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POSITIONS

- Stony Brook University Associate Professor in Physics and Astronomy -Sept. 2018 - present
- Stony Brook University Assistant Professor in Physics and Astronomy -Sept. 2012 - Aug. 2018
- Princeton University NSF Postdoctoral Fellow Sept. 2011 Sept. 2012
- Stanford University/SLAC KIPAC Postdoctoral Fellow Oct. 2008 Sept. 2011

EDUCATION

- **Rutgers University**—Department of Physics and Astronomy *PhD in Astrophysics May 2008*
- Yale University—Department of Physics and Mathematics B.S. in Physics and Mathematics May 1999
 Distinction in Physics and Mathematics

CURRENT RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Dark Matter, Early Universe
- Neutrino Physics, Dark Energy
- Inflation, Quantum Gravity

FELLOWSHIPS, HONORS, AND AWARDS

- Perimeter Institute Visiting Fellowship (2022-present)
- Simons Foundation Visiting Scholar at the Flatiron Institute (2018-2019)
- Stony Brook Discovery Prize Finalist (2017)
- NSF Postdoctoral Fellowship (2011-2012)
- University and Bevier Dissertation Fellowship, Rutgers (2007-2008)
- GAANN fellowship, Rutgers (2003-2004)
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- Deforest Senior Prize in Mathematics, Yale (1999)

GRANTS

- Department of Energy, High Energy Physics Theory 2024-2028, PI
- Stony Brook OVPR Seed Grant 2024-2025, PI
- Department of Energy, High Energy Physics Theory 2019-2024, PI
- National Science Foundation, Astronomy & Astrophysics 2019-2023, PI
- Brookhaven National Laboratory LDRD 2019-2022, co-PI
- Stony Brook-Brookhaven Research Initiative Seed Grant 2016-2017, PI
- LSSTC and Simonyi-Gates Enabling Science Grant 2016, PI
- National Science Foundation, Astronomy & Astrophysics 2015-2018, PI
- Stony Brook-Brookhaven Research Initiative Seed Grant 2013-2014, PI

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY AND SERVICE

- Collaboration Leadership:
 - PI of CMB-HD Collaboration, 2019-present (https://cmb-hd.org)
 - Co-lead of Simons Observatory Lensing Science Working Group, 2016-present
 - Co-lead of ACTPol/AdvACT Lensing Science Working Group, 2014-present
 - Co-Lead of CMB-S4 Membership Working Group, 2017-2018
 - Lead editor of CMB Lensing Chapter of Simons Observatory Forecast Paper, 2018
 - Lead editor of CMB Lensing Chapter of CMB-S4 Science Book, 2015-2016

• Workshop Organizer:

- "New Discoveries in the Era of High-Resolution, Low-noise CMB Experiments",
 Aspen Center for Physics Summer Program, Sept. 2021
- "The CMB in HD: the low-noise high-resolution frontier" at the CCA, Dec. 2018
- "LSST Dark Energy Science Collaboration Meeting" at Stony Book, July 2017
- "Cross-correlation Spectacular with LSST" at Stony Book/BNL, May 2016
- "Cosmological Implications of the EBL" at KIPAC/SLAC, Dec. 2009

• Convener:

- Co-convener of the "Cosmology and Dark Energy" working group for the APS Division of Particles and Fields (DPF) meeting in Boston, Aug. 2019
- Co-convener of the "Cosmic Physics" working group for the Conference on the Intersections of Particle and Nuclear Physics (CIPANP18) in Palm Springs, CA, May/June 2018
- Co-convener of the "Cosmology and Astrophysics" working group for the APS Division of Particles and Fields (DPF) meeting at Fermilab, July/Aug 2017

- Lecturer at Summer School:
 - DMSS: A Dark Matter Summer School, University at Albany, SUNY, July 2018
 - Theoretical Advanced Study Institute in Elementary Particle Physics (TASI),
 "Anticipating the Next Discoveries in Particle Physics", Boulder CO 2016
- Review panel member for the following agencies from 2011 to present:
 - National Science Foundation (NSF)
 - Department of Energy (DOE)
 - National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA)
- Referee for the following journals:
 - Physical Review D, Journal of Cosmology and Astroparticle Physics,
 Astronomy & Astrophysics, Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society,
 The Astrophysical Journal

FORMER ADVISEES:

- Ho Nam Nguyen currently PhD student at University of Berkeley
- William Tyndall currently PhD student at Yale University
- Dongwon Han currently Postdoc at Cambridge University
- Mat Madhavacheril currently Faculty at University of Pennsylvania
- Alex van Engelen currently Faculty at Arizona State University

UNIVERSITY SERVICE

 Played integral role in creation of new Cosmology Cluster initiative at Stony Brook University resulting in four new Cosmology faculty positions, 2013

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- AST 101 Undergraduate Introduction to Astronomy
- AST 347 Undergraduate Cosmology
- PHY 524 Graduate Cosmology
- PHY 688 Graduate Special Topics in Astrophysics: The Dark Universe
- PHY 620 Modern General Relativity

INVITED COLLOQUIA, SEMINARS, AND TALKS

- * 67 invited talks
- 1. Brookhaven National Laboratory Physics Colloquium, July 30th, 2024
- 2. Stony Brook University Physics & Astronomy Colloquium, Feb. 27th, 2024
- 3. Simons Symposium on Illuminating Dark Matter, Germany, June 26th, 2023
- 4. Simons Center Lighting New Lampposts Workshop, NY, March 13th, 2023
- 5. University of Texas Austin Theory Group Seminar, Austin, TX, Nov. 29, 2022
- 6. City College of New York Colloquium, New York, NY, Sept. 28, 2022
- 7. Cosmological Probes of New Physics Workshop, U. of Maryland, Sept. 16, 2022
- 8. Waterloo Centre for Astrophysics Astro Seminar, January 20, 2021
- 9. University of Albany Physics Colloquium, Albany, NY, March, 6, 2020
- 10. Cosmological Frontiers in Fundamental Physics, Perimeter Institute, Sept. 19, 2019
- 11. STRONG-DM 2019, Vienna, Austria, Aug, 19, 2019
- 12. LSST Dark Matter Workshop, Chicago, IL, Aug. 6, 2019
- 13. Brookhaven National Laboratory HET Lunch Seminar, Brookhaven, July 19, 2019
- 14. AAS Special Session on Cosmological Probes of Dark Matter, June 10, 2019
- 15. NASA Goddard Physics Colloquium, Baltimore, MD, May 21, 2019
- 16. In Pursuit of New Particles and Paradigms, Aspen, March, 26, 2019
- 17. Accurate Lensing in the Era of Precision Cosmology, Berkeley, CA, Jan. 14, 2019
- 18. Novel Instrumentation for Fundamental Physics, Puerto Rico, November 30, 2018
- 19. Yale University Physics Colloquium, November 26, 2018
- 20. University of Toronto Physics Colloquium, October 25, 2018
- 21. NYU CCPP Astro Seminar, September 18, 2018
- 22. Conference on Shedding Light on the Dark Universe with Extremely Large Telescopes, Trieste, Italy, July 3, 2018
- 23. CDM18 Workshop, KITP, Santa Barbara, CA, May 25th, 2018
- 24. CDM18 Conference, KITP, Santa Barbara, CA, May 1st, 2018
- 25. American Physical Society Mid-Atlantic Section, Newark, NJ, Nov. 4, 2017
- 26. Kavli CMB Lensing Workshop, Stanford, CA, September 13, 2017
- 27. Fermilab Colloquium, Batavia IL, November 30, 2016

28. York University Physics & Astronomy Colloquium, Toronto, Canada, Oct. 18, 2016

- 29. U.S. RMS Futures II, HERA Session, Baltimore, MD, August, 4, 2016
- 30. U.S. RMS Futures II, CMB Session, Baltimore, MD, August, 3, 2016
- 31. Light Dark World International Forum 2016, Daejeon, South Korea, July 12, 2016
- 32. Neutrinos and Light Particles in Cosmology, Berkeley, CA, June 23, 2016
- 33. University of Michigan Physics Seminar, Ann Arbor, MI, March 28, 2016
- 34. Canadian Institute of Theoretical Physics Seminar, Canada, Nov. 5, 2015
- 35. BNL DOE Cosmic Visions Talk, New York, NY, Oct. 17, 2015
- 36. Gruber Cosmology Conference, Yale University, New Haven, CT, Oct. 2, 2015
- 37. Brookhaven National Laboratory Physics Seminar, New York, NY, Sept. 17, 2015
- 38. CCAPP Seminar, Ohio State University, Columbus, OH, October 27, 2014
- 39. Rutgers University Astronomy Talk, New Brunswick, NJ, October 25, 2014
- 40. HPS Collaboration Meeting, VA, June 17, 2014
- 41. Dark Interactions, Brookhaven National Lab, NY, June 12, 2014
- 42. NY section of the APS meeting, SUNY Oswego, NY, April 25, 2014
- 43. Simons Center for Geometry and Physics Seminar, Stony Brook, NY, March 25, 2014
- 44. American Museum of Natural History, New York, NY, January 14, 2014
- 45. Princeton/IAS Cosmology Lunch, Princeton, NJ, October 21, 2013
- 46. Tri-State Astronomy Conference, New York, NY, September 27, 2013
- 47. Simons Center for Geometry and Physics Seminar, Stony Brook, NY, April 16, 2013
- 48. American Physical Society Invited Session, Denver, CO, April 14, 2013
- 49. Particle Physics Seminar, Stony Brook University, Stony Brook, NY, Dec. 3, 2012
- 50. A New Era for SZ Science, Santander, Spain, June 27, 2011
- 51. Stony Brook University Physics and Astronomy Seminar, NY, May 10, 2011
- 52. San Francisco State University, Physics & Astronomy Colloquium, April 11, 2011
- 53. Santa Cruz FLASH Seminar, CA, March 11, 2011
- 54. Canadian Institute of Theoretical Physics Seminar, Canada, Feb. 3, 2011
- 55. University of Waterloo Astro Lunch Talk, Canada, Feb. 2, 2011
- 56. Perimeter Institute Cosmology and Gravitation Seminar, Canada, Feb. 1, 2011

- 57. Chicago KICP Seminar, Chicago, IL, Jan. 28, 2011
- 58. Lawrence Livermore National Lab Physics Seminar, CA, Jan. 21, 2011
- 59. AAS Special Session: Cluster Cosmology with Optical and SZ, Seattle, Jan. 12, 2011
- 60. Caltech Astronomy Colloquium, Pasadena, CA, Dec. 15, 2010
- 61. Berkeley Cosmology Seminar, U.C. Berkeley, Berkeley, CA, Nov. 23, 2010
- 62. Stanford Astrophysics Colloquium, Stanford, Palo Alto, CA, May 20, 2010
- 63. University of Pennsylvania Cosmology Seminar, Philadelphia, PA, Jan. 16, 2008
- 64. Berkeley Cosmology Seminar, Berkeley, CA, Dec. 18, 2007
- 65. University of California at Davis Cosmology Seminar, Davis, CA, Dec. 17, 2007
- 66. Princeton Wunch Talk, Princeton, NJ, Dec. 5, 2007
- 67. Harvard Center for Astrophysics HEAD Lunch Talk, Boston, MA, Nov. 10, 2007