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EDUCATION

University of Florida, Gainesville, FL USA

Ph.D. Astronomy, Aug 2024 M.S. Astronomy, May 2022

Thesis title: The Massive and Distant Clusters of WISE Survey 2

Advisor: Professor Anthony Gonzalez

University of Colorado at Boulder, Boulder, CO USA

B.A. Physics, May 2019 B.A. Astronomy, May 2019

RESEARCH Interest Galaxy cluster detection with optical and infrared photometry, galaxy cluster evolution, multiwavelength study of galaxy cluster and its components, galaxy cluster cosmology, galaxy evolution, redshift survey, machine learning techniques in astronomy

Proposals

Co-Investigator on Palomar Proposal

WIRC Imaging of z $\approx\!\!2$ Galaxy Cluster Candidates from WISE PI: Peter Eisenhardt 2024 A, 2024 B

Co-Investigator on Magellan Proposal

Moo Two: Letting MaDCoWS 2 Out of the Barn PI: Thomas Connor 2023B, 2024A

Co-Investigator on GTC Proposal

Confirmation of z ≈2 Galaxy Clusters from MaDCoWS2 PI: Anthony Gonzalez 2022B

Co-Investigator on GBT Proposal

MUSTANG-2 Observations of the Highest-Richness MaDCoWS Clusters at 0.8 < z < 1.6

PI: Mark Brodwin 2020B

Mentoring

University of Florida, Gainesville, FL

- Undergraduate Student: Ryan Spivey (University of Florida, Spring 2024)
- Undergraduate Student: Shambhavi Srivastava (University of Arizona, summer 2023)

Presentations Posters

Massive and Distant Clusters of WISE Survey 2 preliminary result , Talk, 2022 GTC VII MEETING, online. (May 2022)

Massive and Distant Clusters of WISE Survey 2, Poster, Galaxy Clusters 2022 STScI Spring Symposium, online. (Apr 2022)

Publications

- 1. The Massive and Distant Clusters of WISE Survey 2: Second Data Release Thongkham, K., et al, 2024, ApJ, submitted
- 2. The Massive and Distant Clusters of WISE Survey 2: A Stacking Analysis Investigating the Evolution of Star Formation Rates and Stellar Masses in Groups and Clusters

Trudeau, A., et al, 2024, ApJ, 972, 1, 27 (arXiv:2406.03633)

3. The Massive and Distant Clusters of WISE Survey 2: Equatorial First Data Release

Thongkham, K., et al, 2024, ApJ, 967, 2, 123 (arXiv:2403.16976)

- 4. The Massive and Distant Clusters of WISE Survey XI: Stellar Mass Fractions and Luminosity Functions of MaDCoWS Clusters at $z\approx 1$ Decker, B., et al, 2020, ApJ, 936, 1, 71 (arXiv:2112.12239)
- The Massive and Distant Clusters of WISE Survey. X. Initial Results from a Sunyaev-Zeldovich Effect Study of Massive Galaxy Clusters at z > 1 Using MUS-TANG2 on the GBT Dicker, S., et al, 2020, ApJ, 902, 2, 144 (arXiv:2006.06703)