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**EDUCATION**

Leiden Observatory – Leiden University 2018 -  
PhD in Astrochemistry  
Galactic and extragalactic ices with JWST and ALMA  
Supervisor: Harold V. J. Linnartz

Universidade do Vale do Paraíba 2016 - 2018  
Msc in Physics and Astronomy  
*Experimental simulation of the effects of energetic particles (ions and electrons) on the surface of icy bodies in the solar system: physicochemical transformation of ices mixtures containing H<sub>2</sub>O, CO<sub>2</sub>, CH<sub>4</sub> and H<sub>2</sub>O, CO<sub>2</sub>, CH<sub>4</sub>:NH<sub>3</sub>*  
Supervisor: Prof. Dr. Sergio Pilling

Universidade de São Paulo (IFUSP) 2012 - 2015  
B.Sc in Physics  
*Determination of spectral signatures of biomolecules essentials to life*  
Supervisor: Prof. Dr. Eduardo Janot Pacheco

Universidade de São Paulo (IQSC-USP) 2008 - 2011  
B.Sc in Chemistry  
*Study of the eletronic structure of diatomic systems containing elements from groups 14 and 16*  
Supervisor: Prof. Dr. Roberto Luiz Andrade Haiduke

**RESEARCH INTERNSHIP**

Research internship at GANIL (Grand Accélérateur National d'Ions Lourds) , Caen-France (01/10/2017 – 01/04/2018) - Processing of warm ices by low energy ions: Probing the effects of solar wind and low energy magnetospheric ions on frozen solar system bodies, under supervision of Phillipe Boduch.

LEAPS Summer School 2017 (06/06/2017 - 11/08/2017) – ESA/Leiden University- Characterising the largest interstellar molecules under supervision of Dr. Alessandra Candian (Leiden Observatory).

**PUBLICATIONS**

He, J., Diamant, S. J., Wang, S., Yu, H., Rocha, W. R., **Rachid, M.**, & Linnartz, H. (2022). Refractive Index and Extinction Coefficient of Vapor-deposited Water Ice in the UV–vis Range. *The Astrophysical Journal*, 925(2), 179.

**Rachid, M.G.**, Brunken, N., De Boe, D., Fedoseev, G., Boogert, A. C. A., & Linnartz, H. (2021). Infrared spectra of complex organic molecules in astronomically relevant ice mixtures-IV. Methylamine. *Astronomy & Astrophysics*, 653, A116.

**Rachid, M.G.**, van Scheltinga, J. T., Koletzki, D., & Linnartz, H. (2020). Infrared spectra of complex organic molecules in astronomically relevant ice mixtures-II. Acetone. *Astronomy & Astrophysics*, 639, A4.

Candian, A., **Gomes Rachid, M.**, MacIsaac, H., Staroverov, V. N., Peeters, E., & Cami, J. (2019). Searching for stable fullerenes in space with computational chemistry. *Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society*, 485(1), 1137-1146.

**Rachid, M. G.**, Pilling, S., Rocha, W. R. M., Agnihotri, A., Rothard, H., & Boduch, P. (2020). Processing of 72-K water-rich ices by keV and MeV oxygen ions: implications for the Saturnian moon Enceladus. *Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society*, 494(2), 2396-2409.

**Rachid, M. G.**, Faquine, K., & Pilling, S. (2017). Destruction of C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>4</sub>O<sub>2</sub> isomers in ice-phase by X-rays: Implication on the abundance of acetic acid and methyl formate in the interstellar medium. *Planetary and Space Science*, 149, 83-93.

Terrabuio, L. A., Teodoro, T. Q., **Rachid, M. G.**, & Haiduke, R. L. (2013). Systematic theoretical study of non-nuclear electron density maxima in some diatomic molecules. *The Journal of Physical Chemistry A*, 117(40), 10489-10496.

## PRESENTATIONS IN CONFERENCES

“Infrared spectra of methylamine in astronomically relevant ice mixtures” - Poster presentation - European Conference on Laboratory Astrophysics (ECLA) – Anacapri - Italy, 2021.

“Laboratory data in support of JWST observations of interstellar ices” - Poster presentation at Torun Astrophysics, Spectroscopy and Quantum chemistry school (TASQ), Torun – Poland, 2019.

“Laboratory data in support of JWST observations of interstellar ices” - Poster presentation - IAU Symposium S350— Laboratory Astrophysics: From observations to interpretation - Cambridge, UK, 2019.

“Processing of cometary surface by swift ions”, poster presentation in 51<sup>st</sup> Eslab Symposium “Extreme Habitable Worlds”, European Space Agency ESA/ESTEC - The Netherlands, 2017 . **Awarded with Young Research Awards.**

“Destruction of C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>4</sub>O<sub>2</sub> isomers in ice-phase by X-rays and implication on their abundance in the ISM”, Oral presentation in AbGradCon - 2017- Charlottesville – USA, 2017.

“Destruction of C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>4</sub>O<sub>2</sub> isomers in ice-phase by x-rays and implication on their abundance in the ISM”, poster presentation at Symposium of Physics and Astronomy of Universidade do Vale do Paraíba (Simfast), São José dos Campos - SP, Brazil 2017.

“Destruction of C<sub>2</sub>H<sub>4</sub>O<sub>2</sub> isomers in ice-phase by X-rays: Implication on the abundance of acetic acid and methyl formate in the interstellar medium” Poster presentation - IAU Symposium 332: Astrochemistry VII, Through the Cosmos from Galaxies to Planets, Puerto Varas- Chile – 2017.

“Processing of Cometary Surfaces by Swift Ions”, Poster presentation - ESA Conference “Ices in the Solar System”, Madrid - Spain - 2017.

“Peering on biomolecules spectral fingerprints with FRACS”, Poster presentation - First Astrobiology School at Observatório Nacional- Rio de Janeiro, Brazil - 2014.

“Semi classical orbits and antidots lattices in Hall systems” - Oral presentation - 22<sup>o</sup> International symposium of undergraduate research at USP - 2014.

## **STUDENTS SUPERVISIONS**

“Preparing for JWST: the infrared spectrum of frozen glycolaldehyde”, Casper Spijker, Thesis for Bachelor of Science in Astronomy - 2021.

“Wavelength dependent refractive index measurements of interstellar ice analogues”, Pien Vinke, Thesis for the graduation internship - The Hague University of Applied Sciences - 2020.

“High resolution infrared spectroscopy of interstellar ice analogues”, Dani de Boe and Nashanty Brunken, Thesis for Bachelor of Science in Astronomy-, 2019.

## **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

Teaching assistant of Experimental Physics V – Optics	March 2022 - Jun 2022
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Teaching assistant of Experimental Physics VI – Optics & Electromagnetism	April 2021 - Jul 2021
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## **OTHER ACTIVITIES**

Talks to general public at the Observatory of Universidade do Vale do Paraíba -São José dos Campos - SP, Brazil, (2017)