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# Will Handley

	Education		
2012-2016	University of Cambridge, Ph.D. Astrophysics, Prof. A. Lasenby & Prof. M. Hobson		
2008-2012	University of Cambridge, MSci, MA: Natural Sciences, Gonville & Caius College		
2001–2008	Alleyn's School, A levels, GCSEs, London		
	Employment		
Oct 2020–	Royal Society University Research Fellow, Cavendish Lab, University of Cambridge Bayesian machine learning and tensions in cosmology		
Oct 2021-	Turing Fellow, Alan Turing Institute		
May 2021–	Fellow & College Lecturer, Gonville & Caius College, University of Cambridge		
2016–2020	Research fellow, Gonville & Caius College, University of Cambridge Funded by Gonville & Caius College and an STFC IPS grant.		
Jul-Sep 2016	<b>Postdoctoral researcher</b> , <i>Prof. H. Peiris</i> , University College London Searching for features in the primordial power spectrum.		
2012–2016	<b>Ph.D. Astrophysics</b> , <i>Prof. A. Lasenby &amp; Prof. M. Hobson</i> , University of Cambridge Kinetic initial conditions for inflation: Theory, observations & methods.		
2011–2012	Part III Dissertation, <i>Prof. P. Alexander</i> , University of Cambridge Investigating the origins of cosmic magnetism.		
Summer 2011	<b>Summer Research Student</b> , <i>Prof. M. Faulkes &amp; Dr. J. Spencer</i> , Imperial College Folded spectrum full configuration interaction quantum Monte Carlo.		
Summer 2011	<b>Summer Research Student</b> , <i>Dr. R. Blumenfeld</i> , University of Cambridge Geometry and field equations of granular systems.		
2010–2011	Research Review, <i>Prof. S. Gull</i> , University of Cambridge Literature Survey of the Physics-Philosophy crossover field of measurement theory.		
Summer 2010	iGEM Team Physicist, Dr. J. Haseloff, University of Cambridge		
	E-glowli 2010 iGEM team (placed in final 6) http://2010.igem.org/Team:Cambridge		
	Grants won (£1.5m)		
£169,748	Royal Society Enhancement, Likelihood-free inference and Bayesian neural networks		
30M CPUh $\approx$ £300,000	DiRAC Resource Allocation Committee 13 <sup>th</sup> call 2020, Next generation cosmological analysis with nested sampling		
£722,622			
2M CPUh			
pprox £20,000	Bayesian model comparison of inflation and spatial curvature		
£225,000	STFC IPS 2019, PolyChord and Bayesian sparse facial recognition		
£42,000	STFC IAA 2018, PolyChord and Bayesian neural network facial recognition		
£25,000	STFC IAA 2016, Interfacing PolyChord 2.0		

\$6,000 AUS £2,000 £2,000 £1,800	KICC Workshop 2019, AstroHackWeek 2019 George Southgate Visiting Fellowship 2020, GAMBIT KICC visitors 2019, Likelihood free inference workshop KICC visitors 2017, Class and MontePython workshop Caius + Kavli, Summer 2019 student funding King's + Kavli, Summer 2018 student funding	T visit
	Awards & Prizes	
Jul. 2019	Guiseppe and Vanna Cocconi Prize (WMAP and Planck)	EPS-HEPP Division
Jun. 2018	Gruber Prize (Planck)	Gruber Foundation
Dec. 2013	Best presentation	Cavendish grad. students conference
Jun. 2012	Best theoretical part III project	University of Cambridge
	Physics prize	Gonville & Caius College
Summer 2011	Undergraduate Research Bursary	Nuffield Foundation
	UROP Studentship	Imperial College
Summer 2010	iGEM Studentship	Wellcome Trust
2009–12	Junior and Senior Scholarships	Gonville & Caius College
	Supervision of graduate students and postdoo	ctoral researchers
Postdoc	David Yallup	2021-present
	Jianghui Lui	2020
	Kamran Javid	2018-2019
Ph.D.	Ayngaran Thavanesan, Adam Ormondroyd	2021-present
	George Carter, Kilian Scheutwinkel, Thomas Gessey-Jone	s 2020-present
	Thomas McAloone	2020-2021
	Isidro Gómez Vargas	2020
	Ian Roque, Harry Bevins	2019-present
	Dominic Anstey	2018-present
	Fruzsina Agocs, Will Barker	2017-2021
	Lukas Hergt	2017-2020
	Ed Higson	2016-2017
Masters	Allahyar Sahibzada, Yoann Launay, Oliver Normand, Xy V	Wang, Carola Zanoletti 2021-
Musicis	Yi-Jer Loh, Metha Prathaban	2020-2021
	Thomas Gessey-Jones, Aleks Petrosyan, Ayngaran Thavai	
	Deaglan Bartlet, Jamie Bamber, Ian Roque	2018-2019
	Ward Haddadin, Jessica Rigley, Panagiotis Mavrogiannis	2017-2018
	Fruzsina Agocs, Robert Knighton, Stephen Pickman, Dar	
Summer	Zak Shumaylov, Mattia Varrone	2021
	Denis Werth, Maxime Jabarian, Liam Lau	2019
	Elizabeth Guest, Ward Haddadin, Shu-Fan Chen	2018
	Lecturing	
2021-present	Part III Physics: Relativistic Astrophysics & Cosmology	MSci 24 lecture course
-	Bayesian Statistics	Graduate 2 lecture course

## Small group teaching

2020-present	Part III Physics: Relativistic Astrophysics and	Cosmology Supervising (24 hours)
2013–2018, 2021-present	Part II Physics: General relativity	Supervising (136 hours)
2012-2017	Part IA Mathematics for NatSci	Tripos classes (20 hours), Supervising (580 hours)
2015-2016	Part IA Physics	Supervising (20 hours)
2013	Part II Theoretical Physics 1 & 2	Demonstrating (8 hours)
2006-2012	Maths and Science Tuition	Individual coaching, kev stage 1 – STEP

#### Academic Talks

- Nov. 2021 Review on Statistical Tools and Samplers, TOOLS 2021, IP2I, Lyon, France
- Jul. 2021 Success Story 2 Optimum Sensor Placement, Mathematical Challenges in the Electromagnetic Environment, Isaac Newton Institute, Cambridge, UK
- Jul. 2021 Success Story 1 Detecting Illicit Mesh Networks, Mathematical Challenges in the Electromagnetic Environment, Isaac Newton Institute, Cambridge, UK
- Feb. 2021 Bayesian methods for quantifying global parameter tensions between cosmological datasets, *Tehran meeting on cosmology at the crossroads*, Tehran (remote), Iran
- Jan. 2021 Bayesian information fusion, Mathematical Challenges in the Electromagnetic Environment, Isaac Newton Institute, Cambridge (remote), UK
- Oct. 2020 Nested Sampling: an efficient and robust Bayesian inference tool for 21cm cosmology, 3rd Global 21-cm Workshop, Cambridge (remote), UK
- Sep. 2020 **Nested Sampling for optimising sensor location**, *Mathematical Challenges in the Electromagnetic Environment*, Isaac Newton Institute, Cambridge (remote), UK
- Feb. 2020 Nested Sampling: an efficient and robust Bayesian inference tool for physics and machine learning, *Physics Colloquium*, Adelaide, Australia
- Jan. 2020 Nested Sampling: an efficient and robust Bayesian inference tool for astrophysics and cosmology, Oxford, UK
- Jan. 2020 **PolyChord: next generation nested sampling**, *Mathematical Challenges in the Electromagnetic Environment*, Isaac Newton Institute, Cambridge, UK
- Dec. 2019 Quantised primordial power spectra, Texas 2019, Portsmouth, UK
- Nov. 2019 Nested Sampling: an efficient and robust Bayesian inference tool for Machine Learning and Data Science, CDT talk, Cambridge, UK
- Aug. 2019 Curvature tension: evidence for a closed universe(?), ICG Portsmouth, UK
- Jul. 2019 Quantifying cosmological tensions, University College London, UK
- Jun. 2019 Likelihood free inference, GAMBIT X, Germany
- Mar. 2019 Compromise-free Bayesian sparse reconstruction, LFI workshop, Flatiron institute, US
- Dec. 2018 Inflation, curvature and kinetic dominance, Future uses of Planck data, ESAC, Spain
- Nov. 2018 BAMBI Resurrection: Blind Accelerated Multimodal Bayesian Inference, Dark Machines. Worldwide
- Nov. 2018 Nested Sampling: an efficient and robust Bayesian inference tool for cosmology and particle physics, *Dark Machines*, Worldwide
- Oct. 2018 Bayesian Statistics, Third Asterics-Obelics workshop, Cambridge, UK
- May. 2018 Planck, inflation and the future of inflationary constraints, Consistency of Cosmological Datasets, Cambridge, UK
- May. 2018 MaxEnt priors with derived parameters in a specified distribution, Cambridge, UK

May. 2018	Nested Sampling: an efficient and robust Bayesian inference tool for astrophysics and cosmology, ICIC, UK		
April. 2018	Introduction to statistics, CosmoTools 18, RWTH Aachen, Germany		
Jan. 2018	Advances in Nested Sampling & astrophysical application, Cambridge, UK		
Aug. 2017	PolyChord 2.0: Fast inference & nested sampling, Cosmo17, Paris, France		
Jun. 2017	Modern Bayesian Inference: Theory and Practice, RWTH Aachen, Germany		
Mar. 2017	Parameter estimation and Model comparison, CosmoTool	ls 17, Madrid, Spain	
Feb. 2017	PolyChord 2.0: Advances in Nested Sampling & astrophysical application, Flatiron institute, US		
Sep. 2016	PolyChord 2.0 & the future of nested sampling, University College London, UK		
May. 2016			
Mar. 2016	PolyChord & the future of nested sampling, Edinburgh, UK		
Dec. 2015	PolyChord: next generation nested sampling, Max Planck Institute, Germany		
Feb. 2015	PolyChord: next generation nested sampling, University of Sussex, UK		
Dec. 2013	Kinetic dominance in the pre-inflationary universe, Caven		
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	Selected Outreach		
	Over the course of my career I have given $19$ public outreach t	talks including:	
May 2015	Intro. to Astronomy: Beyond the Milky Way, IoA Public Talk, Cambridge		
May 2015	To infinity and beyond: Dark Energy, Pint of Science, Cambridge Brewhouse		
Feb 2014	The Physics of Juggling, CCPE, Cavendish Laboratory		
Jan 2014	The first 3 yocto-pico seconds, Three minute wonder, Cave	endish Laboratory	
	Institutional responsibilities		
2020-present	Convener of CosmoBit	GAMBIT	
2020-present	Leader of data analysis team	REACH	
-	Center for data-driven discovery (C2D3) steering committee	University of Cambridge	
2019-present	Gonville & Caius College Council	Gonville & Caius college	
2018-present	Investments committee	Gonville & Caius college	
2016-present	Undergraduate Admissions	Gonville & Caius college	
2018–2020	Education and research committee	Gonville & Caius college	
2017-present	Organiser of weekly group seminars	Cavendish astrophysics group	
	Examination		
Sep 2020		Applications Supporting	
3ep 2020	Machine Learning Applied to Gaia and Other Survey Data a Polarisation Survey, Kyriakos Stylianiopoulos, MPhil	a. Applications Supporting	
Dec 2021	High-resolution CMB bispectrum estimator, Wu Hyun Sohn, Ph.D.		
2020–2021	Masters exam checking, Astrostatistics, Part III Maths		
2021–2022	<b>Exam setting</b> , Relativistic Astrophysics and Cosmology, Part	III Physics	
	Organisation of scientific meetings		
2020	Scientific organising committee member of 3 <sup>rd</sup> Global 21-cm Workshop  KICC		
	Scientific organising committee member of 3 <sup>rd</sup> Global 21-cm V	Vorkshop KICC	
2019	Scientific organising committee member of 3 <sup>rd</sup> Global 21-cm V Local organising committee member of KICC 10 <sup>th</sup> anniversary	•	

2019 Helped secure funding and organised AstroHack week 2019

KICC

## Peer review

Performed 59 reviews for journals including Physical Review D and Physical Review Letters; https://publons.com/researcher/1596769/will-handley/peer-review/PRD (27), MNRAS (6), JCAP (5), PRL (6), JOSS (2), APJ (2), EPJC (1), PLB (6), Entropy (2), Astronomy & Computing (2)

#### Collaborations

astro.phy.cam.ac.uk/research/research-projects/reach	REACH	2018-present
gambit.hepforge.org	GAMBIT	2018-present
darkmachines.org	DarkMachines	2018-present
terrahunting.org	Terra Hunter Experiment	2017–2018
core-mission.org	CORE	2016–2017
astro.phy.cam.ac.uk/research/research-projects/AMI	AMI	2015–2016
cosmos.esa.int/web/planck	Planck	2015-2019

## Software

PolyChord	Sole author and maintainer:	github.com/PolyChord/PolyChordLite
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pyBAMBI Team maintainer: github.com/DarkMachines/pyBAMBI

anesthetic Principle author and maintainer: github.com/williamjameshandley/anesthetic

fgivenx Sole author and maintainer: github.com/williamjameshandley/fgivenx primordial Sole author and maintainer: github.com/williamjameshandley/primordial

ModeCode Maintainer: modecode.org

MultiNest Maintainer: github.com/farhanferoz/MultiNest

Open source scipy: Weighted kernel density estimation in scipy.stats.gaussian\_kde

matplotlib: Vertical slider in matplotlib.widgets.Slider

# Interaction with industry

PolyChord Founded start-up company PolyChord Ltd. to bring Bayesian methods & tools from cosmology to Machine Learning & Biotech industries: polychord.co.uk

AnyVision Working collaboratively as part of STFC grant to apply Bayesian sparse reconstruction to facial recognition

Shell Work with department postdocs in the department applying nested sampling to geophysics

DSTL Consult for government defence research using Bayesian inference

CMAM Consult for local finance company on Bayesian algorithmic trading

#### In the media

2020 **Quanta Magazine**, *Modified gravity in cosmology led by Will Barker* quantamagazine.org/why-is-the-universe-expanding-so-fast-20200427/

2019 KICC annual report, Compromise-free Bayesian cosmology & AstroHack week kicc.cam.ac.uk/aboutus/kicc-annual-report-2019

# Computer skills

Programming MPI parallelisation, C++, FORTRAN, Mathematica, Maple, Python

Computing Unix, Bash, zsh, vim, git, svn, LATEX, TikZ, VMs, CI

OS Arch Linux & HPC supercomputing (Experienced), Windows & OSX (Familiar)

### References

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## Publications:

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- [1] **Will Handley** and Pablo Lemos. Quantifying the global parameter tensions between ACT, SPT, and Planck. *PRD*, 103(6):063529, March 2021.
- [2] Will Handley. Primordial power spectra for curved inflating universes. PRD, 100(12):123517, July 2019.
- Will Handley. Curvature tension: Evidence for a closed universe. PRD, 103(4):L041301, February 2021.
- [4] Will Handley and Pablo Lemos. Quantifying tensions in cosmological parameters: Interpreting the DES evidence ratio. PRD, 100(4):043504, August 2019.
- [5] **Will Handley** and Pablo Lemos. Quantifying dimensionality: Bayesian cosmological model complexities. *PRD*, 100(2):023512, July 2019.
- [6] **Will Handley**, Anthony Lasenby, and Mike Hobson. Logolinear series expansions with applications to primordial cosmology. *PRD*, 99(12):123512, June 2019.
- [7] Will Handley. anesthétic: nested sampling visualisation. JOSS, 4:1414, May 2019.
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- [9] **Will J. Handley**, Anthony N. Lasenby, Hiranya V. Peiris, and Michael P. Hobson. Bayesian inflationary reconstructions from Planck 2018 data. *PRD*, 100(10):103511, November 2019.
- [10] Will Handley. fgivenx: A Python package for functional posterior plotting. JOSS, 3(28):849, August 2018.
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- [14] **W. J. Handley**, M. P. Hobson, and A. N. Lasenby. polychord: nested sampling for cosmology. *MNRAS*, 450:L61–L65, June 2015.
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#### Other publications

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- [17] D. J. Bartlett, **W. J. Handley**, and A. N. Lasenby. Improved cosmological fits with quantized primordial power spectra. *arXiv*, 2104.01938, April 2021.
- [18] Metha Prathaban and **Will Handley**. Rescuing Palindromic Universes with Improved Recombination Modelling. *arXiv*, 2111.14588, November 2021.
- [19] F. J. Agocs, M. P. Hobson, **W. J. Handley**, and A. N. Lasenby. Dense output for highly oscillatory numerical solutions. *arXiv*, 2007.05013, July 2020.
- [20] F. J. Agocs, W. J. Handley, A. N. Lasenby, and M. P. Hobson. Efficient method for solving highly oscillatory ordinary differential equations with applications to physical systems. *Physical Review Research*, 2(1):013030, January 2020.
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- [25] Ayngaran Thavanesan, Denis Werth, and **Will Handley**. Analytical approximations for curved primordial power spectra. *PRD*, 103(2):023519, January 2021.
- [26] Zakhar Shumaylov and **Will Handley**. Primordial power spectra from k-inflation with curvature. *arXiv*, 2112.07547, December 2021.
- [27] T. Gessey-Jones and **W. J. Handley**. Constraining quantum initial conditions before inflation. *PRD*, 104(6):063532, September 2021.
- [28] Jàmie Bamber and **Will Handley**. Beyond the Runge-Kutta-Wentzel-Kramers-Brillouin method. *PRD*, 101(4):043517, February 2020.

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- [30] W. É. V. Barker, A. N. Lasenby, M. P. Hobson, and W. J. Handley. Nonlinear Hamiltonian analysis of new quadratic torsion theories: Cases with curvature-free constraints. *PRD*, 104(8):084036, October 2021.
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