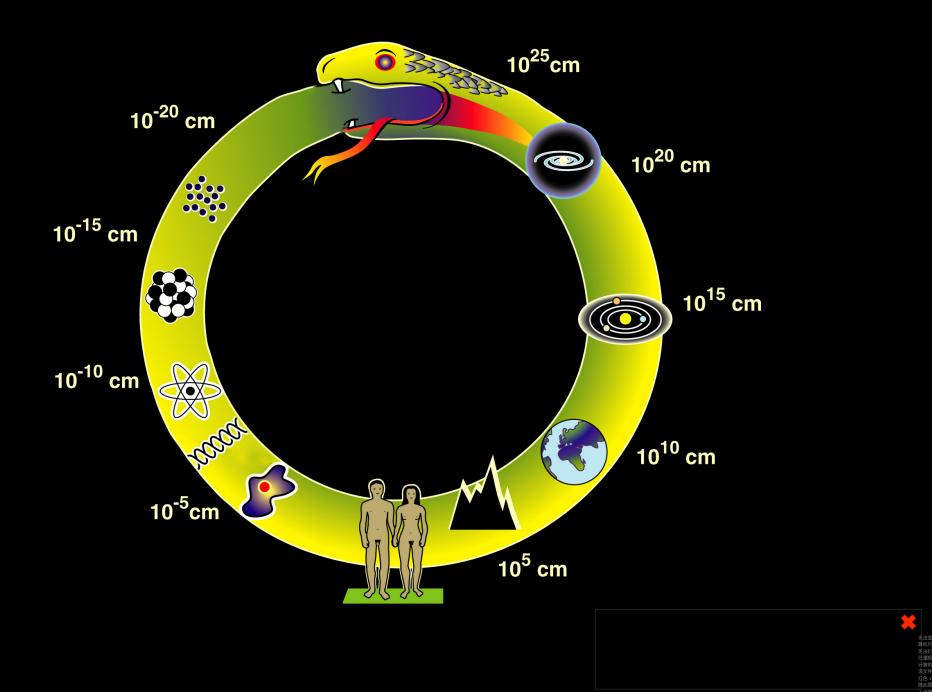
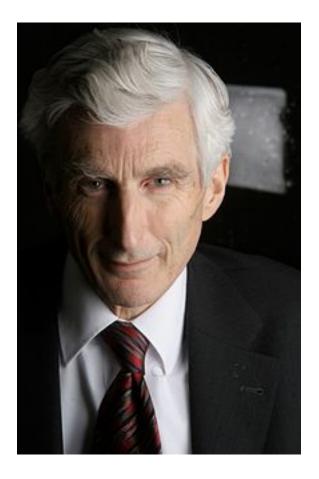
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Astrophysics and Cosmology

- Mud wrestling
- Chess player era

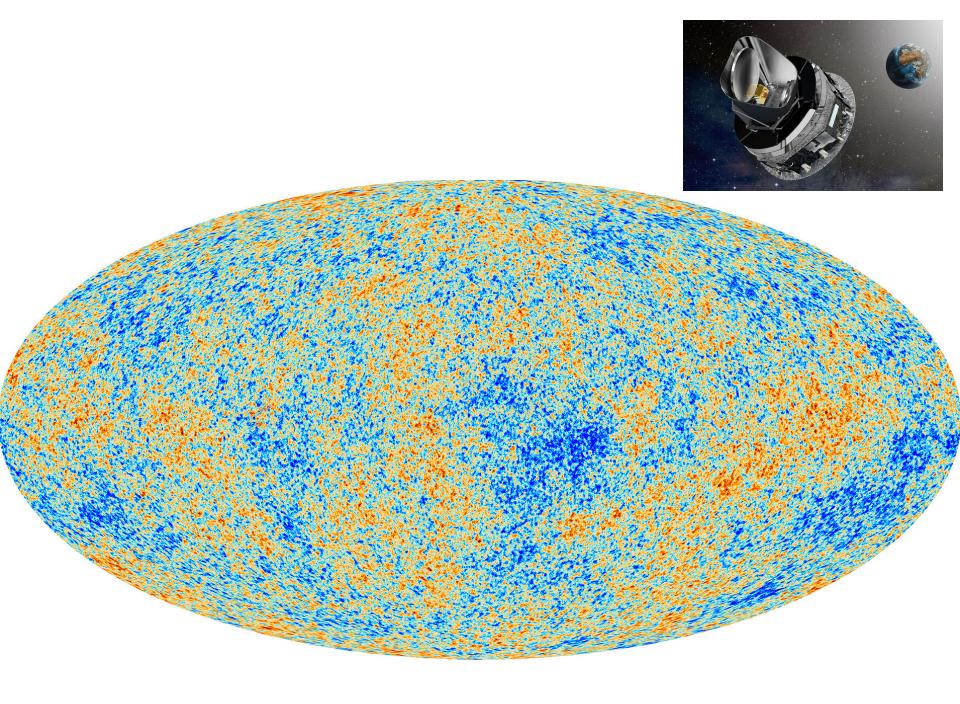


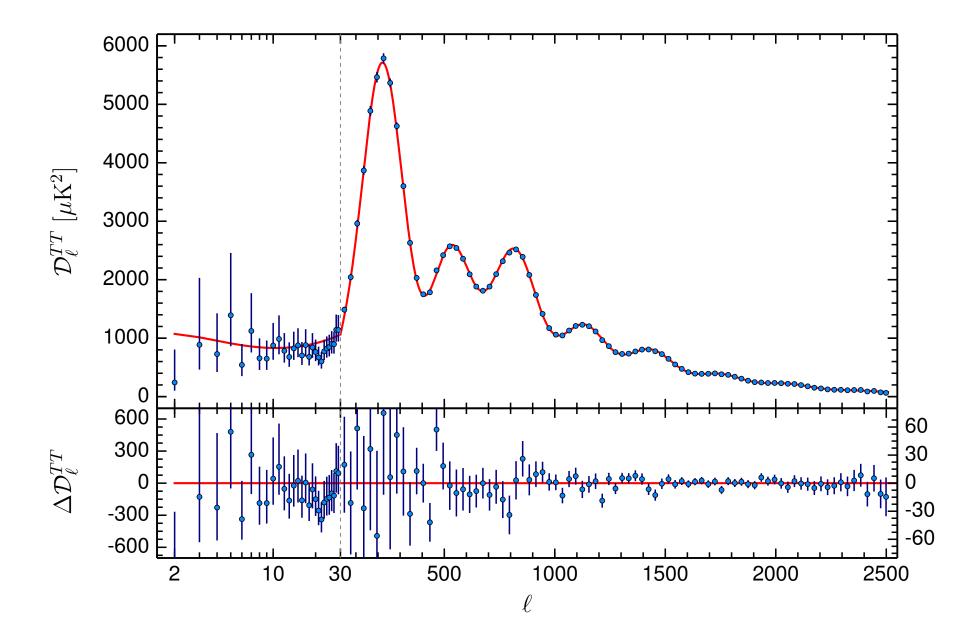
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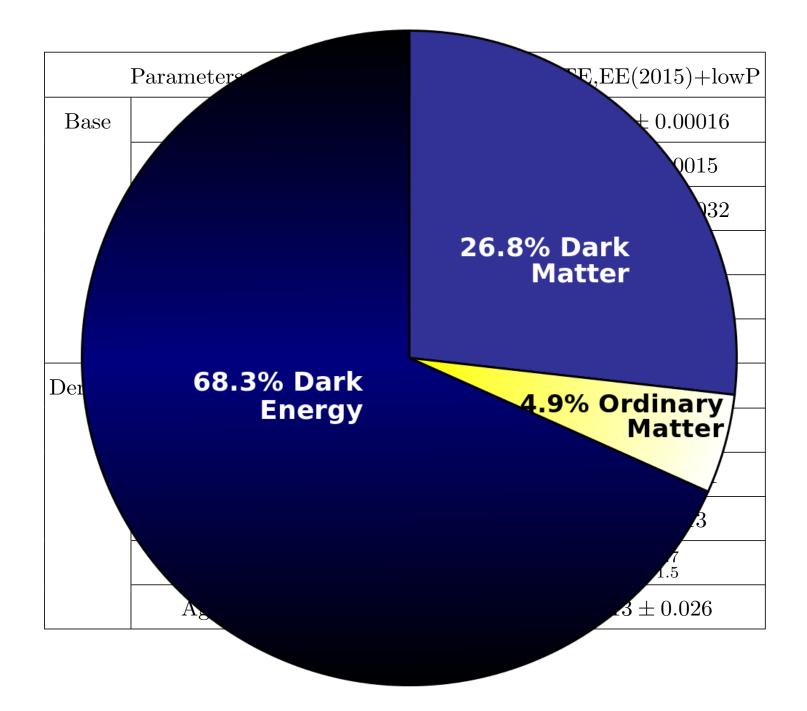


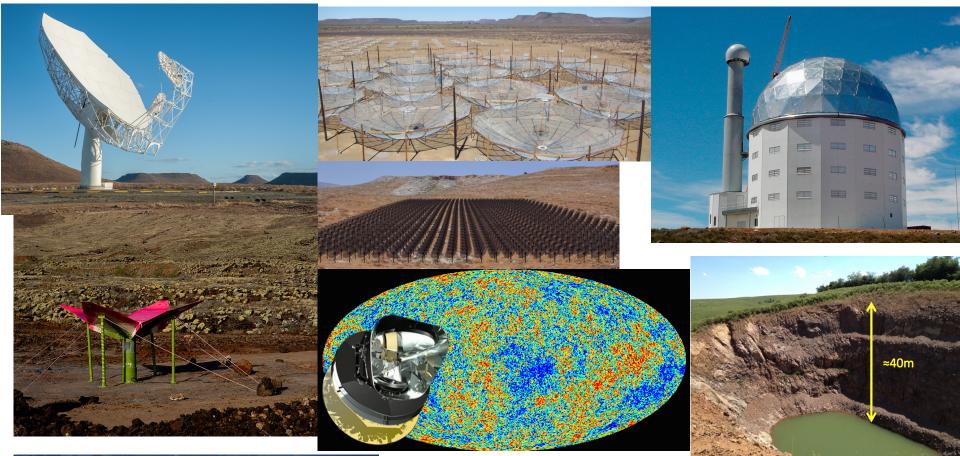


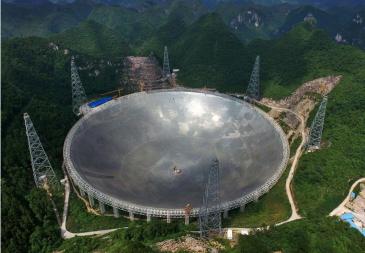


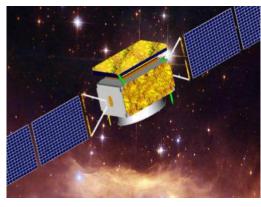


Parameters		TT(2013)+WP	TT, TE, EE(2015) + lowP
Base	$\Omega_{ m b}h^2$	0.02205 ± 0.00028	0.02225 ± 0.00016
	$\Omega_{ m c} h^2$	0.1199 ± 0.0027	0.1198 ± 0.0015
	$100 heta_*$	1.04131 ± 0.00063	1.04077 ± 0.00032
	au	$0.089\substack{+0.012\\-0.014}$	0.079 ± 0.017
	$n_{ m s}$	0.9603 ± 0.0073	0.9645 ± 0.0049
	$\ln(10^{10}A_{\rm s})$	$3.089^{+0.024}_{-0.027}$	3.094 ± 0.034
Derived	$H_0 \; [\mathrm{km}\mathrm{s}^{-1}\mathrm{Mpc}^{-1}]$	67.3 ± 1.2	67.27 ± 0.66
	Ω_{Λ}	$0.685\substack{+0.018\\-0.016}$	0.6844 ± 0.0091
	$\Omega_{ m m}$	$0.315\substack{+0.016\\-0.018}$	0.3156 ± 0.0091
	σ_8	0.829 ± 0.012	0.831 ± 0.013
	$z_{ m re}$	11.1 ± 1.1	$10.0^{+1.7}_{-1.5}$
	Age [Gyr]	13.817 ± 0.048	13.813 ± 0.026









Research interests	South African projects/groups/researchers	Chinese projects/groups/researchers/
21-cm Intensity mapping	HIRAX project (Yin-Zhe Ma (UKZN),	TianLai project (Xuelei Chen)
	Jon Sievers (UKZN), Kavi Moodley	FAST project (Di Li, Xuelei Chen)
	(UKZN), Cynthia Chiang (UKZN))	
	KAT-7 dish (Mario Santos (UWC), Yin-	
	Zhe Ma (UKZN))	
Fast Radio burst observation	HIRAX project and UKZN: Jon Sievers,	FAST project: Di Li
	Yin-Zhe Ma	Green Bank Telescope involved: Xuelei Chen
	Green Bank Telescope involved: Jon	SHAO/CAS: Wen-fei Yu
	Sievers	
Epoch of Reionization	HERA project: Cynthia Chiang, Jon	21CMA project: Xiang-Ping Wu, Yidong Xu,
	Sievers	Tsinghua U: Yi Mao,
~	SCI-HI project: Jon Sievers	
Cosmic Microwave	COrE project: Sergio Colafrancesco	NAOC: Xuelei Chen
Background radiation	Planck project: Yin-Zhe Ma, Cynthia	Beijing Normal U: Zong-Hong Zhu
	Chiang	Peking University: Zuhui Fan
	SPIDER project: Cynthia Chiang Theoretical studies: R. Maartens, K.	SJTU: Yi-Peng Jing ITP/CAS: Rong-Gen Cai
		ITF/CAS. Kong-Gen Cal
	Moodley, C. Clarkson, A. Weltman, M. Santos	
Dark Matter theories and	UCT: Amanda Weltman	DAMPE project: Jin Chang (PMO), Xiao-Jun BI
observations	OCT. Amanda Weitinan	(IHEP)
Large-scale structure study	UWC: Roy Maartens	SDSS-IV involved: Gongbo Zhao(NAOC),
Large scale structure study	UCT: Chris Clarkson	Cheng Li (Tsinghua), Charling Tao (Tsinghua)
	Wits: Andreas Faltenbacher	Beijing Normal U: Zong-hong Zhu
	() its. 7 indicus 7 ditensitement	NAOC: Hu Zhan, Yan Gong, Jun Pan
Computational Astrophysics	UWC: Russ Taylor, Catherine Cress	NAOC: Liang Gao, Rain Spurzem, Qi Guo, Jie
I I J	Wits: Andreas Faltenbacher	Wang
	UKZN: Yin-Zhe Ma, Jon Sievers	SJTU: Yi-ping Jing, Pengjie Zhang
Theoretical cosmology:	UWC: Roy Maartens	NAOC: Xuelei Chen, Gong-Bo Zhao, Shuang-
including inflation, early	UCT: Amanda Weltman, Chris Clarkson	nan Zhang
Universe, modified gravity	UKZN: Kavi Moodley	ITP: Rong-Gen Cai
	Wits: Sergio Colafrancesco	Sun-Yat Sen University: Miao Li
SKA key science working	UWC: Mario Santos, Roy Maartens, Russ	NAOC: Xuelei Chen, Gong-Bo Zhao, Di Li
group	Taylor	SHAO: Wen-fei Yu
	UKZN: Yin-Zhe Ma, Jon Sievers,	
	Kavilan Moodley, Cynthia Chiang	
Big Data and Virtual	Russ Taylor (UWC), Yin-Zhe Ma	NAOC: Chenzhou Cui, Dongwei Fan, Rainer
Observatory	(UKZN), Lindsay Magnus (SKA), Bruce	Spurzem, Shanshan Li
	Bassett (AIMS), Brandley Frank (UCT),	SHAO: Tao An
	Rob Simmonds (UCT)	XAO: Hailong Zhang
		KIAA: Richard de Grijs
		PMO: Xianzhong Zheng
Gravitational waves from	Denis Pollney (Rhodes), Nigel Bishop	Sun-Yat Sen University: Miao Li
astrophysical sources and	(Rhodes)	
detection		



Title of the workshop	South African PI	Chinese PI
Cosmology with large	Yin-Zhe Ma (UKZN)	Xuelei Chen (NAOC)
surveys		
Sharing resources and	Petri Vaisanen (SAAO)	Subo Dong (PKU)
building collaborations in		
optical and infrared		
astronomy		
Very long baseline		Zhiqiang Shen (SHAO)
interferometry (VLBI)		
Big Data challenge in	Russ Taylor (UWC)	ChenZhou Cui (NAOC)
Astronomy		
Synergy between	Claude Carignan (UCT)	Bo Peng (NAOC)
MeerKAT and FAST		

NAOC—UKZN Computational Astrophysics Centre (NUCAC)



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Faculty Member	PhD Institution	Research Areas	Projects
H. Cynthia Chiang	Caltech	Observational cosmology, instrumentation and data analysis for CMB and reionization	SPIDER, Planck, South Pole Telescope, C-BASS, SCI-HI, HERA, HIRAX
Matt Hilton	Liverpool John Moores	Galaxy evolution and formation, galaxy clusters	Atacama Cosmology Telescope, XMM, HIRAX , MeerKAT
Yin-Zhe Ma	Cambridge	21-cm intensity mapping, radio weak lensing, CMB, peculiar velocity field	SKA, MeerKAT, Planck, 6dF Galaxy Survey
Sunil Maharaj	Witwatersrand	Relativistic kinetic theory, conformal theory, cosmology	
Kavilan Moodley	Cambridge	CMB, large-scale structure, perturbation theory	Atacama Cosmology Telescope, HERA, HIRAX, MeerKAT
Subharthi Ray	Jadavpur	High-energy astrophysics, general relativity, cosmology	
Rituparno Goswami	TIFR	General relativity, cosmology	
Jonathan Sievers	Caltech	CMB and 21-cm cosmology, observational cosmology	Atacama Cosmology Telescope, C-BASS, SCI-HI, HIRAX, HERA, MeerKAT

National Astronomy and Space Science program

Cosmology Fluid dynamics Mathematical Method **Computational Astrophysics** Astronomy and Astrophysics Classical field theory **Plasma Physics Space Physics Research Project** Techniques in astrophysics and space science

- Student Exchange Program
- Joint Postdoctoral fellowship program

2017—2019 Program	UKZN	NAOC/PMO
Radio Astronomy, 21-	Cynthia Chiang, Yin-Zhe Ma,	Xuelei Chen, Yi Mao, Di Li
cm cosmology	Jonathan Sievers	
Computational	Yin-Zhe Ma, Jonathan Sievers,	Liang Gao, Xuelei Chen
Astrophysics	Romeel Dave, Sergio	
	Colafrancesco	
Cosmology	Yin-Zhe Ma, Kavilan Moodley,	Gong-Bo Zhao et al.
	Roy Maartens	
Fast Radio Bursts	Yin-Zhe Ma, Jonathan Sievers	Xuefeng Wu (Zi-Gao Dai)

- Collaboration on Project
- Scientists visiting program
- Annual Distinguished Lectures
- Public Engagement and involvement

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• Politics is for the moment and equation is for eternity.

 If your plan is for one year plant rice. If your plan is for ten years plant trees. If your plan is for one hundred years educate people.



