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Personal Information

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Current Position

2020– **Research Assistant Professor**, Northwestern University, Evanston, USA.
2019– **CIERA Fellow**, Northwestern University, Evanston, USA.

Past Positions

2018–2019 **Fellow of the Israel Academy of Sciences and Humanities**, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Jerusalem, Israel.
2018–2019 **Arskin Fellow**, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Jerusalem, Israel.
2017 **Postdoctoral Researcher**, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Jerusalem, Israel.

Education

2013–2016 **Ph.D.**, Sapienza, University of Rome - University of Rome Tor Vergata, Rome, Italy.
Ph.D. student in Astronomy, Astrophysics and Space Science.
Thesis: "Hypervelocity Stars as Tools for Galactic Astrophysics". Supervisor: R. Capuzzo-Dolcetta.
2011–2013 **Master Degree**, Sapienza, University of Rome, Rome, Italy.
Master Degree, obtained on 22/07/2013 with mark 110/110 with distinction.
Thesis: "Constraints on the Curvature of the Universe from Planck and Their Implications for Dark Energy". Supervisor: A. Melchiorri.
2008–2011 **Bachelor Degree**, Sapienza, University of Rome, Rome, Italy.
Bachelor Degree, obtained on 27/09/2011 with mark 110/110 with distinction.
Thesis: "Primordial Nucleosynthesis". Supervisor: P. de Bernardis.

Invited talks and seminars

21 Oct '20 **Cornell University**, Ithaca, USA.
8 May '20 **University of Wisconsin Milwaukee**, Milwaukee, USA.
29 Apr '20 **University of Concepcion**, Concepcion, Chile.
5 Mar '20 **Center for Computational Astrophysics (CCA)**, New York, USA.
5 Mar '20 **Columbia University**, New York, USA.
3 Mar '20 **American Museum of Natural History**, New York, USA.
2 Mar '20 **Stony Brook University**, Stony Brook, USA.
13 Dec '19 **Harvard Center for Astrophysics**, Cambridge, USA.
8 Nov '19 **Johns Hopkins University**, Baltimore, USA.

18 Oct '19 **CIERA Northwestern University**, Evanston, USA.
 22 May '19 **Sapienza, University of Rome**, Rome, Italy.
 6 Mar '19 **Ben Gurion University of the Negev**, Be'er Sheva, Israel.
 26 Feb '19 **Eötvös Lorand University**, Budapest, Hungary.
 28 Nov '18 **Technion**, Haifa, Israel.
 6 Nov '18 **Hebrew University of Jerusalem**, Jerusalem, Israel.
 31 Oct '18 **Tel Aviv University**, Tel Aviv, Israel.
 5 Mar '18 **Nicolaus Copernicus Astronomical Center**, Warsaw, Poland.
 30 Jan '18 **Hebrew University of Jerusalem**, Jerusalem, Israel.
 11 Dec '17 **Black Hole Initiative at Harvard University**, Cambridge, USA.
 5 Apr '17 **Technion**, Haifa, Israel.
 23 May '16 **University of Surrey**, Guildford, UK.
 4 May '16 **Eötvös Lorand University**, Budapest, Hungary.
 27 Jan '16 **Rochester Institute of Technology**, Rochester, USA.
 18 Nov '15 **University of Bonn**, Bonn, Germany.

Conferences, Workshops, Meetings, Visits

22-24 Oct '20 **Midwest Relativity Meeting**, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, USA (talk).
 6-7 Oct '20 **AGN Disks: Where the Wild Things Are**, Center for Computational Astrophysics, New York, USA (invited talk).
 4-8 Jan '20 **235th AAS meeting**, Honolulu, USA (talk).
 11-13 Nov '19 **The New Faces of Black Holes**, Annapolis, USA (talk).
 27-31 May '19 **IAU Symposium 351 & Modest-19: Star Clusters: from the Milky Way to the Early Universe**, University of Bologna, Bologna, Italy (poster).
 1-4 Apr '19 **Radio Astronomy: A Time Domain Perspective**, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Jerusalem, Israel.
 10-14 Sep '18 **Triple Evolution and Dynamics Trendy-2**, Lorentz Center, Leiden, The Netherlands (talk).
 25-29 Jun '18 **Modest 18: Dense Stellar Systems in the Era of Gaia, Ligo and Lisa**, Santorini, Greece (talk).
 1 Feb '18 **National Israeli Astronomy Seminar Day**, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Jerusalem, Israel (talk).
 4-8 Dec '17 **Numerical Scattering Workshop**, Center for Computational Astrophysics, New York, USA.
 16-20 Oct '17 **Astro-GR Meeting Barcelona 2017**, Universidad Autonoma de Barcelona, Barcelona, Spain.
 18-22 Sep '17 **Modest 17: Modest under Prague's Starry Sky**, Charles University, Prague, Czech Republic (talk).
 29 May-1 Jun '17 **8th Young Researcher Meeting 2016**, University of Cagliari, Cagliari, Italy (SOC).
 12-15 Dic '16 **(M+1)-st Aarseth N-body Meeting**, Charles University, Prague, Czech Republic (talk).
 5-9 Dic '16 **Stellar Aggregates over Mass and Spatial Scales**, Physikzentrum, Bad Honnef, Germany (talk).
 24-26 Oct '16 **7th Young Researcher Meeting 2016**, INRiM, Turin, Italy (SOC).
 26-28 Sep '16 **Perspectives of GPU Computing in Science**, Sapienza, University of Rome, Rome, Italy (poster).
 18-22 Apr '16 **Modest 16: Star Clusters as Cosmic Laboratories for Astrophysics**, Bologna, Italy (poster).
 12-14 Oct '15 **6th Young Researcher Meeting 2015**, GSSI, L'Aquila, Italy (SOC).

- 3-11 Oct '15 **Galactic Nuclei at High Resolution in Many Dimensions**, Alájar, Spain.
- 21-25 Sept '15 **101th National Congress of the Italian Society of Physics (SIF)**, Sapienza, University of Rome, Rome, Italy (talk).
- 12-18 Jul '15 **14th Marcel Grossmann Meeting**, Sapienza, University of Rome, Rome, Italy (talk).
- 31 May-5 Jun '15 **Triple Evolution and Dynamics**, Technion, Haifa, Israel (talk).
- 3-8 Nov '14 **The Early Life of Stellar Clusters**, Niels Bohr Institute, Copenhagen, Denmark (poster).
- 20-28 Sept '14 **Growth and Evolution of the Milky Way's Nuclear Star Cluster and its Central Black Hole**, Alájar, Spain.
- 22-26 Sept '14 **100th National Congress of the Italian Society of Physics (SIF)**, University of Pisa, Pisa, Italy (talk).
- 14-15 Jul '14 **5th Young Researcher Meeting 2014**, SISSA, Trieste, Italy (talk).
- 1-14 Jun '14 **The Unquiet Universe**, Cefalú, Italy (talk).
- 14 May '14 **Investigating Strangeness: from Accelerators to Compact Stellar Objects**, LNF, Frascati, Italy (talk).

Visits

- 10-13 Dec '19 **Harvard University**, Cambridge, USA.
host: A. Loeb.
- 5-8 Nov '19 **Johns Hopkins University**, Baltimore, USA.
host: E. Berti.
- 25 Feb-3 Mar '19 **Eötvös Lorand University**, Budapest, Hungary.
host: B. Kocsis.
- 4-9 Mar '18 **Nicolaus Copernicus Astronomical Center**, Warsaw, Poland.
host: M. Giersz.
- 10-16 Dec '17 **Harvard University**, *Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics*, Cambridge, USA.
hosts: A. Loeb and I. Ginsburg.
- 14-20 May '17 **Leiden University**, Leiden, The Netherlands.
host: S. Portegies Zwart.
- 22-24 May '16 **University of Surrey**, Guildford, UK.
host: M. Gieles.
- 1-7 May '16 **Eötvös Lorand University**, Budapest, Hungary.
host: B. Kocsis.
- 24-29 Jan '16 **Rochester Institute of Technology**, Rochester, USA.
host: D. Merritt.
- 10-23 Jan '16 **Harvard University**, *Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics*, Cambridge, USA.
host: A. Loeb.
- Nov '15 **University of Bonn**, *Argelander-Institut für Astronomie (Alfa)*, Bonn, Germany.
hosts: S. Banerjee and P. Kroupa.

Publications

Papers, 52 (total), 37 (1st author), 7 (2nd author), 8 (Nth author).

All publications, 969 citations, *h-index* 19.

First-Author publications, 719 citations, *h-index* 16.

[1] R. Capuzzo-Dolcetta, G. Fragione, "High velocity stars from close interaction of a globular cluster and a super massive black hole", *Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society*, 454, 2677-2690, 2015.

- [2] **G. Fragione, R. Capuzzo-Dolcetta**, *"High velocity stars from the interaction of a globular cluster and a massive black hole binary"*, Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society, 458, 2596-2603, 2016.
- [3] **G. Fragione, A. Loeb**, *"Constraining Milky Way mass with Hypervelocity Stars"*, New Astronomy, 55, 32-38, 2017.
- [4] **G. Fragione, I. Ginsburg**, *"Transits probabilities around hypervelocity and runaway stars"*, Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society, 466, 1805-1813, 2017.
- [5] **G. Fragione, R. Capuzzo-Dolcetta, P. Kroupa**, *"Hypervelocity stars from young stellar clusters in the Galactic Centre"*, Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society, 467, 451-460, 2017.
- [6] **G. Fragione, R. Sari**, *"Steeper stellar cusps in galactic centers from binary disruption"*, Astrophysical Journal, 852, 51, 2018.
- [7] **G. Fragione, F. Antonini, O. Y. Gnedin**, *"Disrupted Globular Clusters and the Gamma-Ray Excess in the Galactic Centre"*, Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society, 475, 5313, 2018.
- [8] **G. Fragione, A. Gualandris**, *"Tidal breakup of triple stars in the Galactic Centre"*, Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society, 475, 4986, 2018.
- [9] **G. Fragione, I. Ginsburg, B. Kocsis**, *"Gravitational waves and Intermediate Massive Black Hole retention in Globular Clusters"*, Astrophysical Journal, 856, 92, 2018.
- [10] **M. Arca-Sedda, P. Berczik, R. Capuzzo-Dolcetta, G. Fragione, M. Sobolenko, R. Spurzem**, *"Supermassive black holes coalescence mediated by massive perturbers: gravitational waves emission and the Milky Way - Andromeda fate"*, Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society, 484, 520, 2019.
- [11] **G. Fragione, N. Leigh**, *"The secular tidal disruption of stars by low-mass Super Massive Black Holes secondaries in galactic nuclei"*, Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society, 479, 3181, 2018.
- [12] **G. Fragione, V. Pavlík, S. Banerjee**, *"Neutron stars and millisecond pulsars in star clusters: implications for the diffuse γ -radiation from the Galactic Centre"*, Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society, 480, 4955, 2018.
- [13] **G. Fragione**, *"Tidal breakup of quadruple stars in the Galactic Centre"*, Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society, 479, 2615, 2018.
- [14] **G. Fragione, B. Kocsis**, *"Black hole mergers from an evolving population of globular clusters"*, Physical Review Letters, 121, 161103, 2018.
- [15] **G. Fragione, A. Loeb, I. Ginsburg**, *"A dynamical origin for planets in triple star systems"*, Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society, 483, 648, 2019.
- [16] **G. Fragione, N. Leigh, I. Ginsburg, B. Kocsis**, *"Tidal Disruption Events and Gravitational Waves from Intermediate Mass Black Holes in Evolving Globular Clusters Across Space and Time"*, Astrophysical Journal, 867, 119, 2018.
- [17] **G. Fragione, N. Leigh**, *"Intermediate-Mass Ratio Inspirals in Galactic Nuclei"*, Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society, 480, 5160, 2018.
- [18] **E. Grishin, H. B. Perets, G. Fragione**, *"Quasi-secular evolution of mildly hierarchical triple systems: analytics and applications for GW-sources and hot Jupiters"*, Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society, 481, 4907, 2018.
- [19] **G. Fragione, F. Antonini, O. Y. Gnedin**, *"Millisecond pulsars and the gamma-ray excess in Andromeda"*, Astrophysical Journal Letters, 871, L8, 2019.
- [20] **G. Fragione, A. Gualandris**, *"Hypervelocity stars from star clusters hosting Intermediate-Mass Black Holes"*, Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society, 489, 4543, 2019.

- [21] A. Rasskazov, G. Fragione, N. Leigh, H. Tagawa, A. Sesana, A. Price-Whelan, E. M. Rossi, "*Hypervelocity Stars from a Supermassive Black Hole-Intermediate Mass Black Hole binary*", *Astrophysical Journal*, 878, 17, 2019.
- [22] G. Fragione, E. Grishin, N. Leigh, H. B. Perets, R. Perna, "*Black Hole and Neutron Star Mergers in Galactic Nuclei*", *Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society*, 488, 47, 2019.
- [23] S. Rastello, P. Amaro-Seoane, M. Arca-Sedda, R. Capuzzo-Dolcetta, G. Fragione, I. Tosta e Melo, "*Stellar Black Hole Binary Mergers in Open Clusters*", *Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society*, 483, 1233, 2019.
- [24] G. Fragione, "*Dynamical origin of S-type planets in close binary stars*", *Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society*, 483, 3465, 2019.
- [25] L. Šubr, G. Fragione, J. Dabringhausen, "*Intermediate-Mass Black Holes in binary-rich star clusters*", *Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society*, 484, 2974, 2019.
- [26] G. Fragione, B. Kocsis, "*Black hole mergers from quadruples*", *Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society*, 486, 4781, 2019.
- [27] G. Fragione, F. Antonini, "*Massive binary star mergers in galactic nuclei: implications for blue stragglers, binary S-stars and gravitational waves*", *Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society*, 488, 728, 2019.
- [28] N. Leigh, G. Fragione, "*A new method to constrain the origins of dark-matter-free galaxies and their unusual globular clusters*", *Astrophysical Journal*, 892, 32, 2020.
- [29] G. Fragione, N. Leigh, R. Perna, "*Black hole and neutron star mergers in Galactic Nuclei: the role of triples*", *Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society*, 488, 2825, 2019.
- [30] G. Fragione, O. Bromberg, "*Eccentric binary black hole mergers in globular clusters hosting intermediate-mass black holes*", *Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society*, 488, 4370, 2019.
- [31] G. Fragione, A. Loeb, "*Black hole-neutron star mergers from triples*", *Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society*, 486, 4443, 2019.
- [32] G. Fragione, N. Leigh, R. Perna, B. Kocsis, "*Tidal disruption events onto stellar black holes in triples*", *Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society*, 489, 727, 2019.
- [33] R. Sari, G. Fragione, "*Tidal disruption events, main-sequence extreme-mass ratio inspirals and binary star disruptions in galactic nuclei*", *Astrophysical Journal*, 885, 24, 2019.
- [34] G. Fragione, I. Ginsburg, A. Loeb, "*Supernovae in massive binaries and compact object mergers near supermassive black holes*", *Journal of Cosmology and Astroparticle Physics*, 10, 045, 2019.
- [35] G. Fragione, A. Loeb, "*Black hole-neutron star mergers from triples II: the role of metallicity and spin-orbit misalignment*", accepted by *Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society*, 490, 4991, 2019.
- [36] G. Fragione, B. Metzger, R. Perna, N. Leigh, B. Kocsis, "*Electromagnetic transients and gravitational waves from white dwarf disruptions by stellar black holes in triple systems*", *Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society*, 495, 1061, 2020.
- [37] G. Fragione, B. Kocsis, "*Effective spin distribution of black hole mergers in triples*", *Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society*, 493, 3920, 2020.
- [38] S. C. Ye, W.-f. Fong, K. Kremer, C. L. Rodriguez, G. Fragione, F. A. Rasio, "*On the rate of neutron star binary mergers from globular clusters*", *Astrophysical Journal Letters*, 888, L10, 2020.
- [39] K. Kremer, S. C. Ye, N. Z. Rui, N. C. Weatherford, S. Chatterjee, G. Fragione, C. L. Rodriguez, M. Spera, F. A. Rasio, "*Modeling dense star clusters in the Milky Way and beyond with the CMC cluster catalog*", *Astrophysical Journal Suppl.*, 247, 48, 2020.

- [40] A. Rasskazov, G. Fragione, B. Kocsis, "Binary intermediate-mass black hole mergers in globular clusters", *Astrophysical Journal*, 899, 149, 2020.
- [41] M. Bonetti, A. Rasskazov, A. Sesana, M. Dotti, F. Haardt, N. Leigh, M. Arca Sedda, G. Fragione, E. Rossi, "On the eccentricity evolution of massive black hole binaries in stellar backgrounds", *Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society Letters*, 493, L114, 2020.
- [42] G. Fragione, A. Loeb, K. Kremer, F. A. Rasio, "Gravitational-wave captures by intermediate-mass black holes in galactic nuclei", *Astrophysical Journal*, 897, 46, 2020.
- [43] G. Fragione, A. Loeb, F. A. Rasio, "Merging Black Holes in the Low-mass and High-mass Gaps from 2+2 Quadruple Systems", *Astrophysical Journal Letters*, 895, L15, 2020.
- [44] C. L. Rodriguez, K. Kremer, M. Grudic, Z. Hafen, S. Chatterjee, G. Fragione, A. Lamberts, M. Martinez, F. A. Rasio, N. Weatherford, C. S. Ye, "GW190412 as a Third-Generation Black Hole Merger from a Super Star Cluster", *Astrophysical Journal Letters*, 896, L10, 2020.
- [45] G. Fragione, J. Silk, "Repeated mergers and ejection of black holes within nuclear star clusters", *Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society*, 498, 4591, 2020.
- [46] G. Fragione, S. Banerjee, "Demographics of neutron stars in young massive and open clusters", *Astrophysical Journal Letters*, 901, L16, 2020.
- [47] K. Kremer, M. Spera, D. Becker, S. Chatterjee, U. N. Di Carlo, G. Fragione, C. L. Rodriguez, C. S. Ye, F. A. Rasio, "Populating the upper black hole mass gap through stellar collisions in dense star clusters", accepted by *Astrophysical Journal*, arXiv:2006.10771, 2020.
- [48] G. Fragione, R. Perna, A. Loeb, "Calibrating the binary black hole population in nuclear star clusters through tidal disruption events", submitted, arXiv:2006.14632, 2020.
- [49] G. Fragione, M. A. S. Martinez, K. Kremer, S. Chatterjee, C. L. Rodriguez, C. S. Ye, N. Weatherford, S. Naoz, F. A. Rasio, "Demographics of triple systems in dense star clusters", *Astrophysical Journal*, 900, 16, 2020.
- [50] G. Fragione, A. Loeb, "An upper limit on the spin of SgrA* based on stellar orbits in its vicinity", *Astrophysical Journal Letters*, 901, L32, 2020.
- [51] G. Fragione, A. Loeb, F. A. Rasio, "On the Origin of GW190521-like Events from Repeated Black Hole Mergers in Star Clusters", *Astrophysical Journal Letters*, 902, L26, 2020.
- [52] M. A. S. Martinez, G. Fragione, K. Kremer, S. Chatterjee, C. L. Rodriguez, J. Sam-sing, C. S. Ye, N. Weatherford, M. Zevin, S. Naoz, F. A. Rasio, "Black Hole Mergers from Hierarchical Triples in Dense Star Clusters", accepted by *Astrophysical Journal*, arXiv:2009.08468, 2020.

Press & Media

- G. Fragione, A. Loeb, "Constraining Milky Way mass with Hypervelocity Stars", *Universe today*, <https://www.universetoday.com/137379/determining-mass-milky-way-using-hypervelocity-stars/>, 2017.
- G. Fragione, A. Loeb, "Constraining Milky Way mass with Hypervelocity Stars", *Phys.org*, <https://phys.org/news/2017-10-mass-milky-hypervelocity-stars.html>, 2017.
- S. C. Ye, W.-f. Fong, K. Kremer, C. L. Rodriguez, G. Fragione, F. A. Rasio, "On the rate of neutron star binary mergers from globular clusters", *Northwestern University*, <https://ciera.northwestern.edu/2019/12/02/rate-of-neutron-star-binary-mergers-much-lower-than-previously-thought/>, 2020.
- G. Fragione, A. Loeb, "An upper limit on the spin of SgrA* based on stellar orbits in its vicinity", *Harvard University*, https://www.cfa.harvard.edu/news/2020-28?fbclid=IwAR2_Ge72HBJebtzDRr9Ld5GhRqPktXxMwGaHIhPh0ak9kC-93dz-NG42Ujs, 2020.

G. Fragione, A. Loeb, "An upper limit on the spin of SgrA* based on stellar orbits in its vicinity", Northwestern University, https://ciera.northwestern.edu/2020/10/20/the-low-spin-of-the-milky-ways-supermassive-black-hole/?fbclid=IwAR0fhZ5numWt0cpTX75nweD_9t3Afuk5ylR0IOsMUAomLihLPk1AJi34rtY, 2020.

G. Fragione, A. Loeb, "An upper limit on the spin of SgrA* based on stellar orbits in its vicinity", Phys.org, <https://phys.org/news/2020-10-supermassive-black-hole-milky.html>, 2020.

G. Fragione, A. Loeb, "An upper limit on the spin of SgrA* based on stellar orbits in its vicinity", INAF (Istituto Nazionale di Astrofisica), https://www.media.inaf.it/2020/10/21/spin-lento-sgr-a-star/?fbclid=IwAR18v2wJsQ9gFKZtwJ3H1BpNcZaHqXytAHGcs8kz_oXzxxzRZ9FEKF87M6lw, 2020.

G. Fragione, A. Loeb, "An upper limit on the spin of SgrA* based on stellar orbits in its vicinity", Harvard Crimson, <https://www.thecrimson.com/article/2020/10/23/harvard-smbh-spin/?fbclid=IwAR32fpLiHm0HbwzNz3MKNCJDabT8fBsRBEHcOGTyWSpw4UVMLZ2DPJEqe8M>, 2020.

Proceedings

[1] **G. Fragione**, "Gravity and thermodynamics: fundamental principles and gravothermal instability", J. of Phys.: Conf. Ser., 556, 012024, 2014.

[2] **G. Fragione, R. Capuzzo-Dolcetta**, "Star clusters and super massive black holes: high velocity stars production", Mem. Soc. Astron. Ital., 87, 687, 2016.

[3] **R. Capuzzo-Dolcetta, G. Fragione**, "Super massive black holes and the origin of high-velocity stars", Proceed. of the 14th Marcel Grossman Meeting on General Relativity, pp. 1532-1537, 2018.

[4] **G. Fragione**, "Merging black holes of any size and hierarchy", Proc. IAU Symposium 351, 2019.

[5] **L. Šubr, G. Fragione, J. Dabringhausen**, "Intermediate-Mass Black Holes in binary rich star clusters", Proc. IAU Symposium 351, 2019.

[6] **G. Fragione, A. Loeb**, "A triple channel for black hole-neutron star mergers", Bulletin of the American Astronomical Society, 52, 334.05, 2020.

Professional Service

- 2020- **Topic Editor**, *Universe*.
- 2020- **Member of the committee organizing the astrophysics seminars at CIERA Northwestern University (USA)**.
- 2020 **Review panelist for the Chilean Research Council for Science and Technology (Chile)**.
- 2019 **Review panelist for scientific proposals for the ERC Consolidator Grant 2019 (European Union)**.
- 2018 **Review panelist for "Telescope Access Program" at the Kavli Institute for Astronomy and Astrophysics at Peking University (China)**.
- 2018-2019 **Organizer of the astrophysics seminars at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem (Israel)**.
- 2018-2019 **Organizer of the journal club at the Hebrew University of Jerusalem (Israel)**.
- 2017- **Referee Activity**, *Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society*, *Astrophysical Journal*, *Astrophysical Journal Letters*, *Physical Review D*, *Physical Review Letters*, *Nature*, *Astronomy & Astrophysics*.
- 2017- **Meeting Organization**, *8th Young Researcher Meeting 2017 (29 May-1 Jun '17 University of Cagliari, Cagliari, Italy; SOC)*, *7th Young Researcher Meeting 2016 (24-26 Oct '16 INRiM, Turin, Italy; SOC)*, *6th Young Researcher Meeting 2015 (12-14 Oct '15, GSSI, L'Aquila, Italy; SOC)*.

Grants, Awards, Honors

- 2019-2024 **CIERA Fellowship**, CIERA, Northwestern University, USA.
2019 **IAU travel grant for IAU Symposium 351 & Modest-19**, €460, funded by IAU.
2019 **T.D. Lee Prize Fellowship**, Shanghai Jiao Tong University, China (declined).
2018-2019 **Fellowship for Foreign Researchers in Israel**, Israel Academy of Sciences and Humanities, Israel.
2018-2019 **Arskin Fellowship**, Hebrew University of Jerusalem, Jerusalem, Israel.
2015-2016 **Grant for Teaching Assistantship**, €2K, funded by Sapienza, University of Rome.
2015-2016 **Research Grant**, '*Dynamics around Black Holes and Hyper Velocity Stars Production*', €1K, funded by Sapienza, University of Rome.
2014-2015 **Grant for Teaching Assistantship**, €2K, funded by Sapienza, University of Rome.
2014 **Prize for Excellent Master Graduates**, Sapienza, University of Rome, Rome, Italy.

Teaching Experience

- Jul 2020 **Teaching "The habitable zone of other worlds in the cosmos" for the CIERA High-School Summer Program**, CIERA, Northwestern University, Evanston, USA.
Feb 2016-Sep 2016 **Teaching Assistant for "Mechanics" (Bachelor Degree)**, Physics Department, Sapienza, University of Rome, Rome, Italy.
Oct 2015-Jul 2016 **Teaching Assistant for "Thermodynamics" (Bachelor Degree)**, Physics Department, Sapienza, University of Rome, Rome, Italy.
Feb 2015-Sep 2015 **Teaching Assistant for "Mechanics" (Bachelor Degree)**, Physics Department, Sapienza, University of Rome, Rome, Italy.
Oct 2014-Jul 2015 **Teaching Assistant for "Thermodynamics" (Bachelor Degree)**, Physics Department, Sapienza, University of Rome, Rome, Italy.

Student Supervision

Graduate

- 2019- **Miguel A. S. Martinez**, Northwestern University - Primary advisor: Fred Rasio.
2019- **Claire Shi Ye**, Northwestern University - Primary advisor: Fred Rasio.

Undergraduate

- 2020- **Elena Gonzalez**, University of Florida - Primary advisor: Laura Blecha.
2020- **Avery Keare**, Northwestern University - BA Computer Science.

Memberships

- 2020- International Astronomical Union (IAU).
2019- American Astronomical Society (AAS).

Computer Skills

- Programming Fortran, C, Bash, Python, OpenMP, MPI, CUDA
O.S. Linux, MacOS, Microsoft Windows
Software Latex, Office, Gnuplot, Origin, Mathematica, R
Codes HiGPUs, NEMO, ARChain, phiGRAPE, Nbody6/7, McLuster, CORBITS, CMC

Languages

- Italian Native Speaker

English Fluent
Hebrew Fluent
French Intermediate
Spanish Intermediate

Academic References

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