Riccardo Buscicchio | Curriculum Vitæ

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Academic positions

Università degli Studi di Milano-Bicocca

Milan, Italy

Postdoctoral scholar (Assegnista di ricerca), Department of Physics "G.Occhialini"

2021 - current

Main activity: development of LISA data analysis ground-segment for the Italian Space Agency.

Education

University of Birmingham

Birmingham, UK

Ph.D., School of Physics & Astronomy

2017-2021

- o Supervisor: A. Vecchio. Thesis resulted in 6 short-author publications.
- Thesis Title: Topics in Bayesian population inference for Gravitational Wave Astronomy

Università degli Studi di Pisa

Pisa, Italy

Master's degree in Theoretical physics

2013-2016

- o Supervisor: G. Cella. Thesis resulted in one short-author publications.
- o Thesis title: An improved detector for non-gaussian stochastic background of gravitational waves.

Columbia University New York NY, USA

INFN-NSF Summer Internship

Jun-Sept 2013

o Supervisor: S. Marka, I. Bartos.

Metrics

Publications:

- 20 short-author papers published in major peer-reviewed journals (out of which 5 first-authored papers).
- 12 collaboration papers, with substantial contribution, published in major peer-reviewed journals
- 4 papers in submission stage,
- 2 other publications (thesis, white papers, long-authorlist reviews)

Total number of citations: >10400. h-index: 22 (using ADS and iNSPIRE).

Web links to list services: ADS; iNSPIRE; arXiv; orcid.

Full list of publications available at www.riccardobuscicchio.com/publications.

Full list of presentations available at www.riccardobuscicchio.com/talks.

Grants, Prizes, & Awards

Career prizes:

o Braccini PhD Thesis Prize, Gravitational Wave International Committee honorable mention.	2021
o Michael Penston PhD Thesis Prize, Royal Astronomical Society runner-up prize.	2021

Other funding:

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 EuroHPC PRACE "LISAS-FIT" proposal, 100k CPUh on Leonardo BOOSTER 	2023		
 Google Cloud for Researchers, 4kEUR Google Cloud Research Credits 	2023		
o CINECA ISCRA Type-C project "LISA-MW" proposal, 10k CPUh at the Italian National HPC center	2022		
 Travel Grant, Horizon 2020 AHEAD 2020 (High Energy Astrophysics) 	2021		
o Travel Grant, American Physical Society, DGRAV Student Travel Grant	2020		
 Travel Grant, Institute of Physics Student Travel fund 	2019		

o Travel Grant, Royal Astronomical Society, UK.	2018
Ph.D. student co-supervisor:	
 A. Spadaro, University of Milano-Bicocca. F. Pozzoli, University of Insubria. 	2022-2025 2022-2025
MSc student mentoring:	
 M. Piarulli, University of Milano-Bicocca, Master's thesis. (now PhD student at Univ. of Toulouse) 	2022-2023
 A. Spadaro, University of Milano-Bicocca, Master's thesis. (now PhD student at Univ. of Milano-Bicocca) 	2021-2022
 A. Carzaniga, University of Milano-Bicocca, Master's thesis. A. Geminardi, University of Milano-Bicocca, Master's thesis. (now PhD student at Univ. of Pavia) 	2021-2022 2021-2022
E. Finch, University of Birmingham, Year 4 project.V. Spasova, University of Birmingham, Year 4 project.	2018 2018
BSc student mentoring:	
o H. P. G. Carabajo, University of Milano-Bicocca, Bachelor's thesis.	2023-2024
Teaching	
Taught classes:	
 Current and future challenges in GW astronomy, PhD course, Milano-Bicocca (IT). Mathematical physics and gravity (MAF900), Module 3, PhD course, Univ. of Stavanger (NO). Contributed lecture to Astrostatistics (F5802Q014/20), Astrophysics MSc, Milano-Bicocca. 	2023 2023 2022
 Tutoring: Year 2 Python Computing Lab, Physics BSc, Birmingham. Year 2 Maths for physicists, Physics BSc, Birmingham. Year 4 Physics and communication skills, Physics BSc, Birmingham. Academic service	2017-2021 2017-2019 2019
Journal referee Physical Review Letters The Astrophysical Journal Letters Journal of Cosmology and Astroparticle Physics Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society Physics Letters D The Open Journal of Astrophysics NASA Technology Transfer Progra	
Editorial responsibilities	
 MDPI Universe Special Issue "Challenges and Synergies with Future Gravitational Wave Observatories". 	2024
 Editorial board Lensing subgroup in the LIGO, Virgo, KAGRA collaboration Co-editor of a Living Review in relativity issue on "LISA data analysis" 	2023 2022-2023
Conference organizer (or committee member)	
 IFPU focus week on "Emerging methods in GW population inference", Trieste, IT. LISA Astrophysics Working Group Conference, Birmingham, UK. Gravitational-wave populations: what's next?, Milan, Italy. Gravitational-wave Excellence Alliance Training (GrEAT) PhD school, Birmingham, UK. Gravitational-wave Open Science Center First Open Data Workshop, Remote 	2024 2022 2023 2019 2019
Memberships	
 Italian Center for Supercomputing (ICSC). TEONGRAV National Initiative (Gravity Theory) 	since 2021

Italian National Institute for Nuclear Physics (INFN).

o LIGO, Virgo, Kagra Collaboration, full member.	since 2017
LISA Consortium, full member.	since 2018
 Italian Society of General Relativity and Gravitational Physics (SIGRAV) 	since 2021
Istituto Nazionale di Astrofisica (INAF)	since 2021
American Physical Society (APS), member.	
o Italian Physical Society (SIF), member	2021
Royal Astronomical Society (RAS), fellow.	2018-2021