

Yi-Ming Hu

Curriculum Vitae

Education

2011–2015 Ph.D. in Physics and Astronomy, The University of Glasgow, UK.

2007–2011 Bachelor of Science in Astronomy, Nanjing University, China.

Work experience

2017-Present **Associate Professor**, School of Physics and Astronomy, Sun Yat-sen University, China.

2015–2017 **Postdoc**, Research Institute of Information Technology, Tsinghua University, China.

2015–2016 **Junior Scientist/Postdoc**, The Max Planck Institute for Gravitational Physics (Albert Einstein Institute), Germany.

Research interests

TianQin My primary research interest is to explore the astronomy and fundemental physics that could be achieved through the construction of TianQin, a proposed space-based gravitational wave detectior. My current affiliation is TianQin research center for gravitational physics.

GW As an astronomer deep down, I'm studying all possible gravitational wave sources astronomy for space-based GW missions, ranging from Galactic compact binaries, stellar mass compact binary inspirals, extreme mass-ratio inspirals, massive black hole binary mergers, as well as stochastic gravitational wave background.

Data Analysis I'm a Bayesinism, and my previous experience in LIGO equipped me with knowledge to perform GW data analysis related to space-based GW missions. I plan to construct data analysis pipelines for all sorts of potential sources to TianQin, to detect signals out of noise, and to measure parameters upon detected events.

Awards, Honors and Grants

2020 TianHe star prize for excellent supercomputer application, rewarded by the TianHe supercomputer (rank 6th fastest supercomputer) to the work on Fan et al. PRD 102 063016

- 2019 Guangdong Major Project of Basic and Applied Basic Research (co-I, responsible for 10M RMB), Contract No. 2019B030302001
- 2019 Member of Guangdong Association of Young scientists
- 2019 New star award for teaching, SYSU
- 2017- Serve as referee for journals like Astron. J., Res. Astron. Astrophys., Acta. Phys. Sin.
- 2017 NSFC, Grant No. 11703098
- 2017 Physics World Breakthrough of the Year (shared with 1,000+ collaborators)
- 2017 Science Breakthrough of the Year (shared with 1,000+ collaborators)
- 2017 Princess of Asturias Award for Technical and Scientific Research (shared with 1,000+collaborators)
- 2017 Bruno Rossi Prize awarded by the High Energy Astrophysics Division of the American Astronomical Society (shared with 1,000+ collaborators)
- 2017 UK Royal Astronomical Society Group Achievement Award in Astronomy (shared with 1,000+ collaborators)
- 2017 Special Breakthrough Prize in Fundamental Physics (shared with 1,000+ collaborators)
- 2016 Physics World Breakthrough of the Year (shared with 1,000+ collaborators)
- 2016 Gruber Prize in Cosmology (shared with 1,000+ collaborators)
- 2016 The Intellectual's writers of 2016 (for outreach article related to gravitational wave)
- 2013 Principal's Early Career Mobility Fund
- 2011 China Scholarship Council Scholarship
- 2010 National Aspiration Scholarship

Selected Publication List († means corresponding author)

- 2020 **The TianQin project: current progress on science and technology**, *Jianwei Mei* et al., Progress of Theoretical and Experimental Physics, ptaa114.
- Following up the afterglow: strategy for X-ray observation triggered by gravitational wave events, Hui Tong, Mu-Xin Liu, Yi-Ming Hu[†], Man Leong Chan, Martin Hendry, Zhu Liu, Hui Sun, arXiv e-print, 2005.11076.
- 2020 Science with the TianQin Observatory: Preliminary result on extreme-mass-ratio inspirals, Hui-Min Fan, Yi-Ming Hu[†], Enrico Barausse, Alberto Sesana, Jian-Dong Zhang[†], Xuefeng Zhang, Tie-Guang Zi, Jianwei Mei[†], Physical Review D, vol. 102, 063016.
- 2020 Science with the TianQin Observatory: Preliminary Results on Galactic Double White Dwarf Binaries, Shun-Jia Huang, Yi-Ming Hu[†], Valeriya Korol, Peng-Cheng Li, Zheng-Cheng Liang, Yang Lu, Hai-Tian Wang, Shenghua Yu, Jianwei Mei[†], Physical Review D, vol. 102, 063021.
- 2020 Science with the TianQin observatory: Preliminary results on stellar-mass binary black holes, Shuai Liu[†], Yi-Ming Hu[†], Jian-dong Zhang[†], Jianwei Mei[†], Physical Review D, vol. 101, 103027.

- 2020 Post-Newtonian waveform for charged binary black hole inspirals and analysis with GWTC-1 events, Hai-Tian Wang[†], Peng-Cheng Li[†], Jin-Liang Jiang, Yi-Ming Hu, Yi-Zhong Fan[†], arXiv e-print, 2004.12421.
- 2020 Is GW190425 Consistent with Being a Neutron Star–Black Hole Merger?, Ming-Zhe Han, Shao-Peng Tang, Yi-Ming Hu, Yin-Jie Li, Jin-Liang Jiang, Zhi-Ping Jin, Yi-Zhong Fan[†], Da-Ming Wei, Astrophysical Journal Letters, vol. 891, L5.
 - This work gets highlighted in astrobites
- 2019 Constraining modified gravity with ringdown signals: an explicit example, Jiahui Bao, Changfu Shi, Haitian Wang, Jian-dong Zhang[†], **Yiming Hu**, Jianwei Mei, Jun Luo, Physical Review D, vol. 100, 084024.
- 2019 **TianQin project and international collaboration**, **Yi-Ming Hu**, Jianwei Mei, Jun Luo[†], Chinese Science Bulletin, vol. 64, no. 24, p. 2475-2483.
- Results from an Einstein@Home search for continuous gravitational waves from Cassiopeia A, Vela Jr. and G347.3, Jing Ming[†], Maria Alessandra Papa, Avneet Singh, Heinz-Bernd Eggenstein, Sylvia J. Zhu, Vladimir Dergachev, Yi-Ming Hu, Reinhard Prix, Bernd Machenschalk, Christian Beer, Oliver Behnke, Bruce Allen, Physical Review D, vol. 100, 024063.
- 2019 Science with TianQin: Preliminary Results on Testing the No-hair Theorem with Ringdown Signals, Changfu Shi, Jiahui Bao, Haitian Wang, Jian-dong Zhang[†], **Yi-Ming Hu**, Alberto Sesana, Enrico Barausse, Jianwei Mei, Jun Luo, Physical Review D, vol. 100, 044036.
- 2019 Science with TianQin: Preliminary Results on Massive Black Hole Binaries, Hai-Tian Wang, Zhen Jiang, Alberto Sesana, Enrico Barausse, Shun-Jia Huang, Yi-Fan Wang, Wen-Fan Feng, Yan Wang, Yi-Ming Hu[†], Jianwei Mei, Jun Luo, Physical Review D, vol. 100, 043003.
- Preliminary study on parameter estimation accuracy of supermassive black hole binary inspirals for TianQin, Wen-Fan Feng, Hai-Tian Wang, Xin-Chun Hu, Yi-Ming Hu[†], Yan Wang[†], Physical Review D, vol. 99, 123002.
- 2018 **Gravitational waves induced by the asymmetric jets of gamma-ray bursts**, *Shuang Du, Xiao-Dong Li*[†], **Yi-Ming Hu**, Fang-Kun Peng, Miao Li, Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society, vol. 480, no. 1, p. 402-406.
- 2018 Fundamentals of the orbit and response for TianQin, Xin-Chun Hu, Xiao-Hong Li, Yan Wang[†], Wen-Fan Feng, Ming-Yue Zhou, **Yi-Ming Hu**, Shou-Cun Hu, Jian-Wei Mei, Cheng-Gang Shao, Classical and Quantum Gravity, vol. 35, no. 9, 095008
- Optimizing searches for electromagnetic counterparts of gravitational wave triggers, Michael W Coughlin[†], Duo Tao, Man Leong Chan, Deep Chatterjee, Nelson Christensen, Shaon Ghosh, Giuseppe Greco, **Yiming Hu**, Shasvath Kapadia, Javed Rana, Om Sharan Salafia, Christopher Stubbs, Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society, vol. 478, no.1 p. 692-702.
- 2017 Science Prospects for Space-borne Gravitational Wave Missions, *Yi-Ming Hu*[†], *Jianwei Mei, Jun Luo*, National Science Review, vol. 4, no. 5, p. 683-684.

- 2017 Excitation of high frequency voices from intermediate-mass-ratio inspirals with large eccentricity, Wen-Biao Han[†], Zhoujian Cao, **Yi-Ming Hu**[†], Classical and Quantum Gravity, vol. 34, no. 22, p. 225010.
- 2017 Neutron Star—Black Hole Coalescence Rate Inferred from Macronova Observations, Xiang Li, Yi-Ming Hu[†], Zhi-Ping Jin, Yi-Zhong Fan[†], Da-Ming Wei, Astrophysical Journal Letters, vol. 844, no. 2, p. L22.
- 2017 **Systematic errors in estimation of gravitational-wave candidate significance**, *Collin Capano, Thomas Dent, Chad Hanna, Martin Hendry,* **Yi-Ming Hu**[†], *Chris Messenger, John Veitch*, Physical Review D, vol. 96, p. 082002.
- 2017 Maximising the detection probability of kilonovae associated with gravitational wave observations, Man Leong Chan, Yi-Ming Hu[†], Chris Messenger, Martin Hendry, Ik Siong Heng, Astrophysical Journal, vol. 834, no. 1, p. 84.
- 2016 Long-short GRBs within the horizon of the advanced LIGO/VIRGO network and Time lag between compact object coalescence and GRB onset, *Xiang Li*, *Yi-Ming Hu*, *Yi-Zhong Fan*[†], *Da-Ming Wei*, Astrophysical Journal, vol. 827, no. 1, p. 75.
- 2015 Global Optimisation for Future Gravitational Wave Detectors' Sites, *Yi-Ming Hu*[†], Peter Raffai, Laszlo Gondan, Ik Siong Heng, Nandor Kelecsenyi, Martin Hendry, Zsuzsa Marka, Szabolcs Marka, Classical and Quantum Gravity, vol. 32, no. 10, p. 105010.
- 2014 **Glitch or anti-glitch: a Bayesian view**, **Yi-Ming Hu**[†], Matthew Pitkin, Ik Siong Heng, and Martin A. Hendry, Astrophysical Journal Letters, vol. 784, no. 2, p. L41.

Conference and invited talks

- December **4th Seminar on TianQin science case, Zhuhai**, *Update on Astronomy Objective* 2020 *Study with TianQin*.
- November **SELF Forum (bay area)**, *Who is playing the TianQin*, streamed public talk. 2020
- November Invited talk at Tsung-Dao Lee Institute, Zoom, Science with the TianQin 2020 Observatory.
- September LISA XIII Symposium, YouTube/Bilibili, Science with the TianQin Observatory. 2020
- August 2020 **Series talks for GW physics summer school, Zoom**, *Science cases study for TianQin I/II*.
- August 2020 **SYSU summer camp, Guangzhou**, *History of GW astronomy and the TianQin project*.
 - July 2020 GrEAT network webinar, Zoom, Science with the TianQin Observatory.
 - May 2020 Fronterier talk for undergraduate, VooV meeting, Science with the TianQin Observatory.
 - December Invited talk at Guangzhou University, Guangzhou, Science with the TianQin 2019 Observatory.

- December The Sixth Workshop of TianQin Space Science Mission, Zhuhai, Progress on
 - 2019 Studies of TianQin Scientific Objectives.
- November KIAA Forum 2019: The Future of Gravitational Wave Astrophysics, Beijing,
 - 2019 Science with TianQin: Prospects and applications of massive black hole binaries
- November 3rd Seminar on TianQin science case, Zhuhai, 1. Prospect of TianQin on
 - 2019 Massive Black Hole Binaries and EMRI; 2. Prospect of TianQin on Stellar-mass Black Hole Binary.
- July 2019 GR22 Amaldi13 conference, Valencia, Science with TianQin: Preliminary Results on Massive Black Hole Binaries.
- May 2019 2nd Seminar on TianQin science case, Wuhan, Science with TianQin: Preliminary Results on Massive Black Hole Binaries.
- May 2019 2nd GrEAT meeting, Glasgow, Science with TianQin: Preliminary Results on Massive Black Hole Binaries.
- April 2019 **2019 CCNU-USTC Junior Cosmology Symposium, Wuhan**, Science with Tian-Qin: Preliminary Results on Massive Black Hole Binaries.
- April 2019 Invited talk at SYSU, Guangzhou, Science with TianQin: Preliminary Results on Massive Black Hole Binaries.
- March 2019 RESCEU Workshop on Space Gravitational-Wave Detection, Tokyo, Analysis of TianQin Scientific Objectives.
 - January Seminar on Simulation Technology of Space-based Gravitational Wave 2019 Detection, Zhuhai, Data analysis pipeline for space-based gravitational wave detections.
 - Janunary Invited talk at KIAA, Beijing, Analysis of TianQin Scientific Objectives. 2019
- December The Fifth Workshop of TianQin Space Science Mission, Zhuhai, Analysis of 2018 TianQin Scientific Objectives.
- September Advanced seminar of gravitational wave physics, Changsha, Analysis of Tian-2018 Qin scientific targets.
- July 2018 12th International LISA Symposium, Chicago, The Effect of the Earth Gravity Field Measurement Uncertainty on Gravitational Waves Detection with TianQin, poster.
- May 2018 2nd workshop on GW astrophysics, Xiamen, Introduction of TianQin mission.
- April 2018 Zhuhai Workshop on GW detection and Nucleosynthesis, Zhuhai, Introduction of TianQin mission.
- March 2018 Junior Cosmology Symposium: Gravitational Waves and Early Universe, Hefei, Impact of Earth Multiple Moments on TianQin Gravitational Wave Detection.
- March 2018 1st Seminar on TianQin science case, Zhuhai, Analysis of TianQin Science
 - December Invited talk at USTC, Hefei, Maximising the detection probability of kilonovae 2017 associated with gravitational wave observations.

- December Workshop on GW detection and Nucleosynthesis, Xinglong, Earth Gravity 2017 field effect on TianQin.
- November ACGRG9, Perth, Earth Gravity field effect on TianQin. 2017
- October 2017 **The 6th Beijing GW workshop, Beijing**, *Multiband Gravitational Wave astronomy*.
- August 2017 The 1st Youth GW workshop, Anji, NS-BH rate from macronovae observation.
 - June 2017 **Invited talk at Guangzhou University, Guangzhou**, *Progress of the TianQin project*.
 - May 2017 **Invited talk at Yunnan Observatory, Kunming**, *Maximising the detection probability of kilonovae associated with gravitational wave observations*.
 - April 2017 **The 5th Beijing GW workshop, Beijing**, *NS-BH rate from macronovae observation*.
- August 2016, **LVC meeting**, *Improvements of the line-robust statistic*. Glasgow
 - June 2016 **GWPAW, Boston**, Constructing a more physical Line-Robust Statistic, poster.
- March 2016 LVC meeting, Pasadena, Tuning of Bayesian statistics in Einstein@Home for O1.
 - April 2015 **BritGrav meeting, Birmingham**, Estimation of gravitational wave event statistical significance.
- September Invited talk at Caltech, Pasadena, Determine the optimal sites for Gravitational Wave Detectors.
- August 2014 **LVC meeting, Stanford**, Significance MDC progress and discussion the Hamlet test.