

Jonah Gannon Astrophysics Postgraduate

Education & Employment

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Swinburne University of Technology John St, Hawthorn, VIC, 3122 Australia

PhD Thesis	Swinburne University of Technology	2019-
Master of Physics	The University of Western Australia	2017-2018
Bachelor of Science	The University of Western Australia	2013-2016

Research Interests

Website

gannonjs.github.io/

Galaxy formation and evolution; galactic dynamics; dwarf galaxies; ultra-diffuse galaxies; dark matter; globular clusters; stellar populations; stellar halos; low surface brightness imaging and spectroscopy; astronomical surveys; image reduction techniques; instrumentation.

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Honours & Awards

Masters Thesis Awarded with Distinction	2019
New Colombo Plan Scholar	2015
The University of Western Australia Principal's Citizenship Award	2013

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Observational Experience

KCWI/Keck II (inc. lead observer, writing of proposals, target selection,	
target preparation and management, data reduction and data analysis)	15 Nights
MUSE/VLT (inc. target preparation and management, observation	
preparation (remote) and writing of proposals)	27 hrs
DECam/Victor M. Blanco 4m (inc. lead observer, target selection,	
target preparation and management)	
ATCA (inc. observer)	71 hrs
StarFox (inc. lead commissioning observer, target selection, target preparation	
and management, telescope control software development, telescope data	
reduction pipeline development, data reduction and data analysis)	>500 hrs

Selected Talks

Macquarie University Colloquium	2021
Astro3D Seminar Series	2021
Swinburne Directors Lunch Presentation	2020
W. M. Keck Observatory Visiting Scientist Presentation	2019
ICRARcon Sparkler Presentation	2017
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Teaching, Service & Leadership

Swinburne University Diversity and Equity Committee student representative	2019 -
Astrotour Outreach Guide	2019 -
AST 10001 Laboratory Demonstrator	2019
PHYS 1002 Laboratory Demonstrator	2017
PHYS 1001 Laboratory Demonstrator	2017 - 2018
Journal Club Organiser	2016 - 2017
ICRAR Outreach Assistant	2016 - 2017
Vice President (Education) UWA Mathematics Union	2015
Co-writer "The MATH1002 Study Guide"	2015
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Third Year Student Representative	2015
MATH2501 Student Representative	2014

Publications (5 Total, 2 First Author)

First Author

- Gannon J. S., Dullo B. T., Forbes D. A., Rich R. M., Román J., Couch W. J., Brodie J. P., et al., 2021, MNRAS, 502, 3144. doi:10.1093/mnras/stab277
- Gannon J. S., Forbes D. A., Romanowsky A. J., Ferré-Mateu A., Couch W. J., Brodie J. P., 2020, MNRAS, 495, 2582. doi:10.1093/mnras/staa1282

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- 3. Forbes D. A., **Gannon J. S.**, Romanowsky A. J., Alabi A., Brodie J. P., Couch W. J., Ferré-Mateu A., 2021, MNRAS, 500, 1279. doi:10.1093/mnras/staa3289
- 4. Forbes D. A., Dullo B. T., **Gannon J.**, Couch W. J., Iodice E., Spavone M., Cantiello M., et al., 2020, MNRAS, 494, 5293. doi:10.1093/mnras/staa1111
- 5. Forbes D. A., **Gannon J.**, Couch W. J., Iodice E., Spavone M., Cantiello M., Napolitano N., et al., 2019, A&A, 626, A66. doi:10.1051/0004-6361/201935499