Grant Newton Remmen

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Positions	University of California, Santa Barbara, Fundamental Physics Fellow Kavli Institute for Theoretical Physics, Postdoctoral Scholar	2020-present
	University of California, Berkeley, Miller Research Fellow	2017-2020
	Harvard University Society of Fellows, Junior Fellow (declined)	2017
Education	California Institute of Technology Ph.D., Physics M.S., Physics Hertz Fellow and NSF Graduate Research Fellow	2012–2017 June 2017 June 2015
	University of Minnesota, College of Science & Engineering B.S., Physics, summa cum laude, High Distinction, 4.0 GPA B.S., Astrophysics, summa cum laude, High Distinction, 4.0 GPA B.S., Mathematics, summa cum laude, High Distinction, 4.0 GPA	2008–2012 May 2012 May 2012 May 2012
Honors & Awards	Appointed as Hertz Fellowship Interviewer Sakurai Dissertation Award in Theoretical Particle Physics American Physical Society award citation: "For his contributions to understanding the structure and self-consistency of gravity and effective	2018-present 2018
	field theories using ideas from quantum field theory and holography." Stemple Memorial Prize in Physics, Caltech Delegate to the 66 th Lindau Nobel Laureate Meeting Hertz Fellow NSF Graduate Research Fellow, National Science Foundation Goldwater Scholar Chambliss Astronomy Achievement Student Award, American Astronomical Society	2016 2016 2012–2017 2012–2017 2010–2012 2011
	Dean's Summer International Student Scholarship, University College United States Presidential Scholar, White House Commission on Presidential Scholars & U.S. Dept. of Edu National Merit Scholar Byrd Honors Scholar Hagstrum Award in Physics, Univ. of MN Outstanding Graduate in Mathematics, Univ. of MN Franklin Scholarship in Physics, Univ. of MN Lando Scholarship in Mathematics, Univ. of MN	2008
	Richards Scholarship in Mathematics, Univ. of MN Nier Scholarship in Physics, Univ. of MN Thorp Scholarship in Mathematics, Univ. of MN Undergraduate Research Scholarship, Univ. of MN Basford Award in Physics, Univ. of MN Institute of Technology Alumni Award, Univ. of MN Institute of Technology Honors Undergraduate Research Scholarship, Univ. Maroon & Gold Leadership Award, Univ. of MN 3M/Alumni Award, Univ. of MN Bentson Scholar, Univ. of MN Dean's List, Univ. of MN College of Science & Engineering/Institute of Technology Hill Student Achievement Recognition, Univ. of MN, for Meritorious Work in General Chemistry	2011–2012 2010–2011 2010–2011 2010 2009–2010 2009–2010 iv. of MN 2009 2008–2012 2008–2012 2008–2012

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Publications	51.	Clifford Cheung, Grant N. Remmen Veneziano Variations: How Unique are String Amplitudes?	under review, JHEP arXiv:2210.12163
	50.	Marat Freytsis, Soubhik Kumar, Grant N. Remmen , Nicholas L. Rode Multifield Positivity Bounds for Inflation	d under review, JHEP arXiv:2210.10791
	49.	Juan Maldacena, Grant N. Remmen Accumulation-Point Amplitudes in String Theory	JHEP 8 (2022) 152 arXiv:2207.06426
	48.	Grant N. Remmen, Nicholas L. Rodd Spinning Sum Rules for the Dimension-Six SMEFT	JHEP 9 (2022) 30 arXiv:2206.13524
	47.	Yu-tin Huang, Grant N. Remmen UV-Complete Gravity Amplitudes and the Triple Product Phys. Rev.	D 106 (2022) L021902 arXiv:2203.00696
	46.	Achilleas P. Porfyriadis, Grant N. Remmen Large Diffeomorphisms and Accidental Symmetry of the Extremal Horizon	JHEP 3 (2022) 107 arXiv:2112.13853
	45.	Grant N. Remmen Exploration of a Singular Fluid Spacetime Gen. R	el. Grav. 53 (2021) 101 arXiv:2111.08713
	44.	Nima Arkani-Hamed, Yu-tin Huang, Jin-Yu Liu, Grant N. Remmen Causality, Unitarity, and the Weak Gravity Conjecture	JHEP 3 (2022) 83 arXiv:2109.13937
	43.	Grant N. Remmen Phys. Rev. Lett. 127 (2021) 2416 Amplitudes and the Riemann Zeta Function	02, Editors' Suggestion arXiv:2108.07820
	42.	Achilleas P. Porfyriadis, Grant N. Remmen Horizon Acoustics of the GHS Black Hole and the Spectrum of AdS_2	JHEP 10 (2021) 142 arXiv:2106.10282
	41.	Ning Bao, Aidan Chatwin-Davies, Grant N. Remmen Entanglement Wedge Cross Section Inequalities from Replicated Geometr	JHEP 7 (2021) 113 ries arXiv:2106.02640
	40.	Ning Bao, Jonathan Harper, Grant N. Remmen Holevo Information of Black Hole Mesostates	v. D 105 (2022) 026010 arXiv:2103.06888
	39.	Grant N. Remmen , Nicholas L. Rodd Phys. Resigns, Spin, SMEFT: Sum Rules at Dimension Six	v. D 105 (2022) 036006 arXiv:2010.04723
	38.	Rafael Aoude et al. (including Grant N. Remmen) Snowmass On-Shell Methods for the SMEFT	2021 Letter of Interest
	37.	Ning Bao, Aidan Chatwin-Davies, Grant N. Remmen Warping Wormholes with Dust: a Metric Construction of the Python's Lunch	JHEP 9 (2020) 102 arXiv:2006.10762
	36.	Grant N. Remmen , Nicholas L. Rodd Phys. Rev. L. Flavor Constraints from Unitarity and Analyticity	ett. 125 (2020) 081601 arXiv:2004.02885
	35.	Clifford Cheung, Grant N. Remmen Entanglement and the Double Copy	JHEP 5 (2020) 100 arXiv:2002.10470
	34.	Ning Bao, Aidan Chatwin-Davies, Jason Pollack, Grant N. Remmen Cosmological Decoherence from Thermal Gravitons	JHEP 8 (2020) 65 arXiv:1911.10207
	33.	Grant N. Remmen, Nicholas L. Rodd Consistency of the Standard Model Effective Field Theory	JHEP 12 (2019) 32 arXiv:1908.09845
	32.	Ning Bao, Aidan Chatwin-Davies, Jason Pollack, Grant N. Remmen Towards a Bit Threads Derivation of Holographic Entanglement of Purification	JHEP 7 (2019) 152 arXiv:1905.04317
	31.	Clifford Cheung, Junyu Liu, Grant N. Remmen Phys. Re	v. D 100 (2019) 046003

arXiv:1903.09156

arXiv:1812.06987

Phys. Rev. D **99** (2019) 046002

Entropy Bounds on Effective Field Theory from

30. Raphael Bousso, Yasunori Nomura, ${\bf Grant~N.~Remmen}$

Rotating Dyonic Black Holes

Outer Entropy and Quasilocal Energy

Publications, 29. Ning Bao, Aidan Chatwin-Davies, Grant N. Remmen JHEP 2 (2019) 110 CONTINUED Entanglement of Purification and Multiboundary Wormhole Geometries arXiv:1811.01983 28. Grant N. Remmen Phys. Rev. D 98 (2018) 124008 New Spacetimes for Rotating Dust in arXiv:1810.12305 (2+1)-Dimensional General Relativity 27. Ning Bao, Aidan Chatwin-Davies, Jason Pollack, Grant N. Remmen JHEP 11 (2018) 71 Traversable Wormholes as Quantum Channels: arXiv:1808.05963 Exploring CFT Entanglement Structure and Channel Capacity in Holography 26. Yasunori Nomura, Grant N. Remmen JHEP 8 (2018) 63 Area Law Unification and the Holographic Event Horizon arXiv:1805.09339 25. Venkatesa Chandrasekaran, Grant N. Remmen, JHEP 11 (2018) 15 Arvin Shahbazi-Moghaddam arXiv:1804.03153Higher-Point Positivity 24. Clifford Cheung, Junyu Liu, Grant N. Remmen JHEP 10 (2018) 4 Proof of the Weak Gravity Conjecture from Black Hole Entropy arXiv:1801.0854623. Ning Bao, Sean M. Carroll, Aidan Chatwin-Davies, Phys. Rev. D **97** (2018) 126014 Jason Pollack, Grant N. Remmen arXiv:1712.04955 Branches of the Black Hole Wave Function Need Not Contain Firewalls 22. Chris Akers, Raphael Bousso, Illan F. Halpern, Phys. Rev. D 97 (2018) 024018 Grant N. Remmen arXiv:1711.06689 Boundary of the Future of a Surface 21. Clifford Cheung, Grant N. Remmen, Chia-Hsien Shen, Congkao Wen JHEP 4 (2018) 129 Pions as Gluons in Higher Dimensions arXiv:1709.04932 20. Clifford Cheung, Grant N. Remmen JHEP 9 (2017) 2 Hidden Simplicity of the Gravity Action arXiv:1705.00626 19. Sean M. Carroll, Grant N. Remmen Phys. Rev. D 95 (2017) 123504 A Nonlocal Approach to the Cosmological Constant Problem arXiv:1703.09715 EPL 121 (2018) 60007, Editor's Choice 18. Ning Bao, Grant N. Remmen Bulk Connectedness and Boundary Entanglement arXiv:1703.00018 17. Clifford Cheung, Grant N. Remmen JHEP 1 (2017) 104 Twofold Symmetries of the Pure Gravity Action arXiv:1612.03927 16. Clifford Cheung, Grant N. Remmen Phys. Rev. Lett. 118 (2017) 051601 Positivity of Curvature-Squared Corrections in Gravity arXiv:1608.02942 15. Grant N. Remmen, Ning Bao, Jason Pollack JHEP 7 (2016) 48 Entanglement Conservation, ER = EPR, arXiv:1604.08217 and a New Classical Area Theorem for Wormholes 14. Sean M. Carroll, Grant N. Remmen Phys. Rev. D **93** (2016) 124052 What is the Entropy in Entropic Gravity? arXiv:1601.07558 13. Clifford Cheung, Grant N. Remmen JHEP 4 (2016) 2 Positive Signs in Massive Gravity arXiv:1601.04068 12. Ning Bao, Jason Pollack, Grant N. Remmen JHEP 11 (2015) 126 arXiv:1509.05426 Wormhole and Entanglement (Non-)Detection in the ER = EPR Correspondence 11. Brando Bellazzini, Clifford Cheung, Grant N. Remmen Phys. Rev. D **93** (2016) 064076 Quantum Gravity Constraints from Unitarity and Analyticity arXiv:1509.00851

PUBLICATIONS, 10. Ning Bao, Jason Pollack, **Grant N. Remmen**CONTINUED
Splitting Spacetime and Cloning Qubits:
Linking No-Go Theorems across the ER = EPR Duality

Fortschr. Phys. **63** (2015) 705
arXiv:1506.08203

- 9. Ning Bao, ChunJun Cao, Sean M. Carroll, Aidan Chatwin-Phys. Rev. D 91 (2015) 125036
 Davies, Nicholas Hunter-Jones, Jason Pollack, Grant N. Remmen arXiv:1504.06632
 Consistency Conditions for an AdS Multiscale Entanglement
 Renormalization Ansatz Correspondence
- 8. Clifford Cheung, **Grant N. Remmen**Infrared Consistency and the Weak Gravity Conjecture

 JHEP **12** (2014) 87
 arXiv:1407.7865
- 7. **Grant N. Remmen**, Sean M. Carroll Phys. Rev. D **90** (2014) 063517 How Many e-Folds Should We Expect from High-Scale Inflation? arXiv:1405.5538
- 6. Clifford Cheung, **Grant N. Remmen** Phys. Rev. Lett. **113** (2014) 051601 Naturalness and the Weak Gravity Conjecture arXiv:1402.2287
- 5. **Grant N. Remmen**, Sean M. Carroll Phys. Rev. D **88** (2013) 083518
 Attractor Solutions in Scalar-Field Cosmology arXiv:1309.2611
- 4. **Grant N. Remmen**, Kris Davidson, Andrea Mehner Astrophys. J. **773** (2013) 27 Unexpected Ionization Structure in Eta Carinae's "Weigelt Knots" arXiv:1302.2659
- 3. **Grant N. Remmen**, Kinwah Wu Mon. Not. R. Astron. Soc. **430** (2013) 1940 Complex Orbital Dynamics of a Double Neutron Star System arXiv:1301.2836 Revolving around a Massive Black Hole
- 2. **Grant Remmen**, Elwood McCreary

 Measurement of the Speed and Energy Distribution of Cosmic Ray Muons
- 1. **Grant Remmen**A New Assessment of Dark Matter in the Milky Way Galaxy

Theses Ph.D., Physics | California Institute of Technology

Defended May 2017

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Defining Gravity: Effective Field Theory, Entanglement, and Cosmology

Thesis advisors: Clifford Cheung and Sean M. Carroll, California Institute of Technology

B.S., Mathematics, summa cum laude | University of Minnesota

Defended May 2012

Grant N. Remmen

Dynamics of a Rigid Spinning Ring in the Schwarzschild Metric:

A Solution to a Gravitational Problem in Mathematical Physics

Thesis advisor: Willard Miller, School of Mathematics, University of Minnesota

Research supervised by Kinwah Wu, Head of Theory,

Mullard Space Science Laboratory, University College London.

B.S., Astrophysics, *summa cum laude* | University of Minnesota Defended December 2011 Grant N. Remmen

Hubble Space Telescope Subpixel Modeling of Anomalous

High-Excitation Emission Lines in the Ejecta of Eta Carinae

Thesis advisor: Kris Davidson, MN Institute for Astrophysics, University of Minnesota

B.S., Physics, summa cum laude | University of Minnesota

Defended April 2010

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Distortion of Black Holes caused by Motion relative to the Cosmic Microwave Background Thesis advisor: Robert Gehrz, Director, MN Institute for Astrophysics, University of Minnesota

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TALKS	Number Theory and Physics Workshop Simons Center for Geometry and Physics, Stony Brook University (virtual)	October 2022
	Institute for Advanced Study Amplitudes Group Meeting	October 2022
	Simons Symposium on Amplitudes Meet Cosmology Scotland	May 2022
	UC Santa Barbara High Energy and Gravity Seminar	May 2022
	Possible and Impossible in Effective Field Theory: From the S-Matrix to the Swampland Workshop Institute for Advanced Study	May 2022
	Argonne National Laboratory High Energy Physics Theory Seminar (virtual)	April 2022
	Kavli IPMU, Univ. Tokyo Mathematics - String Theory Seminar (virtual)	April 2022
	California Amplitudes Meeting UC Davis	March 2022
	California Institute of Technology Amplitudes Group Meeting	February 2022
	UC Irvine Particle Physics Seminar	January 2022
	QCD Meets Gravity Workshop UCLA (virtual)	December 2021
	Kavli Institute for Theoretical Physics Locals' Event	November 2021
	UC Santa Barbara High Energy and Gravity Seminar (virtual)	November 2021
	International Centre for Theoretical Physics High Energy, Cosmology, and Astroparticle Physics Seminar (virtual)	November 2021
	Brandeis University Quantum/Gravity Seminar (virtual)	November 2021
	ETH Zürich QFT, Strings and Beyond Seminar (virtual)	October 2021
	Perimeter Institute Quantum Fields and Strings Seminar (virtual)	October 2021
	Hertz Foundation Innovation Hour (virtual)	June 2021
	California Amplitudes Meeting UCLA (virtual)	March 2021
	New York University Physics Department Colloquium (virtual)	March 2021
	New York University Physics Research Seminar (virtual)	February 2021
	University of Florida High Energy Physics Seminar (virtual)	January 2021
	University of Chicago Particle Theory Seminar (virtual)	January 2021
	Korea Institute for Advanced Study High Energy Physics Seminar (virtual)	December 2020
	UC Santa Barbara High Energy and Gravity Seminar (virtual)	November 2020
	Yale University Particle Theory Seminar (virtual)	October 2020
	Brookhaven National Laboratory High Energy Theory Seminar (virtual)	April 2020
	Kavli IPMU, Univ. Tokyo Astronomy-Cosmology-Particle Physics Seminar (virt	sual) April 2020
	UC Davis, QMAP Fields, Strings, Gravity Seminar (virtual)	April 2020
	The String Swampland and Quantum Gravity Constraints on Effective Theories Program Kavli Institute for Theoretical Phys	March 2020 ics
	Brandeis University High-Energy and Gravitational Theory Chalk Talk	January 2020
	Brandeis University Physics Department Colloquium	January 2020
	University of Michigan, LCTP High Energy Theory Seminar	November 2019
	From Scattering to Expansion Workshop Northwestern University	October 2019
	UC Santa Barbara Particle Physics Phenomenology Seminar	October 2019

Talks, Continued	UC Santa Barbara High Energy and Gravity Seminar	October 2019
	Navigating the Swampland Conference Instituto de Física Teórica, UAM-CSIC, Madrid, Spain	September 2019
	University of Washington AdS/CFT Group Meeting	May 2019
	University of Washington Particle Theory Seminar	May 2019
	University of Minnesota, FTPI High Energy Theory Seminar	April 2019
	Stanford University Stanford Institute for Theoretical Physics Colloquium	April 2019
	UC Berkeley 4D Seminar	April 2019
	California Institute of Technology High Energy Theory Seminar	February 2019
	UC Davis Joint Theory Seminar	January 2019
	Harvard University Black Hole Initiative Colloquium	November 2018
	Cornell University Particle Theory Seminar	October 2018
	Institute for Advanced Study High Energy Theory Seminar	October 2018
	Vistas over the Swampland Conference Instituto de Física Teórica, UAM-CSIC, Madrid, Spain	September 2018
	King's College London Special Seminar, Theoretical Particle Physics & Cosmology	June 2018
	Gravity, Cosmology & Physics Beyond the Standard Model Conference LPNHE, UPMC, Paris, France	June 2018
	Sakurai Thesis Prize Talk American Physical Society April Meeting, Columbus, Quantum Gravity Constraints for Effective Field Theories	OH April 2018
	University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign Mathematical and Theoretical Physics Seminar	April 2018
	McGill University High Energy Theory Group Seminar (virtual)	March 2018
	California Institute of Technology High Energy Theory Seminar	February 2018
	California Institute of Technology Quantum Spacetime Meeting	February 2018
	UC Berkeley String Seminar	February 2018
	Stanford University Stanford Institute for Theoretical Physics Seminar	January 2018
	SLAC National Accelerator Laboratory Elementary Particle Physics Theory Seminar	October 2017
	Institute for Advanced Study High Energy Theory Seminar	October 2017
	Massachusetts Institute of Technology String/Gravity Theory Seminar	May 2017
	California Institute of Technology Theoretical Physics Research Group Meeting	April 2017
	California Institute of Technology Theoretical Physics Journal Club	April 2017
	UC Berkeley String Seminar	February 2017
	QCD Meets Gravity Workshop UCLA	December 2016
	California Institute of Technology Theoretical Physics Research Group Meeting	November 2016
	California Institute of Technology Theoretical Physics Research Group Meeting	October 2016
	Johns Hopkins University High Energy Theory/Cosmology Seminar	October 2016
	California Institute of Technology Theoretical Physics Research Group Meeting	May 2016

Talks, Continued	New York University High Energy Seminar	April 2016
	Harvard University Particle Theory Seminar	April 2016
	California Institute of Technology Theoretical Physics Research Group Meeting	February 2016
	California Institute of Technology Theoretical Physics Research Group Meeting	November 2015
	California Institute of Technology Theoretical Physics Journal Club	October 2015
	California Institute of Technology Theoretical Physics Research Group Meeting	April 2015
	California Institute of Technology Theoretical Physics Research Group Meeting	February 2015
	California Institute of Technology Theoretical Physics Research Group Meeting	October 2014
	California Institute of Technology Theoretical Physics Journal Club two-part talk	October 2014
	$20^{\rm th}$ International Symposium on Particles, Strings and Cosmology (PASCOS 2014 Warsaw, Poland) June 2014
	California Institute of Technology Theoretical Physics Research Group Meeting	May 2014
	California Institute of Technology Theoretical Physics Journal Club	February 2014
	California Institute of Technology Theoretical Physics Research Group Meeting	February 2014
	California Institute of Technology Theoretical Physics Journal Club	September 2013
	Hertz Foundation $50^{\rm th}$ Anniversary Symposium Poster Presentation	August 2013
	American Physical Society April Meeting, Denver, CO	April 2013
	Mullard Space Science Laboratory, United Kingdom Theory Group Meeting	August 2011
	Dean's Summer International Student Day of Talks University College London, United Kingdom	August 2011
	$217^{\rm th}$ Meeting of the American Astronomical Society, Seattle, WA Poster Presentation	January 2011
Conference Organization	Conference Co-Chair Kavli Institute for Theoretical Physics (virtual) UV Meets the IR: Effective Field Theory Bounds from QFT to String Theory	October 2020
SEMINAR	Organizer KITP Locals' Event Series	2022-2023
ORGANIZATION	Organizer UC Santa Barbara High Energy and Gravity Seminar Series	2020-2021
	Organizer UC Berkeley HEP-QIS Seminar Series	2018-2019
	Organizer UC Berkeley String Seminar Series	2017-2019
Teaching Experience	UC Santa Barbara, Department of Physics Instructor and organizer of graduate short course	Fall 2020
	Impossible Physics: Constraining the Laws of Nature, from Scattering Amplitudes t	to Black Holes
	UC Berkeley, Department of Physics Guest lecturer in Prof. Petr Hořava's Quantum Field Theory course	April 2018
	University of Minnesota, Institute of Technology, Department of Astron Teaching assistant to Prof. Robert Gehrz, Department Chair	omy Fall 2009
Science Outreach	Outreach talk for KITP administrative staff	May 2021
	Guest lecturer for Caltech's Storytelling for Scientists course	April 2021
	Presented talks on dark matter to physics classes in rural Minnesota	2011

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Quantum Zeta Epiphany

Physics Magazine | American Physical Society December 2021

A Physical Match for the Riemann Zeta Function

Quanta Magazine May 2020

Black Hole Paradoxes Reveal a Fundamental Link Between Energy and Order

Scientific & American Physical Society HONORARY American Astronomical Society

Affiliations International Society on General Relativity and Gravitation

Golden Key International Honour Society

Sigma Pi Sigma, National Physics Honor Society

Journal Physical Review Letters Referee Physical Review D

Journal of High Energy Physics

Nuclear Physics B Scientific Reports - Nature

Communications in Mathematical Physics

Caltech production of From the Earth to the Moon

Co-author/-composer of a two-act musical, From the Earth to the Moon, based on the Verne novel LEADERSHIP,

Service, & Cultural ACTIVITIES

2022 Mainstage production, Assistant to the Director Public reading (virtual), Music Director 2021

California Institute of Technology Graduate Student Council Board of Directors 2013 - 2017Member, Academics Committee and Director at Large 2016 - 2017Member, Academics Committee and Physics Representative 2013 - 2016

California Institute of Technology Faculty Library Committee, Student Representative 2013-2017

Co-author/-composer of a two-act musical, Boldly Go!, a musical parody based upon Star Trek

Caltech production of Boldly Go!

Mainstage production, Music Director 2016 Public reading, Music Director 2015

University Study Abroad May Seminar: Great Minds of the Renaissance, Italy 2011 History of Renaissance scientists (Galileo, da Vinci, etc.) and societal context

University of Minnesota Gospel Choir 2008 - 2010

Detroit Lakes Community Summer Band Program 2008 - 2010

University of Minnesota Honors Student Association 2008 - 2012

University of Minnesota volunteer caller for Admissions Office 2008 - 2009

2008

U.S. Department of Education volunteer Assembled hygiene kits for Washington, D.C. homeless

Test Scores GRE Physics—Perfect Score: 990/990 2011

> GRE General—Quantitative: 800/800, Verbal: 720/800, Analytical Writing: 5.5/6.0 2011 SAT—Perfect Score: 2400/2400 2008

SAT II—Perfect Scores: Math Level II 800/800 and Biology-Molecular 800/800 2008