

curriculum vitae

Reinier Janssen

Personal Details

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Education

2011 - 2017	Ph.D. Research, Delft, University of Technology Subject: Multiwavelength observations of Active Galactic Nuclei: Using current facilities and development of enabling technologies. Promotors: prof.dr.ir. TM Klapwijk, prof. dr. HJA Röttgering, dr.ir. J.J.A. Baselmans
2008 - 2011	MSc Astronomy, Leiden University Graduation Subject: Host Galaxies of Radio-loud Active Galactic Nuclei
2006 - 2011	MSc Applied Physics (cum laude), Delft, University of Technology Graduation Subject: Submicron Kinetic Inductance Detectors for SAFARI
2003 - 2006	BSc Applied Physics (cum laude), Delft, University of Technology Graduation Subject: Vortex unbinding in NbN thin film superconductors

Employment

2023 - now	Staff Scientist <i>NASA Jet Propulsion Laboratory, Pasadena, United States</i> Development of focal plane arrays for spectrometers on balloon-borne and space-based telescope.
2019 - 2023	NASA Postdoctoral Fellow <i>NASA Jet Propulsion Laboratory, Pasadena, United States</i> Development of Kinetic Inductance Detectors for far-infrared spectrometers with astronomical applications
2017 - 2018	Postdoctoral researcher <i>Institut d'Astrophysique Spatiale, Université Paris Sud (Paris XI), Paris, France</i> Research subjects: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Interaction between high-energy particles and cryogenic detectors for next-generation astronomical space mission• Nature of jet-mode active galactic nuclei in actively star-forming galaxies
2011 - 2017	Ph.D. Research <i>Kavli Institute of NanoScience, Faculty of Applied Sciences, Delft University of Technology, The Netherlands</i> Research subjects: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Development of hybrid NbTiN-Al Kinetic Inductance Detectors for astronomical applications• Properties of radio-loud active galactic nuclei in the local universe

2007 - 2009

Suspension Engineer

DUTracing, Delft, The Netherlands

In parallel with my double master's degree I have participated in this student project to build a formula style racecar and compete in prestigious international competitions in Germany and the UK.

Honors and Awards

- Best Mission Concept, JPL NRSB Mission Incubation Program (2022)
- Best Poster Award, JPL Postdoc Research Day (2021)
- NASA Postdoctoral Program Fellowship, Universities Space Research Association (2018)
- TUD Grassroots Award for the implementation of electronic teaching tools (2014)

Teaching and Mentoring Experience

- (Co-)supervisor of 4 graduate students (2018 - now)
- Supervisor of 1 BSc student (2014) and 4 JPL summer students (2019 - 2021)
- Guest lecture on "AGN and the Cosmological Distance ladder" at Pasadena City College as part of the CalTech-PCC Connection program (2019).
- Advisor for students of the Astronomy Minor program (6 students, 2014-2016)
- Teaching assistant for the course "Introduction to Astronomy" during which I assisted in the complete redevelopment of the course. In addition, a TUD Grassroots proposal was successfully completed during the second year of the course. (2013, 2014)
- Supervisor of the final project for first year students (2013, 2014).

Competitively Awarded Observing Time

- "An unbiased census of the molecular gas content in the most massive galaxies in the nearby Universe" for a total of 75 hours of observation time on the ALMA ACA (2022)
- "Unraveling the nature of jet-mode AGN in galaxies with active star formation" for a total of 198 hours of observation time on the IRAM 30m telescope (2018,2019)
- "Unraveling the nature of jet-mode AGN in galaxies with active star formation" for a total of 5.5 hours of observation time on the Very Large Telescope (2019)
- "Exploring the limits of AGN feedback in low-power radio galaxies" for a total of 9 nights of observation time on the Isaac Newton Telescope (2019)
- "The ultimate test of a classic paradigm in astronomy: only massive ellipticals host powerful radio sources" For a total of 6 nights of observation time on the William Herschel Telescope (2013, 2014)

Public Outreach

- Volunteer for the Stargazing and Lecture series of the CalTech Astronomy Outreach program (Spring 2019 - now)
- Outreach lecture "The Hidden Universe in 3D" for Astronomy on Tap series (Spring 2020)
- Co-organizer for the Stargazing and Lecture series of the CalTech Astronomy Outreach program (Fall 2019)
- Outreach lecture "Seeing the Unseen" during CalTech Science for March (March 2019)
- Six invited lectures on the subjects "light" and "stars" at the Delftse Natuurwacht for children age 8-16. (2014-2017)
- Invited lecture titled "Shining a light on the dark part of the universe" for ~20 international high-school students of the International School of The Hague as part of the Challenger Program (April 2014)
- Invited article "Rood licht leidt naar oerknal" (Red light leads to the Big Bang) for the "Vraag het TU Delft" (Ask the TU Delft) series of the Telegraaf (August 2013)
- Invited article on "Actieve Galactische Kernen: Monsters in het Universum" (Active Galactic Nuclei: Monsters in the Universe) for De Physicus (January 2015)

List of Publications

Refereed Journal Articles

RMJ Janssen, R Nie, B Bumble, L-J Liu, J Redford, JP Filippini, CM Bradford, S Hailey-Dunsheath, JE Aguirre, JS Bracks, AJ Corso, J Fu, CE Groppi, J Hoh, RP Keenan, IN Lowe, DP Marrone, PD Mauskopf, I Trumper, JD Vieira, *Single pixel performance of the kinetic inductance detectors for the Terahertz Intensity Mapper*, Journal of Low Temperature Physics, pre-publication (2022)

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R Nie, **RMJ Janssen**, CM Bradford, JP Filippini, S Hailey-Dunsheath, CM McKenney, JE Aguirre, JS Bracks, AJ Corso, J Fu, C Groppi, J Hoh, RP Keenan, L-J Liu, IN Lowe, DP Marrone, P Mauskopf, J Redford, I Trumper, JD Vieira, *Absorber design and optimization of Kinetic Inductance Detectors for the Terahertz Intensity Mapper*, Journal of Low Temperature Physics **209**, 525 (2022)

J Redford, PS Barry, CM Bradford, S Chapman, J Glenn, S Hailey-Dunsheath, **RMJ Janssen**, KS Karkare, HG LeDuc, PD Mauskopf, R McGeehan, E Shirokoff, J Wheeler, J Zmuidzinas, *SuperSpec: On-chip spectrometer design, characterization, and performance*, Journal of Low Temperature Physics **209**, 548 (2022)

M Meenakshi, D Mukherjee, AY Wagner, NPH Nesvadba, R Morganti, **RMJ Janssen**, GV Bicknell, RS Sutherland, A Mandal, *Modelling observable signatures of jet-ISM interaction: thermal emission and gas kinematics*, Monthly Notices of the Royal Astronomical Society **516**, 766 (2022)

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NPH Nesvadba, AY Wagner, D Mukherjee, A Mandal, **RMJ Janssen**, H Zovaro, N Neumayer, G Bicknell, *Jet-driven AGN feedback on molecular gas and low star-formation efficiency in a massive local spiral galaxy with bright X-ray halo*, Astronomy & Astrophysics **654**, A8 (2021)

S Hailey-Dunsheath, **RMJ Janssen**, J Glenn, CM Bradford, J Perido, J Redford, J Zmuidzinas, *Kinetic inductance detectors for the Origins Space Telescope*, Journal of Astronomical Telescopes, Instruments, and Systems **7**, 011015 (2021)

R Nie, **RMJ Janssen**, CM Bradford, JP Filippini, S Hailey-Dunsheath, *Optimization of a quasi-mesh absorber for the Terahertz Intensity Mapper*, IEEE Transactions on Terahertz Science and Technology **10**, 704 (2020)

SL Stever, P Peille, MP Bruijn, A Roussafi, S Lotti, C Macculi, **RMJ Janssen**, R den Hartog, *Thermal simulations of temperature excursions on the ATHENA X-IFU detector wafer from impacts by cosmic rays*, Journal of Low Temperature Physics **199**, 264 (2020)

KS Karkara, PS Barry, CM Bradford, S Chapman, S Doyle, J Glenn, S Gordon, S. Hailey-Dunsheath, **RMJ Janssen**, A Kovacs, HG LeDuc, P Mauskopf, R McGeehan, J Redford, E Shirokoff, C Tucker, J Wheeler, J Zmuidzinas, *Full-array noise performance of deployment-grade SuperSpec mm-wave on-chip spectrometers*, Journal of Low Temperature Physics **199**, 849 (2020)

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RMJ Janssen, JJA Baselmans, A Endo, L Ferrari, SJC Yates, AM Baryshev, and TM Klapwijk, *High optical efficiency and photon noise limited sensitivity of microwave kinetic inductance detectors using phase readout*, Applied Physics Letters **103**, 203503 (2013)

RMJ Janssen, HJA Röttgering, PN Best, J Brinchmann, *The triggering probability of radio-loud AGN: A comparison of high and low excitation radio galaxies in hosts of different colors*, Astronomy & Astrophysics **541**, A62 (2012)

RMJ Janssen, A Endo, JJA Baselmans, PJ de Visser, R Barends, TM Klapwijk, *Power Handling and Responsivity of Submicron Wide Superconducting Coplanar Waveguide Resonators*, Journal of Low Temperature Physics **167**, 354-359 (2012)

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