

Agnibha Banerjee

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Education

The Open University, UK <i>PhD Student</i>	Present
• Exploring Exo-Venuses with JWST Supervisor: Dr Joanna Barstow	
Indian Institute of Science Education and Research (IISER), Kolkata <i>B.S. - M.S. Dual Degree in Physics</i>	2021
• CGPA: 9.08/10	
Adamas International School <i>Class XII, Council for the Indian School Certificate Examinations (CISCE)</i>	2016
• Percentage: 97.0%	

Research Experience

Indian Institute of Science Education and Research (IISER), Kolkata <i>Supervised by: Dr. Dibyendu Nandi</i> Masters Thesis Project	Sep. 2020 - Jul. 2021
• Learned and implemented techniques for atmospheric retrieval of exoplanets.	
McGill University, Montreal <i>Supervised by: Dr. Nicolas B. Cowan</i>	May 2019 - Aug. 2019
• Implemented analytical models for calculating the incident light map on ultra-short period exoplanets.	
Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Indore <i>Supervised by: Dr. Bhargav Vaidya</i>	Jun. 2018 - Jul. 2018
• Developed a Monte Carlo radiative transfer code in Python to generate output images when a light beam passes through an optical density grid.	

Publication

Modelling the atmosphere of lava planet K2-141b: implications for low and high resolution spectroscopy
Nguyen, T.G.; Cowan, N.B.; **Banerjee, A.**; Moores, J.E.
Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society, 499, 4605, 2020

Awards & Recognitions

MITACS Globalink Research Internship	May 2019 - Aug. 2019
Top 1% (Top 25) in the National Graduate Physics Examination	Jun. 2018
Kishore Vaigyanik Protsahan Yojana (KVPY) Fellowship	Aug. 2017
Jagadis Bose National Science Talent Search Senior Scholarship	Oct. 2016
DST INSPIRE Scholarship	Aug. 2016
Top 1% all-India in Class XII Examinations	Mar. 2016

Skills

Programming	Python, Java, C, SQL, JavaScript, LaTeX, Git/GitHub
Software	MATLAB, Mathematica
Operating Systems	Linux, Windows
Languages	English, Bengali, Hindi

Conferences & Schools Attended

ERS Data Challenge with Simulated Data Workshop , <i>Online</i>	Mar. 2022
ERS Pre-Launch Theory Webbinar (JWST) , <i>Online</i>	Jul. 2021
Code/Astro 2021 , <i>Caltech (Online)</i>	Jun. 2021
European Astronomical Society Annual Meeting 2021 , <i>Leiden (Online)</i>	Jun. 2021
Saas-Fee Course 2020 , <i>NCCRS, Bern (Online)</i>	Mar. 2021
Exoplanets III , <i>Heidelberg (Online)</i>	Jul. 2020
2020 Sagan Exoplanet Summer Virtual Workshop , <i>NExSci, Caltech (Online)</i>	Jul. 2020
Canadian Astronomy Society (CASCA) Annual General Meeting 2019 , <i>McGill University, Montreal</i>	Jun. 2019
NVidia GPU Based High Performance Computing Workshop , <i>IISER, Kolkata</i>	Oct. 2019
Introductory Summer School on Astronomy and Astrophysics , <i>IUCAA, Pune</i>	May 2018

Institute Service & Volunteering

Volunteer

<i>European Astronomical Society Annual Meeting 2021</i>	<i>Jul. 2021</i>
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Data Analyst and Website Designer

<i>CESSI IISER Kolkata outreach initiative on COVID-19</i>	<i>Jun. 2020 - Jul. 2021</i>
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Class Representative

<i>Department of Physical Sciences, IISER Kolkata</i>	<i>Aug. 2019 - Jul. 2020</i>
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