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INFORMATION

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EDUCATION

McMaster University, Hamilton, ON
Ph.D., Astronomy, expected 2020
Supervised by Laura Parker

McMaster University, Hamilton, ON
M.Sc., Astronomy, 2016
Thesis: *Galaxy properties across diverse halo environments*
Supervised by Laura Parker

Mount Allison University, Sackville, NB
B.Sc. first class honours with distinction, Physics, 2014
Thesis: *Simulation of double-peaked meteor light curves*
Supervised by Robert Hawkes

TEACHING
EXPERIENCE

2015 - present: Head teaching assistant, <i>Introductory Physics</i>	McMaster University
2015 - 2016: Teaching assistant, <i>Waves, Electricity and Magnetic Fields</i>	McMaster University
2014 - 2015: Teaching assistant, <i>Big Questions</i>	McMaster University
2014: Teaching assistant, <i>Introductory Mechanics</i>	McMaster University
2012 - 2014: Teaching assistant, <i>Stars, Galaxies and the Universe</i>	Mount Allison University
2012 - 2013: Teaching assistant, <i>Solar System Astronomy</i>	Mount Allison University
2011: Teaching assistant, <i>General Physics I</i>	Mount Allison University

SUPERVISORY
EXPERIENCE

Research supervisor for Shaojin Huang a visiting senior undergraduate student. Shaojin worked on a project studying the properties of galaxies in between close galaxy cluster pairs.	McMaster University
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OUTREACH

Manager: William J McCallion Planetarium	2016 - present
Member: McMaster Sidewalk Astronomy	2015 - present
Presenter: William J McCallion Planetarium	2014 - present
Volunteer: McMaster Engineering and Science Olympics	2014, 2015, 2016
Presenter: McMaster Origins Institute 3D Theatre	2015 - 2016
Student assistant: Mount Allison Gemini Observatory	2012 - 2014

SCHOLARSHIPS
AND AWARDS

Ontario Graduate Scholarship - Doctoral	\$15000
NSERC Postgraduate Scholarship - Doctoral (3 yr)	\$105000
Ontario Graduate Scholarship - Masters	\$15000
NSERC Postgraduate Scholarship - Masters	\$17500
McMaster University Graduate Scholarship	\$2500
McMaster University Entrance Scholarship	\$3000
2nd place Undergraduate Research Award, Atlantic Undergraduate Physics & Astronomy conference	
2nd place Astrophysics Award, Canadian Undergraduate Physics conference	
Marjorie Young Bell Summer Research Grant	\$6250

	Mount Allison University Entrance Scholarship	\$8000
	NSGA Murray Purcell Bursary Award	\$2000
ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES	Referee for <i>Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society</i>	
REFEREED PUBLICATIONS	<p>8. Roberts I.D., Parker L.C., “<i>Observing</i>” <i>unrelaxed clusters in dark matter simulations</i>, 2019, MNRAS, submitted.</p> <p>7. Demers M.L., Parker L.C., Roberts I.D., <i>Smaller stellar disc scale lengths in rich environments</i>, 2019, MNRAS.</p> <p>6. Roberts I.D., Parker L.C., Brown T., Joshi G.D., Hlavacek-Larrondo J., Wadsley J., <i>Quenching low-mass satellite galaxies: evidence for a threshold ICM density</i>, 2019, ApJ, 873, 42.</p> <p>5. Evans, F.A., Parker L.C., Roberts I.D., <i>Red Misfits in the Sloan Digital Sky Survey: Properties of Star-Forming Red Galaxies</i>, 2018, MNRAS, 476, 5284.</p> <p>4. Roberts I.D., Parker L.C., Hlavacek-Larrondo J., <i>Connecting optical and X-ray tracers of galaxy cluster relaxation</i>, 2018, MNRAS, 475, 4704.</p> <p>3. Roberts I.D., Parker L.C., <i>Evidence of pre-processing and a dependence on dynamical state for low-mass satellite galaxies</i>, 2017, MNRAS, 467, 3268.</p> <p>2. Roberts I.D., Parker L.C., Karunakaran A., <i>Comparing galaxy morphology and star-formation properties in X-ray bright and faint groups and clusters</i>, 2016, MNRAS, 455, 3628.</p> <p>1. Roberts I.D., Parker L.C., Joshi G.D., Evans F.A., <i>Mass segregation trends in SDSS galaxy groups</i>, 2015, MNRAS, 448, L1.</p>	
IN PROCEEDINGS	1. Roberts I.D. , Hawkes R.L., Weryk R.J., Campbell-Brown M.D., Brown P.G., Stokan E., Subasinghe D., <i>Meteoroid structure and ablation implications from multiple maxima meteor light curves</i> , 2014, Proceedings of the Meteoroids Conference, ed: Jopek T.J., Rietmeijer F., Watanabe J., Williams I.P., 155.	
OBSERVING PROGRAMS	<p>PI, Roberts I.D., Parker L.C., Hlavacek-Larrondo J., Edwards L.O.V., Gemini semester 2018A, GN-2018A-Q-211, 13.5 hr, <i>Mapping central emission in cool-core groups</i>.</p> <p>PI, Roberts I.D., Parker L.C., Hlavacek-Larrondo J., Edwards L.O.V., Gemini semester 2019A, GN-2019A-Q-311, 18.0 hr, <i>Mapping central emission in cool-core groups</i>.</p>	
CONTRIBUTED TALKS	<p>7. Roberts I.D., Parker L.C., Brown T., Joshi G., Hlavacek-Larrondo J., Wadsley J., <i>Quenching low-mass satellite galaxies: evidence for a threshold ICM density</i>, 2019, Meeting of the Canadian Astronomical Society, Montreal, Canada.</p> <p>6. Roberts I.D., Parker L.C., Hlavacek-Larrondo J., Brown T., Joshi G., Wadsley J., <i>Insights into cluster relaxation and galaxy quenching from X-ray obs. (at low-z)</i>, 2018, GOGREEN collaboration meeting, Waterloo, Canada.</p> <p>5. Roberts I.D., Parker L.C., Hlavacek-Larrondo J., <i>Connecting optical and X-ray tracers of galaxy cluster relaxation</i>, 2018, Glenfiddling Galaxy Clusters workshop, Edinburgh, Scotland.</p>	

4. **Roberts I.D.**, Parker L.C., *A product of their Halo Environment: How galaxy properties depend on group X-ray luminosity and dynamical state*, 2016, Annual Meeting of the Canadian Astronomical Society, Winnipeg, Canada.
3. **Roberts I.D.**, Hawkes R.L., *Simulating double peaked meteor light curves*, 2014, Atlantic Undergraduate Physics and Astronomy Conference, Halifax, Canada.
2. **Roberts I.D.**, Hawkes R.L., *Simulating double peaked meteor light curves*, 2013, Canadian Undergraduate Physics Conference, Hamilton, Canada.
1. Hawkes R.L., **Roberts I.D.**, Weryk R.J., Campbell-Brown M.D., Brown P.G., Stokan E., *Implications for meteoroid structure and ablation from multiple maxima meteor light curves*, 2013, International Meteor Conference, Poznan, Poland.
7. **Roberts I.D.**, Parker L.C., Brown T., Joshi G., Hlavacek-Larrondo J., Wadsley J., *Quenching low-mass satellite galaxies: evidence for a threshold ICM density*, 2018, Meeting of the Canadian Astronomical Society, Victoria, Canada.
6. **Roberts I.D.**, Parker L.C., *The dependence of galaxy properties on group X-ray luminosity and dynamics*, 2017, Galaxy Evolution Across Time, Paris, France.
5. **Roberts I.D.**, Parker L.C., *How galaxy properties depend on group X-ray luminosity and dynamical state*, 2016, CAASTRO: The Changing Face of Galaxies, Hobart, Tasmania.
4. **Roberts I.D.**, Parker L.C., *How galaxy properties depend on group X-ray luminosity and dynamical state*, 2016, Great Lakes Cosmology Workshop, Hamilton, Canada.
3. **Roberts I.D.**, Parker L.C., *Effects of X-ray luminosity on galaxy star formation and morphology in SDSS groups and clusters*, 2015, Meeting of the Canadian Astronomical Society, Hamilton, Canada.
2. **Roberts I.D.**, Parker L.C., Joshi G.D., Evans F.A., *Mass-segregation trends in SDSS galaxy groups*, 2015, Meeting of the Canadian Astronomical Society, Hamilton, Canada.
1. **Roberts I.D.**, Gamblin T.V., Hawkes R.L., Ehrman J.M., *Laser Ablation Techniques for Simulation of Hypervelocity Impact on Materials Relevant to the Space Industry*, 2012, IRM 10th Anniversary Symposium, The Future of Materials Research, Halifax, Canada.