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Research Interests

Turbulence in the oceans and atmosphere, impacts of topography on the ocean circulation, heat and tracer transport by eddies.

Education

2015 – 19 **Ph.D., Mathematics**, Imperial College London, UK
Thesis title: *Dynamics of ocean jets over topography*
Advisor: Pavel Berloff

2013 – 15 **M.Sc., Atmospheric & Oceanic Sciences**, Indian Institute of Science (IISc), India
Thesis title: *Mesoscale turbulence on the ocean surface from satellite altimetry*
Advisor: Jai Sukhatme | CGPA: 7.2/8

2009 – 13 **B.E., Chemical Engineering**, Birla Institute of Technology & Science (BITS), India
CGPA: 8.3/10, *First Class Honours*

Professional Experience

Oct'19 – Present **Postdoctoral Research Associate**, Atmospheric & Oceanic Sciences (AOS), Princeton University, USA

Feb'19 – Aug'19 **Modelling Associate (Intern)**, Risk Management Solutions, London, UK

Jan'13 – Jun'13 **Research Assistant**, TIFR Centre for Interdisciplinary Sciences, India

Fellowships and Awards

Oct'19 – Present **AOS Postdoctoral fellowship**, Princeton University, USA.

Oct'16 – Jul'19 **Research grants**, Mathematics for Planet Earth, Imperial College London, UK.

Feb'16 – Jul'19 **President's PhD scholarship**, Imperial College London, UK.

Jan'14 – Jun'15 **Jeremy Grantham fellowship**, Divecha Centre for Climate Change, IISc, India.

Aug'13 – Oct'15 **GATE fellowship**, Ministry of Human Resource Development, India.

Aug'11 – Jun'13 **Merit-cum-Need scholarship**, BITS Pilani, India.

Teaching & Mentorship

Guest Lecturer — Atmospheric and Oceanic Wave Dynamics (Feb 2020)

Teaching Assistant — Mathematical Methods, Multivariable Calculus, Numerical Analysis (2016–18)
Geophysical Fluid Dynamics (Spring 2015)

Mentor — Jack Davies, Co-advised on his Masters thesis project (2019)

Publications

- Khatri, H. and Berloff, P. (2019). Tilted drifting jets over a sloped topography: effects of vanishing eddy viscosity, *Journal of Fluid Mechanics*.
- Khatri, H. and Berloff, P. (2018). Role of eddies in the maintenance of multiple jets embedded in eastward and westward baroclinic shears, *Fluids*.
- Khatri, H. and Berloff, P. (2018). A mechanism for jet drift over topography, *Journal of Fluid Mechanics*.
- Khatri, H., Sukhatme, J., Kumar, A. and Verma, M. K. (2018). Surface ocean enstrophy, kinetic energy fluxes, and spectra from satellite altimetry, *Journal of Geophysical Research: Oceans*.

Conferences

- **Apr 2019 –** Dynamics of ocean jets formed over a sloped topography, *Workshop "Conservation Principles, Data, and Uncertainty in Atmosphere-Ocean Modelling", Potsdam, Germany*. **Poster**
- **Sep 2018 –** Ocean surface turbulence: Is it QG or surface-QG like?, *CliMathNet Conference, Reading, UK*. **Talk**
- **Jun 2018 –** Dynamics of ocean jets formed over a sloped topography, *Gordon Ocean Mixing Conference, Andover, USA*. **Poster**
- **Jun 2018 –** Ocean surface spectral fluxes of kinetic energy, enstrophy and buoyancy, *Gordon Ocean Mixing Conference, Andover, USA*. **Poster**
- **Sep 2017 –** Drifting quasi-zonal jets, *Rotating Fluids Meeting, University of Oxford, UK*. **Talk**
- **Jul 2017 –** Random to organised motions in the oceans, *SIAM Annual conference, Imperial College London, UK*. **Talk**
- **Jun 2017 –** Effects of zonally varying topography on the dynamics of oceanic jets, *21^{st} conference on atmospheric and oceanic fluid dynamics, Portland, USA*. **Poster**
- **Apr 2017 –** Kinetic energy and enstrophy fluxes on the ocean surface, *Meeting: Energy transfers in the atmosphere and oceans, Hamburg, Germany*. **Talk**

Workshops & Seminars

Workshop — Rossbypalooza – University of Chicago (Jun 2018)
Turbulent flows and climate dynamics – School of Physics, Les Houches (Aug 2017)
Global climate change – University of Exeter (Jun 2014)

Seminar — New York University, USA (Mar 2020)
Geophysical Fluid Dynamics Laboratory, Princeton, USA (Mar 2019)
Queen Mary University, London, UK (Dec 2017)

Miscellaneous

Reviewer — Journal of Physical Oceanography, Ocean Modelling, Fluids, Journal of Physics: Conference Series (IOP).

Programming — MATLAB, Python, Fortran, R, C/C^{++}, QGIS.

Languages — English, Hindi.

References

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