

Marina Orio's Curriculum Vitae et Studiorum

Education

1987: Ph.D., Department of Physics, Technion, Haifa, Israel.

1983: "Laurea in Astronomia" (M.Sc. in Astronomy and Physics), Padova University.

1977: Baccalaureate, Liceo Classico "Alfieri", Asti.

Positions at universities and research institutes

April 2006–present: staff astronomer (ricercatrice; tenured civil servant), National Institute of Astrophysics of Italy (INAF), Padova Astronomical Observatory.

2000–present: senior visiting scientist (initially associate visiting scientist), Department of Astronomy, University of Wisconsin, Madison, USA.

1991–2006: staff astronomer (ricercatrice; tenured civil servant), National Institute of Astrophysics of Italy (INAF), Turin Astronomical Observatory.

1993–1997, and 1999: visiting assistant scientist and Fulbright Scholar, Department of Physics, University of Wisconsin, Madison, USA.

1988–1991: staff astronomer, tenure track, Turin Astronomical Observatory, Italy.

1987–1989: post-doctoral fellow, Max Planck Institute for Astrophysics, Garching bei München, FRG.

1983–1987: research and teaching assistant, Physics Department, Technion, Haifa, Israel.

Awards

1998 – "Girolamo Bortignon" award for an outstanding Ph.D. thesis written by a former Padova student.

Spoken languages

Fluent in Italian, English, German, Hebrew.

Elementary level in French, Spanish, Turkish, Arabic.

Service to the scientific community

Frequent referee activity for *The Astronomical Journal*, *The Astrophysical Journal*, *Astronomy & Astrophysics*, *MNRAS*, the *COSPAR* Proceedings.

Organization of a conference on Cataclysmic Variables at Abano Terme (Padova, Italy) in 1994, with 160 participants from 21 different countries, funded by the Program of Research and Development of the European Community and by the Soros Foundation.

Reviewer for : *RossiXTE* (2002), *Chandra* (2003 and 2005), *Swift* (2007-2008), *The National Science Foundation* (2008), the national scientific agency of Honk Kong (2008), *XMM-Newton* (2010).

Co-chair of the Scientific Organizing Committee and chair of the Local Organizing Committee of IAU Symposium 281 to be held at Pdova, Italy in 2011.