## Aditya Dhumuntarao

EDUCATION

University of Minnesota, School of Physics and Astronomy

May 2022

Ph.D., Physics,

Dissertation Title: Holography and the Semiclassical Gravitational Path Integral

Internal Advisors: Drs. Joseph Kapusta & Aleksey Cherman

External Mentors: Drs. Robert Mann, Niayesh Afshordi, & Matthew Headrick

University of Cambridge, Churchill College

May 2017

(Honors) Masters in Advanced Study, Part III of the Mathematical Tripos,

Dissertation Title: Superrotation Charge and Supertranslation Hair on Black Holes

Advisor: Dr. Malcolm Perry

Arizona State University, Barrett the Honors College

June 2016

(Honors) B.S. in Mathematics & B.S. in Physics

Senior Thesis: Quantum Matter Coupled to Classical Gravity

Advisors: Drs. Paul Davies & Maulik Parikh

EXPERIENCES

Perimeter Institute for Theoretical Physics, Afshordi Group Aug. 2017–Aug. 2018

Graduate Visitor: Conducted research in quantum field theory on curved spacetimes

Institute for Advanced Study, Prospects in Theoretical Physics

Summer 2018

Selected Participant: Attended the PITP 2018 "From Qubits to Spacetime" Summer Program

RESEARCH Interests **Broad Topics:** Classical, Semiclassical, & Quantum Gravity. Holography. (Extending) General Relativity. Black Holes. Strongly Coupled Gauge Theories and Conformal Field Theories.

Currently Exploring: Graded Entanglement Entropy and Gravitational Saddle Points for  $\mathcal{N}=4$  SYM. Gravitational Instabilities of AdS Black Objects. Geometric Flows in Semiclassical Gravity. **Prior Interests:** Modeling QCD Phase Diagram with AdS/CFT. Turbulent Fluid Flows. Computational Modeling of Chaotic Phenomena in Chemical Mixing.

SUBMITTED PUBLICATIONS

6. **Dhumuntarao, A.**, Mahbub, R., (2021) Gravitational Instabilities of Uniform Black Strings in AdS, [arXiv:2110.08334]. Submitted to PRL.

Refereed Publications

- 5. **Dhumuntarao**, A., Mann, R., (2021) Criticality of lower dimensional AdS<sub>d</sub> black holes, Phys. Rev. D **104**, 064006 [arXiv:2106.04087].
- 4. Cherman, A., **Dhumuntarao**, A., (2021) Confinement and graded partition functions for  $\mathcal{N}=4$  SYM, Phys. Rev. D 103, 066013 [arXiv:2012.12341].
- 3. **Dhumuntarao**, A., Kapusta, J., Plumberg, C., (2020) Randall-Sundrum Model with a Dilaton Field at Finite Temperature, Phys. Rev. D 101, 066023 [arXiv:2001.00038].
- Bartz, S. P., Dhumuntarao, A., Kapusta, J., (2018) Dynamical AdS/Yang-Mills model, Phys. Rev. D 98, 026019 [arXiv:1801.06118].
- 1. Tang, W., **Dhumuntarao**, A., (2015) Bistability in Inhomogeneity–Effects of Flow Coherent Structures on the Fate of a Bistable Reaction, AIP. Physics of Fluids 27, 076601 [arXiv:1801.06118].

Honors and Awards Doctoral Dissertation Fellow, University of Minnesota

2021-2022

Graduate Research Fellowship Award, NSF

2016 - 2021

Charles Wexler Mathematics Prize, Arizona State University

2016

Outstanding Undergraduate Award, Arizona State University

2016

INVITED TALKS

Contributed

Talks

Origins Project Award, Arizona State University	2015-2016
National Summer Research Grant [1460141], $NSF$	2015
National Leadership Award, Society of Physics Students	2015
Arek Dieterle Memorial Award, Arizona State University	2015
Jack H. Hawes Mathematics Scholar, Arizona State University	2015
Motil Travel Award, Arizona State University	2015
National Summer Research Grant [1148771], NSF	2014
New American Merit Scholar, NSF	2011–2015
6. Perimeter Institute for Theoretical Physics, Strong Gravity Group, Gravitational Instabilities of Uniform Black Strings in AdS	October 2021
5. University of Waterloo, Mann Group, Gravitational Instabilities of Uniform Black Strings in AdS	October 2021
4. Brandies University, Headrick Group, Gravitational Instabilities of Uniform Black Strings in AdS	September 2021
3. Brandies University, Headrick Group, Graded Geometric Entropy and Gravitational Saddle Points for $\mathcal{N}=4$	$\begin{array}{c} {\rm August~2021} \\ SYM \end{array}$
2. Brandies University, Headrick Group, Confinement and Graded Partition Functions for $\mathcal{N}=4$ SYM	August 2021
1. University of Waterloo, Mann Group  Lower Dimensional Black Hole Chemistry	March 2021
13. American Physical Society Meeting  Confinement and Graded Partition Functions for $\mathcal{N}=4$ SYM	April 2021
12. University of Cambridge: Part III Seminar  AdS/CFT Correspondence on a Pure SU(3) Gauge Theory	November 2016
11. Joint Mathematics Meeting,  Bistability in Inhomogeneity — Effects of Flow Coherent Structures on Reaction.	January 2015 the Fate of a Bistable
<ol> <li>Society of Physics Students: Regional Body Meeting, Bistability in Inhomogeneity – Effects of Flow Coherent Structures on Reaction.</li> </ol>	February 2015 the Fate of a Bistable
<ol> <li>APS 2015 March Meeting, Bistability in Inhomogeneity – Effects of Flow Coherent Structures on Reaction.</li> </ol>	March 2015 the Fate of a Bistable
8. Summer Undergraduate Research Expo,  AdS/CFT on a Pure SU(3) Gauge Theory	August 2015
7. Society of Physics Students: Regional Body Meeting, AdS/CFT on a Pure SU(3) Gauge Theory	October 2015
6. APS Division of Nuclear Physics,  AdS/CFT on a Pure SU(3) Gauge Theory	October 2015

5. APS Four Corners Conference, October 2015 AdS/CFT on a Pure SU(3) Gauge Theory 4. Mentoring through Critical Transition Points Colloquium, June 2014 Bistability in Inhomogeneity — Effects of Flow Coherent Structures on the Fate of a Bistable Reaction. 3. Mentoring through Critical Transition Points Colloquium, June 2014 Self Interacting Dark Matter Models of Satellite Galaxies. 2. ASU Applied Mathematics Seminar, October 2014 Bistability in Inhomogeneity — Effects of Flow Coherent Structures on the Fate of a Bistable Reaction.1. APS New England Section Regional Meeting, November 2014 Bistability in Inhomogeneity - Effects of Flow Coherent Structures on the Fate of a Bistable Reaction. Research Assistant, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN, USA Fall 2018-Fall 2022 Fall 2018 Teaching Assistant, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN, USA Graduate Visitor, Perimeter Institute, Waterloo, Ontario, CA Aug. 2017-Aug. 2018 Origins Project Fellow, Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ, USA Spring 2016 Summer Research Fellow, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN, USA **Summer 2015** Summer Research Fellow, Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ, USA **Summer 2014** Graduate Teaching Assistant, University of Minnesota Phys. 1301, General Physics I Spring 2018 Undergraduate Teaching Assistant, Arizona State University General Physics: Electricity and Magnetism Fall 2016 Mathematical Methods in Physics II Spring 2015 Fall 2016 Mathematical Methods in Physics II Quantum Mechanics II Spring 2016 Statistical and Thermal Physics Fall 2015 American Physical Society, member 2019-Present Division of Gravitational Physics Outreach Volunteer at Open Arms, 2019 - 2020Prepared meals for persons with life threatening illnesses in Minneapolis, Minnesota Volunteer at Our Hearts Your Soles,

OUTREACH, AND

EMPLOYMENT

Teaching

EXPERIENCE

Professional

ACTIVITIES,

SERVICE

November 2019

Provided examinations and free shoes to homeless persons in Minneapolis, Minnesota

University of Cambridge, ChuTalk

Black Holes and the Information Paradox.

March 2017

Esta. 2016

OPERATIONS DIRECTOR AND FOUNDING MEMBER OF TEDXASU

## Unrefereed **PUBLICATIONS**

- 2. Dhumuntarao, A. (2018) Lorentzian Einstein-Ricci Flows, [arXiv:1807.02731].
- 1. Dhumuntarao, A., Gálvez Ghersi, J. T., Afshordi, N., (2018), Instantaneous Temperatures á la Hadamard: Towards a generalized Stefan-Boltzmann law for curved spacetime, [arXiv:1804.05382].

Computer Skills Expert in Mathematica.

Proficient in Matlab, Bash, Emacs. Experience in Fortran, Java.

Markup languages: LATEX, HTML, CSS, MARKDOWN.

Software—Author of NotesTeX IATFX package (https://github.com/Adhumunt/NotesTeX).

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