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Part A. PERSONAL INFORMATION

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A.1. Current position

Job Title	Emergía fellow – Investigador postdoctoral		
Starting date	15/05/2025		
Institution	Universidad de Granada		
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Keywords	Stellar physics; stellar rotation; variable stars; evolution and stellar structure; stellar modelling		

A.2. Previous positions (Research Career breaks included)

Period	Job title / Name of Employer / Country
2024/04 – 2025/05	Doctor fuera de convenio / Instituto de Astrofísica de Andalucía-CSIC / Spain
2021/12 – 2024/04	Postdoctoral research fellow / Universidad de Granada / Spain
2018/08 – 2021/08	Senior postdoctoral research fellow / University of Surrey / UK
2016/11 – 2018/08	Research fellow / International School of Advanced Studies (SISSA) / Italy
2017/09 – 2017/11	Visiting researcher / Max Planck Institut for Astrophysics (MPA) / Germany
2013/10 – 2016/10	PhD. student with teaching duties / Université Toulouse III / France
2011/04 – 2011/08	Research scholar (J-1 visa) / University of California, Santa Cruz / USA
2009/10 – 2013/09	Intern student (“normalien”) / Ecole Normale Supérieure / France

A.3. Education

Degree / Master / PhD	University / Country	Year
Doctorate in Astronomy, Space Science and Planetology	Université Toulouse III / France recognized by Universidad de Granada / Spain	2016
Masters degree in Physics	École Normale Supérieure de Cachan / France	2014
Masters degree in Astronomy, Astrophysics and Space Engineering	Université Paris 6 & Ecole Normale Supérieure / France	2012
Licence (Bachelor of Science) in Physics	Université Paris 6 & Ecole Normale Supérieure / France	2010

Part B. CURRICULUM SUMMARY

My research concentrates on [the evolutionary dynamics and the asteroseismology of intermediate-mass stars](#). These stars rotate rapidly and have stellar companions: these effects thwart a good description of the stars, as both effects impact their structure and oscillations by distorting the stellar shape and modifying mode frequencies and geometries.

I thus developed strategies to leverage photometric data from space for these rapid rotators through asteroseismology. Notably, my contributions include [the most comprehensive exploration of low-frequency oscillations](#) in those stars, which shed light on the excitation and geometry of these oscillations. To derive accurate stellar masses, radii and ages, I developed innovative strategies for the forward modelling of centrifugally-flattened stars by [associating the ESTER 2D models with the TOP 2D oscillation code](#) that I co-developed. These techniques allow us to interpret spectroscopic measurements and the oscillations of flattened rotators, or use them to derive clusters ages. I also created a [groundbreaking machine learning algorithm for oscillation mode classification](#) to sort computed modes instantly with 96% accuracy, bringing out regular patterns in frequency spectra that are linked with otherwise elusive stellar parameters, guiding and automating our modelling efforts.

Moreover, I developed an expertise in evolution algorithms, such as the one I built for binary systems: by interpolating [bespoke detailed grids of models](#), I showed that tides are inefficient in main-sequence stars – a result that contradicts earlier inferences. The underlying grids are accessible openly, and have triggered several collaborations, e.g. to constrain the chemistry of intermediate-mass planet hosts and the mass distribution of the first stars of the Universe, leading to a [Nature Astronomy article](#). I also work on modelling M-type dwarf stars: despite representing 75% of all stars and harboring planets, their theoretical description relies on coarse assumptions. My aim is to upgrade models to [constrain these stars precisely and assess their seismic potential](#): this will allow us to derive accurate parameters for these stars, and therefore for the rocky planets around them.

I am now a tenure-track [Emergía fellow – the programme for the attraction of international talent](#), with stabilization, of the Junta de Andalucía – and the [PI of my own project](#), which consists in connecting established and innovative techniques for asteroseismology of rotating stars in the framework of the PLATO mission (to be launched in 2026).

At this date, I have published [34 papers including 23 refereed articles for a total of 627 citations and a h-index of 12](#) (taken from ADS on 17/06/25), along with 7 catalogues. These works, mostly led in small teams where I always had a significant role, established my reputation as a world expert of rotating, binary, main-sequence stars. As such, I am a referee for *A&A* and *PRL*. I participated in 34 national and international conferences with talks or posters, including invited talks in 8 workshops and 3 international conferences, along with more than 20 invited seminars worldwide. In 2021 [I organised an international conference](#) on the asteroseismology of binary stars, and I will be the chair of the 2027 Kepler/TESS asteroseismology conference to take place in Cádiz with ~250 attendees.

I worked in numerous institutions in different countries: from my PhD in Toulouse (France, which received the Pierre Maury dissertation award) to postdocs in Trieste (Italy), Surrey (UK), and now in Granada, I have been involved in many research projects, [contributing ideas and managing autonomous lines of research](#).

Along with visits in four research institutes (Munich, Tokyo, Tabriz, València), this led me to cultivate a [dense network of collaborations](#) in Spain (Granada, Madrid), Europe (Cambridge, Toulouse, Paris, Vilnius, Tautenburg...) and beyond (Miami, Urumqi, Melbourne) that I keep expanding further. Additionally, I have intensified collaborations with ground-based observation specialists and submitted [five successful proposals \(two of which I am PI\)](#) for spectroscopy and polarimetry of rapid rotators from the Pic du Midi and CFHT. I also belong to various asteroseismology networks, such as the Kepler, TESS and PLATO consortia, within which I published five articles.

Beyond research, [I supervised seven final-year projects and taught for a total of 220 hours](#) at Bachelor, Master, and PhD. levels in four countries, gave a [Severo Ochoa excellence training course](#) on (magneto)hydrodynamics, and just joined the teaching staff of the University of Granada. I am also [very active in outreach](#) : I developed and obtained funding for several projects that I presented them in front of a variety of audiences in dedicated events (open days, school events, planetarium lectures) in French, Italian and English.

Finally, as a postdoc representative and an [equality, diversity and inclusion advisor](#), I contributed to anti-discrimination protocols, supporting [Surrey's successful application to a Race equality bronze award](#) and the upcoming IAA-CSIC second equality plan.

Part C. RELEVANT ACCOMPLISHMENTS

C.1. Most important publications in national or international peer-reviewed journals, books and conferences

Below is a selection of my most significant publications, all refereed and in Q1 journals. The complete list of 41 publications is available [online](#). The first author is the corresponding author.

- 1 Gessey-Jones T., Sartorio N. S., Bevins H. T. G., [...] Barkana R. (**Mirouh G. M.** 7^h/9 authors), **The mass distribution of the first stars can be determined via the 21-cm signal**, 2025, *Nature Astronomy*. DOI: 10.1038/s41550-025-02575-x (24 pages, IAA press release)
- 2 Maldonado J., **Mirouh G. M.**, Mendigutía I., Montesinos B., Gragera-Más J. L., Villaver E., (2nd/6) **Intermediate-mass stars and the origin of the gas-giant planet-metallicity correlation**, 2025, *A&A*, 695, 27. DOI: 10.1051/0004-6361/20245332 (9 pages, [IAA press release](#))
- 3 **Mirouh G. M.**, Hendriks D. D., Dykes S., Moe M., Izzard R. G. (1st/5), **Detailed equilibrium and dynamical tides: impact on circularization and synchronization in open clusters**, 2023, *MNRAS*, 524, 3978. DOI: 10.1093/mnras/stad2048 (22 pages, 9 citations)
- 4 Pamos Ortega D., **Mirouh G. M.**, García Hernández A., Suárez J. C., Barceló Forteza S. (2nd/5), **Dating young open clusters using δ Scuti stars. Results for Trumpler 10 and Praesepe**, 2023, *A&A*, 675, A167, DOI: 10.1051/0004-6361/202346323 (19 pages, 9 citations)
- 5 **Mirouh G. M.** (1st/1), **Forward modelling and the quest for mode identification in rapidly rotating stars**, 2022, *Frontiers in Astronomy and Space Sci.*, 9, 2296, DOI: 10.3389/fspas.2022.952296 (19 pp., 10 citations).
- 6 Reese D. R., **Mirouh G. M.**, Espinosa Lara F., Rieutord M., Putigny B. (2nd/5) **Oscillations of 2D ESTER models. I. The adiabatic case**, 2021, *A&A*, 645, A46. DOI: 10.1051/0004-6361/201935538 (20 pages, 21 citations)
- 7 Antoci V., Cunha M. S., Bowman D. M. [...] Weiss W. W. (**Mirouh G. M.** 53rd/66) **The first view of δ Scuti and γ Doradus stars with the TESS mission**, 2019, *MNRAS*, 490, 4040. DOI: 10.1093/mnras/stz2787 (20 pages, 106 citations)
- 8 **Mirouh G. M.**, Angelou G. C., Reese D. R., Costa G. (1st/4), **Mode classification in fast-rotating stars using a convolutional neural network: model-based regular patterns in δ Scuti stars**, 2019, *MNRAS*, 483, 28. DOI: 10.1093/mnras/sly212 (5 pages, 21 citations)
- 9 **Mirouh G. M.**, Baruteau C., Rieutord M., Ballot J. (1st/4), **Gravito-inertial waves in a differentially rotating spherical shell**, 2016, *Journal of Fluid Mechanics*, 800, 213, DOI: 10.1017/jfm.2016.382 (35 pages, 24 citations)
- 10 **Mirouh G. M.**, Garaud P., Stellmach S., Traxler A. L., Wood T. S. (1st/5), **A New Model for Mixing by Double-diffusive Convection (Semi-convection). I. The Conditions for Layer Formation**, 2012, *ApJ*, 750, 61, DOI: 10.1088/0004-637X/750/1/61 (18 pages, 85 citations)

C.2. Conferences and meetings

- 1 2023, 2024 – **Invited talks** at the 1st and 2nd Granada PLATO workshops, “Modelling rotation with 1D and 2D models” and “Low-mass stars: models and seismic potential”, IAA Granada.
- 2 2023/09 – **Invited review talk** at the 11th Applied Inverse Problems international conference, “Mode identification in rapidly-rotating stars: paving the way to inverse methods”, Göttingen (Germany).
- 3 2022/09 – Talk at the Reunión científica de la Sociedad Española de Astronomía, “Detailed equilibrium and dynamical tides: impact on circularization and synchronization in open clusters”, Universidad de la Laguna.
- 4 2021/01 – **Chair of SOC and LOC, review talk** (“Seismology of rotating stars”) of the “Pulsations in Intermediate-mass, Massive and/or Multiple Stars” International conference, Guildford (UK) – 1 week, 32 participants from Europe and Japan.
- 5 Since 2020 – **Invited review talk** (“Two dimensional models and oscillations”) and 4 participations at Iberian meetings in Asteroseismology.

- 6 2019/12 – **Organiser** of the binary_c workshop, Guildford (UK) – 1 week, 12 participants from the UK.
- 7 2018/02 to 2019/03 – Invited young scientist within the “Seismology of Fast Rotating Stars”, ISSI Bern (Switzerland).
- 8 Since 2014 – 2 talks (“Gravitoinertial mode in fast-rotating stars”, “Mode classification in fast-rotating stars using convolutional neural networks”) and 2 posters at **international Corot, Kepler and TESS asteroseismology conferences**.
- 9 2014 – **LOC member and poster** contribution at the Corot/Kepler conference, Toulouse (France)
- 10 Since 2012 – **5 invited talks** and 10 participations to IRAP Stellar physics workshops, Toulouse (France)

C.3. Research projects and contracts

- 1 2025 – 2029 – EREBOS – Evolution of Rotation from Eclipsing Binary Oscillating Stars, **Emergía grant** from the Junta de Andalucía (2024) and Seal of excellence of the European Commission (2022). **212,540€**. 15/05/2025-14/05/2029, **PI: G. M. Mirouh**.
- 2 2024 – 2025 – Second-generation instrumentation (MOSAIC, ANDES) for the Extremely Large Telescope (ELT), Junta de Andalucía, 236,083€, 21/12/2023-30/09/2025, PI: P.J. Amado Gonzalez (IAA). My role: member as a senior postdoctoral fellow, computing models for the main targets of the science case.
- 3 2023 – ArQus European **collaboration visit** to Vilnius University (Lithuania). Invited talk “Asteroseismology of rapidly-rotating stars”. ArQus alliance, 1,400€. **PI: G.M. Mirouh**.
- 4 2021 – 2024 – Spanish contribution to the PLATO 2.0 space mission. AEI, 277,000€. PI : J. C. Suárez (UGR). From 10/12/2022. My role: member as a research fellow.
- 5 2021 – 2023 – CHARLOTS - Characterization of Rotating Stars. FEDER/Junta de Andalucía, 141,500€. PI: A. García Hernández (UGR). 01/03/2020-28/02/2023. My role: collaborator, models and oscillations.
- 6 2021 – **Pulsations in Intermediate-mass, Massive and/or Multiple Stars international conference**. Royal Astronomical Society & Surrey Institute of Advanced Studies, 3,300€. **PI: G. M. Mirouh**. 18/01/2021-22/01/2021.
- 7 2018 – 2021 – First population models of the most massive stars. Science and Technology Facilities Council, 499,400€. PI: R. G. Izzard. (University of Surrey, UK). 08/2018-10/09/2021. My role: member as a senior research fellow, lead researcher on the stellar structure and evolution algorithm parts of the project.
- 8 2016 – 2018 – Postdoctoral grant at SISSA (Italy). Italian Ministry for Education, Universities and Research, 48,672 €. **PI: G. M. Mirouh**, 01/11/2016 – 31/10/2018. My role: as a postdoctoral researcher leading my own research, I developed 2D seismic modelling tools.
- 9 2013 – 2016 – Merit-based PhD. fellowship. École Normale Supérieure de Cachan, 79,000€. **PI: G. M. Mirouh**, 01/10/2012-18/10/2016. My role: PhD. student with teaching duties. The funding covered my wage working on the ESTER project (Stellar evolution with rotation, 263,000€. PI: M. Rieutord.)
- 10 2011 – Chemical mixing in the interior of stars. National Science Foundation, 247,000€. PI: P. Garaud. (University of California Santa Cruz). 2008-2011. My role: predoctoral researcher.

C.4. Technology/Knowledge transfer

- 1 2017 to 2021 – PI, the “Sensory Universe” **outreach project, aimed at school and family audiences**. I received 220 € from the University of Surrey, presented in schools and Open Days in Italy and the UK.
- 2 Since 2019 – PI, “The music of stars” - **outreach project aimed at linking stellar oscillations and music**. I received 220 € from the University of Surrey, delivered invited lectures at the Winchester planetarium, the Guildford and Farnham astronomical societies (UK) and the Sirius conference (Constantine, Algeria).
- 3 2015 – Co-organiser, the **“Children’s science conference” outreach event**, at the *Cité de l’Espace* (France). I supervised an elementary school class to prepare and present posters and talks in a dedicated conference.
- 4 2010/08 – Co-organiser, solidarity mission in Tanguiéta (Bénin). Linking an African primary school and the École Normale Supérieure, I organised a summer school and taught in a 30-pupil class for a month.