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Employment History

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| 2023 – present | Instructor of Natural Science , Clark Honors College, University of Oregon. |
| 2023 | Associate Academic Director , Summer Science Program. |
| 2020 – 2023 | Assistant Lecturer , Department of Physics and Astronomy, University of Wyoming. |
| 2016 – 2017 | Teaching Fellow , Yale Summer Program in Astrophysics. |
| 2013 – 2019 | Graduate Teaching and Research Fellow , Department of Astronomy, Yale University. |
| 2012 | Research Intern , Space Astronomy Summer Program, Space Telescope Science Institute. |
| 2009 – 2013 | Research Assistant , Department of Astronomy, Indiana University. |

Education

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| 2013 – 2019 | Ph.D. in Astronomy, Yale University. <i>Thesis - Stirring a Giant: Feedback in the Orion A Molecular Cloud</i> |
| 2009 – 2013 | B.S. in Physics and Astronomy, Indiana University <i>Thesis - Spectroscopic Analysis of Hα Dots</i> |

Teaching Experience

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| 2023 – present | Instructor of Natural Science , Clark Honors College, University of Oregon. Taught the following classes: HC 101H - The History and Science of Eclipses HC 241H - Black Holes: From Science Fiction to Science Fact HC 277H - Thesis Orientation |
| 2023 | Associate Academic Director , Summer Science Program. Designed curriculum, taught lectures, supervised astrophysics research projects, and mentored teaching assistants at six-week residential intensive research program for high school students. |
| 2020 – 2023 | Assistant Lecturer , Department of Physics and Astronomy, University of Wyoming. Advised students, held office hours, supervised teaching assistants, and taught the following classes: ASTR 1050 - Survey of Astronomy PHYS 1210 - Engineering Physics I PHYS 1220 - Engineering Physics II PHYS 4410 - Electricity and Magnetism I PHYS 4840 - Mathematical and Computational Physics II ASTR 5870 - Classic Papers of Astronomy |
| 2016 – 2017 | Teaching Fellow , Yale Summer Program in Astrophysics. Led programming tutorials and observing labs for 4-week intensive research program for high school students. |

Teaching Experience (continued)

- 2013 – 2019 **Graduate Teaching Fellow**, Department of Astronomy, Yale University.
Taught discussion sections, research labs, tutored, and graded for the following undergraduate astronomy courses:
ASTR 120 - Galaxies and the Universe
ASTR 160 - Frontiers and Controversies in Astrophysics
ASTR 170 - Introduction to Cosmology
ASTR 220 - Galaxies and Cosmology
ASTR 255 - Research Methods in Astrophysics

University Service

- 2023 – present **Faculty Member**, Clark Honors College Undergraduate Studies Committee.
Faculty Member, Clark Honors College Equity, Justice, and Inclusion Committee.
2022 – 2023 **Faculty Member**, UWyo Physics and Astronomy Undergraduate Curriculum Committee
2021 – 2023 **Faculty Advisor**, UWyo Society of Physics Students.

Outreach

- 2023 **CHC Telescope Night Organizer**, Eugene, OR
Public Solar Observing Organizer, Eugene, OR
Guest Curator, University of Wyoming Art Museum, Laramie, WY
Science Fair Judge, Wyoming State Science Fair, Laramie, WY
2022 – 2023 **Sidewalk Astronomy Facilitator with Society of Physics Students**, Laramie, WY
2021 – 2023 **UWyo Public Observatory Nights Volunteer**, Laramie, WY
2022 **UW STEM Carnival Volunteer**, Laramie, WY
2021 – 2022 **Wyoming Infrared Observatory Open House Volunteer**, Jelm, WY
2019 **Truth & Beauty Podcast Host and Producer**, New Haven, CT
2014 – 2019 **Leitner Family Observatory and Planetarium Presenter**, New Haven, CT
2015 – 2016 **Yuri's Night at Yale Organizer**, New Haven, CT
2014 – 2016 **Astrobites Author and Editor**, New Haven, CT
2014 **Adler Planetarium Zooniverse Experience Designer**, Chicago, IL
2011-2013 **Sidewalk Astronomy Facilitator with IU Astronomy Club**, Bloomington, IN
2012 **Venus Transit Public Viewing Volunteer**, Bloomington, IN
Child's Elementary School Telescope Night Organizer, Bloomington, IN
2011 – 2012 **IU Physics and Astronomy Open House Volunteer**, Bloomington, IN
2011 **Astronomy with the Stars Volunteer**, Bloomington, IN

Research Publications

- 1 J. J. Salzer, **J. R. Feddersen**, K. Derloshon, C. Gronwall, A. Van Sistine, A. Sugden, S. Janowiecki, A. S. Hirschauer, and J. A. Kellar, "The H α Dots Survey. II. A Second List of Faint Emission-line Objects", *Astronomical Journal* **160**, 242, 242 (2020).

- 2 **J. R. Feddersen**, H. G. Arce, S. Kong, S. Suri, Á. Sánchez-Monge, V. Ossenkopf-Okada, M. M. Dunham, F. Nakamura, Y. Shimajiri, and J. Bally, “The CARMA-NRO Orion Survey: Protostellar Outflows, Energetics, and Filamentary Alignment”, *Astrophysical Journal* **896**, 11, 11 (2020).
- 3 Y. Tanabe, F. Nakamura, T. Tsukagoshi, Y. Shimajiri, S. Ishii, R. Kawabe, **J. R. Feddersen**, S. Kong, H. G. Arce, J. Bally, J. M. Carpenter, and M. Momose, “Nobeyama 45 m mapping observations toward Orion A. I. Molecular Outflows”, *Publications of the ASJ* **71**, S8, S8 (2019).
- 4 S. Kong, H. G. Arce, A. I. Sargent, S. Mairs, R. S. Klessen, J. Bally, P. Padoan, R. J. Smith, M. J. Maureira, J. M. Carpenter, A. Ginsburg, A. M. Stutz, P. Goldsmith, S. Meingast, P. McGehee, Á. Sánchez-Monge, S. Suri, J. E. Pineda, J. Alves, **J. R. Feddersen**, J. Kauffmann, and P. Schilke, “The CARMA-NRO Orion Survey: Core Emergence and Kinematics in the Orion A Cloud”, *Astrophysical Journal* **882**, 45, 45 (2019).
- 5 **J. R. Feddersen**, H. G. Arce, S. Kong, V. Ossenkopf-Okada, and J. M. Carpenter, “The CARMA-NRO Orion Survey: Statistical Signatures of Feedback in the Orion A Molecular Cloud”, *Astrophysical Journal* **875**, 162, 162 (2019).
- 6 **J. R. Feddersen**, H. G. Arce, S. Kong, Y. Shimajiri, F. Nakamura, C. Hara, S. Ishii, K. Sasaki, and R. Kawabe, “Expanding CO Shells in the Orion A Molecular Cloud”, *Astrophysical Journal* **862**, 121, 121 (2018).
- 7 S. Kong, H. G. Arce, **J. R. Feddersen**, J. M. Carpenter, F. Nakamura, Y. Shimajiri, A. Isella, V. Ossenkopf-Okada, A. I. Sargent, Á. Sánchez-Monge, S. T. Suri, J. Kauffmann, T. Pillai, J. E. Pineda, J. Koda, J. Bally, D. C. Lis, P. Padoan, R. Klessen, S. Mairs, A. Goodman, P. Goldsmith, P. McGehee, P. Schilke, P. J. Teuben, M. J. Maureira, C. Hara, A. Ginsburg, B. Burkhardt, R. J. Smith, A. Schmiedeke, J. L. Pineda, S. Ishii, K. Sasaki, R. Kawabe, Y. Urasawa, S. Oyamada, and Y. Tanabe, “The CARMA-NRO Orion Survey”, *Astrophysical Journal Supplement* **236**, 25, 25 (2018).
- 8 M. A. de los Reyes, C. Ly, J. C. Lee, S. Salim, M. S. Peebles, I. Momcheva, **J. Feddersen**, D. A. Dale, M. Ouchi, Y. Ono, and R. Finn, “The Relationship between Stellar Mass, Gas Metallicity, and Star Formation Rate for H α -Selected Galaxies at $z \approx 0.8$ from the NewH α Survey”, *Astronomical Journal* **149**, 79, 79 (2015).

Popular Science Writing and Communication

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| Massive Science Articles | https://massivesci.com/people/jesse-feddersen/ |
| Astrobites Articles | https://astrobites.org/author/jfeddersen/ |
| Truth & Beauty Podcast | https://jessefeddersen.com/podcast |

Technical Skills

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| Programming Languages | Python, IDL, Fortran, HTML/CSS, SQL, \LaTeX |
| Astronomical Software | CASA, IRAF, MIRIAD, SAOImage DS9 |
| General Software | Microsoft Office, iWork, GarageBand, Audacity, iMovie, Adobe Photoshop |
| Classroom Technology | Canvas, PollEverywhere |

Awards and Honors

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| 2021 | Promoting Intellectual Engagement in the First Year , University of Wyoming. |
| 2013 | Phi Beta Kappa |
| 2009 | Cox Research Scholarship , Indiana University. National Merit Finalist |

References

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