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**EDUCATION** Ph.D. Candidate Physics & Astronomy

December 2021

University of California, Irvine (UCI) Thesis Advisor: Prof. Michael Cooper

B.S. Physics May 2015

California State University, Long Beach (CSULB)

Minor: Math

Overall GPA: 3.15 out of possible 4.00 Major GPA: 3.20 out of possible 4.00

PUBLIC-ATIONS Sizing from the Smallest Scales: The Mass of the Milky Way

Rodriguez Wimberly, M.K., et al. 2022, MNRAS, 513, 4968

Characterizing the Infall Times and Quenching Timescales of the Milky Way Satellites with Gaia Proper Motions

Fillingham, S.P. et al. 2019, MNRAS, under review (arXiv: 1906..04180)

Suppressing Star Formation on the Smallest Scales:

What Role Does Environment Play?

Rodriguez Wimberly, M.K., et al. 2019, MNRAS, 483, 4031 SETI Observations of Exoplanets with the Allen Telescope Array

Harp, G.R., et al. 2016, AJ, 152.6 (2016b): 181

HIGHLIGHTEDNSF MPS Ascend Postdoctoral Fellow2021 - CurrentHONORS,Eugene Cota-Robles Fellow2016 - 2021AWARDS,AAS National Osterbrock Fellow2020 - 2021PRIZESNSF Graduate Research Fellow2016 - 2021UCI Graduate Division Tom Angell Mentor Fellowship2019

UCI Graduate Division Tom Angell Mentor Fellowship

CSU-UC Cal-Bridge Scholar

LSAMP PROUD Scholar Award

Louis Stokes' Alliance for Minority Participation Academic Year Fellow 2013 - 2014

OBSERVING Keck Observatory
EXPERIENCE DEIMOS: 15 nights

UCO/Lick Observatory Robert P. Kraft Observational Astronomy Workshop

October 2015, Lick Observatory, Mt. Hamilton, CA

**TEACHING** ASTR100L: Intro to Astronomy Lab

**EXPERIENCE** (Stand Alone) Course Instructor, CSULB Fall 2015 & Spring 2016

TECHNICAL Python IRAF MySQL LaTex Aladin DS9
SKILLS Unix Certified LabVIEW Associate Developer Fortran95

Gwyddion Mathematica Atomic & Magnetic Force Microscopy

CURRENT SOCIETY MEMBERSHIPS

Astronomical Society of the Pacific American Astronomical Society Began 2017 Began 2015

2020-2021

INVITED TALKS Astronomy Colloquium at UMichigan planned September 2022 Conversations on Inclusion & Equity at UMichigan planned September 2022 MIT Brown Bag Lunch May 2022 April 2022 Pomona College Physics & Astronomy Colloquium Cosmology and Astronomy Seminar at UC Davis October 2021 CCAPP Little Galaxies Meeting at The Ohio State University October 2021 Lunchtime Seminar at Carnegie Observatories September 2021 Lunchtime Seminar at Carnegie Observatories February 2020 Pomona College Physics & Astronomy Colloquium September 2018 Astronomical Society of the Pacific 130th Annual Meeting September 2018 Plenary Speaker: Barriers to Equity, Inclusion, and Diversity in Astronomy

Presented on Imposter Syndrome

HIGHLIGHTED SERVICE ACTIVITIES

Cal-Bridge Mentorship Committee Co-Chair

Astronomical Society of the Pacific Board of Directors Member

Began 2020

Began 2019

Diversity Committee Co-Chair

Cal-Bridge Director of Peer Mentoring Program Began 2019

Creator & Organizer of Peer Mentoring Program for Cal-Bridge Scholars

APS-IDEA Network: UCI Team Member

Network creating equitable, inclusive and diverse communities

UCI Physics & Astronomy Community Excellence 2018-2021

Co-Creator of Peer Mentoring Programs for 1st Year Physics Graduate Students

Group Sessions & 1-on-1 Mentoring with Trained Peer Mentors

Our Website: uci-pace.github.io

REFERENCES

Dr. Laura Sales Professor - UC Riverside

lsales@ucr.edu - 951.827.7037 Dr. Michael Cooper Professor - UC Irvine

cooper@uci.edu - 949.824.6485

Dr. Alex Ji Professor - University of Chicago alexii@uchicago.edu - 773.702.8203

Dr. Alex Rudolph Professor - Cal Poly Pomona

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