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**Employment**

- Postdoc, Chalmers University of Technology, Göteborg, Sweden 2021.11 – present
- European Southern Observatory (ESO) Fellow, Santiago, Chile 2017.11 – 2021.10  
(50% independent research + 50% ALMA duty)

**Education**

- (Co-tutelle) PhD of Astrophysics  
Institut d'Astrophysique Spatiale, Université Paris-Saclay, France 2014 – 2017  
Purple Mountain Observatory, Chinese Academy of Sciences, P.R. China 2013 – 2017
- Master of Astrophysics  
Astronomy Department, Beijing Normal University, P.R. China 2010 – 2013  
Master's degree in Astrophysics,
- Bachelor of Astronomy,  
Astronomy Department, Beijing Normal University, P.R. China 2006 – 2010

**Research Interests**

- Obscured galaxy nuclei near and far
- Submillimeter water maser in high-redshift galaxies
- Millimeter and submillimeter molecular spectral line surveys at high redshifts
  - **SUNRISE** – Submillimeter molecUlar liNe suRveys in dIstant duSty galaxiEs
- Submillimeter H<sub>2</sub>O lines as the ISM tracers in dusty galaxies near and far

**31 accepted  
PI Proposals  
531 h in total**  
(<sup>A/B</sup>: A/B-rated)

- The Atacama Large Mm/submm Array (**ALMA**), **8 proposals, 63.9 h<sup>12m</sup> + 50 h<sup>7m</sup>**. since 2017
  - 2017.A.00053.S (ACA observatory filler program, **50 h**);
  - 2018.1.00861.S<sup>B</sup>(EU, **10.4 h**), 2018.1.00797.S<sup>B</sup>(EU, **6.6 h**), 2018.1.01710.S(EU, **9.1 h**);
  - 2019.1.00205.S<sup>B</sup>(EU, **23.2 h**), 2019.1.00533.S<sup>B</sup>(EU, **4.8 h**), 2019.1.00310.S(EU, **8.0 h**);
  - 2022.1.00172.S(EU, **31.8 h**);
- The NOthern Extended Millimeter Array (**NOEMA**), **13 proposals, 138 h**. since 2013
  - W0B3<sup>B</sup>, S14CT<sup>B</sup>, S15CT<sup>B</sup>, W15EQ<sup>B</sup>, S16CG<sup>B</sup>, S16CF<sup>B</sup>, S16BT<sup>B</sup>, W16DQ<sup>B</sup>, W16DO<sup>B</sup>, S18DC<sup>A</sup>, S18CT<sup>A</sup>, W18EB<sup>A</sup>, W22DT<sup>B</sup>;
- The IRAM-30m telescope (**IRAM-30m**), **3 proposals, 76 h**. since 2015
  - 079-15<sup>A</sup>, 196-15<sup>B</sup>, 076-16<sup>A</sup>;
- The Karl G. Jansky Very Large Array (**JVLA**/NRAO), **3 proposals, 47 h**. since 2014
  - 14B-259<sup>B</sup>, 15B-177, 18B-190;
- The Atacama Pathfinder EXperiment (**APEX**/ESO) telescope, **2 proposal, 55 h**. since 2016
  - 097.B-0914<sup>B</sup> (SEPIA-5), 103.B-0471<sup>A</sup> (SEPIA-9);
- The Green Bank Telescope (**GBT**/GBO) telescope, **2 proposal, 63 h**. since 2020
  - 21A-093<sup>A</sup> (W-band); 22B-020<sup>A</sup> (W-band)

> 140 accepted proposals as a co-I, including:

ALMA (48 proposals, 8 A + 17 B + 23 C), NOEMA (65 A/B, including 1 large program, **z-GAL**), JVLA (9: 15B-320, 17A-151, 18A-340, 18B-190, 22A-211, 23A-030, VLBA/24A-234, 24A-212 and one large program **23B-169**), GTC(1), Spitzer (1), VLT (2, KMOS), IRAM-30m (6), APEX (2), JCMT (7, including 4 large programs, **JINGLE**, **MALATANG**, **AWESOME** and **RAGERS**), EVN(1) and GMRT (1 proposal).

**References**  
(alphabetical order)

- **Aalto, Susanne**: Professor, Chalmers University of Technology, Sweden • **Beelen, Alexandre**: Associate Astronomer, Laboratoire d'Astrophysique de Marseille, France • **Cox, Pierre**: Senior Scientist, Institut d'Astrophysique de Paris, France • **Gao, Yu\***: Professor, Xiamen University, China • **González-Alfonso, Eduardo**: Professor, University of Alcalá, Spain • **Impellizzeri, Violette**: Program manager, Allegro ARC, Leiden Observatory, the Netherlands • **Omont,**

Professor Yu Gao sadly **passed away** in 2022 at the age of 59.

**Alain:** Emeritus Senior Scientist, Institut d'Astrophysique de Paris, France

**Observing  
Experience**  
([> 1200 h](#))

- The IRAM 30m telescope (IRAM30/IRAM), 2013–2016: > 100 h;
- The James Clerk Maxwell Telescope (JCMT/EAO), 2016: > 100 h;
- The ALMA Observatory (ALMA/JAO), 2018–2021: (AoD) > 1000 h.

**Professional  
Service**

- Referee for scientific journals: *ApJ*, *A&A*, *PASJ*;
- Expert external proposal reviewer for *JWST*, *HST*, and *JCMT*;
- Individual reviewer for the Science and Technology Facilities Council (STFC, UK);
- Member of the ESO (Chile) Fellowship Selection Committee (2019–2020);
- Member of the ALMA (JAO) Post-Doctoral Fellow Selection Committee (2019);
- Technical Secretary of the ALMA Proposal Review meeting, 2018 (Cycle 6) – 2021 (Cycle 8);
- Co-organiser of the [ALMA proposal workshop at ESO](#) (2018, 2021);
- Organisers of the [CONquest 2023 workshop](#) (2023)

**Teaching  
&  
Mentorship**

- **Daysi Quinatoa** (Ph.D. student), Universidad de Valparaíso (Chile),  
APEX observation of the submillimeter H<sub>2</sub>O emission in nearby galaxies; 2021–2023
- **Malte Brinch** (PhD student), Cosmic Dawn Center (DAWN) DTU-space (Denmark),  
The excitation of [C I] lines in high-redshift dusty galaxies; 2021–2022
- **Nina Grant** (Undergraduate student), Princeton International Internship program,  
Complete the rotation curve of NGC 7528 with neutral carbon emission; June–August 2019
- Lecture, Advance topics of astrophysics and astrobiology, Universidad Andrés Bello, Chile;  
The ISM in high-redshift dusty star-forming galaxies. 2<sup>nd</sup> Semester 2019

**Grants &  
Awards**

- **ESO Science Support Discretionary Fund (SSDF) - 9,000 EUR** 2020–2021  
Student mentoring project (on extragalactic [C I]) at European Southern Observatory
- **IAP Visitorship Grant - 700 EUR/week** March, 2020; May, 2019; July, 2018  
Institut d'Astrophysique de Paris, France
- **ESO Fellowship** 2017–2021  
European Southern Observatory, Chile
- **International Astronomical Union (IAU) Travel Grant - 1,100 USD** August 3–14, 2015  
XXIX IAU General Assembly, Honolulu, Hawaii, USA
- **The LIA-Origins Short Visit Program Grant - 3,000 EUR** 2012, 2013  
Institut d'Astrophysique de Paris & Institut d'Astrophysique Spatiale, France
- **Graduate with distinguished honour** 2010  
At the municipality level, and school level
- **National Astronomical Observatories Scholarship** 2009  
National Astronomical Observatory of China
- **National Undergraduate Innovative Test Program Grant - 10,000 CNY** 2008  
National grant for the project: Design of the experiments for the course “Radio Astronomy”

**Refereed  
Publications  
in Journals**  
(<sup>†</sup>: 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup> author)  
[NASA/ADS Lib.](#)

- NASA/ADS citation metrics: 1029 citations in total, including 281 citations of the 1<sup>st</sup>-author papers;  
The most-cited 1<sup>st</sup>-author paper has 101 citations; h-index = 18, h-index/(years since PhD defence) = 3*
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K. Kade, K.K. Knudsen, A. Bewketu Belete, [C. Yang](#), S. König, F. Stanley, and J. Scholtz 2024, [A&A in press](#) (arXiv: 2312.10267);
  49. **Double, Double, Toil and Trouble: The tails, bubbles and knots of the local CON galaxy NGC 4418**  
C. F. Wethers, S. Aalto, G. C. Privon, F. Stanley, J. Gallagher, M. Gorski, S. König, K. Onishi, M. Sato, [C. Yang](#), R. Beswick, L. Barcos-Muñoz, F. Combes et al. 2024, [A&A accepted](#);
  - <sup>†</sup>48. **The first ground-based detection of the 752 GHz water line in local ultra-luminous infrared galaxies using APEX-SEPIA** (student's paper)  
Daysi Quinatoa, [Chentao Yang](#), Edo Ibar, Elizabeth Humphreys, Susanne Aalto, Loreto Barcos-Muñoz, Eduardo González-Alfonso, Violette Impellizzeri et al. 2024, [MNRAS](#), 527, 6321;
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- E. Borsato, L. Marchetti, M. Negrello, E. M. Corsini, D. Wake, A. Amvrosiadis, ..., Lingyu Wang, [C. Yang](#) and Anthony Young 2023, *MNRAS in press* (arXiv: 2311.01158);
- †46. **SUNRISE: The rich molecular inventory of high-redshift dusty galaxies revealed by broadband spectral line surveys**  
[Chentao Yang](#), Alain Omont, Sergio Martín, Thomas G. Bisbas, Pierre Cox, Alexandre Beelen, Eduardo González-Alfonso, Raphaël Gavazzi, Susanne Aalto et al. 2023, *A&A*, 680, A95; ([Chalmers Press Release](#), [Space.com](#), [A&A Press Release](#), , [Phys.org](#)),
  45. **z-GAL – A NOEMA spectroscopic redshift survey of bright Herschel galaxies: [III] Physical properties**  
 S. Berta, F. Stanley, D. Ismail, P. Cox, R. Neri, [C. Yang](#), A. J. Young, S. Jin, H. Dannerbauer, T. J. L. C. Bakx et al. 2023, *A&A*, 678, 28;
  44. **z-GAL – A NOEMA spectroscopic redshift survey of bright Herschel galaxies: [II] Dust properties**  
 D. Ismail, A. Beelen, V. Buat, S. Berta, P. Cox, F. Stanley, A. Young, S. Jin, R. Neri, T. Bakx,..., [C. Yang](#), A. J. Baker et al. 2023, *A&A*, 678, 27;
  43. **z-GAL – A NOEMA spectroscopic redshift survey of bright Herschel galaxies: [I] Overview**  
 P. Cox, R. Neri, S. Berta, D. Ismail, F. Stanley, A. Young, A. Young, S. Jin, T. Bakx, ..., A. Weiss, P. van der Werf and [C. Yang](#) 2023, *A&A*, 678, 26;
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 Lei Zhang, Zhi-Yu Zhang, James. W. Nightingale, Ze-Cheng Zou, Xiaoyue Cao, Chao-Wei Tsai, [Chentao Yang](#), Yong Shi, Junzhi Wang et al. 2023, *MNRAS*, 524, 3671;
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 F. Stanley, B. M. Jones, D. Riechers, [C. Yang](#), S. Berta, P. Cox, T.J.L.C. Bakx et al. 2023, *ApJ*, 945, 24
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- †16. **CO, H<sub>2</sub>O, H<sub>2</sub>O<sup>+</sup> line and dust emission in a  $z = 3.63$  strongly lensed starburst merger at sub-kiloparsec scales;**  
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  15. **Planck's Dusty GEMS. VII. Atomic carbon and molecular gas in dusty starburst galaxies at  $z = 2$  to 4;**  
 N. P. H. Nesvadba, R. Cañameras, R. Kneissl, S. Koenig, [C. Yang](#), E. Le Floc'h, A. Omont and D. Scott [2019, A&A, 624, A23](#);
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 J. Molina, E. Ibar, V. Villanueva, A. Escala, C. Cheng, M. Baes, H. Messias, [C. Yang](#), F.E. Bauer, P. P. Van der Werf, R. Leiton, M. Aravena, ..., S. Eales & L. Dunne [2019, MNRAS, 482, 1499](#);
  - †13. **Planck's Dusty GEMS. VI. Multi-*J* CO excitation and interstellar medium conditions in dusty starburst galaxies at  $z = 2$ – $4$ ;** ([IRAM Press Release](#), [CEA Press Release](#))  
 R. Cañameras, [C. Yang](#), N. P. H. Nesvadba, A. Beelen, R. Kneissl, S. Koenig, E. Le Floc'h, M. Limousin, S. Malhotra, A. Omont, D. Scott [2018, A&A, 620, A61](#);
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 Amélie Saintonge, Christine D. Wilson, Ting Xiao, Lihwai Lin, Ho Seong Hwang, Tomoka Tosaki, ..., [Chentao Yang](#), Ming Zhu et al. [2018, MNRAS, 481, 3497](#);
  11. **Far-infrared *Herschel* SPIRE spectroscopy of lensed starbursts reveals physical conditions of ionised gas;**  
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  10. **Extreme conditions in the molecular gas of lensed star-forming galaxies at  $z \sim 3$ ;**  
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  9. **The MALATANG Survey: the  $L_{\text{gas}} - L_{\text{IR}}$  correlation on sub-kiloparsec scale in six nearby star-forming galaxies as traced by HCN  $J = 4 - 3$  and HCO<sup>+</sup>  $J = 4 - 3$ ;**  
 Qing-Hua Tan, Yu Gao, Zhi-Yu Zhang, Thomas Greve, Xue-Jian Jiang, Christine Wilson, [Chen-Tao Yang](#), Ashley Bemis, Aeree Chung et al. [2018, ApJ, 860, 165](#);
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  7. **The *Herschel* Bright Sources (HerBS): Sample definition and SCUBA-2 observations;**  
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[C. Yang](#), A. Omont, A. Beelen, Y. Gao, P. van der Werf, R. Gavazzi, Z.-Y. Zhang, R. Ivison, M. Lehnert, D. Liu, I. Oteo, E. González-Alfonso et al. [2017, A&A, 608, A144](#);
  - †4. **Submillimeter H<sub>2</sub>O and H<sub>2</sub>O<sup>+</sup> emission in lensed ultra- and hyper-luminous infrared galaxies at  $z \sim 2$ – $4$ ;**  
[C. Yang](#), A. Omont, A. Beelen, E. González-Alfonso, R. Neri, Y. Gao, P. van der Werf, A. Weiß, R. Gavazzi, N. Falstad, A. J. Baker, R. S. Bussmann, A. Cooray et al. [2016, A&A, 595, A80](#);
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&  
Reviews  
In prep.

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Y. Nishimura, S. Aalto, M. D. Gorski, S. König, K. Onishi, C. Wethers, C. Yang, L. Barcos-Muñoz, F. Combes, T. Díaz-Santos, J. S. Gallagher et al., submitted to *A&A*;
- **CONFirm: A Spectacular Galactic Scale MHD-Powered Wind in ESO 320-G030**  
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- **Dust and Cold Gas Properties of Starburst HyLIRG-Quasars at *z* ~ 2.5**  
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- **A candidate dusty protocluster core surrounding a binary galaxy system**  
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- **Serendipitous Discovery of an Optically-Dark Hyper-Luminous Infrared Galaxy at *z* = 3.4**  
Natsuki H. Hayatsu, Zhi-Yu Zhang, R.J. Ivison, Chao-wei Tsai, ..., Chentao Yang, ... and Junfeng Wang, submitted to *MNRAS*;

*Invited Review* • **Extragalactic water new and far**

Chentao Yang, Eduardo González-Alfonso & Alain Omont, to be submitted to Royal Society Open Science (RSOS);

**Presentations** 2015-2024, ordered by category: 2 *invited* conference talks, 12 *contributed* talks, and 18 (incl. 9 *invited*) (<sup>‡</sup>: *invited*) seminar/colloquium talks

<sup>‡</sup> *Invited review talk* • “Water in the Universe” Symposium, ACS Fall 2019 National Meeting & Exposition, San Diego, California, USA August 25–29, 2019

**Water vapor in galaxies at high redshift**

<sup>‡</sup> *Invited conference talk* • The ALMA Quest for Our Cosmic Origins, Joint ALMA Observatory (JAO), Vitacura, Santiago, Chile March 27, 2018

**Physical conditions of the ISM in high-redshift lensed submillimeter galaxies**

*Contributed talk* • The Devil is in the Detail: Extragalactic Astronomy at High Resolution, DTU, Kongens Lyngby, Denmark January 11–12, 2024

**5–12 pc resolution ALMA imaging of gas and dust in the obscured compact nucleus of IRAS 17578-0400**

*Contributed talk* • Galaxy Formation in Hangzhou: Observations and Physics of AGN Feedback (AGN Feedback 2023), Hangzhou, China October 9–13, 2023

**5–12 pc resolution ALMA imaging of gas and dust in the obscured compact nucleus of IRAS 17578-0400**

*Contributed talk* • Tuning to the High Frequency ALMA Universe, the Lorentz Center @Oort, Leiden, the Netherlands September 4–8, 2023

**A Long Way Home: extragalactic submillimeter water lines from high-redshift to our local Universe**

*Contributed talk* • 2023 Kavli-IAU Astrochemistry Symposium: Astrochemistry VIII - From the First Galaxies to the Formation of Habitable Worlds, Traverse City, USA July 10–14, 2023

**The rich molecular inventory of high-redshift dusty galaxies revealed by broadband spectral line surveys**

*Contributed talk* • Black hole winds at all scales, IAUS 378, Technion, Haifa, Israel March 12–16, 2023

**5–12 pc resolution ALMA imaging of gas and dust in the obscured compact nucleus of IRAS 17578-0400**

*Contributed talk* • Behind a Curtain of Dust IV, Sexten Bozen, Italy July 11–15, 2022

**The rich molecular inventory of dusty galaxies at high redshifts**

*Contributed talk* • Multi-line Diagnostics of the Interstellar Medium, Nice, France April 4–6, 2022

**The rich molecular inventory of two dusty galaxies twelve billion years ago**

*Contributed talk* • KIAA forum on gas in galaxies: Multiple-phase Interstellar medium – Probing the Activities and

- Power Engines from Local to Distant Universe, Beijing, China September 9–13, 2019  
**The interstellar medium in high-redshift strongly gravitational lensed galaxies**
- Contributed talk* • Views on the Interstellar Medium in galaxies in the ALMA era, Bologna, Emilia-Romagna, Italy September 2–6, 2019  
**Studying the ISM in high-redshift strongly lensed galaxies in the ALMA era**
- Contributed talk* • The Laws of Star Formation: From the Cosmic Dawn to the Present Universe, Cambridge University, UK July 2–6, 2018  
**Molecular gas in high-redshift strongly lensed dusty starbursts as traced by multi-/CO lines**
- Contributed talk* • The Eighth Sino-French “LIA-origins” Workshop: Probing Baryons in the Universe, Sèvres, Hauts-de-Seine, France November 14–18, 2016  
**H<sub>2</sub>O and H<sub>2</sub>O<sup>+</sup> emission in lensed hyper/ultra-luminous infrared galaxies at  $z \sim 2-4$**
- Contributed talk* • Water in the Universe: From Clouds to Oceans, European Space Agency (ESA/ESTEC), Noordwijk, Netherlands April 11–15, 2016  
**H<sub>2</sub>O Emission in Ultra-luminous Infrared Galaxies at High- $z$**
- ‡Colloquium talk* • University of Massachusetts Amherst & the Five College Astronomy Department, Massachusetts, USA February 25, 2021  
**Physical conditions of the ISM in dusty star-forming galaxies in the early universe**
- Colloquium talk* • European Southern Observatory (ESO Santiago), Chile November 21, 2019  
**Water vapor in galaxies near and far**
- ‡Seminar talk* • Department of astronomy, Nanjing University, Nanjing, China October 13, 2023  
**SUNRISE: The rich molecular inventory of high-redshift dusty galaxies revealed by broadband spectral line surveys**
- ‡Seminar talk* • Xinjiang Astronomical Observatory, Urumqi, China October 7, 2023  
**SUNRISE: The rich molecular inventory of high-redshift dusty galaxies revealed by broadband spectral line surveys**
- ‡Seminar talk* • South-Western Institute For Astronomy Research (SWIFR), China (online) October 12, 2022  
**The dusty ISM in high-redshift strongly lensed submillimeter galaxies**
- ‡Seminar talk* • Ecole Normale Supérieure (ENS), Paris, France (online) May 19, 2022  
**The dusty ISM in high-redshift strongly lensed submillimeter galaxies**
- ‡Seminar talk* • The Dominion Radio Astrophysical Observatory (DRAO), Kaleden, British Columbia, Canada (online) October 7, 2020  
**Extragalactic water across cosmic time**
- ‡Seminar talk* • CAS South America Center for Astronomy, Santiago, Chile January 8, 2020  
**Water vapor in galaxies near and far**
- ‡Seminar talk* • Astronomy Department, Beijing Normal University, China September 9, 2019  
**Water vapor in galaxies near and far**
- ‡Seminar talk* • The Cosmic Dawn Center, DTU-Space division, Denmark December 12, 2018  
**Physical conditions of the ISM in strongly lensed dusty star-forming galaxies in the early universe**
- Seminar talk* • Zhejiang Lab, Hangzhou, China October 13, 2023  
**SUNRISE: The rich molecular inventory of high-redshift dusty galaxies revealed by broadband spectral line surveys**
- Seminar talk* • Shanghai Observatory, Shanghai, China October 9, 2023  
**SUNRISE: The rich molecular inventory of high-redshift dusty galaxies revealed by broadband spectral line surveys**
- Seminar talk* • Centre for Extragalactic Astronomy, Durham University, UK June 29, 2018  
**Physical conditions of the interstellar medium in strongly lensed submillimeter galaxies at high-redshift**
- Seminar talk* • Department of Physics, Oxford University, UK June 28, 2018  
**Physical conditions of the ISM in high-redshift strongly lensed dusty star-forming galaxies**
- Seminar talk* • Instituto de Física y Astronomía, Universidad de Valparaíso, Chile January 18, 2018  
**Physical conditions of the ISM in high-redshift lensed submillimeter galaxies**
- Seminar talk* • Institute of Astrophysics, PUC de Chile, Santiago, Chile December 20, 2017  
**Physical conditions of the interstellar medium in high-redshift lensed submillimeter galaxies**

- Seminar talk* • [CAS South America Center for Astronomy, Santiago, Chile](#) December 11, 2017  
**Tracing the physical conditions of the interstellar medium in high-redshift lensed submillimeter galaxies**
- Seminar talk* • [Astronomy Department, Beijing Normal University, China](#) December 23, 2016  
**Physical conditions of the ISM in high-redshift submillimeter galaxies**

## Computer Skills

Languages: [Shell \(Unix/Linux\)](#), [Python \(NumPy, Pandas, Matplotlib, etc.\)](#), [Julia](#), [IDL](#), [FORTRAN](#), [MATLAB](#),  [\$\text{\LaTeX}\$](#)

Operating systems: [GNU/Linux \(CentOS, openSUSE, Ubuntu, etc.\)](#), [macOS](#), [Windows](#)

Astronomy Softwares: [GILDAS](#), [Starlink](#), [CARTA](#), [CASA](#), [HIPE](#), [TOPCAT](#), [DS9](#)

## Outreach Experiences

- **Core member of the Astronomy Club** 2007-2009  
[Beijing Normal University](#)
- **Authors of outreach articles (6 in total)** 2014-2017  
[The “Amateur Astronomer” magazine](#)  
(sponsored by Chinese Astronomical Society & Beijing Planetarium)
- **ALMA virtual tour guider** November 5, 2020  
[Virtual guided tour of the ESO sites \(for ESO Studentship candidates\)](#)

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