

# JESSICA FRY

*Curriculum Vitae*

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## EDUCATION

### Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Ph.D. Physics Candidate

### Stanford University — 2021

B.S. in Physics, Minor in Theater and Performance Studies

## AWARDS

- 2021 NSF Graduate Research Fellowship
- 2020 Hoefler Prize for Undergraduate Writing
- 2020 Stanford Major Grant
- 2016, 2017 Stanford Department of Physics Summer Grant

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

### AI for Rare Event Searches (AIRES) — 2023 - present

Leads inter-institution collaboration for the development of AI data processing in rare event physics searches.

Published dataset releases, created benchmarks, and models for dark matter data denoising.

*Presented at NeurIPS Machine Learning for Fundamental Sciences Workshop — 2023*

### DMRadio and ABRACADABRA under Prof. Lindley Winslow — 2021 - present

Performing vibration analysis of DMRadio m<sup>3</sup> copper coaxial pickup in 1T superconducting magnet to characterize noise sources similar to axion signal in the lumped element detector. Operates 10mK dilution refrigerator for ABRACADABRA experiment searching for axion dark matter.

*Presented at APS April Meeting — 2024*

*Presented at CMB Core to Core Conference — 2023*

*Presented at UCLA Dark Matter Conference — 2023*

*Presented at TAUP — 2023*

### HPS Experiment with SIMPS Analysis under Prof. Lauren Tompkins — 2020 - 2021

Performed an analysis on the Heavy Photon Search (HPS) for the Strongly Interacting Massive Particle (SIMP).

Conducted analysis on Monte Carlo simulated SIMP data and background to find dark matter signal using phenomenology based cuts. Performed tracking analysis to determine track reconstruction algorithm with highest signal purity and lowest fake rates.

*Presented at the HPS Full Collaboration Meeting — 2020*

### Optimal Quantum Control under Prof. Monika Schleier-Smith — 2020

Conducted research in the Schleier-Smith Lab on the application of machine learning and CRAB optimization techniques to classical and quantum optimization problems. Wrote simulation and optimization scripts in Python to create software for the optimization of cold atom transport with a dipole beam between experimental regions.

*Presented at the Symposium of Undergraduate Research and Public Service — 2020*

*Awarded Hoefler Prize for Grant Writing — 2020*

### ATLAS Experiment with Emerging Jets Analysis under Prof. Lauren Tompkins — 2017

Performed a preliminary optimization for emerging jets analysis searching for the dark sector in ATLAS data.

Wrote scripts in C++ using ATLAS Root software to create a cutflow for Monte Carlo simulated data and background. Optimized discriminating variables to develop analysis techniques to model the emerging jets within the ATLAS data.

*Presented at the SLAC ATLAS group meeting at CERN — 2017*

*Presented at the Stanford Undergraduate Summer Physics Research Grant Poster Session — 2017*

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**SLAC Research with LZ under Dr. Daniel Akerib** — 2016

Repaired the SLAC system test detector between circulation runs including reconstruction of the weir reservoir, the purification tower, and additions to the programmable logic computer. Conducted an individual experiment characterizing the cooling power of the LZ thermosyphon system. Designed, built, and ran a detector with thermosyphon lines, vacuum chamber, thermometers, and heaters.

*Presented at the Conference for Undergraduate Women in Physics at UCLA* — 2017

*Presented at the Stanford Undergraduate Summer Physics Research Grant Poster Session* — 2016

**PUBLICATIONS****TIDMAD: Time Series Dataset for Discovering Dark Matter with AI Denoising**

J. T. Fry et al., Preprint, <https://arxiv.org/abs/2406.04378v1>

**Long Time Series Data Release from Axion Dark Matter Experiment**

J. T. Fry et al., NeurIPS ML4FS, [https://ml4physicalsciences.github.io/2023/files/NeurIPS\\_ML4PS\\_2023\\_131.pdf](https://ml4physicalsciences.github.io/2023/files/NeurIPS_ML4PS_2023_131.pdf)

**Projected sensitivity of DMRadio-m<sup>3</sup>: A search for the QCD axion below 1  $\mu\text{eV}$** 

DMRadio Collaboration, APS PRD, <https://journals.aps.org/prd/abstract/10.1103/PhysRevD.106.103008>

**Proposal for a definitive search for GUT-scale QCD axions**

DMRadio Collaboration, APS PRD, <https://journals.aps.org/prd/abstract/10.1103/PhysRevD.106.112003>

**Electromagnetic modeling and science reach of DMRadio-m<sup>3</sup>**

DMRadio Collaboration, Preprint, [arXiv:2302.14084](https://arxiv.org/abs/2302.14084)

**EMPLOYMENT****Broadway: M. Butterfly** — 2017

Broadway Actor in *M. Butterfly* at The Cort Theater directed by Julie Taymor, written by David Henry Hwang

**Charlie and the Chocolate Factory** — 2018 - 2019

Broadway Actor on the first Broadway national tour directed by Jack O'Brian

**The Americans Ep. 605** — 2018

Co-star role on the FX television show directed by Thomas Schlamme

**LEADERSHIP****Research Mentor** — 2021 - present

Mentored five undergraduates on research projects in the Winslow Lab

**GSE Stanford Summer Program Counselor** — 2020, 2021

Counselor for underprivileged high school girls teaching programming through STEM applications

**Board of Directors: Ram's Head Theatrical Society** — 2020 - 2021

Lead Stanford's largest theater group and began both community outreach initiatives and inclusivity protocols

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