# Biographical Sketch for Salvatore R. Rappoccio

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# **Professional Preparation**

Harvard University Physics 2005 Ph.D.

Boston University Physics 2000, B.A., Mathematics 2000, B.A.

## **Appointments**

State University of New York at Buffalo	Assistant Professor	2012-present
Johns Hopkins University	Research Assistant Professor	2011-2012
Johns Hopkins University	Research Associate	2007-2011
Lincoln Laboratories of MIT	Staff scientist	2005-2007

#### **Publications**

Five most closely related to the proposal:

- 1. CMS Collaboration, S. Chatrchyan et al., "Observation of a new boson at a mass of 125 GeV with the CMS experiment at the LHC," Phys. Lett. **B716** (2012) 30-61.
- 2. CMS Collaboration, S. Chatrchyan et al., "Search for anomalous t t-bar production in the highly-boosted all-hadronic final state," JHEP **1209** (2012) 029.
- 3. CMS Collaboration, S. Chatrchyan et al., "Measurement of the top quark pair Production Cross Section in pp Collisions at 7 TeV in Lepton + Jets Events Using b-quark Jet Identification," Phys. Rev. D **84**, 092004 (2011).
- 4. CMS Collaboration, S. Chatrchyan et al., "Determination of jet energy calibration and transverse momentum resolution in CMS," JINST 6 (2011) P11002.
- 5. CDF Collaboration, D. Acosta et al., "Measurement of the t t-bar production cross section in p p-bar collisions at sqrt(s) = 1.96 TeV using lepton + jets events and secondary vertex b-tagging," Phys. Rev. D **71**, 052003 (2005).

## **Synergistic Activities**

- 1. Convener of the "Beyond Two Generations" group at CMS (2012-present); convener of the "Standard Model Jet Substructure" subgroup at CMS (2011-2012); convener of the "Analysis Software Tools" subgroup at CMS (2009-2011).
- 2. As a graduate student, was responsible for two separate subsystems of the CDF detector on-call operations (the Silicon Readout Controller and the Central Muon Extension).
- 3. As a graduate student, redesigned the existing Silicon Readout at CDF such that a tracking-based trigger at Level 2 was possible, enabling the use of triggers used in the enormously successful B-physics program at CDF.
- 4. Co-organizer of the "BOOST" conference series focusing on boosted topologies (2009-present).
- 5. Extensive outreach activities for the Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory (FNAL) and elsewhere.

## **Collaborations & Other Affiliations**

Member of the Compact Muon Solenoid (CMS) Collaboration : 2008-present Member of the Collider Detector at Fermilab (CDF) Collaboration : 2000-2006

### **Graduate and Postdoctoral Advisors**

Ph.D. Advisors: Melissa Franklin, Andrew Foland (Harvard University)

Postdoctoral Sponsors: Morris Swartz, Petar Maksimovic (Johns Hopkins University)

## Thesis Advisor and Postdoctoral Scholar Sponsor

Total number of postdoctoral fellows and graduate students currently sponsored: 3. Total number of postdoctoral fellows and graduate students advised in the past: 4.

Ph.D. Thesis Advisor:

G. Hu, K. Nash, M. Osherson, Y. Xin (Johns Hopkins University),

J. Kaisen, M. Alyari (SUNY at Buffalo)

Postdoctoral Scholar Sponsor:

J. Dolen (SUNY at Buffalo)