Sakhee Bhure

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Florida Institute of Technology BS Astronomy and Astrophysics, magna cum laude

August 2014 - May 2017

RESEARCH

Dr J. Christiansen Caltech/IPAC-NExScl < christia@ipac.caltech.edu > Oct 2020 - present Statistical Validation of Exoplanet Candidates from the K2 Mission Detected by the EDI-Vetter Pipeline

Dr D. Ragozzine Brigham Young University <darin_ragozzine@byu.edu> March - August 2020 Photodynamical Modeling Project

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS AND SPACE SCIENCES, FLORIDA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

Dr Cs. Palotai < cpalotai@fit.edu>

August - December 2017

Simulations of the Great White Spot on Neptune using the EPIC Model

Dr D. Ragozzine < darin_ragozzine@byu.edu>

March 2015 - August 2018

Understanding Architectures of Exoplanet Systems with Normalized Planet Radii and Orbital Periods

Dr C. Neish < cneish@uwo.ca>

August 2014 - May 2015

Processing of S- and P-band Radar Images obtained by the Lunar Reconnaissance Orbiter

INTERNSHIP: National Center for Radio Astrophysics (NCRA), India May - June 2016 Searching for redshifted H21cm Absorption by Measuring the Spin Temperatures of two Dampled Lyman- α Absorbers using GMRT data

COMPUTATIONAL SKILLS Python (3 years), Julia (2 years), C++ (1 year), and LaTeX (6 years)

PUBLICATIONS ADS ORCID

Zink, J. K., Hardegree-Ullman, K. K., Christiansen, J. L., **Bhure S. S.** et al. accepted, AJ, Scaling K2. IV. A Uniform Planet Sample for Campaigns 1-8 and 10-18 Christiansen, J. L., Bhure S. S., Zink, J. K., Hardegree-Ullman, K. K. et al. in prep, Scaling K2. V. Statistical Validation of 60 New Planets From K2 Campaigns 0-18

CONFERENCES AND WORKSHOPS

238th Meeting of the American Astronomical Society (AAS 238)

June 2021

Oral Presentation: "Scaling K2: Validating Kepler/K2 Candidates using VESPA"

Press Presentation: Exoplanets and Brown Dwarfs II: Scaling K2: Validating Kepler/K2 Candidates using VESPA

49th Meeting of the Division of Planetary Sciences (**DPS 49**), Provo, Utah

October 2017

Poster Presentation: Studies of Dark Spots and Their Companion Clouds on the Ice Giant Planets

48th Meeting of the Division of Planetary Sciences (**DPS 48**), Pasadena, California Oral Presentation: Investigating Normalized Architectures of Multi-Transiting Exoplanetary Systems

October 2016

National Radio Astronomy Observatory (NRAO) Community Day Workshop March 2015 Introduction to Radio Astronomy, Interferometry, Preparing Research Proposals for Atacama Large Millimeter/Submillimeter Array (ALMA) Cycle 3, Reducing ALMA data, Florida Institute of Technology

American Physical Society's 10th Annual Conference for Undergraduate Women in Physics (**CUWIP**

University of Mississippi

January 2015

OBSERVING EXPERIENCE

Palomar PHARO 1 night SOAR Goodman Spectrograph 1 night

TEACHING

Instructor

Education Initiatives, India December 2018 - June 2019

developed and taught a three-week, hands-on Astronomy course to grade 6-10 students

Graduate Teaching Assistant

Department of Physics and Space Sciences, Florida Institute of Technology August - December 2017 taught two sections of PHY 2091: Physics Laboratory I (Mechanics)

AWARDS

Dean's List every semester from Fall 2014 - Spring 2017
Outstanding Junior of the Year in Physics and Space Sciences 2015-2016
Distinguished Student Scholar 2015-2016

Outstanding Sophomore of the Year in Physics and Space Sciences 2014-2015

TEACHING (VOLUNTEER WORK)

Volunteer Educator Akanksha Foundation, Pune

July 2019 - March 2020
assisted with differentiated learning in grade 8 science and mathematics courses and developed
community-building and waste-management projects at the Pujya Kasturba Gandhi English
Medium School, Pune.

WORK

Intern Science Activity Center (SAC) Indian Institute for Science Education and Research (IISER),
Pune February 2020 - July 2021

science writing, pedagogy and curriculum development

Science Writer, Freelance The Wire, India

June 2019 - present

FLORIDA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

Resident Assistant Department of Residence Life August 2015 - May 2018 peer leader in the on-campus residence halls at Florida Institute of Technology. awarded the Resident Assistant of the Year Award for the year 2017-2018

Student Blogger Office of Marketing & Communications August 2015 - December 2016

PUBLIC OUTREACH AND AMBASSADOR ACTIVITIES

United States India Education Foundation (USIEF), Education USA, Mumbai

Panelist: Pre-Departure Orientation June 2015, 2016, 2017, 2019

US Visa Day, US Consulate, Mumbai

June 9, 2016

Panelist at press interaction and Student Representative for Student Visa Day

227th **Meeting of the American Astronomical Society**, Kissimmee, Florida January 2016 Volunteer

FLORIDA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY

Society of Physics Students (SPS), Member

Student Astronomical Society (SAS), Member

Student Astronomical Society Secretary

Residence Hall Association Roberts Hall

Sep 2014 - May 2015