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Research interests

Protoplanetary disks, High resolution imaging of protoplanetary disks (mm interferometry and scattered light), Radiative transfer modeling.

Scientific appointments

2021 — NASA Postdoctoral Fellow, JPL, Pasadena, USA

2017 – 2020 PhD in Astrophysics, IPAG, Grenoble, France

Project: Constraining the processes of protoplanetary disks evolution

Advisers: F. Ménard, M. Benisty, W. R. F. Dent

04/2017 – 09/2017 Internship in Astrophysics, IPAG, Grenoble, France

Project: ALMA survey of protoplanetary disks in the Chamaeleon II star-forming region

Advisers: F. Ménard

03/2016 – 05/2016 Internship in Astrophysics, ESO, Santiago, Chile

Project: Spectroscopic measurement of Cepheid temperatures

Advisers: A. Mérand and P. Kervella

09/2015 – 02/2016 Internship in Particle Physics, Laboratoire de l'Accélérateur Linéaire (LAL), Orsay, France

Project: Search for double Higgs boson production in the $\gamma\gamma$ channel with the ATLAS detector at LHC (CERN)

Advisers: M. Escalier and L. Fayard

Education

2017 – 2020 PhD in Astrophysics, IPAG, Grenoble, France

2016 – 2017 MSc in Astrophysics, Université Paul Sabatier, Toulouse, France

2013 – 2017 MSc in Engineering, Institut Supérieur de l'Aéronautique et de l'Espace (ISAE-Supaéro), Toulouse, France

Distinction

2017 – 2019 Studentship at the European Southern Observatory, Santiago, Chile

Contributed talks in conferences

12/2020 Five years after HL Tau: a new era in planet formation

Observations of edge-on protoplanetary disks with ALMA: measuring vertical settling of dust grains

04/2020 Building Blocks of Planets 2020, online conference

Edge-on observations of young disks

03/2019 Planet-Forming Disks, a workshop to honour A. Natta, Menaggio, Italy

An ALMA continuum survey of edge-on disks

01/2019 Protoplanetary Disk Workshop, Santiago, Chile

Spatial segregation of dust grains in J1608 and J1852 transition disks

07/2018 Société Française d'Astronomie et d'Astrophysique, Bordeaux, France

Probing protoplanetary disks evolution in the Chamaeleon II star-forming region

Institute colloquia and team seminars

12/2020 Institut de Recherche en Astrophysique et Planétologie, Toulouse, France

12/2019 Max Planck Institute for Astronomy, Heidelberg, Germany

11/2019 European Southern Observatory, Garching, Germany

10/2019 European Southern Observatory, Santiago, Chile

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Successful P.I. Proposals

ALMA cycle 6: *Probing an extreme case of dust settling in a protoplanetary disk.* 4h, band 6 Executed (A grade)
ALMA cycle 5: *The Edge-On disk of HH 30: How much flatter can it get?* 4h, band 6 Executed (A grade)

Community work

01/2019 LOC of the *Protoplanetary Disk Workshop* at ESO Santiago
2017 – 2019 Active organizer of science coffee talks at ESO (once a month)

Observing experience

08/2018 One week of observations at ALMA, Chile. Training with the night shift astronomer on duty.
02/2018 Two nights, visitor observations on VLT/SPHERE, Chile

Teaching and Outreach

2019 Teaching assistant, solar system & exoplanets at Universidad de Chile (Prof L. Perez, BSc level)
2018 – 2019 Presentations about ESO and basic astrophysics to general public
2015 Academic support to high-school students in math, physics and chemistry

Programming and language skills

Programming in python
ALMA data reduction using the CASA software
Use of the radiative transfert code *mcfo*st (Pinte et al. 2006, 2009)
Langages: French (native), English (fluent), Spanish (good), German (basics)

Additional interests

Mountain sports: paragliding, climbing and skiing
Competitive synchronized swimming (9 years)
Music: Flute (8 years) and Saxophone in a brass band (3 years)

References

Dr. Karl Stapelfeldt karl.r.stapelfeldt@jpl.nasa.gov
Dr. François Ménard francois.menard@univ-grenoble-alpes.fr
Dr. Myriam Benisty myriam.benisty@univ-grenoble-alpes.fr

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Refereed Publications

First author publications

1. Observations of edge-on protoplanetary disk with ALMA. I. Results from continuum data.
M. Villenave, F. Ménard, W. R. F. Dent, G. Duchêne, et al., [2020, A&A, 642, A164](#)
2. Spatial segregation of dust grains in transition disks. SPHERE observations of 2MASS J16083070-3828268 and RXJ1852.3-3700.
M. Villenave, M. Benisty, W. R. F. Dent, F. Ménard et al., [2019, A&A, 624, A7](#)

First author paper in preparation

1. Probing protoplanetary disk evolution in the Chamaeleon II region.
M. Villenave, F. Ménard, W. R. F. Dent, G. van der Plas, et al., [submitted to A&A](#)

Co-authored publications

1. Perturbers: SPHERE detection limits to planetary-mass companions in protoplanetary disks
R. Asensio-Torres, T. Henning, Cantalloube F., ..., **M. Villenave**, et al., 2021, [in press](#)
2. The anatomy of an unusual edge-on protoplanetary disk II. Gas temperature and warm outer region
C. Flores, G. Duchêne, S. Wolff, **M. Villenave**, et al., 2021, [in press](#)
3. The anatomy of an unusual edge-on protoplanetary disk I. Dust settling in a cold disk
S. Wolff, G. Duchêne, K. Stapelfeldt, ..., **M. Villenave**, et al., 2021, [in press](#)
4. On going flyby in the young multiple system UX Tauri
F. Ménard, N. Cuello, C. Ginski, ..., **M. Villenave**, et al., [2020, A&A, 635, L1](#)
5. A gap, shadows, spirals, streamers: SPHERE observations of binary-disk in GG Tau A
M. Keppler, A. Penzlin, M. Benisty, ..., **M. Villenave**, et al., [2020, A&A, 639, A62](#)
6. Spirals inside the millimeter cavity of transition disk SR21
G. Muro-Arena, C. Ginski, C. Dominik, ..., **M. Villenave**, et al., [2020, A&A, 636, L4](#)
7. Shadowing and multiple rings in the protoplanetary disk of HD 139614
G. Muro-Arena, M. Benisty, C. Ginski, ..., **M. Villenave**, et al., [2020, A&A, 635, A121](#)
8. Evolution of protoplanetary disks from their taxonomy in scattered light: spirals, rings, cavities, and shadows.
A. Garufi, M. Benisty, P. Pinilla, M. Tazzari, ..., **M. Villenave** et al., [2018, A&A, 620, A94](#)
9. Shadows and asymmetries in the T Tauri disk HD 143006: evidence for a misaligned inner disk.
M. Benisty, A. Juhász, S. Facchini, P. Pinilla, ..., **M. Villenave** et al., [2018, A&A, 619, A171](#)
10. Dust modeling of the combined ALMA and SPHERE datasets of HD 163296. Is HD 163296 really a Meeus group II disk?
G. A. Muro-Arena, C. Dominik, L. B. F. M. Waters, M. Min, ..., **M. Villenave** et al., [2018, A&A, 614, A24](#)
11. The Circumstellar Disk HD 169142: Gas, Dust, and Planets Acting in Concert?
A. Pohl, M. Benisty, P. Pinilla, C. Ginski, ..., **M. Villenave** et al., [2017, ApJ, 850, 1](#)