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Report of Contributions

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Type: **not specified**

10 years of GW - Stephen Fairhurst (Cardiff University)

Thursday, 15 January 2026 10:15 (45 minutes)

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GW astrophysics and multimessenger - Fabio Antonini (Cardiff University)

Thursday, 15 January 2026 11:15 (30 minutes)

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Tests of GR - Michalis Agathos (QMUL)

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Instrumentation - Ian Wilmut (RAL)

Thursday, 15 January 2026 14:15 (45 minutes)

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Progress in GW cosmology - Tessa Baker (Portsmouth U.)

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GW searches and parameter estimation - Michael Williams (Portsmouth U.)

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GW in the UK - Introduction

Friday, 16 January 2026 09:30 (15 minutes)

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Parallel Panel discussions: Funding for GWs in the UK

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Parallel Panel discussions: ECR opportunities

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Group introductions

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Community Building Exercise

Friday, 16 January 2026 13:30 (1 hour)

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Contributed talks

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Wrap up

Friday, 16 January 2026 15:55 (20 minutes)

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Machine Learning for Parameter Estimation

Thursday, 15 January 2026 13:15 (5 minutes)

Presenter: AL-SHAMMARI, Sama (Cardiff University)

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Residual neural likelihood estimation for gravitational wave parameter estimation

Thursday, 15 January 2026 13:20 (5 minutes)

Presenter: EMMA, Mattia (Royal Holloway University of London)

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Testing general relativity with black hole ringdowns

Thursday, 15 January 2026 13:25 (5 minutes)

Presenter: POMPILI, Lorenzo (University of Nottingham)

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Observability of eccentricity in a population of merging compact binaries

Thursday, 15 January 2026 13:30 (5 minutes)

Presenter: SINGH, Mukesh (Cardiff University)

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Calibrated uncertainty quantification for improved GW signal detection efficiency

Thursday, 15 January 2026 13:35 (5 minutes)

Presenter: MALZ, Ann-Kristin (Royal Holloway University of London)

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Gravitational Wave Probes of Dark Matter in Neutron Star Mergers

Thursday, 15 January 2026 13:40 (5 minutes)

Presenter: Dr SAGUN, Violetta (University of Southampton)

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Tidal dissipation in binary neutron star mergers

Thursday, 15 January 2026 13:45 (5 minutes)

Presenter: GHOSH, Suprovo (University of Southampton)

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Leveraging indirect observations about merging neutron star binaries

Thursday, 15 January 2026 13:50 (5 minutes)

Presenter: SARIN, Nikhil (Cambridge University)

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Stochastic gravitational wave backgrounds from cosmic phase transitions

Thursday, 15 January 2026 13:55 (5 minutes)

Presenter: Dr GOULD, Oliver (University of Nottingham)

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Polarisation Singularities of Gravitational Waves.

Thursday, 15 January 2026 14:00 (5 minutes)

Presenter: RIGOUZZO, Claire (King's College London)

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Quasinormal modes from numerical relativity with Bayesian inference

Thursday, 15 January 2026 14:05 (5 minutes)

Presenter: DYER, Richard (Institute of Astronomy, Cambridge University)

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Accelerating parameter estimation for parameterized tests of general relativity with gravitational-wave observations

Thursday, 15 January 2026 14:10 (5 minutes)

Presenter: KUMAR, Dhruv (University of Glasgow, Scotland)

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Astrophysical implications of eccentricity in neutron star-black hole binaries

Thursday, 15 January 2026 16:15 (5 minutes)

Presenter: ROMERO-SHAW, Isobel (Cardiff University)

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Accelerating Reduced-Order Quadrature Construction using Multi-Band Waveforms

Thursday, 15 January 2026 16:20 (5 minutes)

Presenter: NEWELL, Murdoc (Queen Mary University of London)

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What can the future GW detectors tell us about the peak of star formation?

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Presenter: ., Divyajyoti (Cardiff University)

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Corrections to the energy and angular momentum for eccentric orbits

Thursday, 15 January 2026 16:30 (5 minutes)

Presenter: TRESTINI, David (University of Southampton)

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Rapid parameter estimation in minutes with physical insights from eccentric harmonics

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Presenter: PATTERSON, Ben (Cardiff University)

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Extremal Black Hole Spectroscopy

Thursday, 15 January 2026 16:40 (5 minutes)

Presenter: WAN, Hongyi (Queen Mary University of London)

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Analytic and numerical modeling of boson-star scattering

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Presenter: SPERHAKE, Ulrich (University of Cambridge)

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Constraining the luminosity distance-redshift relation with GWs

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Presenter: COLANGELI, Elena (ICG - University of Portsmouth)

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Early Warning in Gravitational-Wave Astronomy with Deep Learning.

Thursday, 15 January 2026 16:55 (5 minutes)

Presenter: ALFAIDI, Reem (University of Glasgow)

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The potential of hierarchical inference with extreme mass-ratio inspiral observations

Thursday, 15 January 2026 17:00 (5 minutes)

Presenter: SINGH, Shahswat (University of Glasgow)

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Fast, Faithful, and Future-Proof: Gravitational-Wave Inference at GPU Speed

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Presenter: PRATHABAN, Metha (University of Cambridge)

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Gravity Spy: Building a Community of Citizen Scientists

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Presenter: TODD, Elizabeth (University of Glasgow)

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Detecting Exoplanets beyond Local Super cluster with GW

Thursday, 15 January 2026 17:15 (5 minutes)

Presenter: ZHENG, Liming (Beijing Normal University, Cardiff Universtiy)

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Independent Optical Calibration of Gravitational-Wave Detectors via Scattered Light Injection

Friday, 16 January 2026 15:00 (5 minutes)

Presenter: JAIN, Kushal (Cardiff University)

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GW230814: black hole spectroscopy with a single detector binary black hole merger

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Presenter: SHARKEY, Joshua (University of Glasgow)

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Source Inference for Unmodelled Sources

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Presenter: NEESON, James (Cardiff University)

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The High–Mass-Ratio Challenge in Gravitational-Wave Modelling

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Presenter: MAHAPATRA, Parthapratim (Cardiff University)

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O4 EM Follow-up Observations with GOTO

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Presenter: ACKLEY, Kendall (University of Warwick)

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Application of summary data for Simulation-based inference

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Presenter: IWAYA, Masaki (Cardiff University)

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The Formation and Evolution of EMRIs in Accretion Discs

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Presenter: STEVENSON, Jupiter (University of Nottingham Gravity Group)

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Probing accelerating binary black hole coalescences with deep learning

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Presenter: ROUSSOPOULOS, Alexander (University of Nottingham)

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Frequency contamination from new fundamental fields in black hole bringdowns

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Presenter: LESTINGI, Jacopo (University of Nottingham)

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Optimisation of thermal compensation systems in Gravitational wave detectors

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Presenter: DUMBRECK, Ruairaidh (Cardiff University)

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Stable black hole solutions with cosmological hair

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Presenter: SMULDERS, Laurens (University College London)

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An overview of Coatings and Core Optic research in Glasgow

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Presenter: MCGHEE, Graeme

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Amorphous Alumina: a low absorption material for future detectors

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Presenter: FITZGERALD, Scott (University of Glasgow)

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He-BAR: A Helium Bulk Acoustic Resonator for Gravitational Wave Detection

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Presenter: HIBBITT, Sean (Royal Holloway University of London)

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Multifidelity Approach to Simulation-Based Inference in Gravitational-Wave Data Analysis

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Simulation-based inference (SBI) is opening new possibilities in gravitational-wave data analysis, including the use of computationally expensive simulators to generate waveforms. When simulators are computationally expensive, generating sufficient training data becomes challenging. Multifidelity methods combine the accuracy of high-fidelity (expensive and accurate) models with the computational efficiency of low-fidelity (fast and less accurate) models. This transfer learning approach makes inference tractable even with limited simulation budgets, potentially enabling analyses that would otherwise require prohibitive computational resources.

Presenter: FABBRI, Cecilia (University of Nottingham)