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Assistant Professor (Contract), Department of Physics Mar Thoma College for Women

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RESEARCH Interests Cosmology (currently interested in the implications of Supergravity and String theory in the early universe cosmology), Quantum Field Theory, Supersymmetry and Supergravity Theories, String Theory: Particularly interested in String Cosmology (dS vacua and inflation, flux compactifications, etc.) and in String Geometry (Calabi-Yau manifolds, Mirror symmetry, etc.) and Particle Physics.

EDUCATION

## Indian Statistical Institute, Kolkata, West Bengal, INDIA

Physics and Applied Mathematics Unit

Ph.D., Theoretical Physics (Cosmology), August, 2013 - November 2022 Status of Ph.D.: Defended on 10 October 2023. Provisional degree obtained on 17 October 2023. Thesis submitted (to Calcutta University on 18th November 2022).

- Dissertation Topic: Cosmological Attractor Scenario in Inflation
- Supervisor: Dr. Supratik Pal

## Central University of Kerala, Kasaragod, Kerala, INDIA

School of Mathematical and Physical Sciences

M.Phil., Physics (Specilization in Condensed Matter Theory), September, 2012 - August, 2013

- Dissertation Topic: Studies on Superconducting Transmission Lines
- Supervisor: Dr. Vincent Mathew

Mahatma Gandhi University (Jai Bharath Training College, Ernakulam), Kottayam, Kerala, INDIA

B.Ed., Physical Sciences, 2009 - 2010

Mahatma Gandhi University (St. Paul's College, Ernakulam), Kottayam, Kerala, INDIA

M.Sc., Physics (Specilization in Electronics), 2005 - 2007

- Dissertation Topic: Studies on Gaussian Effective Potential at Finite Temperature (A Finite Temperature Field Theory Approach).
- Supervisor: Dr. V. J Peter

Mahatma Gandhi University (St. Albert's College, Ernakulam), Kottayam, Kerala, INDIA

B.Sc., Physics (Specilization in Information Technology), 2002 - 2005

- Dissertation Topic: Studies on Crystal Growth.
- Supervisor: Prof. Lawrel Gregory

Grants, Honors and Awards Senior Research Fellowship awarded by the Indian Statistical Institute, 2015 - 2019 Junior Research Fellowship awarded by the Indian Statistical Institute, 2013 - 2015 Qualified Graduate Aptitude Test in Engineering - Physics (GATE), 2013 Student Fellowship awarded by the Central University of Kerala, 2012-2013

WORK AND TEACHING EXPERIENCE Guest Lecturer in Physics (June, 2022 - Present), Department of Physics, Mar Thoma College for Women, Perumbayoor, Kerala, India.

Guest Lecturer in Physics (November, 2021 - May 2022), Department of Physics, Union Christian College, Aluva, Kerala, India.

Guest Lecturer in Physics (June, 2011 - September 2012), Department of Physics, Maharaja's College, Ernakulam, Kerala, India.

Lecturer in Physics (October, 2010 - June, 2011), Matha College of Technology, N. Parvur, Kerala, India

Higher Secondary School Teacher in Physics (HSST, 2008 - 2009), St. Joseph's EMHSS, Thrikkakkara, Kerala, India.

Computer Skills

Mathematical Packages: Matlab, Mathematica, GNU plot.

Languages: C, C<sup>++</sup>, Python, Php, LATEX.

Cosmological Codes: CAMB, COSMOMC, SuperCosmology.

Operating Systems: Unix/Linux (Arch Linux, Ubuntu), Windows.

Web Developer: Web devoloping volunteer (2014 - 2019) of website of Physics and Applied Mathematics Unit, Indian Statistical Institute, Kolkata.

LIST OF PUBLICATIONS

- 4. Tony Pinhero and Supratik Pal, Realising Mutated Hilltop Inflation in Supergravity, [arXiv:1905.04737 [hep-th]], Phys. Lett. B796 (2019) 220-224.
- 3. Tony Pinhero, Natural  $\alpha$ -Attractors from  $\mathcal{N}=1$  Supergravity via Flat Kähler Manifolds, [arXiv:1812.05406 [hep-th]].
- 2. Tony Pinhero and Supratik Pal, A New Class of Non-canonical Conformal Attractors for Multi-field Inflation, [arXiv:1810.12712 [hep-th]], JCAP 2003 (2020) no.03, 022
- 1. Tony Pinhero and Supratik Pal, Non-canonical Conformal Attractors for Single Field Inflation, [arXiv:1703.07165 [hep-th]], Int. J. Mod. Phys. D 31 (2022) 12, 2250090.

Papers in Preparation

- 1. Tony Pinhero and Supratik Pal, Single Chiral Field Mutated Hillton Inflation, In preparation, 2023.
- 2. Tony Pinhero, Sinflatonless Mutated Hilltop Inflation, in Preparation, 2024.
- 3. Tony Pinhero and Supratik Pal, Isocurvature modes and Non-Gaussianities from  $\alpha$ -Attractors in presence of Light Moduli Fields, In Preparation, 2024.
- 4. Tony Pinhero, Geodesics and Extrinsic Curvature of Flat α-attractors, In Preparation, 2024.

Publications in Popular Articles

1. Tony Pinhero, *Hide and Seek Game of Quarks*, (Science article in Malayalam language), Sasthrakeralam, **555**, January 2017.

CONFERENCE PRESENTATIONS AND TALKS

- 2. A New Class of Non-canonical Conformal Attractors for Multi-field Inflation, Poster presentation (Web Conference), 31st Meeting of Indian Association of General Relativity and Gravity (IAGRG2020), 19-20 December 2020, IIT Gandhinagar, Gujarat, India.
- 1. Natural  $\alpha$ -Attractors from  $\mathcal{N}=1$  Supergravity via Flat Kähler Manifolds, Contributory talk, International Workshop on Frontiers in High Energy Physics (FHEP 2019), 14 -17 October 2019, IIT Hyderabad, India.

#### Administrative Works

Member - Student organizing committee, School on Programming with Python: Applications to Cosmology and Nonlinear Dynamics, ISI Kolkata (March 18 - 23, 2019).

Member - Student organizing committee, Physics and Applied Mathematics Researchers' Meet 2017 (PAMRM'17), ISI Kolkata (March 14 - 16, 2017).

Member - Student organizing committee, 5th Topical Conference on Gravity, Cosmology, Astronomy and Astrophysics – Eastern Region (TCGCA-ER5), ISI Kolkata (Mar 19, 2016).

Member - Student organizing committee, Winter School on Cosmology (WSC15), ISI Kolkata (Dec 28, 2015 - Jan 06, 2016).

Member - Student organizing committee, IUCAA-ISI Workshop on Statistical Applications to Cosmology and Astrophysics (STATCOSMO15), ISI Kolkata (Feb 10 - 13, 2015).

PERSONAL PROFILE Date of Birth: 05 June 1985.

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Nationality: Indian.

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## References

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