



## INDRANI BANERJEE

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Theoretical Physics Group  
Department of Physics & Astronomy,  
National Institute of Technology, Rourkela, India

### BIOGRAPHICAL DETAILS

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**Gender:** Female

**Nationality:** Indian

**Date of Birth:** November 4, 1984

### CONTACT INFORMATION

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### WORK EXPERIENCE

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<b>Research Associate</b> Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science, Kolkata, India	June, 2017-August, 2020
<b>Post-doctoral Research Associate</b> S. N. Bose National Centre for Basic Sciences, Kolkata, India	June, 2015 – June, 2017
<b>Senior Research Associate</b> Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, India	September, 2014-June, 2015

### EDUCATION

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<b>PhD</b>   <i>Astrophysics</i> Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, India	2014
<b>MS</b>   <i>Physics (CGPA: 6.7/8)</i> Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, India	2010
<b>BSc.</b>   <i>Physics (Hons) (First Class: 64.6%)</i> Presidency College, University of Calcutta, India	2007

## RESEARCH INTEREST

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- Alternative theories of gravity and their implications from astrophysical and cosmological observations.
- Extra-dimensional models and braneworlds.
- Theoretical and observational aspects of accretion onto blackholes, e.g., study of the black hole continuum spectrum, quasiperiodic oscillations, black hole shadow.  
Investigating observational properties of black holes in X-rays

## COMPUTATIONAL SKILLS

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### Operating Systems

- Linux
- Windows

### Programming Languages

- C
- FORTRAN 77

### Software Packages

- Mathematica
- Shell Script
- Gnuplot
- Latex
- HEASOFT
- XSPEC
- FTOOLS
- Super Mongo
- Origin

## ACHIEVEMENTS AND HONORS

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<b>Received Start-Up Research Grant from SERB, India</b>	2022
<b>Received Visiting Associateship from IUCAA, Pune</b>	2021
<b>Qualified WBCSC (West Bengal College Service Commission) interview</b> Rank 77 (out of 1500 candidates approximately)	2019
<b>Received Travel Grant from IUPAP (International Union of Pure and Applied Physics)</b> (To attend the conference COSPAR 2018 held at Pasadena, USA, July 14-22, 2018)	2018
<b>Selected as a Grant Recipient of 42<sup>nd</sup> COSPAR Scientific Assembly</b> (To attend the conference COSPAR 2018 held at Pasadena, USA, July 14-22, 2018)	2018
<b>Received CSIR Travel Grant</b> (To attend the 27 <sup>th</sup> Texas Symposium on Relativistic Astrophysics, held at Dallas, USA, December 8-13, 2013)	2013
<b>Qualified IISc Entrance Exam for Integrated PhD Programme</b> All India Rank 9	2007
<b>Qualified Joint Entrance Screening Test (JEST)</b> All India Rank 98	2007
<b>Qualified Joint Admission Test for M.Sc. (JAM)</b> All India Rank 63 (out of 2569 candidates)	2007

- 33. Deciphering signatures of Kerr-Sen black holes in presence of plasma from the Event Horizon Telescope data,**  
Siddharth K. Sahoo and Indrani Banerjee  
[Journal of Cosmology and Astroparticle Physics, 10, 100 \(2025\); arXiv:2504.09443](#)
- 32. Signatures of Einstein-Maxwell dilaton-axion gravity from the observed quasi-periodic oscillations in black holes**  
Anirban Dasgupta, Nishant Tiwari and Indrani Banerjee  
[Journal of Cosmology and Astroparticle Physics, 10, 054 \(2025\); arXiv:2503.02708](#)
- 31. Imprints of Einstein-Maxwell dilaton-axion gravity in the observed shadows of Sgr A\* and M87\* ,**  
Siddharth K. Sahoo, Neeraj Yadav and Indrani Banerjee  
[Physical Review D, 109, 4, 044008 \(2024\); arXiv:2305.14870](#)
- 30. Signatures of regular black holes from the quasar continuum spectrum,**  
Indrani Banerjee  
[The European Physical Journal C 83, 2, 171 \(2023\); arXiv:2206.06899](#)
- 29. Rotating hairy black holes and thermodynamics from gravitational decoupling,**  
Subhash Mahapatra and Indrani Banerjee  
[Physics of the Dark Universe, 39, 101172 \(2023\); arXiv: 2207.09003;](#)
- 28. Hunting extra dimensions in the shadow of Sgr A\* ,**  
Indrani Banerjee, Sumanta Chakraborty and Soumitra SenGupta  
[Physical Review D, 106, 8, 084051 \(2022\); arXiv: 2207.09003](#)
- 27. Signatures of regular black holes from the shadow of Sgr A\* and M87\* ,**  
Indrani Banerjee, Subhadip Sau and Soumitra SenGupta  
[Journal of Cosmology and Astroparticle Physics, 09, 066 \(2022\); arXiv: 2206.12125](#)
- 26. Aspects of non-singular bounce in modified gravity theories,**  
Indrani Banerjee, Tanmoy Paul and Soumitra SenGupta  
[General Relativity and Gravitation, 54, 10, 119 \(2022\); arXiv: 2205.05283](#)
- 25. Testing black holes in non-linear electrodynamics from the observed quasi-periodic oscillations,**  
Indrani Banerjee,  
[Journal of Cosmology and Astroparticle Physics, 08, 034 \(2022\); arXiv: 2203.10890](#)
- 24. Deciphering signatures of Bardeen black holes from the observed quasi-periodic oscillations,**  
Indrani Banerjee,  
[Journal of Cosmology and Astroparticle Physics, 05, 020 \(2022\); arXiv: 2201.00679](#)
- 23. Quasar continuum spectrum disfavors black holes with a magnetic monopole charge,**  
Indrani Banerjee, Vijay Shersingh Chawan, Bhaswati Mandal, Siddharth Kumar Sahoo and Soumitra SenGupta,  
[Physical Review D, 105, 6, 064073 \(2022\); arXiv: 2112.05385](#)
- 22. Unifying an asymmetric bounce to the dark energy in Chern-Simons F(R) gravity,**  
Sergei D. Odintsov, Tanmoy Paul, Indrani Banerjee, Ratbay Myrzakulov and Soumitra SenGupta,  
[Phys. Dark Univ. 33, 100864 \(2021\); arXiv: 2109.00345](#)

- 21. Analytic topological hairy dyonic black holes and thermodynamics,**  
Supragyan Priyadarshinee, Subhash Mahapatra and Indrani Banerjee  
[Physical Review D 104, 8, 084023 \(2021\); arXiv: 2108.02514](#)
- 20. Critical analysis of modulus stabilization in a higher dimensional F(R) gravity,**  
Indrani Banerjee, Tanmoy Paul and Soumitra SenGupta,  
[Physical Review D 104, 10, 104018 \(2021\); arXiv: 2108.00370](#)
- 19. Looking for extra dimensions in the observed quasi-periodic oscillations of black holes,**  
Indrani Banerjee, Sumanta Chakraborty and Soumitra SenGupta,  
[Journal of Cosmology and Astroparticle Physics 09, 037 \(2021\); arXiv: 2105.06636](#)
- 18. Signatures of Einstein-Maxwell dilaton-axion gravity from the observed jet power and the radiative efficiency,**  
Indrani Banerjee, Bhaswati Mandal and Soumitra SenGupta,  
[Physical Review D 103, 4, 044046 \(2021\); arXiv: 2007.03947](#)
- 17. Bouncing cosmology in a curved braneworld,**  
Indrani Banerjee, Tanmoy Paul and Soumitra SenGupta,  
[Journal of Cosmology and Astroparticle Physics 02, 041 \(2021\); arXiv: 2011.11886](#)
- 16. Implications of Einstein-Maxwell dilaton-axion gravity from the black hole continuum spectrum,**  
Indrani Banerjee, Bhaswati Mandal and Soumitra SenGupta,  
[Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society 500, 1, 481 \(2020\); arXiv: 2007.13980](#)
- 15. Dynamical modelling of disc vertical structure in superthin galaxy 'UGC 7321' in braneworld gravity: An MCMC study,** Aditya Komanduri, Indrani Banerjee, Arunima Banerjee and Soumitra SenGupta,  
[Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society 499, 4, 5690 \(2020\); arXiv: 2004.05627](#)
- 14. Imprints of the Janis-Newman-Winicour spacetime on observations related to shadow and accretion,**  
Subhadip Sau, Indrani Banerjee, and Soumitra SenGupta,  
[Physical Review D 102, 6, 064027 \(2020\); arXiv:2004.02840](#)
- 13. Implications of axionic hair on the shadow of M87\*,**  
Indrani Banerjee, Subhadip Sau and Soumitra SenGupta  
[Physical Review D 101, 10, 104057 \(2020\); arXiv:1911.05385](#)
- 12. Silhouette of M87\*: A new window to peek into the world of hidden dimensions,**  
Indrani Banerjee, Sumanta Chakraborty and Soumitra SenGupta,  
[Physical Review D \(Rapid Communication\) 101, 4, 041301 \(2020\); arXiv:1909.09385](#)
- 11. Does black hole continuum spectrum signal f(R) gravity in higher dimensions?,**  
Indrani Banerjee, Bhaswati Mandal and Soumitra SenGupta,  
[Physical Review D 101, 2, 024013 \(2020\); arXiv:1905.12820](#)
- 10. Decoding signatures of extra dimensions and estimating spin of quasars from the continuum spectrum,**  
Indrani Banerjee, Sumanta Chakraborty and Soumitra SenGupta,  
[Physical Review D 100, 4, 044045 \(2019\); arXiv:1905.08043](#)
- 9. Does Cyg X-1 have a small Standard Accretion Disc?,**  
Arindam Ghosh, Indrani Banerjee, and Sandip K. Chakrabarti,  
[Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society 484, 4, 5802 \(2019\); arXiv:1810.08249](#)

8. **Radion induced inflation on nonflat brane and modulus stabilization,**  
Indrani Banerjee, Sumanta Chakraborty and Soumitra SenGupta,  
[Physical Review D 99, 2, 023515 \(2019\); arXiv:1806.11327](#)
7. **In quest of axionic hairs in quasars,**  
Indrani Banerjee, Bhaswati Mandal and Soumitra SenGupta,  
[Journal of Cosmology and Astroparticle Physics, 03, 039 \(2018\); arXiv:1712.09554](#)
6. **Excavating black hole continuum spectrum: Possible signatures of scalar hairs and of higher dimensions,**  
Indrani Banerjee, Sumanta Chakraborty and Soumitra SenGupta,  
[Physical Review D 96, 8, 084035 \(2017\); arXiv:1707.04494](#)
5. **Modulus stabilization in a non-flat warped braneworld scenario,**  
Indrani Banerjee and Soumitra SenGupta,  
[The European Physical Journal C 77, 5, 277 \(2017\); arXiv:1705.05015](#)
4. **The 2004 Outburst of BHC H1743-322: Analysis of spectral and timing properties using the TCAF Solution,**  
Ayan Bhattacharjee, Indrani Banerjee, Anuvab Banerjee, Dipak Debnath and Sandip K. Chakrabarti,  
[Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society 466, 2, 1372 \(2017\); arXiv:1901.00810](#)
3. **Nucleosynthesis in the outflows associated with accretion disks of Type II collapsars,**  
Indrani Banerjee and Banibrata Mukhopadhyay,  
[The Astrophysical Journal 778, 1, 8 \(2013\); arXiv:1309.0954](#)
2. **Establishing a Relation between the Mass and Spin of Stellar Mass-Black Holes,**  
Indrani Banerjee and Banibrata Mukhopadhyay,  
[Physical Review Letters 111, 6, 061101 \(2013\); arXiv:1307.4075](#)
1. **Nucleosynthesis in the accretion disks of Type II collapsars,**  
Indrani Banerjee and Banibrata Mukhopadhyay,  
[Research in Astronomy & Astrophysics 13, 9, 1063 \(2013\); arXiv:1305.1755](#)

**A complete list of my publications can be found in:**

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[https://scholar.google.co.in/citations?user=iA\\_I4D4AAAAJ&hl&hl=en](https://scholar.google.co.in/citations?user=iA_I4D4AAAAJ&hl&hl=en)

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#### PUBLICATIONS IN PEER-REVIEWED CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS

1. **Nucleosynthesis inside accretion disks and outflows formed during core collapse of massive stars,**  
Indrani Banerjee  
[The Astronomical Society of India Conference Series, 8, 131 \(2013\); arXiv: 1310.5911](#)
2. **Nucleosynthesis in the gamma-ray burst accretion disks and associated outflows,**  
Indrani Banerjee and Banibrata Mukhopadhyay,  
[Proceedings, 13<sup>th</sup> Marcel Grossmann Meeting on Recent Developments in Theoretical and Experimental General Relativity, Astrophysics, and Relativistic Field Theories \(MG13\): Stockholm, Sweden, July 1-7, 2012 \(2015\); arXiv:1302.3067](#)

## OTHER PUBLICATIONS

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**Online articles for a reader with non-science background:**

1. <https://www.sparrho.com/d/new-dark-matter-candidate-offers-exciting-theory-0/>
2. <https://digest.sparrho.com/community/100-years-ago-einsteins-theory-was-proved-right>

## REVIEWER OF JOURNALS

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**Physics of the Dark Universe**

**Classical and Quantum Gravity**

**General Relativity and Gravitation**

**International Journal of Modern Physics D**

**Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society**

**Europhysics Letters**

## MEMBERSHIP

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**Indian Association for General Relativity and Gravitation**

**Astronomical Society of India**

**Orissa Physical Society**

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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**At NIT Rourkela**

**As Course Instructor**

- PH1001: Physics-I (For UG First Year Students)
- PH1070: Physics Laboratory (For UG First Year Students)
- PH1003: Waves & Optics (For UG First Year Students)
- PH4007: Quantum Mechanics and Applications (Minor degree course taken up by students of other departments with CGPA above 8)
- PH6123: An Introduction to General Theory of Relativity (For MSc. 2<sup>nd</sup> Year and Int. MSc. 5<sup>th</sup> Year Students)
- PH3005: Elements of Quantum Mechanics (For Integrated MSc. 3<sup>rd</sup> Year Students)

**At IACS, Kolkata**

**As Teaching Assistant**

- Introductory Classical and Quantum Mechanics
- Quantum Mechanics
- Electricity, magnetism and optics
- General Relativity & Cosmology

**At IISc, Bangalore**

**As Teaching Assistant**

- Quantum Mechanics

### PhD Students

- Mr. Anirban DasGupta (ongoing)
- Mr. Siddharth Kumar Sahoo (ongoing)
- Dr. Subhadip Sau (completed; supervised during my post-doc period)
- Dr. Bhaswati Mandal (completed; supervised during my post-doc period)

### MSc. Project Students

- Mr. Himanshu Sharma (completed)(2020-21)
- Ms. Megha Das (completed) (2021-22)
- Mr. Gaurav Rajendra Bonde (completed) (2021-22)
- Mr. Vijay Shersingh Chawan (completed) (2021-22)
- Mr. Neeraj Yadav (completed) (2022-23)
- Mr. Sayan Panda (completed) (2022-23)
- Mr. Nishant Tiwari (completed) (2022-23)
- Ms. Triparna Goswami (completed) (2023-24)
- Mr. Pankaj Sahoo (completed) (2023-24)
- Mr. Bairy Rishkrith (completed) (2023-24)
- Mr. Sohan Subrat (ongoing) (2024-25)
- Mr. Shyammilan Meena (ongoing) (2025-26)
- Mr. Satish Kumar Sahoo (ongoing) (2025-26)
- Mr. Rana Ghoshal (ongoing) (2025-26)
- Mr. Tadaka Gayathri (ongoing) (2024-25)

### Summer Students

- Mr. Surajit Das
- Ms. Sayoni Chakraborty
- Mr. Neeraj Yadav

### Short Term Industrial or Research Experience (SIRE) project

- Ms. Salmoli Ghosh (2020-21)
- Mr. Ayan Daripa (2022-23)

## ORAL PRESENTATIONS

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**Title:** Gravitational Waves: The Music of the Cosmos (invited) :

**On National Space Day 2025, NIT, Rourkela**

**Organisers:** AstroNITR, Astronomy and Astrophysics Club, NIT, Rourkela

**Place & Date:** NIT, Rourkela, August 23, 2025

**Title:** Prospects of constraining the nature of strong gravity from the Event Horizon Telescope data (invited)

**Conference:** BRICS-AGAC 2024, Symposium on Gravity, Astrophysics and Cosmology

**Organisers:** The BRICS Association on Gravity, Astrophysics and Cosmology, CCSP, SGT University

**Place & Date:** CCSP, SGT University, Gurugram, Haryana, India, December 17-19, 2024

**Title:** Signatures of extra dimensions from the shadows of M87\* and Sgr A\* (invited)

**Conference:** Beyond Standard Models in Particle Physics and Gravity

**Organisers:** Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science (IACS), Kolkata, India

**Place & Date:** Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science (IACS), Kolkata, India, December 22-23, 2022

**Title:** Bouncing cosmology in a curved braneworld (invited)

**Conference:** 2<sup>nd</sup> International Forum on Physics and Astronomy

**Place & Date:** Valencia, Spain (organised in hybrid mode); November 14-16, 2022

**Title:** Bouncing cosmology in a curved braneworld

**Conference:** Beyond Standard Model: From Theory to Experiment (BSM- 2021)

**Organisers:** Center for Fundamental Physics (CFP), at Zewail City of Science and Technology, Egypt & Faculty of Engineering and Natural Sciences, Sabancı University, Turkey

**Place & Date:** Organised in online mode; March 29-April 2, 2021

**Title:** How to Determine the Mass of a Black Hole using the TCAF solution? A case study with Cygnus X-1 and other sources

**Conference:** COSPAR 2021 (43<sup>rd</sup> COSPAR Scientific Assembly)

**Place & Date:** Sydney, Australia (organised in hybrid mode); January 28-February 4, 2021

**Title:** Silhouette of M87\*: A new window to peek into the world of hidden dimensions

**Conference:** 31<sup>st</sup> meeting of the Indian Association for General Relativity and Gravitation, IAGRG (online)

**Organisers:** Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Gandhinagar

**Place & Date:** Organised in online mode; December 19-20, 2020

**Title:** Silhouette of M87\*: A new window to peek into the world of hidden dimensions

**Workshop:** Mathematical and Computational Approaches for Solving the Source-Free Einstein Field Equations

**Organisers:** The Institute for Computational and Experimental Research in Mathematics (ICERM), Brown University, USA

**Place & Date:** Organised in online mode; October 5-9, 2020

**Title:** Radion induced inflation on non-flat brane and modulus stabilization

**Conference:** Emerging Issues in Cosmology and Particle Physics (EICP2)

**Organisers:** Visva-Bharati University, India

**Place & Date:** Visva-Bharati University, India; January 12-14, 2020

**Title:** Black Hole Continuum Spectrum: Unlocking nature of background spacetime and properties of accretion flow (Invited)

**Conference:** Gravity at Different Length Scales

**Organisers:** Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science, Kolkata, India

**Place & Date:** Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science (IACS), Kolkata, India, February 25-27, 2019

**Title:** Constraining the mass of Cygnus X-1 using the Two Component Advective Flow Solution

**Conference:** COSPAR 2018 (42<sup>nd</sup> COSPAR Scientific Assembly)

**Place & Date:** Pasadena, California, USA, July 14-22, 2018

**Title:** Excavating black hole continuum spectrum: Possible signatures of scalar hairs and of higher dimensions

**Conference:** COSPAR 2018 (42<sup>nd</sup> COSPAR Scientific Assembly)

**Place & Date:** Pasadena, California, USA, July 14-22, 2018

**Title:** Extracting the Accretion Flow Parameters and Estimating the Mass of Cygnus X-1 using TCAF Solution

**Conference:** Recent Trends in the Study of Compact Objects: Theory and Observation (RETCO-III)

**Organisers:** Indian Institute of Space Science and Technology (IIST), Thiruvananthapuram, India

**Place & Date:** Indian Institute of Space Science and Technology (IIST), Thiruvananthapuram, India, June 5-8, 2017

**Title:** Exploring accretion flow dynamics around black holes and estimating their masses

**Conference:** Topical Conference on Gravity, Cosmology and Astrophysics-Eastern Region (Part 7)

**Organisers:** Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science (IACS), Kolkata, India

**Place & Date:** Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science (IACS), Kolkata, India, March 25, 2017

**Title:** Dynamics of accretion flow around Cygnus X-1 using TCAF fits of spectral and timing data

**Conference:** Wide Band Spectral and Timing Studies of Cosmic X-ray Sources

**Organisers:** Tata Institute of Fundamental Research (TIFR), Mumbai, India

**Place & Date:** Tata Institute of Fundamental Research (TIFR), Mumbai, India, January 10-13, 2017

**Title:** Proposing a semi-empirical formula to predict the spins of black holes

**Conference:** Neighborhood Astronomy Meeting

**Organisers:** Indian Institute of Astrophysics (IIA), Bangalore, India

**Place & Date:** Indian Institute of Astrophysics (IIA), Bangalore, India, September 8-9, 2014

**Title:** Nucleosynthesis in the gamma-ray burst accretion disks and associated outflows

**Conference:** 27<sup>th</sup> Texas Symposium on Relativistic Astrophysics

**Organisers:** Department of Physics at the University of Texas at Dallas, USA

**Place & Date:** Dallas, USA, December 8-13, 2013

**Title:** Core-collapse supernovae and correlation between mass and spin of stellar mass black holes

**Conference:** Accretion Onto Black Holes

**Organisers:** International Centre, Goa, India

**Place & Date:** International Centre, Goa, India, September 5-7, 2013

**Title:** Nucleosynthesis in the accretion disks and outflows associated with Type II collapsars

**Conference:** Recent Trends in the Study of Compact Objects: Theory and Observation (RETCO-2013)

**Organisers:** Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Guwahati, India

**Place & Date:** Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Guwahati, India, March 11-13, 2013

**Title:** Nucleosynthesis in the gamma-ray burst accretion disks and associated outflows

**Conference:** Thirteenth Marcel Grossmann Meeting

**Place & Date:** Stockholm University, Sweden, July 1-7, 2012

**Title:** Nucleosynthesis in the gamma-ray burst accretion disks

**Conference:** X-ray View of Cosmos

**Organisers:** Physical Research Laboratory (PRL), Ahmedabad, India

**Place & Date:** Physical Research Laboratory (PRL), Ahmedabad, India, April 23-25, 2012

## POSTER PRESENTATIONS

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**Title:** In quest of axionic hairs in quasars

**Conference:** COSPAR 2018 (42<sup>nd</sup> COSPAR Scientific Assembly)

**Place & Date:** Pasadena, California, USA, July 14-22, 2018

**Title:** Evolution of Flow Parameters of the Persistent X-Ray Source Cygnus X-1 using the TCAF Solution

**Conference:** COSPAR 2018 (42<sup>nd</sup> COSPAR Scientific Assembly)

**Place & Date:** Pasadena, California, USA, July 14-22, 2018

**Title:** Evolution of Flow Parameters of the Persistent X-Ray Source Cygnus X-1 using the TCAF Solution

**Conference:** XXXV Meeting of Astronomical Society of India

**Place & Date:** Birla Institute of Scientific Research (BISR), Jaipur, March 6-10, 2017

## CONFERENCES/WORKSHOPS ATTENDED

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**Conference:** The 24th International Conference on Particle Physics and Cosmology, COSMO'21

**Organisers:** University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign

**Place & Date:** Organised in online mode August 2-6, 2021

**School:** North American Einstein Toolkit School 2021

**Organisers:** University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign

**Place & Date:** Organised in online mode, July 26-30, 2021

**Workshop:** Mathematical and Computational Approaches for Solving the Source-Free Einstein Field Equations

**Organisers:** The Institute for Computational and Experimental Research in Mathematics (ICERM),  
Brown University, USA

**Place & Date:** Organised in online mode, October 5-October 9, 2020

**Workshop:** Advances and Challenges in Computational Relativity

**Organisers:** The Institute for Computational and Experimental Research in Mathematics (ICERM),  
Brown University, USA

**Place & Date:** Organised in online mode, September 14-September 18, 2020

**Conference:** Physics of the Early Universe (PEU)-An Online Precursor

**Organisers:** International Center for Theoretical Sciences (ICTS), Bangalore, India

**Place & Date:** Organised in online mode, August 31-September 3, 2020

**Conference:** Observational Aspects of Black Holes

**Organisers:** Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science (IACS), Kolkata, India

**Place & Date:** Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science (IACS), Kolkata, India, January 9, 2020

**Workshop:** Black holes: From Classical to Quantum Gravity

**Organisers:** Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Gandhinagar

**Place & Date:** Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Gandhinagar, India, December 15 -19, 2017

**Conference:** Neighborhood Astronomy Meeting

**Organisers:** Raman Research Institute (RRI), Bangalore, India

**Place & Date:** Raman Research Institute (RRI), Bangalore, India, March 27, 2015

## SEMINARS

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**Title:** Gravitation: The simplest yet mysterious

**Place & Date:** NIT, Rourkela, December 9, 2024

**Title:** Testing black holes in non-linear electrodynamics from the observed quasi-periodic oscillations

**Place & Date:** ICARD and Centre for Theoretical Physics, Jamia Millia Islamia, February 29, 2024

**Title:** Signatures of extra dimensions from the shadows of M87\* and Sgr A\* (invited)

**Place & Date:** Department of Physics & Astronomy, NIT Rourkela, August 24, 2022

**Title:** Signatures of extra dimensions from the shadows of M87\* and Sgr A\* (invited)

**Place & Date:** Department of Physics, IIT Kharagpur (in online mode), August 17, 2022

**Title:** Gravitational Waves: The Music of the Cosmos (invited)

**Place & Date:** Dhenkanal Science Centre, National Council of Science Museums, Ministry of Culture, Govt. Of India (in online mode), August 29, 2021

**Title:** Gravitational Waves: The Music of the Cosmos (invited)

**Place & Date:** Department of Physics, College of Basic Science & Humanities, Odisha University of Agriculture and Technology, Bhubaneswar (in online mode), July 30, 2021

**Title:** Bouncing cosmology in a curved braneworld (invited)

**Place & Date:** Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science (IACS), Kolkata (in online mode), July 22, 2021

**Title:** Silhouette of M87\*: A new window to peek into the world of hidden dimensions

**Place & Date:** Indian Institute of Science (IISc), Bangalore (in online mode), December 3, 2020

**Title:** Silhouette of M87\*: A new window to peek into the world of hidden dimensions

**Place & Date:** Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) Tirupati, November 21, 2019

**Title:** Signatures of extra-dimensions in astrophysical observations

**Place & Date:** Ramkrishna Mission Vivekananda Education & Research Institute (RKMVERI), Kolkata, India, April 29, 2019

**Title:** Unravelling signatures of scalar hairs and higher dimensions from black hole continuum spectrum

**Place & Date:** Indian Institute of Science Education and Research (IISER), Kolkata, India, September 12, 2018

**Title:** The Clandestine Universe: A journey to the enigmatic world of hidden dimensions (Invited)

**Place & Date:** Presidency University, Kolkata, India, August 30, 2017

**Title:** Accretion around black holes: Key to unlock a world of eternal mysteries (Invited)

**Place & Date:** Kalyani Government Engineering College, Kalyani, India, March 3, 2017

**Title:** Exploring formation stage of black holes: nucleosynthesis & mass-spin correlation

**Place & Date:** Tata Institute of Fundamental Research (TIFR), Mumbai, India, May 15, 2015

**Title:** Exploring formation stage of black holes: nucleosynthesis & mass-spin correlation

**Place & Date:** Presidency University, Kolkata, India, April 29, 2015

**Title:** Proposing a semi-empirical formula to predict the spins of black holes

**Place & Date:** S. N. Bose National Centre for Basic Sciences (SNBNCBS), Kolkata, India on April 28, 2015

**Title:** Exploring formation stage of black holes: nucleosynthesis & mass-spin correlation

**Place & Date:** Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science (IACS), Kolkata, India on April 27, 2015

**Title:** Exploring formation stage of black holes: nucleosynthesis & mass-spin correlation

**Place & Date:** Saha Institute of Nuclear Physics (SINP), Kolkata, India on April 16, 2015

**Title:** Correlation between mass and spin of black holes and nucleosynthesis in the flows around black holes

**Place & Date:** Harvard-Smithsonian Center for Astrophysics, December 16, 2013

**Title:** Correlation between mass and spin of black holes and nucleosynthesis in the flows around black holes

**Place & Date:** Department of Physics and Astronomy, University of Nevada, Las Vegas, USA, December 5, 2013

**Title:** Nucleosynthesis in the gamma-ray burst accretion disks and associated outflows

**Place & Date:** Department of Physics, Indian Institute of Science (IISc), Bangalore, September 11, 2012