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EDUCATION

Ph.D. Physics, University of Toronto 2009
Doctoral Thesis: Energy and momentum consistency in subgrid-scale
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M.S. Physics, University of Toronto 2005
B.S. Atmospheric Science & Math, University of British Columbia 2004

PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT

Associate Professor of the Geophysical Sciences 2017 - present
The University of Chicago

Assistant Professor of the Geophysical Sciences 2015 - 2017
The University of Chicago

Assistant Professor of Earth and Environmental Sciences 2011 - 2015
& Applied Physics and Applied Mathematics,
Columbia University

Natural Sciences and Engineering Research Council of 2010 - 2011
Canada (NSERC) Post-doctoral Fellow
Lamont-Doherty Earth Observatory &
Department of Applied Physics and Applied Mathematics,
Columbia University

Research Assistant Professor 2009 - 2010
Center for Atmosphere Ocean Science,
Courant Institute, New York University

AWARDS

American Geophysical Union James B. Macelwane Medal 2017
Alfred P. Sloan Research Fellowship (Physics) 2015
NSF CAREER award 2013
Packard Fellowship in Science and Engineering 2012
American Geophysical Union James R. Holton Award 2011
NSERC Postdoctoral Fellowship 2009 - 2011
Marie Curie Sklodowska Association Fellowship 2008 - 2009
Zonta International Amelia Earhart Fellowship 2007 - 2009
NSERC Canada Graduate Scholarship 2005 - 2008
WHOI Geophysical Fluid Dynamics Fellowship 2005

PUBLICATIONS (* indicates a graduate student or post-doc supervised by T. A. Shaw)

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Shaw, T. A., A. Voigt*, S. Kang and J. Seo, 2015: Response of the intertropical convergence zone to zonally-asymmetric subtropical surface forcing, *Geophys. Res. Lett.*, 10.1002/2015GL066027.

Shaw, T. A. and A. Voigt*, 2015: Tug of war on summertime circulation between radiative forcing and sea surface warming. *Nature Geoscience*, 10.1038/ngeo2449.

Voigt, A.* , and **T. A. Shaw**, 2015: Radiative changes of clouds and water vapor shape circulation response to global warming. *Nature Geoscience*, 10.1038/ngeo2345.

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Dunn-Sigouin, E.* , and **T. A. Shaw**, 2014: Comparing and contrasting extreme stratospheric events, including their coupling to the tropospheric circulation, *J. Geophys. Res.*, 10.1002/2014JD022116.

Seager, R., D. Neelin, I. Simpson*, H. Liu, N. Henderson, **T. A. Shaw**, Y. Kushnir, M. Ting and B. Cook, 2014: Dynamical and thermodynamical causes of large-scale changes in the hydrological cycle over North America in response to global warming. *J. Climate*, submitted.

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response to an instantaneous doubling of carbon dioxide Part II: Atmospheric transient adjustment and its dynamics. *J. Climate*, 26, 918-935.

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Shaw, T. A., M. Sigmund, T. G. Shepherd, and J. F. Scinocca, 2009: Sensitivity of simulated climate to conservation of momentum in gravity wave drag parameterization. *J. Climate*, 22, 2726-2742.

Shaw, T. A., and T. G. Shepherd, 2008: Raising the roof. *Nature Geoscience*, 1, 12-13.

Shaw, T. A., and T. G. Shepherd, 2008: Wave-activity conservation laws for the three-dimensional anelastic and Boussinesq equations with a horizontally homogeneous background flow. *J. Fluid Mech.*, 594, 493-506.

Shaw, T. A., and T. G. Shepherd, 2007: Angular momentum conservation and gravity wave drag parameterization: Implications for climate models. *J. Atmos. Sci.*, 64, 190-203.

Shaw, T. A., J.-L. Thiffeault, and C. R. Doering, 2007: Stirring up trouble: Multi-scale mixing measures for steady sources. *Physica D*, 231, 143-164.

Shepherd, T. G., and **T. A. Shaw**, 2004: The angular momentum constraint on climate sensitivity and downward influence in the middle atmosphere. *J. Atmos. Sci.*, 61, 2899-2907.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

Reviewer for Climate Dynamics, Geophysical Research Letters, Journal of the Atmospheric Sciences, Journal of Climate, Journal of Fluid Mechanics, Journal of Geophysical Research, Journal of Physical Oceanography, National Science Foundation, Nature, Nature Geoscience and Quarterly Journal of the Royal Meteorological Society

Associate Editor
Journal of the Atmospheric Sciences 2016 - present

Faculty member, Geophysical Fluid Dynamics Program, 2014 -present

Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution

Committee member, American Meteorological Society's Atmospheric and Oceanic Fluid Dynamics Committee 2011 - present
Chair of the organizing committee for the 19th conference

Committee member, World Meteorological Organization's Stratospheric Processes And their Role in Climate Dynamic Variability Committee 2010 - present

External Advisory Panel member for the Center for Multiscale Modeling of Atmospheric Processes (CMMAP) A National Science Foundation Science and Technology Center 2012 - 2015