

# Curriculum Vitae

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## EDUCATION

- 1999 Ph.D. in Astrophysics, Paris XI University, “Accretion Processes onto Compact Objects,” Advisors: Jean-Pierre Lasota / Ramesh Narayan
- 1995 D.E.A. in Astrophysics (equivalent to M.S.), Paris XI University, France
- 1994 Maitrise in Physics, University of Toulouse, France
- 1993 Licence in Physics (equivalent to B.S.), University of Angers, France

## EMPLOYMENT

- 07/2009 – present Associate Professor of Astronomy, Columbia University
- 07/2004 – 06/2009 Assistant Professor of Astronomy, Columbia University
- 10/2003 – 06/2004 Research Scientist, Institut d’Astrophysique de Paris
- 09/2002 – 09/2003 Postdoctoral Fellow at the University of Virginia
- 09/1999 – 09/2002 Postdoctoral Fellow at Princeton University
- 10/1996 – 09/1999 Graduate Student in Astrophysics, Paris-Meudon Observatory / Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

- 2004 – present Large-scale numerical simulations
- 2003 – present Formation and evolution of extrasolar planetary systems
- 2001 – present Compact objects and supermassive black holes
- 1997 – present Accretion flow theory and applications

**FELLOWSHIPS and AWARDS**

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|-------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 09/2002 – 09/2003 | Celerity Foundation Postdoctoral Fellow (Virginia)                           |
| 09/1999 – 09/2002 | Chandra Postdoctoral Fellow (Princeton)                                      |
| 01/1997 – 06/1999 | Smithsonian Predoctoral Fellow (Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics) |

**MEMBERSHIPS**

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| 09/2000 – present | American Astronomical Society (Full Member) |
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