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LAURA M. WOODNEY
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EDUCATION

Ph.D. Astronomy, University of Maryland, College Park, 2000

Thesis: *Chemistry in Comets Hale-Bopp and Hyakutake*

M.S. Astronomy, University of Maryland, College Park, 1997

B.A. Physics with Departmental and University Honors, The Johns Hopkins University, 1993

HONORS

Asteroid 13001 Woodney. Named for me to honor my contributions to Planetary Science (2011).

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Professor	2015-present
California State University, San Bernardino, Department of Physics	
Associate Professor	2010-2015
California State University, San Bernardino, Department of Physics	
Assistant Professor	2005-2010
California State University, San Bernardino, Department of Physics	
Assistant Professor	2003-2005
University of Central Florida, Department of Physics, Orlando FL	
Postdoctoral Research Assistant	2000-2003
Lowell Observatory, Flagstaff AZ	

LEADERSHIP

2017 HERS - Leadership Institute for Women in Higher Education

2017 - Present. **Dean's Fellow**, Presidential Scholar Advisor. Responsible for running the College of Natural Sciences Presidential Scholar Program. There are approximately 70 scholars in the college with this full tuition scholarship awarded by the CSUSB President's office.

2010-2015 **Founding Director**, Murillo Family Observatory at CSUSB. Oversaw the building of the observatory, installation of the fully robotic telescope and the establishment of the current education programs.

2003-2005 **Director**, Robinson Observatory at University of CF. Managed the observatory operations and oversaw the education and outreach programs.

TEACHING

Undergraduate Lecture and Laboratory

- 19 different courses and laboratories taught.

NSF WIDER Program grant - ISSUES: Investigating Student Success Using Evidence based Strategies

- 2013-2015 member of the CSUSB, College of Natural Sciences team that established a Learning Community to investigate and implement evidence based strategies for teaching.

CSUSB Teaching Resource Center Course (Re)Design Institutes

- 2015 Facilitator of pedagogy institute
- 2014 Participant in pedagogy institute

NASA CAE Tier I & II Workshops

- Active Learning techniques for Introductory Astronomy

Student research

- Undergraduate research projects supervised at Lowell Observatory, UCF and CSUSB
- 17 students supervised, 6 have gone on to receive Ph.Ds, 1 currently attending graduate school
- 9 students supervised on professional observing runs to Lowell, Kitt Peak and Mauna Kea Observatories
- 7 students have presented their work at professional conferences (references in Conference Proceedings section)

SELECT ACADEMIC SERVICE

General Education Transformation Committee. 2016-2017

Society of Physics Students Faculty Advisor. 2008 - 2014

California Space Grant Director for CSUSB. 2008 - 2015

Referee: *Geophysical Research Letters*, *Publications of the Astronomical Society of Japan*, *Icarus*,
Astrophysics & Space Science, *Astronomy and Astrophysics*

Member of the US National Optical Astronomical Observatories Telescope Time Allocation Committee 2013 - 2016

Review Panel Member, NASA Planetary Programs, 2001, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2011, 2015

Review Panel Member, Hubble Space Telescope, 2005

Review Panel Member, Spitzer Space Telescope, 2006, 2008 (Deputy Chair)

PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS

Division of Planetary Science of the American Astronomical Society

American Geophysical Union

REFEREED PAPERS

Fernandez, Y.R., J.-Y. Li, E.S. Howell, and L.M. Woodney (2015). Chapter 184: Asteroids and Comets.
“Treatise on Geophysics”, 2nd ed., Gerald Schubert Ed., Elsevier Press. *in press*.

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- Schleicher, D. G. and L. M. Woodney (2003). Analysis of Dust Coma Morphology of Comet Hyakutake (1996 B2) Near Perigee: Outburst Behavior, Jet Motion, Source Region Locations, and Nucleus Pole Orientation. *Icarus*, **162**, 190-213.
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