

Time-Domain Cosmology with Strong Gravitational Lensing

January 25 - February 2, 2021
online via Zoom & Slack
Hosted by Kavli IPMU

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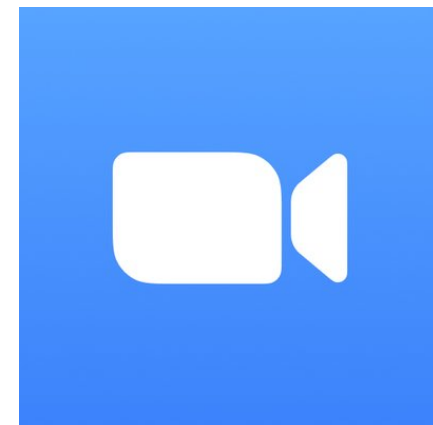
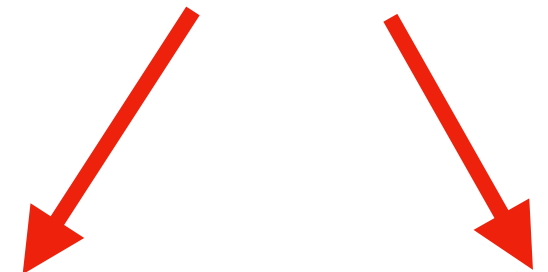
Special Thanks

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If there are any questions/concerns about the workshop,
feel free to contact any of the organizing committee
members at any time via e-mail or Slack DMs

Workshop History

- In-person 3-day workshop originally scheduled for April 2020 @ IPMU
 - Cancelled due to COVID-19 pandemic & subsequent international travel restrictions
- Original plan to reschedule for late-2020 or early-2021, but ongoing uncertainty about pandemic/travel made this difficult
- Decided to hold an virtual workshop instead

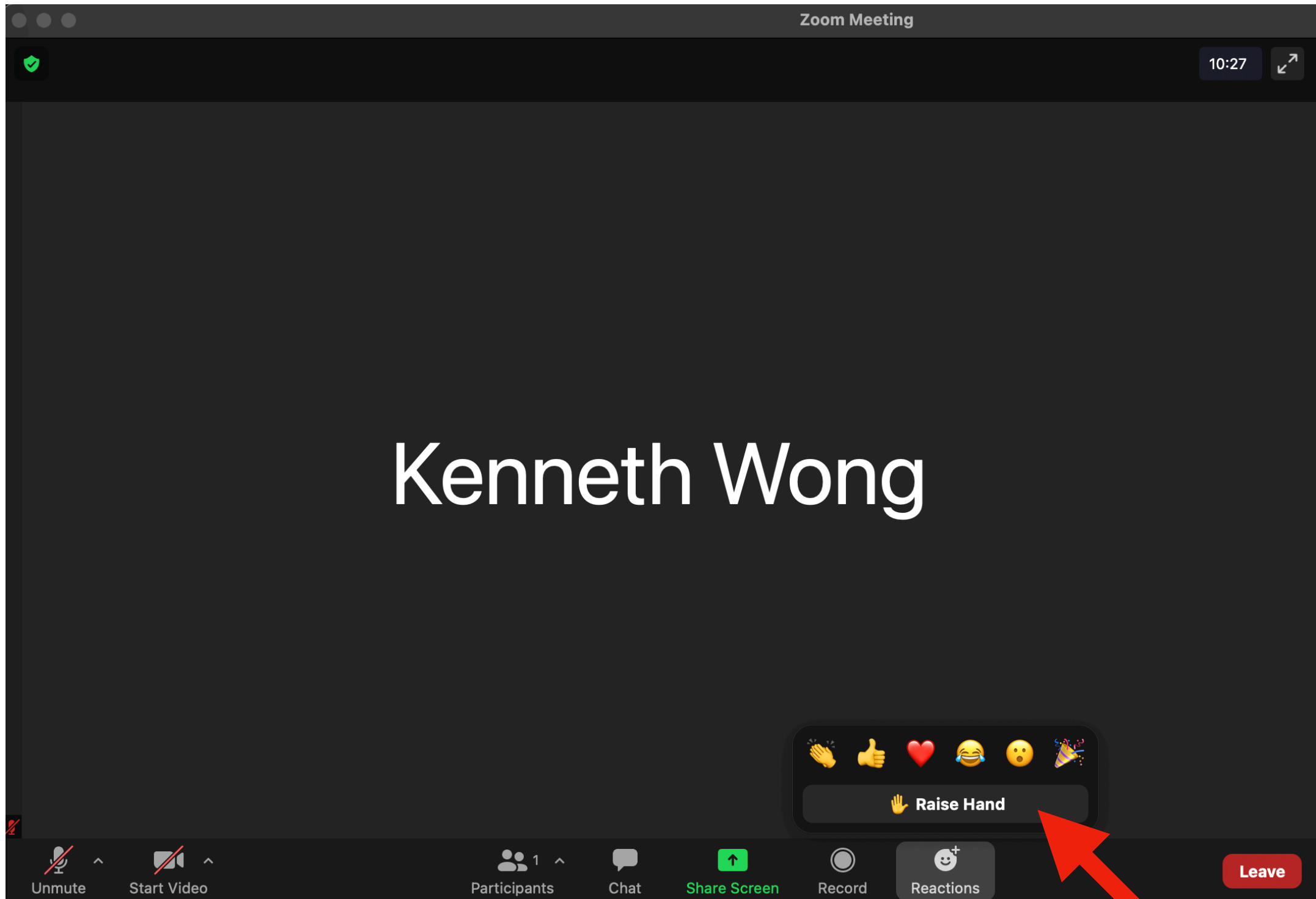


Virtual Workshop

- Accommodating as many time zones as possible is difficult, narrow time window each day, but 13:00-15:00 UTC seems to be best compromise
- Spread over two weeks (live talks on Jan. 25/26 & Feb. 1/2)
 - Mon/Tue works better for most people
 - extra time to discuss/interact, watch pre-recorded talks
- Pros
 - no travel costs, more people can participate
 - everything recorded & available to view online
 - can discuss on Slack at any time and into the future
- Cons
 - limited time window means fewer/shorter presentations
 - no time for informal or private interactions (e.g., coffee breaks)

Live Presentations

- All live presentations will take place in this Zoom meeting
- Talks will be recorded and available to all registered participants
- Please turn off video and mute yourself unless you are speaking
- During Q&A, please click on the “Raise Hand” button in Zoom and wait for the moderator to call on you
 - unfortunately, time constraints mean that we won’t get to all questions, but you can use Slack workspace for further Q&A



Slack Workspace

- tdcsl.slack.com
- #general channel is open to everyone
 - Announcements will be posted here
- Can chat privately with anyone in the workspace via DMs
- Workspace will remain open even after the workshop ends - we encourage you to continue discussions here!
- Please do not share contents with non-participants unless you have consent of the presenter

Slack Workspace

- Each talk will have a thread in a public channel with link to video & slides
 - #invited_talk_discussion
 - #contributed_talk_discussion
 - #prerecorded_talk_discussion
- Panel discussions have their own separate channel for discussion
 - #panel1_tdc_discussion
 - #panel2_dm_discussion
- Posted slides may have additional/supplemental content
- Can use these threads to ask questions or discuss with the speaker(s)
- Pre-recorded talks now posted, video/slides for live talks posted as they occur (video make take up to a ~day)

Hover over thread and
click here to comment

The screenshot shows a Slack workspace named "Time-Domain C...". The left sidebar contains a list of channels under "Channels":

- # contributed_talk_dis...
- # general
- # invited_talk_discussion
- # panel1_tdc_discussion
- # panel2_dm_discussion
- # prerecorded_talk_dis...

Below the channels are "Direct messages" with contacts: Slackbot, Kenneth Wong, Cameron Lemon, and Dandan Xu.

The main area displays the "#prerecorded_talk_discussion" channel. It shows several discussion threads, each pinned by the user. The threads include titles, video links, and slide links. For example, the first thread is for @Nan Li, dated Wednesday, January 20th, with the title "The impact of line-of-sight structures on measuring H0 with strong lensing time-delays".

At the bottom of the main area is a message input field with the placeholder "Send a message to #prerecorded_talk_discussion".

Annotations:

- Red arrows point to the channel list in the sidebar and the comment icon in the thread header.
- A green arrow points to the comment icon in the thread header.

Join these discussion channels

Let's have a great workshop!