

# **Conference Summary**

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Hiroshima (2016)



# Celebrating Subaru's Pioneers 2007-2016



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#### A Story of Large Telescope Supremacy..\*



\*The following story is with apologies to Dennis Crabtree & his comparative analyses

#### h - index of 8-10m Class Telescopes

The *h*-index is now a well-used statistic for individual researchers and so could be utilised to gauge the output of an observatory

*h* represents the number of publications with a citation rate  $\geq h$ 



#### *m* - index:

#### (taking into account operational years)





#### *i* - index:

#### taking account of number of telescopes

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			Keck		1996-2005	11		113	10.3	5
<u>10</u>			Gemini		2000-2006	7		33	4.7	5.
8			Subaru		2000-2006	7		41	5.9	2
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2	-		<b>↓</b>	number of telescopes used (lye 2007a)						
	VLT	Keck	Gemini	Subaru						

Subaru rules!

**Courtesy of Masanori lye** 

1996-2006

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### **Disclaimer**

60 talks × 20+ slides > 1200 slides

AND 47 posters

All carefully digested, rationalized, intercompared with results in the literature to give a "lucid, crisp, holistic view of our present understanding of the Universe....."



What follows is a brief, personal, selection of key issues

Apologies if your talk/poster (or even entire field!) is not mentioned

# **Cosmic Dawn**

#### The big questions

- When did reionisation begin and end?
- Is it a route to finding the first generation of galaxies?
- Contribution of stars and AGN probably both!

#### The tools

- 21cm tomography and power spectra
- Luminosity function trends
- Spitzer: stellar masses and ages
- UV spectroscopy of HST-selected targets
- Demographics of LAEs
- Detailed studies of low z analogs

#### The major challenges

- Physical origin of intense [O III] emission
- Stars vs AGN??
- The dreaded escape fraction of ionizing photons
- How much SF beyond z~10?



### Extreme [O III] Emission at z > 6



Roberts-Borsani et al. 2016, ApJ, 823, 143



remarkable intense [O III] emission at high z?

Harder ionizing spectra (UV metal lines) and unusual star-forming regions?

Detailed study of low z analogs may help

### Low Redshift Analogs with Intense Emission



Photoionization models suggest high [O IIII]/[O II] ratios are linked to harder ionizing radiation AND perhaps high escape fractions reflecting densitybound H II regions which cannot form a complete Strömgren sphere (Nakajima & Ouchi 2014)



Stark, Kusakabe, Kojima

#### **The Escape Fraction...**



 $f_{esc} > 10\%$  for reionisation

Simulations suggest young low mass galaxies are porous with high escape fractions (Wise+ 2014, Ma+ 2015, Sharma+2015) but hard to verify observationally

- Recombination lines provides joint constraint on ξ<sub>ion</sub> and f<sub>esc</sub> (Zakrisson+ 2016): *await James Webb Space Telescope*
- Covering fraction of low ionization gas via absorption line spectra (Jones +2013, Leethochawalit+ 2016): -assumes good proxy for HI (density & kinematics)
- Statistical association between galaxy population and ionization state of IGM inferred from QSO spectra (Becker+ 2015, Kakiichi+ 2016):
   Oresolic & lakeito z~6

#### **A New Route to the Escape Fraction?**

Balance ionisation state of the IGM deduced from z>6 QSO spectra with contribution from galaxies of known luminosity, redshift and line-of-sight distance etc in the same cosmic volume

Need deep imaging and spectroscopy in fields of z~6 QSOs



Kakiichi (see earlier idea by Becker)



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Enormous leap forward in number of luminous z~6.6 LAEs and z~6 LBGs

Offers exciting prospect of studies of spatial distribution of ionized bubbles and detailed spectra of galaxies at end of reionization!



Shibuya, Konno...



# Coming Soon... JWST!

 $\overline{\mathbf{Redshift}}, \boldsymbol{z}$ 

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JWST offers space-based spectroscopy free from OH contamination and longward of 2 microns

- Absorption line studies of stellar/ISM composition, low ionization gas
- Familiar nebular lines for gas-phase metallicity and AGN features
- There may be star formation beyond  $z\sim12$
- ERS pr 1.0

0.8

Neutral Fraction,  $x_{
m H\,{\scriptscriptstyle I}}$ 

0.2





Greig & Mesinger 2016 analysis of reionization history permits long tail of SF to z>12

Dark pixels  $(1\sigma)$ 

Ly $\alpha$  fraction  $(1\sigma)$ LAE Clust.  $(1\sigma)$ 

QSO DW  $(1\sigma)$ Planck  $(2\sigma)$  $kSZ (2\sigma)$ 

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### **Cosmic Afternoon**

The big picture

- Stellar mass – halo mass relation: formation efficiency

- Disk formation and angular momentum evolution
- Feedback flows in/out
- Quenching environmental vs internal

The tools

- Spectroscopy of galaxies and circumgalactic medium

- Resolved kinematics, chemistry etc from IFUs
- ALMA and molecular gas
- Hydrodynamical simulations

The issues:

- Do we understand stellar evolution (MS binaries,

AGB)

- Role of Dust
- Early quiescent galaxies and implications
- Erratic star formation



### The efficiency of galaxy formation





Efficiency of star formation probed by stellar mass/halo mass relation

- Peaks at a halo mass of  $10^{12} \,\mathrm{M}_{\odot}$
- Surprisingly constant over cosmic time?
- Tantalising evidence for higher efficiency z>4

#### IF SO, WHY? Behroozi, Harikane, Ferguson



#### **Evolution of Angular Momentum**



KMOS provides high quality IFU data for complete samples of 0.6 < z < 1 galaxies

Wide scatter on TF relation – illustrates earlier results pre-selected "regular" systems

Although no broad evolution in TF relation – consistent with significant growth in a.m.

#### **Extending Kinematics to z ~ 2**





KMOS extends to higher redshift; seeing limited data checked with limited AO-based data – some differences in merger/clumpy statistics

Dispersion-dominated, strong outflows, falling rotation curves?

Flat metal gradients indicating strong feedback Förster-Schreiber, see also Jones, Leethochawalit



#### **Assembly History of Spheroidals**







RED **NUGGETS** 

Time

z=2

# What were the pre-quenched progenitors?



Identifying earlier progenitors is tough, depending on numbers/quenching timescales

- compact dust-obscured sources (ALMA)
- compact star-forming systems (blue nuggets)





van Dokkum, Tadaki

#### Age Dating z~2 Compact Red Galaxies



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#### **Gravitationally lensed quiescent galaxies**



- 5 magnified and exceptionally
   bright quiescent galaxies at
   z = 2-2.6
- All spectroscopically confirmed
- MOSFIRE/FIRE spectra for them all

Newman, Belli & RSE in prep

### **Red Nuggets Have Rotating Stellar Disks!**



#### Similar data for 4 other cases!

Newman, Belli + RSE

#### Rotating gas disks in candidate progenitors



Most likely quenching timescales vary – see Bello et al (in prep)

Barro et al 2014, 2016; Tadaki et al 2016

#### What happened to red nuggets?



Seems reasonable to assume many massive red nuggets have stellar disks with rapid rotation; they evolve to massive ellipticals that have no rotation. How did they lose their angular moment.

Repeated minor mergers (< 1:4) can **double mass**, increase the size and **reduce angular momentum** by 10x since z=2

Naab et al 2014

#### **Dust Evolution?**

Empirical UV slope  $\beta$ -FIR flux relation predicts L(FIR)/L(UV) for simple dust-screen model

ALMA data suggests **less dust** than expected but why no shift in  $\beta$ ? Maybe **different dust**?

NB: SMC is not a fully-fledged attenuation law (it does not include scattering into the beam so inapplicable to entire galaxy).

Pettini 1998 showed for LBGs that SMC "law" can be reconciled with Calzetti for the same dust.



Bouwens et al 2016

#### Da Cunha, Oesch

#### **Resolving the mm background**



Millimeter background 80-100% resolved via deep ALMA fields including lensing cluster

60% of the faint sources appear to be star-forming LBGs at z~2-3 Fujimoto

#### Surprise #1: LSB Universe (again!)



#### **Surprise #2: Radially-dependent IMF**

Stacking data from 6 galaxies can secure gravity-dependent indices as a function of radius

Contribution of low mass dwarfs to the main sequence

Claim is this can reconcile earlier controversies in IMF variations based on data taken with various apertures

OK – but what does it mean and how do such small compact cores with different IMFs retain their identity over long lifetimes?



van Dokkum et al, ApJ, submitted (astro-ph tomorrow!)

# **Reflections since 1988...**



The big questions in galaxy evolution used to be attractively simple:

- Do galaxies evolve? counts, colours, redshift distributions (1980's)
- Nature versus nurture the role of the environment e.g. in reproducing the morphology-density relation (1980's)
- Monolithic vs hierarchical assembly: the underpinning by dark matter assembly challenged by `downsizing' (1990's)
- Reconciling the cosmic star formation history with the redshift-dependent stellar mass density (2000's)
- Energetic feedback: reconciling the observed luminosity function with the DM halo mass function (2000's)

Now we are spoilt with rich datasets: stellar masses, SEDs, molecular gas fractions, resolved kinematics, metallicities over a wide range of sources to  $z\sim5!$ 

And simulations which (as they always have!) reproduce most of these datasets

# BUT..what are the big picture science questions in this new data-driven era?

# **Galactic Archeology**

The big picture

- Assembly history of normal galaxies
- Stellar streams as probes of dark matter
- Dwarf galaxies as probes of reionisation era

The tools

- The Gaia revolution
- Panoramic HST/HSC imaging of stellar halos
- Gas and stellar metallicity mass relations
- Kinematics of stellar streams
- Abundance patterns in LG dwarfs

The issues/challenges:

- Thick disk and implications for  $z\sim2$  galaxies
- Orbits and ages of stellar streams



#### **Demonstrating the Power of HSC: I – M81 Group**



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Okamoto+2015x [deg]

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 $\Delta \alpha$  [dea]

contaminants

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 $\Delta \alpha$  [dea]

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-0.5

Spatial distribution of stellar ages across M81 group including dwarfs Okamoto

#### **Demonstrating the Power of HSC: II – M31 streams**



### Origin of r-process Elements: Implications for First Generation Enrichment



Could this signature and the rate of N star mergers (LIGO) be used, in conjunction with accurate stellar ages, to shed light on early formation history? Spectra of Ba and Eu in 7/9 stars in Reticulum II super-abundant c.f. those in 10 other UFDs. Rarity consistent with neutron star mergers c.f. early SNe II



Frebel

### **Thick & Thin Disc: Continuity vs Distinct Entities?**



Kinematic and metallicity data have been used since 1983 to debate whether the thick disc is a distinct component. It was controversial in 1988 (Norris!)

Surely there's a definitive statistical test to reconcile these different views now the data is so extensive?

Connection to z~2 galaxies given quiescent history of Milky Way?



#### **Stellar Metallicity as a Probe of Chemical History**

Tight stellar metallicity – mass relation over 8 dex including dlrr and DSph with very different SF histories

More robust indicator of chemical evolution if past SF is understood

Important future probe with ELTs – interesting to see what can be done with current 8-10m telescopes



Kirby

# Cosmology

The big picture

- Nature of dark matter
- What is Dark Energy?
- Does Einstein GR need modification

The tools

- Growth of structure (RSD, WL)
- Expansion history (BAO, SNe)

The projects: PFS + DESI ahead of Euclid DES + KIDS + HSC

The issues/challenges:

- Velocity fields for RSD
- Systematics for WL
- Evolution/host properties for SNe
- Prejudice (Einstein can't be wrong etc)





#### **Dark Energy: Distance & Growth-based Methods**

dlnD/dw

dlng/dw



#### **Distance – redshift relation (BAO, SNe)**:

not v. sensitive to w: 1% precision requires D to 0.2% w degenerate with changes in  $\Omega_{M}$ 

#### Growth - redshift relation (RSD, WL)

Peacock

 ${\it w}$  has opposite effect to  $\Omega_{\rm M}\,$  with different systematic issues

#### Large Scale Structure: State of the Art





#### Weak Lensing has Come of Age!



Frieman, Kuijken

#### Weak Lensing – Cosmic Shear & $\sigma_8$



#### **Tension with Planck?**

- Examining data in overlapping areas from different instruments important to convince skeptics
- Where is the HSC data point??

#### After Masahiro's µlensing talk..another DM constraint



Eridanus II - a distant Ultra Faint Dwarf with a central star cluster

Li et al use 28 members to get a velocity dispersion of 6.9 km/s indicating a M/L~420 solar



Survival of star cluster in sea of massive BHs constraints their abundance for various masses (Brandt 2016)

Crnojevic et al 2016, Brandt 2016, Li et al 2016

Frieman

#### The Near Future is Exciting (and the present!)



Understanding how to use these in a complementary way is important (Glazebrook)

#### Thanks to the SOC and

