDS 70: A transition disk sculpted by a single planet," UC Berkeley Astronomy Lunch Talk 2019 OUTREACH Member, Undergraduate Astrophysics Service Committee, University of California, Berkeley 2019-Advisor: Amber Banayat, Prof. Mariska Kriek Devised plans to improve recruitment and retention of astrophysics majors. Mentor, Be a Scientist program, Martin Luther King Jr. Middle School, Berkeley 2018

Worked with students in Berkeley aged 11-14 to develop scientifically testable hy-

potheses, devise and conduct experiments, and analyze results.

LANGUAGES

English Fluent; professional working proficiency

Spanish Professional working proficiency

Marathi Basic

REFERENCES

Available upon request.