# Shaon Ghosh

# Curriculum Vitae

# Personal details

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#### Academic Positions

2020-Present Montclair State University, Montclair, NJ, Assistant Professor of Physics.

2016-2020 University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, Postdoctoral Research Associate.

2013-2016 Radboud University, Nijmegen, the Netherlands, Postdoctoral Researcher.

#### Education

2007–2013 Ph.D. in Physics, Washington State University, Pullman.

2004–2006 M.Sc. in Physics, Indian Institute of Technology, Kharagpur.

2001–2004 B.Sc. Physics(honors), University of Calcutta, Calcutta.

#### Ph.D. thesis

Title Improving the detectability of gravitational wave counterparts of short-hard gamma ray bursts.

Supervisor Professor Sukanta Bose

Link to the https://gwic.ligo.org/assets/docs/theses/ghosh\_thesis.pdf thesis

# International Collaborations

- LIGO scientific collaboration (former member of the Virgo Collaboration)
- o BlackGEM team Radboud, KU Leuven, NOVA

# Work experience

2020-present Assistant Professor of Physics, Montclair State University, Montclair NJ, United States.

- Continuing to serve as co-chair of the LIGO-Virgo's low-latency group.
- Low-latency system architecture development.
- Development of the GWXtreme package for neutron star equation of state model selection.
- Large scale LIGO-Virgo injection campaign for preparation to the fourth observing run.
- Measurement of Hubble constant using gravitational waves events with electromagnetic counterpart candidates.
- Teaching physics and astronomy to undergraduate students.
- Mentoring undergraduate students in gravitational wave physics, and data analysis.
- o Alternate chair of internal grant proposal review committee for College of Science and Mathematics at Montclair State University
- Serving member of Physics and Astronomy curriculum committee, Department elections/voting committee, scholarship committee, and faculty search committee.
- Outreach activity, popularizing research in astrophysics, especially topics on gravitational wave research to general public.

#### 2016-2020 Post-doctoral Research Associate, University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, United States.

- o Co-Chair (with Erik Katsavounidis) of the LIGO-Virgo's low-latency group.
- Design and implementation of EM-Bright pipeline. Integration into LIGO and Virgo's low-latency data analysis infrastructure.
- Development of neutron star equation of state model selection method.
- Development of optimal tiling and observing strategy of gravitational wave and Fermi GRB triggers for the Zwicky Transient Facility.
- Development of generic optimal tiling strategy for radio telescopes like ASKAP.
- o Zwicky Transient Facility (ZTF) simulation. Gravitational wave sky-localization and optical counterpart study using LIGO and virgo data.
- Development of EM follow-up schedular for the BlackGEM telescope.
- Full scenario study (including parameter estimation) of compact binary coalescing systems.
- Rapid parameter estimation of coalescing compact binaries.

#### 2013-2016 **Post-doctoral Researcher**, *Radboud University*, Nijmegen, The Netherlands.

- Large scale scenario study for neutron star-black hole binary systems.
- Sky-localization study for highly precessing compact binary coalescing systems.
- Participation in the parameter estimation efforts of the first binary black hole detection GW150914.
- EM follow-up advocate during LIGO-Virgo's first observing run (O1)
- Analysis of raw data from GW150914 to give a "simple proof" that the observed trigger was indeed from a binary black hole coalescence. This argument went into the Sec. II of the detection paper.
- Developing infrastructure (software) and observing strategies for optical follow-up of gravitational wave candidates for the BlackGEM telescope array.
- Parameter estimation of gravitational wave triggers in presence of waveform mismatch.
- Working in the EM-follow-up and parameter estimation sub-groups of the compact binary coalescence group as a member of Virgo scientific collaboration.

- 2007-2013 Research Assistant, Washington State University, Pullman, United States.
  - Construction of detection pipeline for targeted gravitational wave search.
  - Development of hierarchical coherent search pipeline for gravitational waves.
  - Worked in the Compact Binary Coalescence (CBC) group as a member of LIGO scientific collaboration (LSC).
  - Studied interplanetary network (IPN) detected GRBs with large sky position error and their feasibility of detection using CBC search pipeline.
  - Light curve study for identification of the short duration gamma ray bursts and their onsource time window for search for gravitational waves from Swift and Fermi GRB triggers.
  - Worked in the external trigger subgroup of the CBC group for the analysis of 6th LIGO scientific data run.
  - o Participated in the fifth LIGO science run for high mass binary black hole systems.

#### Selected Publications

- S. Ghosh, X. Liu, J. Creighton, I. M. Hernandez, W. Kastaun, G. Pratten, "Rapid model comparison of equations of state from gravitational wave observation of binary neutron star coalescences," Phys. Rev. D 104, 083003 (2021) 1, L5, DOI: 10.1103/PhysRevD.104.083003
- 2. R. Abbott, [et al., including **S. Ghosh**] (LIGO Scientific Collaboration and Virgo Collaboration), "Observation of Gravitational Waves from Two Neutron Star–Black Hole Coalescences," Astrophys.J.Lett. 915 (2021) 1, L5, DOI: 10.3847/2041-8213/ac082e
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- 5. D. Chatterjee, **S. Ghosh**, P. R. Brady, S. J. Kapadia, A. L. Miller, S. Nissanke, and F. Pannarale, "A Machine Learning Based Source Property Inference for Compact Binary Mergers," Astrophys.J. 896 (2020) 1, 54, DOI: 10.3847/1538-4357/ab8dbe
- M. M. Kasliwal, [et al., including S. Ghosh], "Kilonova Luminosity Function Constraints Based on Zwicky Transient Facility Searches for 13 Neutron Star Merger Triggers during O3," Astrophys.J. 905 (2020) 2, 145, DOI: 10.3847/1538-4357/abc335
- B. P. Abbott, [et al., including S. Ghosh] (LIGO Scientific Collaboration and Virgo Collaboration), "Model comparison from LIGO-Virgo data on GW170817's binary components and consequences for the merger remnant," Class.Quant.Grav. 37 (2020) 4, 045006, DOI: 10.1088/1361-6382/ab5f7c
- 8. B. P. Abbott, [et al., including **S. Ghosh**] (LIGO Scientific Collaboration and Virgo Collaboration), "Low-latency Gravitational-wave Alerts for Multimessenger Astronomy during the Second Advanced LIGO and Virgo Observing Run," Astrophys. J. 875, 161 (2019), DOI: 10.3847/1538-4357/ab0e8f
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- Publications of the Astronomical Society of the Pacific, 131, 998 (2019), DOI: 10.1088/1538-3873/aaff99
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- M.W. Coughlin, [et al., including S. Ghosh], "Optimizing searches for electromagnetic counterparts of gravitational wave triggers," Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society, Volume 478 (2018), DOI: 10.1093/mnras/sty1066
- 12. M. M. Kasliwal, [et al., including **S. Ghosh**], "Illuminating gravitational waves: A concordant picture of photons from a neutron star merger," Science Vol. 358, Issue 6370 (2017), DOI: 10.1126/science.aap9455
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- "All-sky search for long-duration gravitational-wave bursts in the third Advanced LIGO and Advanced Virgo run," Phys. Rev. D 104, 102001 (2021), DOI: 10.1103/PhysRevD.104.102001
- R. Abbott [et al., including S. Ghosh] (LIGO Scientific Collaboration and Virgo Collaboration), "All-sky search for short gravitational-wave bursts in the third Advanced LIGO and Advanced Virgo run," Phys. Rev. D 104, 122004 (2021), DOI: 10.1103/PhysRevD.104.122004
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- R. Abbott [et al., including S. Ghosh] (Searches for Continuous Gravitational Waves from Young Supernova Remnants in the Early Third Observing Run of Advanced LIGO and Virgo," Astrophys. J., Volume 921, Number 1 (2021), DOI: 10.3847/1538-4357/ac17ea
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# Talks and poster presentations

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- Dec 2018 Talk: Low-Latency source-classification of compact binary coalescences using gravitational wave, GWPAW 2018, Maryland. [International]
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- Mar 2017 Poster: Low latency EM Bright classification pipeline for O2A. LIGO-Virgo meeting, Pasadena, California. [International]
- Mar 2017 Poster: Investigation of detection and sky-localization of NSBH coalescences. LIGO-Virgo meeting, Pasadena, California. [International]
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- April 2014 Talk: Optical Followup of Gravitational Wave Events. Sant Cugat Forum for Astrophysics, Sant Cugat, Spain. [International]
- Feb 2014 Talk: Systematic errors in gravitational waves parameter estimation. Third Dutch Gravitational wave meeting, ASTRON.
- Dec 2013 Talk: The BlackGEM array, a dedicated gravitational waves trigger followup facility. Astronomy and Physics with LIGO India (APLI), Pune, India (Invited).
- Dec 2013 Poster: Gravitational wave astronomy using compact binary systems and their Electromagnetic counterparts, GWPAW 2013, Pune, India. [International]
- Dec 2011 Poster: Coherent multi-detector searches for gravitational waves from short duration gamma-ray bursts. 7th International Conference on Gravitation and Cosmology, Goa, India. [International]
- April 2011 Talk: Targeting gravitational wave signals from short duration gamma ray bursts with large sky position errors. American Physical Society meeting, Anaheim, California. [International]
- Jan 2011 Poster: Coherent compact binary coalescence searches for external triggers with large sky-position errors, GWPAW, Milwaukee, Wisconsin. [International]
- Jan 2010 Talk: Robust multi-detector statistics for coherently searching for signals from coalescing compact binaries. GWDAW 14, Rome, Italy. [International]

# Conferences and meetings attended

- April 2022 American Physical Society meeting, New York city.
- May 2019 Berkeley Machine Learning and Multi-Messenger Astronomy workshop.
- Mar 2019 LIGO-Virgo meeting, Lake Geneva, Wisconsin.
- Dec 2018 Gravitational waves Physics and Astronomy workshop (GWPAW), Maryland.
- Oct 2018 Midwest Relativity Meeting, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.
- Oct 2017 GROWTH Annual Conference, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.
- Mar 2017 LIGO-Virgo meeting, Pasedena, California.
- June 2016 Virtual observatory meeting, Strasbourg, France.
- May 2016 Virgo Week, Cascina, Italy.
- Mar 2016 Fifth Dutch Gravitational Wave meeting, Amsterdam, the Netherlands.
- Dec 2015 A Century of General Relativity, Berlin, Germany.
- Nov 2015 Nova Network 3 meeting, SRON, Leiden, The Netherlands.
- Sep 2015 LIGO-Virgo meeting, Budapest, Hungary.
- Feb 2015 Third Dutch Gravitational wave meeting, Leiden, The Netherlands.
- Nov 2014 Nova Network 3, Leiden, The Netherlands.
- Sep 2014 Virgo Week, Cascina, Italy.

- April 2014 Sant Cugat Forum for Astrophysics, Sant Cugat, Spain.
- Feb 2014 Third Dutch Gravitational wave meeting, Netherlands Institute of Radio Astronomy, ASTRON, The Netherlands.
- Dec 2013 Astronomy and Physics with LIGO India (APLI), Pune, India.
- Dec 2013 Gravitational wave Physics and Astronomy workshop (GWPAW), Pune, India.
- Sep 2013 LIGO-Virgo meeting, Hannover, Germany.
- March 2012 LIGO-Virgo meeting, Cambridge, Massachusetts.
  - Dec 2011 ICGC 2011, Goa, India.
- April 2011 American Physical Society meeting, Anaheim, California.
- March 2011 LIGO-Virgo meeting, Arcadia, California.
  - Jan 2011 Gravitational waves Physics and Astronomy workshop (GWPAW), Milwaukee, Wisconsin.
  - June 2010 LIGO-Virgo meeting, Hanover, Germany.
- March 2010 LIGO-Virgo meeting, Arcadia, California.
  - Jan 2010, Gravitational waves data analysis workshop (GWDAW), Rome, Italy.

# Teaching

- Spring 2022 PHYS 192 University Physics II (Montclair State University)
  - Fall 2021 PHYS 220 Oscillations, Waves, & Optics (Montclair State University)
- Spring 2021 PHYS 340 Electricity and Magnetism (Montclair State University)
  - Fall 2020 PHYS 191 University Physics I (Montclair State University)
- Spring 2020 PHYS 280 Astronomy for Physicists (Montclair State University)
- Spring 2020 PHYS 192 University Physics II (Montclair State University)
- Spring 2018 Astronomy 103 Introductory undergraduate course on astronomy (UWM)

# Mentoring students

- Elton Ago (Computer Science) Summer 2022 current
- Elizabeth Kapelevich (Physics) Fall 2021 current
- o Ricky Wilde (Mathematics) Summer 2021 Fall 2021
- Michael Camilo (Physics) Spring 2021 current
- Jacob Santos (Physics) Summer 2021

#### Referee

Grants Reviewer in the panel of NASA's Astrophysics Theory Program

Journals Served as referee for reputed journals like Classical and Quantum Gravity (2021 impact factor = 3.528), Astronomy & Astrophysics (2020 impact factor = 5.802), and Astronomy and Computing (2021 Impact factor = 1.927).

Internal Internal peer reviewer for The LIGO-Virgo-Kagra collaborations.

#### Other activities

 Co-organized Banff International Research Station workshop titled "Detection and Analysis of Gravitational Waves in the era of Multi-Messenger Astronomy: From Mathematical Modelling to Machine Learning" at Oaxaca, Mexico Nov 14-19, 2021.

#### Public outreach

- July 2022 Public lecture at Weston Science Scholars Series, "Astrophysics of the Extreme Universe"
- March 2022 Public lecture at STAR Astronomy Club March Meeting, "Gravitational wave astronomy Analysis of gravitational wave on supercomputers"
- October 2021 Public lecture at Gurudas College, Kolkata, India, "The Extreme Universe"
  - July 2021 Public lecture at North Jersey Astronomical Group meeting, "Cosmology using gravitational waves"
  - April 2018 Public talk at UWM Planetarium Astrobreak, "Mysteries of the Extreme Universe"
  - March 2018 Public talk at Anodyne Coffeshop for coffeeshop astrophysics, "Mysteries of the Extreme Universe"
- 2017-current Member of coffeeshop astrophysics Group of students and postdocs within the department of physics organizing public lectures on popular scientific discoveries.
  - July 2016 Reünistendag, Radboud University, Nijmegen, Public lecture, "The first direct detection of gravitational-waves"
  - May June Article in Bengali (three parts) about the discovery of gravitational waves by LIGO at http://bigyan.org.in: [first part], [second part], [third part].
  - July 2008 Sky watcher's association, Kolkata, India: Public lecture on Gravitational waves.

#### Academic institutes visited

- August 2017 Caltech, Pasadena
  - Fall 2016 Inter University Center for Astronomy and Astrophysics (IUCAA), Pune, India.
- Spring 2013 Inter University Center for Astronomy and Astrophysics (IUCAA), Pune, India.
- Summer 2012 Inter University Center for Astronomy and Astrophysics (IUCAA), Pune, India.
- Summer 2010 Albert Einstein Institute (AEI), Hanover, Germany.
  - Fall 2009 Albert Einstein Institute (AEI), Hanover, Germany.

# Grants, awards, and other recognitions

- 2022 CSAM Faculty Student Summer Research Program grant College of Science and Mathematics, Montclair State University: \$5000
- 2021 National Science Foundation Standard Grant (3 years) Division of Physics: \$150K
- 2021 CSAM Faculty Student Summer Research Program grant College of Science and Mathematics, Montclair State University: \$9000
- 2020 National Science Foundation XSEDE Grant Educational: 100K SUs, equivalent to \$2000

- 2017 Princess of Asturias Award as part of the LIGO Scientific Collaboration (LSC)
- 2017 HEAD Rossi Prize of the American Astronomical Society (as part of the LIGO discovery team)
- 2017 Group Achievement Award of the Royal Astronomical Society (as part of the LIGO group)
- 2016 Gruber Cosmology Prize (as part of the LIGO discovery team)
- 2016 Special Breakthrough Prize in Fundamental Physics (co-recipient as part of LIGO-Virgo Collaboration)
- 2013 Honorable mention in GWIC and Branccini Thesis prizes.
- 2009 College of science research assistantship in Washington State University
- 2007 Millennium Fellowship in Washington State University

# Successful proposals

- 2016 Acceptance of LOFAR Cycle 6 observation proposal LC7\_026 for EM follow-up of gravitational wave triggers from LIGO-Virgo's second observing run, titled "Low-frequency follow-up of transient triggers."
- 2016 Acceptance of LOFAR Cycle 6 observation proposal LC6\_014 for EM follow-up of gravitational wave triggers from LIGO-Virgo's second observing run, titled "Low-frequency follow-up of transient triggers."
- 2015 Acceptance of LOFAR observation proposal LC5\_023 titled "Electromagnetic follow-up of LIGO gravitational wave alerts: a pilot study with LOFAR."

# Computational skills

Programming C, PYTHON

Languages:

Software Matlab, LATEX, Gnuplot

Packages:

Operating UNIX. Windows, Linux

Systems:

Advanced Message Passing Interface(MPI), PBS scripting, HTCondor for massively parallel Computing: tasks over large computing clusters, Bayesian Inference, Machine Learning, Big Data

#### Languages

English Fluent - full proficiency

Bengali Mother tongue

Hindi Medium working proficiency