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RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Searches for transients in astronomical data: gamma-ray, x-ray, optical
- Gamma-ray Bursts (GRBs): spectral and temporal properties, population studies, modeling
- GRBs as electromagnetic counterparts to Gravitational Wave events
- Multi-wavelength and multi-messenger astrophysics
- X-rays dust scattering: dust models, X-ray halos, X-ray rings
- Astrophysics instrumentation
- Data analysis methods and software: Bayesian methods, machine learning, Maximum Likelihood, numerical methods
- Statistical methods for astrophysics

EDUCATION

Post-doctoral Scholar

October 2012 – October 2014

Stanford University

Supervisor: Professor Peter F. Michelson, Luke Blossom Professor in the School of Humanities and Sciences and Physics Dept. Chair, Stanford University, Fermi/LAT Principal Investigator

Post-doctoral Scholar

January 2010 – October 2012

Consorzio Interuniversitario per la Fisica Spaziale (CIFS) / Stanford Linear Acceleration Center

Supervisor: Dr. Patrizia Caraveo, Director of IASF-Milano, part of the National Institute of Astrophysics (INAF), Italy

PhD in Astronomy and Astrophysics

– October 2009

Universita' Degli Studi dell'Insubria, Italy

Thesis: "*Gamma-ray and X-ray observations of GRBs: the INTEGRAL/ISGRI sample and dust scattering expanding rings*"

Supervisor: Dott. Sandro Mereghetti (IASF-Milano)

Tutor: Dott. Gabriele Ghisellini (OAB-Brera)

Corso di laurea in Fisica (MS in Physics)

– September 2006

Universita' Degli Studi di Milano, Italy

Thesis: "*Study of dust scattering rings around Gamma-Ray Bursts using the X-Ray satellites Swift and XMM-Newton*"

Supervisor: Dott. Sandro Mereghetti (IASF-Milano)

Internal Supervisor: Prof. Pierre Pizzochero (Università Degli Studi di Milano)

WORK EXPERIENCE

Stanford University

October 2014 – Present

Research Scientist

Accomplishments and duties during my work at Stanford first as a PostDoc then as Research Scientist:

- Search and characterization of transients in astronomical data: designed and implemented new methods for the search of transients in optical (LSST), gamma-ray (Fermi Gamma-ray Space Telescope) and X-ray (XMM-Newton and Chandra) data:
 - doubled the number of Gamma-Ray Bursts detected by Fermi
 - found several hundred new transients in Chandra and XMM-Newton data
 - developed a new promising transient-finding algorithm for LSST competitive with image-subtraction, but substantially simpler to use
 - developed and implemented an innovative Bayesian method for the search of Gravitational Waves counterparts in Fermi data, used by the Fermi collaboration
- Authored several scientific papers on GRBs and electromagnetic counterparts to Gravitational Waves
- Multi-wavelength studies with Fermi and HAWC:
 - Owner and coordinator of the innovative open-source effort 3ML (the Multi-Mission Maximum Likelihood framework): <https://github.com/giacomov/3ML>
- Coordinator of the GRB Science Group within the Fermi collaboration (2011-2013)
- Responsible for the writing and maintenance of the attitude tracking software for the real-time data-processing pipeline for the LAT Instrument Scientific Operation Center (ISOC)
- Write scientific software as part of the official NASA software "Fermi Science Tools"

Insight Data Science

September 2018

Data Science Fellow

Intensive bootcamp on Data Science and Big Data. As part of the bootcamp I developed a Long Short Term Memory (LSTM) Recurrent Neural Network for the automatic generation of music, based on over 200 thousand songs scraped from the internet.

PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- "Machine learning" by Andrew Ng, Stanford University, on Coursera
- Caltech/JPL "Big Data Analytics" online summer school, 2 weeks program, selected among many application as real-time student, with the possibility of interaction with the teachers (<https://www.coursera.org/course/bigdataschool>)
- "Introduction to Deep Learning on GPUs", Stanford, October 7th, 2015
- "GPU Computing Symposium and Workshop", Stanford, October 25th, 2013
- "Udacity CS344: Intro to Parallel Programming" on CUDA and GPU programming (<https://www.udacity.com/course/intro-to-parallel-programming--cs344>)

MANAGEMENT EXPERIENCE

- Coordinator of the GRB Science Group of the Fermi/LAT Collaboration (Jan. 2012 - Aug. 2013), an international group of 50 members of the Fermi collaboration working on Gamma-Ray Bursts
- Lead developer of the Multi-Mission Maximum Likelihood framework (three.ml.stanford.edu), a software process for multi-wavelength modeling of astrophysical sources

AWARDS

Principal Investigator on the following approved research programs:

- "The LAT Transient Factory: providing 10 years and more of LAT GRBs and short duration transients", Fermi Guest Investigator Program (Cycle 11), proposal number 111201
- "An easier and more powerful way of analyzing Fermi/LAT data: fermipy", Fermi Guest Investigator Program (Cycle 11), number 111202
- "The LAT Transient Factory: unveiling the nature of LAT GRBs and short-duration transients": Fermi Guest Investigator Program (Cycle 10), proposal number 101237
- "The LAT Transient Factory: the first 130 LAT GRBs and a blind search for short-duration transients", Fermi Guest Investigator Program (Cycle 9), proposal number 91237
- "Detecting short X-ray transients in the Chandra archive", Chandra Science Program (Cycle 16), proposal number 16620799

- "Detecting high-energy GRBs and probing their time-domain properties": Fermi Guest Investigator Program (Cycle 7), proposal number 71209

MEMBERSHIPS

- Member of the Fermi Large Area Telescope collaboration (<http://fermi.gsfc.nasa.gov/>)
- Member of the High-Altitude Water Cerenkov telescope (<http://www.hawc-observatory.org/>)
- Member of the Transients and Variable Stars Science Collaboration within the LSST collaboration
- Member of the EXtraS project for the analysis of archival XMM-Newton data (<http://www.extras-fp7.eu/>)
- Leader and member of the Multi-Mission Maximum Likelihood framework team (threeml.stanford.edu)
- Member of the Advisory Board of the "International Center for Astronomical and Remote-sensing Observations" (ICARO): <http://old.iusspavia.it/eng/centri.php?id=31&sez=5#.W6g72HVKjiw>

REFEREE SERVICES AND COMMITTEE WORK

- I perform referee services for Nature Physics, the Astrophysical Journal, and Astronomy and Astrophysics
- I served on review panels for the Czech Science Foundation and the South African National Science Foundation
- Organizer and chair of the session "Understanding Gamma-Ray Bursts Emission Mechanism in the Fermi Era" at the 13th Divisional Meeting of the High-Energy Astrophysics Division of the American Astronomical Society, 7-11 Apr. 2013, Monterey, CA (US)
- Member of the LOC for the Fermi/HAWC/VERITAS and Fermi/VIRGO/LIGO workshops cycles

TEACHING EXPERIENCE AND MENTORING

- Mentor for the Science Undergraduate Laboratory Internship Program (SULI), Summer 2015 - 2018:
 - I mentored 6 undergraduate students on technical projects regarding gamma-ray, x-ray, and optical astronomy, focusing on the search and characterization of transients
- Teaching Assistant for the Lab. "Programming Languages 1", 2001-2004, Universita' Degli Studi di Milano, Italy:
 - in the first year I conducted hands-on exercises, in the 2nd and 3rd year I designed and led hands-on exercises
- Teacher at the 2016 Fermi Summer School, (Lewes, Delaware, Tuesday, May 31 - Friday, June 10, 2016): basic of Maximum Likelihood analysis, searches, and studies of Gamma-Ray Bursts with Fermi/LAT
- Teacher for a 2-weeks-long refresher class for Freshmen in college on general topics in logic and math, 2001-2005, Universita' Degli Studi di Milano, Italy: I designed and taught the class along with other students
- Teacher of refresher courses for high-school teachers in Italy, on the subject "The scientific method: theory and application in teaching physics and mathematics", Milan area, 2005-2009

SKILLS

- Data Science methods (Neural Networks, clustering algorithms, time-series analysis): expert
- Statistical methods for astrophysics: expert
- Programming (Python, C++, C, IDL): expert (<http://github.com/giacomov>)
- Distributed computing (LSF, Torque, ipyparallel): expert
- MySQL and MongoDB: expert
- Data mining and data exploration: expert
- Modern tools for software design and deployment (GitHub, continuous integration, test-driven development): expert
- Docker container technology: expert
- Conda package manager: expert
- Web technologies (HTML, CSS, JavaScript.): good knowledge

I participated in many international conferences. This is a list containing **only the conferences/workshops/seminars which I have been invited to:**

1. **Conference:** 13th Marcel Grossmann Meeting on Recent Developments in Theoretical and Experimental General Relativity, Gravitation, and Relativistic Field Theory, 1-7 Jul. 2012, Stockholm (Sweden)
Presentation title: The first Fermi-LAT GRB Catalog
Conference Website: <http://www.icra.it/mg>
2. **Conference:** Fourth International Fermi Symposium, 28 Oct. - 2 Nov. 2012, Monterey, CA (US)
Presentation title: Observations of GRBs with Fermi
Conference Website: <http://fermi.gsfc.nasa.gov/science/mtgs/symposia/2012/>
3. **Conference:** 10th Rencontre du Vietnam (Very High Energy Phenomena in the Universe), 3 - 9 Aug. 2014, Qui Nhon, Vietnam
Presentation title: Fermi/LAT observations of Gamma-Ray Bursts
Conference Website: <http://vietnam.in2p3.fr/2014/vhepu/>
4. **Conference:** 3rd Annual Conference on High Energy Astrophysics in Southern Africa (HEASA 2015), 18-20 June 2015, University of Johannesburg, South Africa
Presentation title: Observation of Gamma-Ray Bursts and short duration transients with the Fermi Large Area Telescope
Conference website: <http://physics.uj.ac.za/wiki/HEASA2015/Site/InvitedSpeakers>
5. **Invited seminar:** Los Alamos National Labs, June 11th, 2015
Title: "A scale-agnostic, instrument-agnostic algorithm to detect transients in photon-counting experiments, and the Multi-Mission Maximum Likelihood framework (3ML)"
Host: Patrick Younk (pwyounk@lanl.gov)
6. **Invited seminar:** IASF-Milano, December 16th, 2014
Title: "Searching for transients in Fermi/LAT data: the LAT Transient Factory"
Host: Andrea Tiengo (andrea.tiengo@iusspavia.it)
7. **Invited seminar:** INFN-Trieste, February 7th, 2014
Title: "Extreme cosmic explosions: Gamma-Ray Bursts, from the discovery to recent breakthroughs"
Host: Francesco Longo (francesco.longo@ts.infn.it)
8. **Invited seminar:** Michigan Technological University, Nov. 2nd, 2015
Title: Multi-Wavelength and Multi-Messenger Observations for Astronomy
Host: Prof. Petra Huentemeyer (petra@mtu.edu)
https://events.mtu.edu/event/epssi_seminar_multi-wavelength_and_multi-messenger_observations_for_astronomy#.VIOMXLeRrHE
9. **Workshop:** 1st Fermi-LIGO-VIRGO workshop, March 22-24 2013, George Washington University, Washington, DC
Presentation title: Fermi/LAT hands-on
Workshop website: <http://www.shawhans.us/grb-gw/>
10. **Workshop:** 2nd Fermi-LIGO workshop, March 14-15 2015, Pasadena, CA
Presentation title: Fermi/LAT mission and capabilities
Workshop website: <http://www.ligo.caltech.edu/~jkanner/ligo-fermi/>
11. **Workshop:** Fermi-VERITAS-HAWC, October 8-9 2014, Madison WI
Presentation title: 3ML + HAWC
Workshop website: <http://meetings.wipac.wisc.edu/hawc2014/>
12. **Workshop:** Fermi/HAWC/VERITAS, February 11-12 2014, University of Maryland, College Park, MD
Presentation title: LAT hands-on
Workshop website: <https://confluence.slac.stanford.edu/pages/viewpage.action?pagelD=158044658>
13. **Workshop:** High-energy gamma-ray astrophysics: from solar activity to black holes
Presentation title: Gamma-ray bursts at high energy
Workshop website: <http://www.sexten-cfa.eu/en/high-energy-gamma-ray-astrophysics-from-solar-activity-to-black-holes>
14. **Workshop:** Likelihood analysis with HAWC, 17-20 November 2015

Presentation title: The Multi-Mission Maximum Likelihood framework

Host: Magda Gonzalez (magda@astro.unam.mx)

15. **School:** Fermi Summer School 2016, Lewes (Delaware), US, Tuesday, May 31 - Friday, June 10, 2016

"Basics of Maximum Likelihood", "Gamma-Ray Bursts and transients in the LAT"

Website: <https://confluence.slac.stanford.edu/display/LSP/Fermi+Summer+School+2016>

16. **Conference:** SciNeGHE 2016, 18-21 October, Pisa, Italy

Presentation title: "Gamma-Ray Bursts as multi-messenger sources"

Website: <https://agenda.infn.it/conferenceDisplay.py?ovw=True&confId=11102>

17. **Conference:** 15th Marcel Grossmann Meeting, July 1-7 2018, Rome, Italy

Presentation title: "The Bright and the Slow - GRBs 100724B & 160509A with high-energy cutoffs at ~ 100 MeV"

Website: <http://www.icra.it/mg/mg15>

PRESS

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2. "Quel mostruoso lampo gamma che sfida gli astrofisici. È il lato violento dell'Universo" (*the monster gamma-ray burst that challenges astrophysicists*), Italian national newspaper La Repubblica, November 2013 (http://www.repubblica.it/scienze/2013/11/22/news/quel_lampo_gamma_che_sfida_gli_scienc-71619452/)
3. "NASA's Fermi, Swift See 'Shockingly Bright' Burst", NASA website, May 2013 (<https://www.nasa.gov/topics/universe/features/shocking-burst.html>)
4. "The rise of LIGO's space-studying super-team", Symmetry magazine, June 27th, 2017 (<http://www.symmetrymagazine.org/article/the-rise-of-ligos-space-studying-super-team>)

PUBLIC OUTREACH AND CULTURAL ACTIVITY

1. **Event:** "Tooning the extreme cosmos", November 10th 2015, **NASA Headquarters**, Washington DC
Presentation title: "Gamma-ray Bursts"
Host: Roopesh Ojha (Roopesh.Ojha@nasa.gov)
Website: <http://fermi.gsfc.nasa.gov/science/mtgs/tooning/>
2. **Founding member and teacher** of the Association Research, Nature, Technology ("Ricerca, Natura, Tecnologia") for promoting scientific culture in Italian schools, 2005-2009. My role involved preparing curricula and organizing refresher courses for teachers, as well as short classes (one-day to two-weeks long) for students, on Astronomy and Physics.

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- Peter Michelson, Director, HEPL (Stanford University), peterm@stanford.edu
- Julie Mc Enery, Fermi Project Scientist, GSFC, julie.e.mcenery@nasa.gov
- Petra Huentemeyer, Associate Professor (Physics), Michigan Tech, petra@mtu.edu
- Andrea Tiengo, Researcher at Centre for Post-Graduate Training and Research in Earthquake Engineering and Engineering Seismology, IUSS-Pavia, Pavia, Italy, andrea.tiengo@iusspavia.it

LANGUAGES

- Italian, native speaker
- English, fluent

REFEREED PUBLICATIONS

NOTE: I am a member of the Fermi/LAT collaboration since 2010. Important papers in the Fermi/LAT collaboration are recognized by the "Category I" status and are signed by the entire

collaboration in alphabetical order. The people who lead the work are recognized with the "Contact Author" designation. There are at most 4 contact authors for each paper. I am also a member of the HAWC collaboration, which has a similar policy: important papers are signed by the entire collaboration in alphabetical order, although there is no concept of contact authors.

Here I present the list of papers for which I am first author and collaboration papers in which I had a fundamental leading role (explained for each paper). I order them by publication date (most recent first)

1. G. Vianello et al., "The Bright and the Slow - GRBs 100724B & 160509A with high-energy cutoffs at $\leq 100\text{MeV}$ ", *Astrophys. J.* 864, 2018
2. G. Vianello, "The Significance of an Excess in a Counting Experiment: Assessing the Impact of Systematic Uncertainties and the Case with a Gaussian Background", *ApJS* 236, 2018
3. Ajello et al., "Fermi-LAT Observations of LIGO/Virgo Event GW170817", *Astrophysical J.* 861, 2018
4. A. U. Abeysekara et al., *Extended gamma-ray sources around pulsars constrain the origin of the positron flux at Earth*, *Science* 358, 2017.
5. G. Vianello, N. Omodei, J. Chiang and S. Digel, *Searching for High-energy Gamma-ray Counterparts to Gravitational-wave Sources with Fermi-LAT: A Needle in a Haystack.*, *Astrophys. J.* 841, 2017.
6. J. L. Racusin et al., *Searching the Gamma-Ray Sky for Counterparts to Gravitational Wave Sources: /Fermi GBM and LAT Observations of LVT151012 and GW151226.*, *Astrophys. J.* 835, 2017
7. A. Goldstein et al., *Fermi Observations of the LIGO Event GW170104*, *Astrophys. J.* 846, 2017.
8. R. Alfaro et al., *Search for Very-high-energy Emission from Gamma-Ray Bursts Using the First 18 Months of Data from the HAWC Gamma-Ray Observatory.*, *Astrophys. J.* 843, 2017
9. M. Ackermann et al., *Fermi-LAT Observations of the LIGO Event GW150914*, *Astrophys. J.* 823, 2016
10. M. Ackermann et al., *Fermi-LAT Observations of the Gamma-Ray Burst GRB 130427A*, *Science* 343, 2014.
11. M. Ackermann et al., *Multiwavelength Observations of GRB 110731A: GeV Emission from Onset to Afterglow.*, *Astrophys. J.* 763, 2013.
12. M. Ackermann et al., *The First Fermi-LAT Gamma-Ray Burst Catalog.*, *Astrophys. J.* 209, 2013.
13. G. Vianello, D. Gotz and S. Mereghetti, *The updated spectral catalog of INTEGRAL gamma-ray bursts.*, *Astron. Astrophys.* 495, 2009.
14. G. Vianello, A. Tiengo and S. Mereghetti, *Dust-scattered X-ray halos around two Swift gamma-ray bursts: GRB 061019 and GRB 070129.*, *Astron. Astrophys.* 473, 2007.

These are papers where I contributed as a co-author with analysis and interpretation of the data:

1. F. Pintore et al., *Behind the dust curtain: the spectacular case of GRB 160623A*, *Mon. Not. R. Astron. Soc.* 472, 2017.
2. F. Pintore et al., *The effect of X-ray dust scattering on a bright burst from the magnetar 1E 1547.0-5408.*, *Mon. Not. R. Astron. Soc.* 467, 2017.
3. L. Nava et al., *Constraints on the bulk Lorentz factor of gamma-ray burst jets from Fermi /LAT upper limits.*, *Mon. Not. R. Astron. Soc.* 465, 2017.
4. B. P. Abbott et al., *Multi-messenger Observations of a Binary Neutron Star Merger*, *Astrophys. J.* 848, 2017.
5. D. Pizzocaro et al., *Results from DROXO. IV. EXTraS discovery of an X-ray flare from the Class I protostar candidate ISO-Oph 85.*, *Astron. Astrophys.* 587, 2016.
6. M. Ackermann et al., *Fermi-LAT Observations of the LIGO Event GW150914*, *Astrophys. J.* 823, 2016.
7. W. T. Vestrand et al., *The Bright Optical Flash and Afterglow from the Gamma-Ray Burst GRB 130427A.*, *Science* 343, 2014.
8. R. Preece et al., *The First Pulse of the Extremely Bright GRB 130427A: A Test Lab for Synchrotron Shocks.*, *Science* 343, 2014.

9. L. Nava et al., *Clustering of LAT light curves: a clue to the origin of high-energy emission in gamma-ray bursts.*, Mon. Not. R. Astron. Soc. 443, 2014.
10. A. Maselli et al., *GRB 130427A: A Nearby Ordinary Monster.*, Science 343, 2014.
11. J. M. Burgess et al., *Time-resolved Analysis of Fermi Gamma-Ray Bursts with Fast- and Slow-cooled Synchrotron Photon Models.*, Astrophys. J. 784, 2014.
12. C. Kouveliotou et al., *NuSTAR Observations of GRB 130427A Establish a Single Component Synchrotron Afterglow Origin for the Late Optical to Multi-GeV Emission.*, Astrophys. J. 779, 2013.
13. S. Guiriec et al., *Evidence for a Photospheric Component in the Prompt Emission of the Short GRB 120323A and Its Effects on the GRB Hardness-Luminosity Relation.*, Astrophys. J. 770, 2013.
14. C. Guidorzi et al., *A faint optical flash in dust-obscured GRB 080603A: implications for GRB prompt emission mechanisms.*, Mon. Not. R. Astron. Soc. 417, 2011.
15. V. Bianchin et al., *The first GRB survey of the IBIS/PICsIT archive.*, Astron. Astrophys. 536, 2011.
16. A. Tiengo, G. Vianello et al., *The Dust-scattering X-ray Rings of the Anomalous X-ray Pulsar 1E 1547.0-5408.*, Astrophys. J. 710, 2010.
17. A. Giuliani et al., *AGILE Detection of Delayed Gamma-ray Emission From the Short Gamma-Ray Burst GRB 090510.*, Astrophys. J. 708, 2010.

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[2] and S. Mereghetti G. Vianello, A. Tiengo, Dust-scattered X-ray halos around two Swift gamma-ray bursts: GRB 061019 and GRB 070129., Astron. Astrophys. 473, 2007.

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[5] A. A. Abdo et al., Fermi Large Area Telescope observations of Local Group galaxies: detection of M 31 and search for M 33., Astron. Astrophys. 523, 2010.

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- [20] M. Ajello et al, Constraints on dark matter models from a Fermi LAT search for high-energy cosmic-ray electrons from the Sun., *Phys. Rev. D* 84, 2011.
- [21] V. Bianchin et al., The first GRB survey of the IBIS/PICsIT archive., *Astron. Astrophys.* 536, 2011.
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