

Astronomy Mini Museum

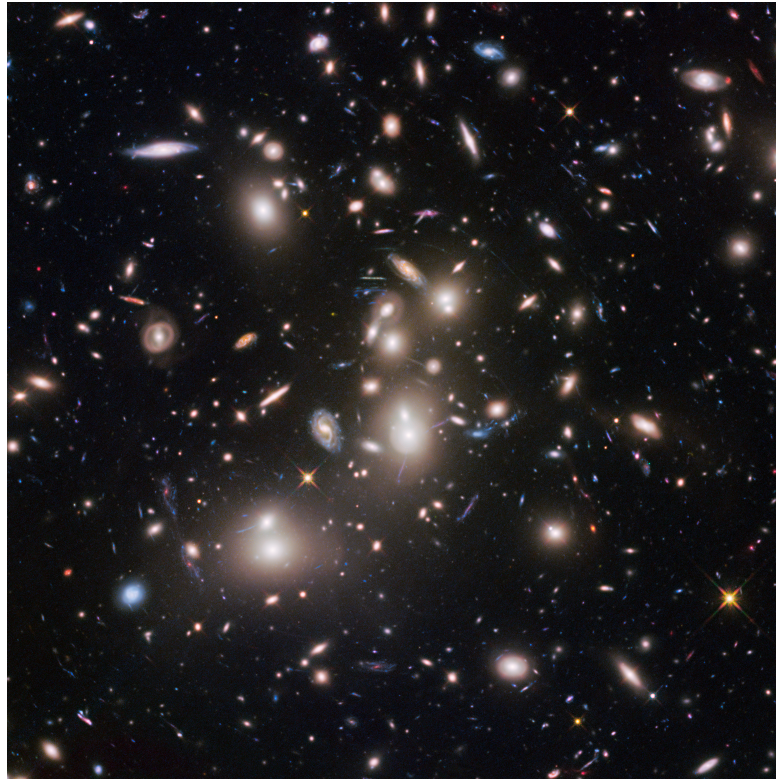
Briana Indahl

Overview

- \$1000 initial funding – from Cox Fund
 - 12 8x8 research images
 - 2-3 per group (Planets, ISM, Stars, Exgal, Theory)
 - 8 panel and 6 panel mural (14 20x20 images)
 - 10 20x16 Hubble prints
 - 2 per group
 - 9 12x12 prints for telescopes and instruments
 - 5 McDonald Telescopes
 - GMT
 - 3 recent instruments
 - Cheap 4x6 frames, cardstock, double sided tape, nails

Research Images

- Planets
 - Marshall Johnson
 - Adam Kraus
 - Brendan Bowler
- ISM
 - Yao-Lun Yang
 - Jacob/Kyle – IGRINS??
- Stars
 - Fritz Benedict
 - Jeff Silverman
- Exgal
 - Steve Finkelstein
 - Rachael Livermore
 - Kristy McQuinn
- Theory
 - Jacob Hummel ?
 - Benny Tsang ?



Rachael Livermore
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Murals

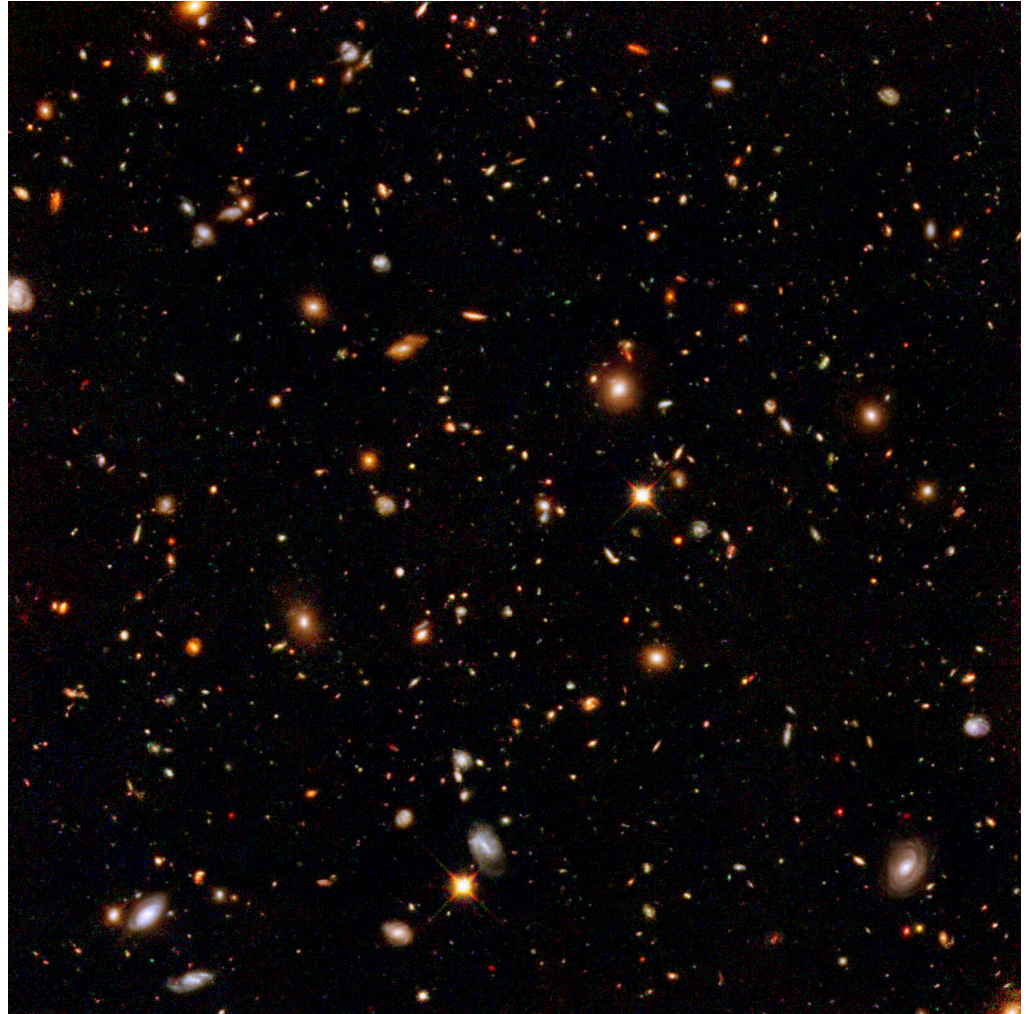
http://hubblesite.org/gallery/wall_murals/



Murals for 16 and 17 floor



80x 40 inches



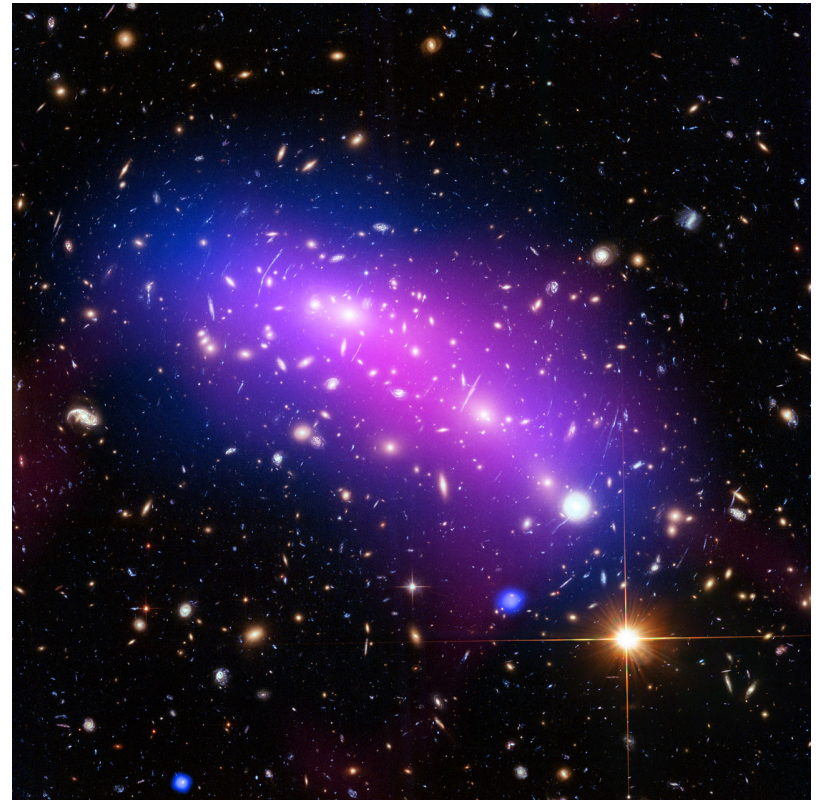
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Exgal

Stephan's Quintet



Colliding Galaxy Clusters -
MACS J0416



Stars

Merging Clusters in 30 Doradus



Omega Centauri

Flash from Star V838 Monocerotis



ISM

Horsehead Nebula in optical and IR



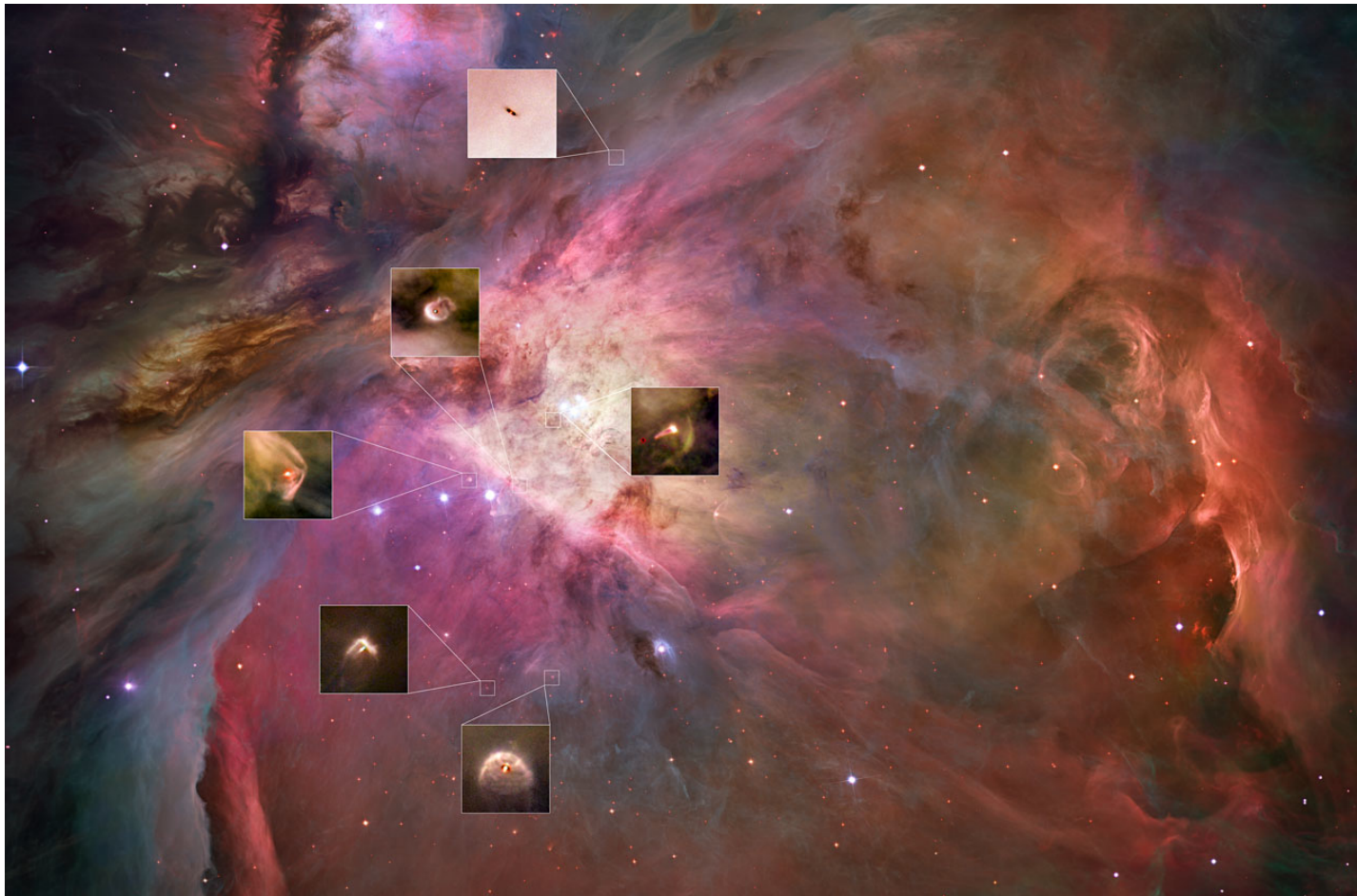
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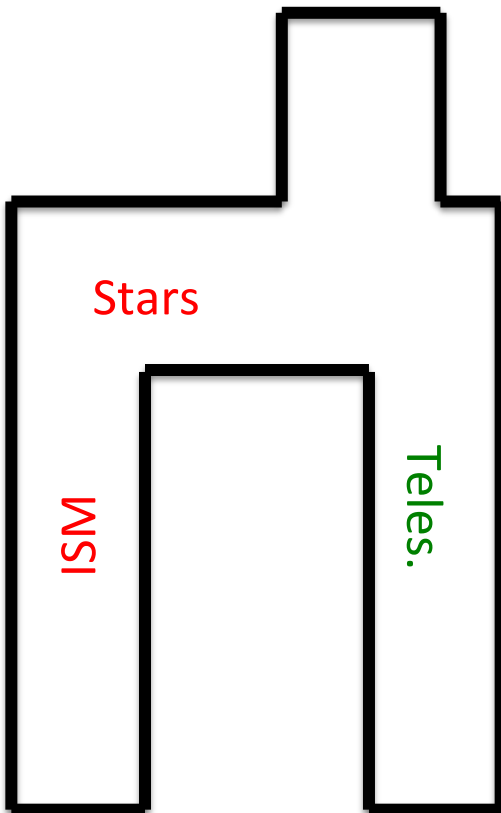
Planets

Orion Nebula with proplyd highlights

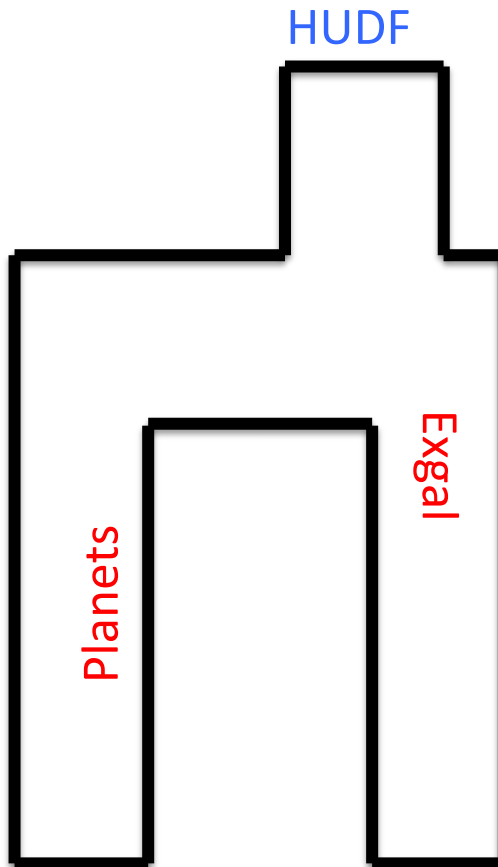


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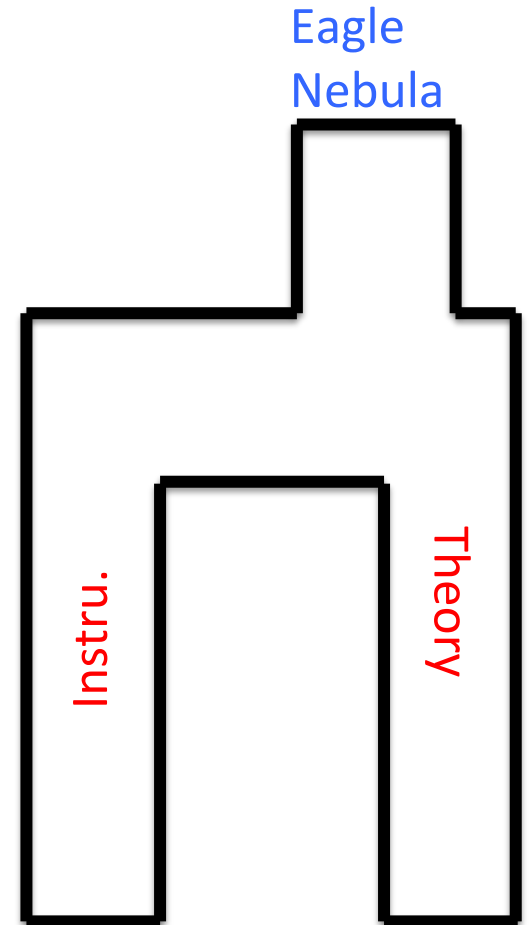
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Website Preview

Made with Weebly because the
source code is free!

Cover page

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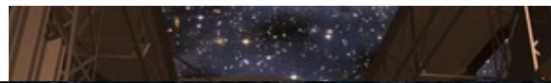
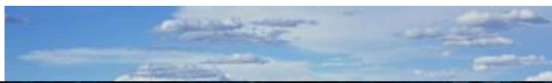
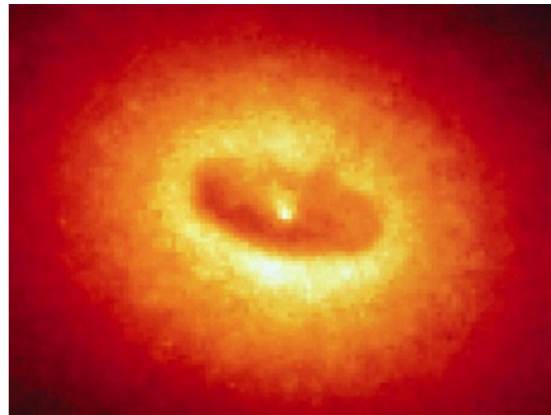
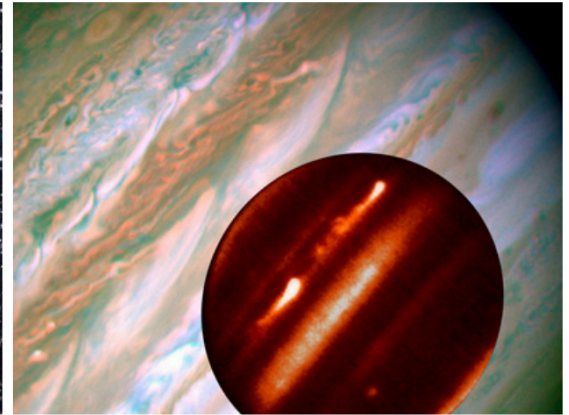
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Page with all of the exhibits

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Exhibits



Page with Galaxies exhibit

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GALAXIES

Classic Images



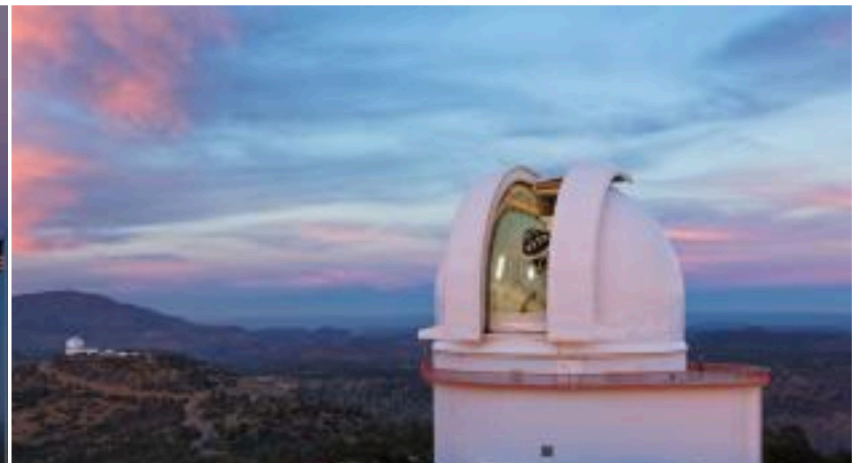
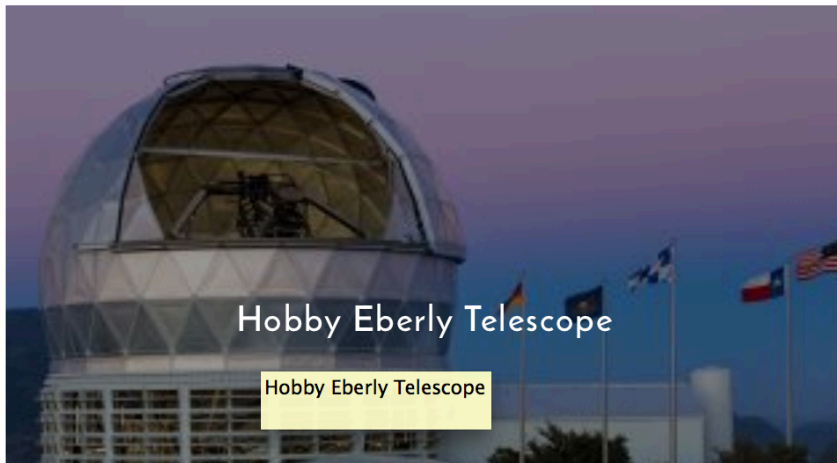
Page with the McDonald Exhibit

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MCDONALD OBSERVATORY



Telescopes at McDonald Observatory



Page for research image withing Stars exhibit

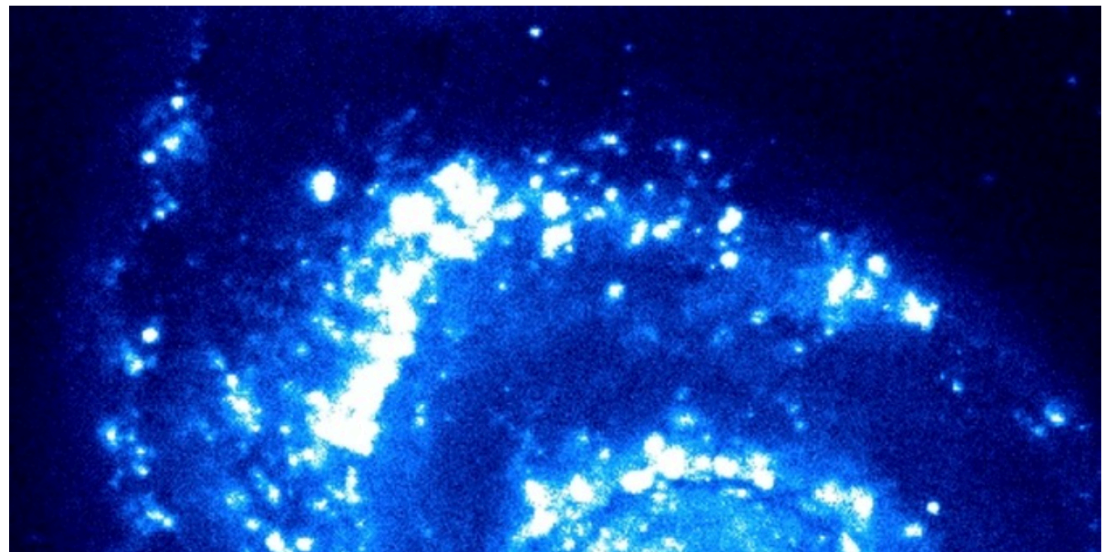
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SUPERNOVAE IN THE WHIRLPOOL GALAXY

Jeffery Silverman

Postdoc

This is an image of the Whirlpool Galaxy (also known as Messier 51), which is a spiral galaxy in the constellation Canes Venatici and is about 23 million light-years away. The image was obtained using the DIAFI (Direct Imaging Auxiliary Functions Instrument)



Points for discussion

- Audience for descriptions?
 - Website vs. wall plaque
- Posters
 - What to do with them after they are taken down
 - How many stay up? Where? How long?
 - Curator regulate posters
- Where to add for the future
 - More research prints!
 - Instrumentation – tours
 - History of Texas astronomy – James Bryan
- McDonald Observatory Visitors Center
 - Funding would come from McDonald