## Matthew J. Bovyn

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#### **EDUCATION**

#### University of California, Irvine (UCI)

Fall 2014 - Present

PHD PHYSICS | Advisor MS PHYSICS | Mather

Advisors: Jun Allard and Steve Gross

Mathematical Computational and Systems Biology Gateway Program

Concentration in Chemical and Materials Physics

Northern Arizona University (NAU)

Fall 2007 - Winter 2012

BS PHYSICS BSE MECH ENG

Minor in Mathematics Minor in Physical Science Liberal Studies Honors

### **PUBLICATIONS**

J.P. Bergman<sup>†</sup>, M.J. Bovyn<sup>†</sup>, F. Doval, A. Sharma, M.V. Gudheti, S.P. Gross, J.F. Allard<sup>‡</sup>, M.D. Vershinin<sup>‡</sup>, **Cargo Navigation Across 3D Microtubule Intersections**. Submitted 2017. <sup>†</sup>, <sup>‡</sup> These authors contributed equally.

W.M. Grundy, S.J. Morrison, M.J. Bovyn, S.C. Tegler, and D.M. Cornelison. 2011. Remote Sensing D/H Ratios in Methane Ice: Temperature-Dependent Absorption Coefficients of CH3D in Methane Ice and in Nitrogen Ice. *Icarus* Volume 212, Issue 2, 941–949

S.C. Tegler, D.M. Cornelison, W.M. Grundy, W. Romanishin, M.R. Abernathy, M.J. Bovyn, J.A. Burt, D.E. Evans, C.K. Maleszewski, and Z. Thompson. 2010. **Methane and Nitrogen Abundances on Pluto and Eris.** The Astrophysical Journal **725**, 1296–1305

### Selected Conference and Workshop Presentations

Poster: Geometry Matters for Cargos Navigating 3D Microtubule Intersections BIOPHYSICAL SOCIETY ANNUAL MEETING, San Francisco, February 2018.

American Society for Cell Biology Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, December 2017.

Poster: Brownian dynamics simulation reveals freedom of motors in the cargo membrane can influence cargo dynamics BIOPHYSICAL SOCIETY THEMATIC MEETING, Taipei, June 2017.

BIOPHYSICAL SOCIETY ANNUAL MEETING, Los Angeles, February 2016.

American Society for Cell Biology Annual Meeting, San Diego, December 2015.

QUANTITATIVE CELL BIOLOGY NETWORK WORKSHOP, Chicago, October 2015.

Talk: Driving Sodium-Potassium Pumps With An Oscillating Electric Field: Effects On Muscle Recovery AMERICAN PHYSICAL SOCIETY MARCH MEETING, Baltimore, March 2013.

Won "Outstanding Undergraduate Presenter" Award

## Funding and Awards

Current	NSF Integrative Graduate Education and Research Traineeship (IGERT) DGE-1144901 to Vasan Venugopalan, UCI Beckman Laser Center NIH R01 GM123068 to Jun Allard and Steve Gross
Years 2 & 3	NIH T32 Training Grant EB009418-07 to Arthur Lander and Qing Nie, UCI Center for Complex Biological Systems
Year 1	Mathematical, Computational and Systems Biology Fellowship NSF GRFP Honorable Mention
Undergraduate	The Outstanding Senior of the NAU College of Engineering, Forestry and Natural Sciences  NAU Gold Axe Award  NAU Department of Physics and Astronomy Bedwell Scholarship  NAU Department of Physics and Astronomy Adel Scholarship  Raytheon Missile Systems Scholarship  NAU Department of Physics and Astronomy Chair's Scholarship  NAU Department of Physics and Astronomy Chair's Scholarship  Arizona Board of Regent's High Honors Tuition Scholarship  Dean's List - 7 Semesters

### Professional Activity

FOUNDER AND ORGANIZER: Biophysics and Systems Biology Seminar Series

- Founded a series of research in progress talks for students in the Mathematical, Computational, and Systems Biology gateway program with co-founder Kerrigan Blake, 2016
- Expanded the seminar series to host invited speakers, 2017
- Scheduled and hosted speakers

FOUNDER: UCI Center for Complex Biological Systems Outreach Program

- Founded an outreach program for the UCI Center for Complex Biological Systems with co-founder Sean Horan
- Won ASCB COMPASS outreach grant

PRESIDENT: NAU Society of Physics Students

- $\bullet\,$  Organized and led outreach events to local schools
- Organized "Zone Meeting" for chapters throughout Arizona

MEMBER: Tau Beta Pi, The Engineering Honor Society

MEMBER: Sigma Pi Sigma, National Physics Honor Society

## TEACHING

SUPPLEMENTAL INSTRUCTOR, NAU:

- Physics 111: General Physics I (mechanics, non-calculus based)
- Physics 262: University Physics II (electricity and magnetism, calculus based)

# RESEARCH INTERNSHIPS AND WORK EXPERIENCE

WINTER 2014	Rotation Student LABORATORY FOR FLUORESCENCE DYNAMICS Irvine, California Fluorescence Lifetime Imaging of Turbid Samples Advisors: Enrico Gratton and Ylenia Santoro
Summer 2014	Graduate Student Researcher  BECKMAN LASER INSTITUTE Irvine, California  Deep Tissue Biophotonics for Breast Cancer Diagnostics  Advisors: Bruce Tromberg and Albert Cerussi
Jun 2014 Jan 2014	Tutor TUTOR DOCTOR & VARSITY TUTORS Irvine, California High School Physics and Calculus
Jun 2013 Feb 2013	Research Assistant UNIVERISTY OF PUERTO RICO, RIO PIEDRAS San Juan, Puerto Rico Herbarium Server Development
FALL 2012	Research Assistant NORTHERN ARIZONA UNIVERSITY Planetary Astrophysics of Icy Outer Solar System Objects
Summer 2012	NSF Research Experience for Undergraduates Intern UNIVERISTY OF SOUTH FLORIDA Biophysics of Sodium-Postassium Pumps
Spring 2012 Fall 2011	Research Assistant NORTHERN ARIZONA UNIVERSITY Planetary Astrophysics of Icy Outer Solar System Objects
SUMMER 2011	NSF Research Experience for Undergraduates Intern UNIVERISTY OF IDAHO Solid State Physics of Nanosprings
SPRING 2011 FALL 2010	NASA Space Grant Intern NORTHERN ARIZONA UNIVERSITY Near Infrared Spectroscopy of Carbon Dioxide Ice
Summer 2010	Research Assistant LOWELL OBSERVATORY, Flagstaff Arizona Planetary Astrophysics of Icy Outer Solar System Objects