# Yue Zhao

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#### **PROFESSIONAL POSITIONS**

- 2018-present, Assistant Professor, University of Utah
- 2015-2018, Postdoc, MCTP, University of Michigan
- 2012-2015, Research Associate, SITP/SLAC, Stanford University
- 2009-2012, Graduate Assistant, Department of Physics, Rutgers University
- 2007-2008 Teaching Assistant, Department of Physics and Astronomy, Rutgers University

# CITIZENSHIP

Chinese

#### **EDUCATION**

- Ph.D. in High Energy Physics
  Department of Physics, Rutgers University, July 2012
  Advisor: Scott Thomas
- **B.S. in Physics** Department of Physics, Peking University, Beijing, China, July 2007

#### **INSPIRES:**

• http://inspirehep.net/author/profile/Yue.Zhao.1

#### **RESEARCH INTERESTS**

- Dark Matter Searches
- High Energy Phenomenology and Model Building
- Gravitational Wave
- AdS/CFT and its Applications

# **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

• Teaching Assistant at Rutgers University, 2007-2008

Courses: Classical Mechanics General Physics Lab Quantum Mechanics Electricity and Magnetism, Quantum Field Theory, Astrophysics and Cosmology

# ACADEMIC HONORS AND AWARDS

- T. D. Lee fellowship, T. D. Lee Institute, 2017
- DOE fellowship, Rutgers University, 2010 2012
- Innovation Award, Peking University, 2007
- Outstanding Undergraduate Research Paper, Peking University, 2007
- Research Scholarship from President Foundation, Peking University, 2007
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# **PROFESSIONAL SERVICE**

- DM: WIMP and beyond Workshop Organizer, T. D. Lee Institute, May 17-18, 2017
- Beyond the Standard Model Workshop
  Workshop Organizer, MCTP, October 10 12, 2016
- Brown Bag Seminars at MCTP Seminar Organizer, MCTP, since Jan. 2016

# SEMINAR AND INVITED TALKS

- Dark Matter Beyond Weakly Interacting Massive Particles Colloquium, University of Utah, 2018
- Searching for Confining Hidden Valleys at the LHC(b) Scalars 2017, Warsaw, Poland, 2017
- Searching for Confining Hidden Valleys at the LHC(b) Implications of LHCb measurements and future prospects, CERN, 2017
- Using LISA-like Gravitational Wave Detector to Search for Primordial Black Holes 27th Midwest Relativity Meeting, MCTP, University of Michigan, 2017

- Searching for Confining Hidden Valleys at the LHC(b) theory seminar, Perimeter Institute, 2017
- Boosted dark matter signatures at neutrino experiments NUFACT2017, Uppsala University, Sweden, 2017
- Hidden Valley search at the LHCb New Physics Interpretations at the LHC 2, Argonne National Lab, 2017
- Neutrino Experiments For DM Detection theory seminar, Northwestern University, 2017
- Hidden Valley search at the LHCb theory seminar, Cornell University,, US, 2017
- Hidden Valley search at the LHCb theory seminar, University of Wisconsin - Madison, US, 2017
- **Probing dark matter self-interactions at the LHC** *LHCP, Shanghai Jiao Tong University, China, 2017*
- Naturalness from a Composite Top? theory seminar, Argonne National Lab, US, 2017
- Neutrino experiments for dark matter direct detection Beyond WIMPs: from Theory to Detection, Stony Brook University-SUNY, US, 2017
- **DM scattering in superconductors** New Ideas in Dark Matter workshop, Maryland University, 2017
- Dark Matter Beyond Weakly Interacting Massive Particle theory seminar, Tsinghua University, Beijing, China, 2017
- Neutrino Experiments For DM Detection theory seminar, Peking University, Beijing, China, 2017
- Dark Matter Beyond Weakly Interacting Massive Particle theory seminar, ITP-CAS, Beijing, China, 2017
- Neutrino Experiments For DM Detection theory seminar, T.D.Lee Institute, Shanghai, China, 2017
- Being Flat With No Symmetries theory seminar, FermiLab, USA, 2017
- Neutrino Experiments For DM Detection theory seminar, Los Alamos, USA, 2016
- Neutrino Experiments For DM Detection theory seminar, Cincinnati, USA, 2016

- Neutrino Experiments For DM Detection theory seminar, UIUC, USA, 2016
- Naturalness from a Composite Top? theory seminar, University of Notre Dame, USA, 2016
- Naturalness from a Composite Top? Beyond the Standard Model Workshop, University of Michigan, USA, 2016
- Naturalness from a Composite Top? theory seminar, UC Riverside, USA, 2016
- Naturalness from a Composite Top? theory seminar, UC Irvine, USA, 2016
- Naturalness from a Composite Top? theory seminar, Caltech, USA, 2016
- Naturalness from a Composite Top? *KITPC/TeV/CEPC workshop , KITPC, China, 2016*
- Split Coupling SUSY Pheno 2016, University of Pittsburgh, USA, 2016
- Detecting DM with superconductors Dark Forces 2016, SLAC, USA, 2016
- Split Coupling SUSY 1st PIKIO Meeting, University of Cincinnati, USA, 2016
- Light Scalar Boson With No Symmetries Elementary Particle Seminar, University of Maryland, USA, 2015
- Being Flat With No Symmetries High Energy Theory Seminar, MCTP, University of Michigan, USA, 2015
- Being Flat With No Symmetries SUSY 2015, Lake Tahoe, CA, USA, 2015
- The AdS<sub>3</sub>/CFT<sub>2</sub> Avatar of the (Little) Hierarchy Problem The 4th MCTP Spring Symposium, University of Michigan, USA, 2015
- The AdS<sub>3</sub>/CFT<sub>2</sub> Avatar of the (Little) Hierarchy Problem theory seminar, KITP, USA, 2015
- The AdS<sub>3</sub>/CFT<sub>2</sub> Avatar of the (Little) Hierarchy Problem Particle Physics Seminar, Princeton University, USA, 2015
- The AdS3/CFT2 Avatar of the (Little) Hierarchy Problem theory seminar, UCSD, USA, 2015

- The AdS<sub>3</sub>/CFT<sub>2</sub> Avatar of the (Little) Hierarchy Problem TEP Seminars, UCLA, USA, 2015
- A Parametrically Enhanced Hidden Photon Search LHC/BSM Journal Club, MIT, USA, 2014
- A Parametrically Enhanced Hidden Photon Search theory seminar, Boston University, USA, 2014
- Explicitly Broken Supersymmetry with Exactly Massless Moduli Journal Club, Rutgers, USA, 2014
- A Parametrically Enhanced Hidden Photon Search theory seminar, SUNY-Stony Brook, USA, 2014
- Explicitly Broken Supersymmetry with Exactly Massless Moduli theory seminar, UC Berkeley, USA, 2014
- A Parametrically Enhanced Hidden Photon Search theory seminar, UC Riverside, USA, 2014
- A Parametrically Enhanced Hidden Photon Search theory seminar, Caltech, USA, 2014
- A Parametrically Enhanced Hidden Photon Search theory seminar, SISSA, Italy, 2014
- Dark Matter Induced Nucleon Decay: Model and Signatures theory seminar, University of Wisconsin–Madison, USA, 2013
- Dark Matter Induced Nucleon Decay: Model and Signatures theory seminar, University of Michigan, USA, 2013
- A Complete Model of Low-Scale Gauge Mediation theory seminar, UC Davis, USA, 2012
- A Complete Model of Low-Scale Gauge Mediation theory seminar, SLAC, USA, 2012
- A Complete Model of Low-Scale Gauge Mediation theory seminar, Berkeley, USA, 2012
- Diagnosing the top-quark angular asymmetry using LHC intrinsic charge asymmetries theory seminar, Harvard, USA, 2012
- Early searches for super particles at the LHC SUSY 2011, Fermilab, USA, 2011
- Super particles at the LHC: Early searches and mass measurements theory seminar, SLAC, USA, 2011
- Super particles at the LHC: Early searches and mass measurements

theory seminar, UC Santa Cruz, USA, 2011

• Extracting Particle Masses from Missing Energy Signatures with Displaced Tracks PHENO 2011, University of Wisconsin at Madison, USA, 2011

# **CONFERENCES, WORKSHOPS AND SCHOOLS**

- KITP Sensitivity Frontier Workshop *KITP, UCSB, USA, 2018*
- Beyond the Standard Model Workshop University of Michigan, USA, 2016
- Aspen Center for Physics 2016 Summer Season Aspen, USA, 2016
- KITPC/TeV/CEPC workshop KITPC, China, 2016
- Pheno 2016 University of Pittsburgh, USA, 2016
- Dark Forces 2016 SLAC, USA, 2016
- 1<sup>st</sup> PIKIO Meeting University of Cincinnati, USA, 2016
- SUSY 2015

Lake Tahoe, CA, USA, 2015

- The 4th MCTP Spring Symposium University of Michigan, USA, 2015
- Exploring the Physics Frontier with Circular Colliders Aspen, USA, 2015
- Frontiers of New Physics: Colliders and Beyond *ICTP, Italy, 2014*
- The Search for Fundamental Physics: Higgs Bosons and Supersymmetry UC Santa Cruz, USA, 2013
- West Coast LHC Theory Meeting UC Riverside, USA, 2012
- SavasFest Stanford, USA, 2012
- Exact Methods in Gauge/String Theories

Princeton University, USA, 2011

- String Theory and its Applications: from meV to the Plank Scale *TASI, University of Colorado, USA, 2010*
- AdS/CFT: New Developments and Applications Princeton University, USA, 2010
- AdS/CFT: New Developments and Applications Princeton University, USA, 2009
- **Physics of the Large and the Small** *TASI, University of Colorado, USA, 2009*
- Current Trends in Dark Matter, Institute for Advanced Studies Princeton University, USA, 2009
- Winter School in Theoretical Physics, Institute for Advanced Studies Hebrew University, Israel, 2009.
- International Conference on Frontier Physics KITPC, Beijing, China, 2007