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Professional Appointments

Max Planck Institute for Astronomy, Heidelberg, Germany

07/2017-Present

Postdoctoral Research Fellow

As a fellow in the Planet and Star Formation group at the MPIA, my research focuses on understanding star formation in different galactic environments, with particular attention on understanding the dynamics of the molecular interstellar medium.

Liverpool John Moores University, Liverpool, UK

2014-2017

Postdoctoral Research Assistant

I worked with Prof. Steve Longmore studying the orbital dynamics of molecular gas within the Central Molecular Zone of the Milky Way and how this relates to star formation.

Education

Ph. D.

University of Leeds

2010-2014

"Kinematics and Physical Structure of a Highly Filamentary IRDC"
Supervisor: Prof. Paola Caselli

MPhys &
BSc

University of Leeds

2005-2009

Physics with Astrophysics, First Class (1:1), Hons.

Research Interests

The interstellar medium (ISM), ISM structure and dynamics, star and cluster formation, environmental studies of star formation, molecular cloud formation, (sub-)millimetre astronomy, software development, statistical analysis

Professional Summary

- 24 refereed publications, 7 as first author. Total citations = 464, H-index = 13
- 21 oral presentations (inc. seminars, colloquia, and conferences), 3 poster presentations
- Referee (MNRAS, The Astrophysical Journal, Astronomy & Astrophysics)
- PDRA management board representative (LJMU, 2017)
- PDRA IoP Juno representative (LJMU, 2017)
- Journal club coordinator (LJMU, 2014-2017)

Observing Summary

- PI project time: ALMA/ACA (8 hrs), IRAM 30m (68.1 hrs), NOEMA/PdBI (62 hrs)
- Co-I project time: ALMA/ACA (228 hrs), ESO-ARO (800 hrs), IRAM 30m (128.8 hrs), VLA (120 hrs)
- Observations: IRAM 30m telescope
- Data reduction: CASA, GILDAS
- Workshops: European Radio Interferometry School (2015), ESO

Computing Summary

- Languages: Python (advanced), IDL (advanced), C++ (basic), HTML (basic)
- Software design and development: <https://github.com/jdhenshaw>
- Lead developer for:
 - i. SCOUSE: Semi-Automated multi-Component Universal Spectral line-fitting Engine (IDL, Python)
 - ii. ACORNS: Agglomerative Clustering for ORganising Nested Structures (Python)

Grants & Awards

- 2017** ESO Fellowship (Declined), European Southern Observatory, Germany
- 2014** STFC Studentship Enhancement Programme (Declined), University of Leeds, UK

Student Supervision (advisory role: Technical assistance, meetings, co-authorship)

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| 2020 | Manuel Reiner (MPIA)
Riener et al, 2019, MNRAS, sub. | Ph. D |
| 2019 | Daniel Callanan (LJMU) | Ph. D |
| 2019 | Hannah Dalglish (LJMU)
Dalglish et al., 2018, MNRAS, 478, 3530 | Ph. D |
| 2018 | Ashley Barnes (Leeds, LJMU, MPE)
Thesis: "A Comparison of star formation within the Galactic centre and Galactic disc"
<i>Barnes et al., 2018, MNRAS, 475, 5268</i>
<i>Barnes et al., 2017, MNRAS, 469, 2263</i>
<i>Barnes et al., 2016, MNRAS, 458, 1990</i> | MPhys
& Ph. D. |
| 2016 | Katharine Beaumont (LJMU) | MPhys |
| 2016 | Mark Williams (LJMU) | MPhys |
| 2015 | Bryony Holloway (LJMU) | MPhys |

Teaching

- 2012-14** Observational Astronomy, undergraduate physics lab, University of Leeds
- 2010-14** Gamma-ray spectroscopy, undergraduate physics lab, University of Leeds

References

- **Prof. Dr. Thomas Henning (email: henning@mpia.de)**
Director of Max Planck Institute for Astronomy, Heidelberg, Germany
- **Prof. Dr. Paola Caselli (email: caselli@mpe.mpg.de)**
Director of Max Planck Institute for Extraterrestrial Physics, Munich, Germany
- **Prof. Steve Longmore (email: s.n.longmore@ljmu.ac.uk)**
Reader in Astrophysics, Astrophysics Research Institute, LJMU, UK

Observing time (Last 3 years)

2018	ALMA - Cycle 6 From filaments to cores: Dynamics in infrared dark clouds	Co-I	9.1 Hrs (+108.6 ACA)
2018	ESO-ARO - Large Program SHREC: SHock interactions between supernova REnants and molecular Clouds	Co-I	800.0 Hrs
2018	IRAM 30m - Summer 2018 Investigating the kinematic imprints of an interstellar collision	PI	29.3 Hrs
2018	IRAM 30m - Summer 2018 Widespread SiO Emission in the Filamentary Infrared Dark Cloud G034.77-00.55	Co-I	56.9 Hrs
2018	NOEMA - Summer 2018 Investigating the kinematic imprints of an interstellar collision	PI	42.0 Hrs
2018	VLA - Winter 2018 Is Active Star Formation Emerging in the Central Molecular Zone?	Co-I	30.8 Hrs
2017	ALMA - Cycle 5 Uncovering the early stages of massive star formation in the extreme environment of the Central Molecular Zone	Co-I	6.7 Hrs
2017	ALMA - Cycle 5 Out of the Frying Pan, into the Fire: the Onset of Star formation in Gas entering the Central Molecular Zone	Co-I	5.3 Hrs (+16.3 ACA)
2017	ALMA - Cycle 5 Unveiling the disk around a young high-mass proto-star in the extreme Galactic centre cloud G0.478-0.005	Co-I	10.8 Hrs
2017	IRAM 30m - Winter 2017 Widespread SiO Emission in IRDCs: Molecular Cloud Filaments Forming via Cloud-Cloud Collision	Co-I	43.7 Hrs
2017	VLA - Summer 2017 Orbital structure of the Central Molecular Zone under scrutiny	Co-I	6.5 Hrs
2017	VLA - Summer 2017 The dynamics of ionised gas within the Galactic Centre	Co-I	15.0 Hrs
2016	ALMA - Cycle 4 Widespread SiO in IRDCs: Cloud-Cloud Collision Formation of Molecular Cloud Filaments?	Co-I	4.8 Hrs (+24.1 ACA)
2016	VLA - Winter 2016 Cloud-scale Kinematics of Infrared Dark Clouds	Co-I	4.4 Hrs
2016	VLA - Summer 2016 3D motions of gas clouds in the Central Molecular Zone	Co-I	63.0 Hrs

Observing time leading to recent publications

2014	IRAM 30m - Summer 2014 Flow-driven formation of molecular cloud filaments: A kinematic study of the dense gas in IRDCs <i>Barnes, +Henshaw et al. (2018)</i>	PI	38.8 Hrs
2013	ALMA - Cycle 2 Extreme Star Formation "The Movie": the early assembly of monster stars and clusters caught in action <i>Barnes, +Henshaw et al. (2019.)</i>	Co-I	8.4 Hrs (+33.8 ACA)
2013	ALMA - Cycle 2 Dissecting filaments with ALMA: Unveiling the dynamic properties of dense cores within a massive IRDC <i>Henshaw et al. (2017)</i>	PI	1.6 Hrs (6.4 ACA)
2012	IRAM 30m - Winter 2012 Flow-driven formation of Molecular Cloud Filaments: Widespread SiO in IRDCs <i>Cosentino, +Henshaw et al. (2018)</i>	Co-I	28.2 Hrs
2011	PdBI - Summer 2011 Dense gas structure and kinematics in a quiescent Infrared Dark Cloud <i>Henshaw et al. (2014), Henshaw et al. (2016b)</i>	PI	20.0 Hrs

Invited Talks & Seminars

2019	"Star formation in the Galactic Centre" New Horizons in Galactic Center Astronomy & Beyond, Yokohama, Japan	Invited Talk
2019	"The anatomy of the Milky Way's Central Molecular Zone" Max Planck Institute for Nuclear Physics, Heidelberg, Germany	Invited Seminar
2017	"Star formation in extreme environments: Gas dynamics of the CMZ" Arcetri Astrophysical Observatory (INAF), Florence, Italy	Invited Seminar
2017	"The Kinematics of the Star-Forming ISM" Max Planck Institute for Astronomy, Heidelberg, Germany	Invited Seminar
2016	"The Kinematics of the Star-Forming ISM" Harvard-Smithsonian Centre for Astrophysics, Cambridge, US	Invited Seminar
2015	"The complex kinematics of (massive) star forming regions" Centre for Astrochemical Research, MPE, Munich, Germany	Invited Seminar
2014	"The complex kinematics of (massive) star forming regions" St. Andrews University, UK	Invited Seminar

Selected Scientific Talks

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| 2019 | “Ubiquitous velocity oscillations throughout the ISM in the MW and Nearby Galaxies”
The ISM and SF from cores to kpc scales, Helsinki, Finland |
| 2018 | “Towards understanding cloud and star formation in the CMZ”
Hengstberger Symposium: The multi-scale physics of star formation and feedback during galaxy formation, Heidelberg, Germany |
| 2018 | “Seeding the Galactic Centre gas stream”
Early Phases Of Star formation, Ringberg Castle, Germany |
| 2018 | “Seeding the Galactic Centre gas stream”
European Week of Astronomy and Space Science, Liverpool, UK |
| 2016 | “Seeding the Galactic Centre gas stream”
Star formation 2016, Exeter, UK |
| 2016 | “Molecular gas kinematics of the CMZ”
IAU symposium 322, Palm Cove, Australia |
| 2015 | “Gas kinematics in massive and dense molecular clouds”
The kinematics of star formation, RAS, UK |
| 2015 | “The complex kinematics of a highly filamentary infrared dark cloud”
Filaments 2015, USM, Munich, Germany |
| 2014 | “The dynamical properties of filaments in the IRDC G035.39-00.33”
Mass assembly from clouds to clusters, Sexten, Italy |
| 2013 | “Interlocking filaments in G035.39-00.33”
Harvard-Smithsonian Centre for Astrophysics, Cambridge, US |
| 2012 | “Complex kinematics in a filamentary IRDC”
The Formation and Early Evolution of Stellar Clusters, Sexten, Italy |

Additional Conference Contributions & Presentations

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| 2018 | “The Brick is not a <i>brick</i>” | Poster |
| | Heidelberg-Harvard workshop on the physics of star formation | |
| 2018 | “Galactic plane surveys, Molecular clouds, filaments” | Discussion Leader |
| | Tracing the Flow: galactic environments and the formation of massive stars, Windermere, UK | |
| 2013 | “Complex kinematics in a filamentary IRDC” | Poster |
| | Protostars & Planets VI, Heidelberg, Germany | |
| 2011 | “Kinematics in a filamentary IRDC” | Poster |
| | The Molecular Universe, IAU symposium 280, Toledo, Spain | |

Conference Organisation

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| 2018 | Heidelberg-Harvard workshop on the physics of star formation
Heidelberg, Germany | LOC |
| 2017 | Northern Star Formation Meeting
LJMU, Liverpool, UK | Organiser |

Publication List:

24 refereed publications inc. 7 first author; Total Citations = 464; H-index = 13

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7. *"The Brick" is not a brick: A comprehensive study of the structure and dynamics of Central Molecular Zone cloud G0.253+0.016*, **J. D. Henshaw** et al., 2019, MNRAS, 485, 2457
6. *Unveiling the early-stage anatomy of a protocluster hub with ALMA*, **J. D. Henshaw**, I. Jiménez-Serra, S. N. Longmore, P. Caselli, J. E. Pineda, A. Avison, A. T. Barnes, J. C. Tan, F. Fontani, 2017, MNRAS, 464L, 31
5. *Seeding the Galactic Centre gas stream: Gravitational instabilities set the initial conditions for the formation of protocluster clouds*, **J. D. Henshaw**, S. N. Longmore, J. M. D. Kruijssen, 2016, MNRAS, 463L, 122
4. *Investigating the structure and fragmentation of a highly filamentary IRDC*, **J. D. Henshaw**, P. Caselli, F. Fontani, I. Jiménez-Serra, J. C. Tan, S. N. Longmore, J. E. Pineda, R. J. Parker, A. T. Barnes, 2016, MNRAS, 463, 146
3. *Molecular gas kinematics within the inner 250 pc of the Milky Way*, **J. D. Henshaw** et al., 2016, MNRAS, 457, 2675
2. *The dynamical properties of dense filaments in the infrared dark cloud G035.39-00.33*, **J. D. Henshaw**, P. Caselli, F. Fontani, I. Jiménez-Serra, J. C. Tan, 2014, MNRAS, 440, 2860
1. *Complex, quiescent kinematics in a highly filamentary infrared dark cloud*, **J. D. Henshaw**, P. Caselli, F. Fontani, I. Jiménez-Serra, J. C. Tan, A. K. Hernandez, 2013, MNRAS, 417, 2950

Co-Author:

18. *GaussPy+: A fully automated Gaussian decomposition package for emission line spectra*, M. Riener, J. Kainulainen, **J. D. Henshaw**, J. H. Orkisz, C. E. Murray, H. Beuther, MNRAS, sub.
17. *Young massive cluster formation in the Galactic Centre is driven by global gravitational collapse of high-mass molecular clouds*, A. T. Barnes, S. N. Longmore, A. Avison, Y. Contreras, A. Ginsburg, **J. D. Henshaw**, J. M. Rathborne, D. L. Walker, J. Alves, J. Bally, C. D. Battersby, M. T. Beltran, H. Beuther, G. Garay, L. Gomez, J. M. Jackson, J. Kainulainen, J. M. D. Kruijssen, X. Lu, E. A. C. Mills, J. Ott, T. Peters, MNRAS, 486, 283
16. *The Dynamical evolution of molecular clouds near the Galactic Centre - II. Spatial structure and kinematics of simulated clouds*, J. M. D. Kruijssen, J. E. Dale, S. N. Longmore, D. L. Walker, **J. D. Henshaw**, S. M. R. Jeffreson, M. A. Petkova, A. Ginsburg, A. T. Barnes, C. D. Battersby, K. Immer, J. M. Jackson, E. R. Keto, N. Krieger, E. A. C. Mills, A. Sanchez-Monge, A. Schmiedeke, S. T. Suri, Q. Zhang, 2019, MNRAS, 484, 5734
15. *Multicomponent kinematics in a massive filamentary infrared dark cloud*, V. Sokolov, K. Wang, P. Caselli, J. E. Pineda, **J. D. Henshaw**, A. T. Barnes, J. C. Tan, F. Fontani, I. Jiménez-Serra, 2019, ApJ, 872, 30
14. *Ionized gas kinematics in bipolar H II regions*, H. S. Dalglish, S. N. Longmore, T. Peters, **J. D. Henshaw**, J. L. Veitch-Michaelis, J. S. Urquhart, 2018, MNRAS, 478, 3530
13. *Similar complex kinematics within two massive, filamentary infrared dark clouds*, A. T. Barnes, **J. D. Henshaw**, P. Caselli, I. Jiménez-Serra, J. C. Tan, F. Fontani, A. Pon, S. Ragan, 2018, MNRAS, 475, 5268
12. *Widespread SiO and CH₃OH Emission in Filamentary Infrared Dark Clouds*, G. Consetino, I. Jiménez-Serra, **J. D. Henshaw**, P. Caselli, S. Viti, A. T. Barnes, F. Fontani, J. C. Tan, A. Pon, 2018, MNRAS, 474, 3760
11. *Subsonic islands within a high-mass star-forming infrared dark cloud*, V. Sokolov, K. Wang, J. E. Pineda, P. Caselli, **J. D. Henshaw**, A. T. Barnes, J. C. Tan, F. Fontani, I. Jiménez-Serra, Q. Zhang, 2018, A&A, 611, L3

10. *Star formation in a high-pressure environment: an SMA view of the Galactic Centre dust ridge*, D. L. Walker, S. N. Longmore, C. Battersby, E. Keto, J. M. D. Kruijssen, A. Ginsburg, X. Lu, **J. D. Henshaw**, J. Kauffmann, T. Pillai, E. A. C. Mills, A. J. Walsh, J. Bally, L. C. Ho, K. Immer, K. G. Johnston, 2018, MNRAS, 474, 2373
9. *Distributed star formation throughout the Galactic Centre cloud Sgr B2*, A. Ginsburg, J. Bally, A. T. Barnes, N. Bastian, C. Battersby, H. Beuther, C. Brogan, Y. Contreras, J. Corby, J. Darling, C. DePree, R. Galvan-Madrid, G. Garay, **J. D. Henshaw**, T. Hunter, J. M. D. Kruijssen, S. N. Longmore, X. Lu, F. Meng, E. A. C. Mills, J. Ott, J. E. Pineda, A. Sanchez-Monge, P. Schilke, A. Schmiedeke, D. L. Walker, D. Wilner, 2018, ApJ, 853, 171
8. *The survey of water and ammonia in the Galactic Centre (SWAG): Molecular cloud evolution in the Central Molecular Zone*, N. Krieger, J. Ott, H. Beuther, F. Walter, J. M. D. Kruijssen, D. S. Meier, E. A. C. Mills, Y. Contreras, P. Edwards, A. Ginsburg, C. Henkel, **J. D. Henshaw**, J. Jackson, J. Kauffmann, S. N. Longmore, S. Martin, M. R. Morris, T. Pillai, M. Rickert, E. Rosolowsky, H. Shinnaga, A. Walsh, F. Yusef-Zadeh, Q. Zhang, 2017, ApJ, 850, 77
7. *Temperature structure and kinematics of the IRDC G035.39-00.33*, V. Sokolov, K. Wang, J. E. Pineda, P. Caselli, **J. D. Henshaw**, J. C. Tan, F. Fontani, I. Jiménez-Serra, W. Lim, 2017, 606, 133
6. *H₂O Southern Galactic Plane Survey (HOPS): Paper III - Properties of Dense Molecular Gas across the Inner Milky Way*, S. N. Longmore, A. J. Walsh, C. R. Purcell, D. J. Burke, **J. D. Henshaw**, D. Walker, J. Urquhart, A. T. Barnes, M. Whiting, M. G. Burton, S. L. Breen, T. Britton, K. J. Brooks, M. R. Cunningham, J. A. Green, L. Harvey-Smith, L. Hindson, M. G. Hoare, B. Indermuhle, P. A. Jones, N. Lo, V. Lowe, T. J.T. Moore, M. A. Thompson, M. A. Voronkov, 2017, MNRAS, 470, 1462
5. *Star Formation Rates and Efficiencies in the Galactic Centre*, A. T. Barnes, S. N. Longmore, C. Battersby, J. Bally, **J. D. Henshaw**, D. Walker, 2017, MNRAS, 469, 2263
4. *¹⁵N Fractionation in Infrared Dark Cloud Cores*, S. Zeng, I. Jiménez-Serra, S. Viti, A. T. Barnes, **J. D. Henshaw**, P. Caselli, F. Fontani, P. Hily-Blant, 2017, A&A, 603, 22
3. *Widespread deuteration across the IRDC G035.39-00.33*, A. T. Barnes, S. Kong, J. C. Tan, **J. D. Henshaw**, P. Caselli, I. Jiménez-Serra, F. Fontani, 2016, MNRAS, 458, 1990
2. *Constraining globular cluster formation through studies of young massive clusters - V. ALMA observations of clusters in the Antennae*, I. Cabrera-Ziri, N. Bastian, S. N. Longmore, C. Brogan, K. Hollyhead, S. S. Larsen, B. Whitmore, K. Johnson, R. Chandar, **J. D. Henshaw**, B. Davies, J. E. Hibbard, 2015, MNRAS, 448, 2224
1. *Gas kinematics and excitation in the filamentary IRDC G035.39-00.33*, I. Jiménez-Serra, P. Caselli, F. Fontani, J. C. Tan, **J. D. Henshaw**, J. Kainulainen, A. K. Hernandez, 2014, MNRAS, 439, 1996

Conference Contributions:

5. *Molecular gas kinematics of the CMZ: Great oaks from little acorns grow*, **J. D. Henshaw**, 2016, IAU Symposium 322, The Multi-Messenger Astrophysics of the Galactic Centre, Eds. R. Crocker, S. Longmore & G. Bicknell, Cambridge University Press, 2016, <https://arxiv.org/abs/1609.09749>
4. *A brief update on the CMZoom survey*, C. Battersby, E. Keto, Q. Zhang, S. N. Longmore, J. M. D. Kruijssen, T. Pillai, J. Kauffmann, D. Walker, X. Lu, A. Ginsburg, J. Bally, E. A. C. Mills, **J. D. Henshaw**, K. Immer, N. Patel, V. Tolls, A. Walsh, K. Johnston, L. C. Ho, IAU Symposium 322, The Multi-Messenger Astrophysics of the Galactic Centre, Eds. R. Crocker, S. Longmore & G. Bicknell, Cambridge University Press, 2016, <https://arxiv.org/abs/1610.05805>
3. *Using young massive clusters to understand star formation and feedback in high-redshift-like environments*, S. N. Longmore, A. T. Barnes, J. Bally, J. M. D. Kruijssen, J. Dale, **J. D. Henshaw**, D. Walker, J. Rathborne, L. Testi, J. Ott, A. Ginsberg, Conditions and Impact of Star Formation, Eds. R. Simon, R. Schaaf and J. Stutzki, EAS Publications Series, 2016, <https://arxiv.org/abs/1601.02654>

2. *Complex kinematics in a highly filamentary IRDC*, **J. D. Henshaw**, P. Caselli, I. Jiménez-Serra, F. Fontani, J. C. Tan, 2014, Protostars and Planets VI, Heidelberg, July 15-20, 2013, Poster 1S021
1. *CO gas kinematics and excitation in a filamentary IRDC: Filament-filament interaction and accretion processes*, I. Jiménez-Serra, P. Caselli, F. Fontani, J. C. Tan, **J. D. Henshaw**, J. Kainulainen, A. K. Hernandez, Protostars and Planets VI, Heidelberg, July 15-20, 2013, Poster 1S034

Media Coverage:

4. *The Milky Way's Central Molecular Zone*, 2016, phys.org
3. *Unravelling the Milky Way's Central Molecular Zone*, 2016, Astronomy Now
2. *Astronomers Take A Closer Look at the Milky Way's Central Molecular Zone*, 2016, scitechdaily.com
1. *The Milky Way's Central Molecular Zone*, Harvard Center for Astrophysics press release, 2016, <https://www.cfa.harvard.edu/news/su201609>

Papers in preparation (anticipated publication within 6 months):

2. *Velocity structure in giant molecular filaments*, S. E. Ragan & **J. D. Henshaw**, 2019, in preparation
1. *What's Sculpting the Brick? II*, **J. D. Henshaw**, 2019, in preparation