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Ph.D in Physics, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, USA: January 1969.

Positions Held:

January 1998 to Date:

Professor of Physics and of Applied Physics, Columbia University, New York, NY

January 1978 to February 2008

Bell Laboratories, Holmdel, NJ; and Murray Hill, NJ

September 1976 – December 1977:

IBM Research, Yorktown Heights, NY

December 1975 - August 1976:

Max Planck Institut fur Feskorperforschung, Stuttgart, Germany.

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Department of Physics, Faculty of Science, University of Buenos Aires, Argentina.

March 1971 - April 1976:

Member of Staff, National Research Council, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

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National Atomic Energy Commission, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Honors and Awards

Distinguished Member of Staff Award AT&T Bell Labs (December 1985).

Fellow of the American Physical Society (December 1987).

1994 Oliver E. Buckley Prize for Condensed Matter Physics, awarded by the American Physical Society.

Doctorate Degree, "Honoris-Causa", Universidad Autonoma, Madrid, Spain, (June 1997).

Fellow of American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS).

Avanessians Diversity Award, Columbia University (May 2008).

Elected to the American Academy of Arts and Sciences (April 2009).

SEAS Faculty Excellence Award, Columbia University (Fall 2015).

Recent Professional Activity

Editor in Chief of the Journal of Solid State Communications (2005- to date)

Member of review panel of the Division of Materials Research of the U.S.

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Member of review panel of the Division of Materials Sciences & Engineering, Basic Energy Sciences, U.S. Department of Energy.

Member of review panels of Ministerio de Ciencia, Tecnología e Innovación Productiva.

Member of the organizing, program and advisory committees of national and international conferences.

Selected Recent Publications (from last fifteen years)

1. “Evidence of Landau levels and interactions in low-lying excitations of composite fermions at $1/3 \leq \nu \leq 2/5$,” I. Dujovne, A. Pinczuk, M. Kang, B.S. Dennis, L.N. Pfeiffer, K.W. West, Phys. Rev. Lett., 90, 036803 (2003).
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5. “Splitting of long wavelength mode of the fractional quantum Hall liquid at $\nu=1/3$ ”, C.F. Hirjibehedin, I. Dujovne, A. Pinczuk, B.S. Dennis, L.N. Pfeiffer, and K.W. West, Phys. Rev. Lett., 95, 066803 (2005).
6. “Fundamental optical recombination in pentacene cluster and ultra-thin films”, Rui He, Nancy G. Tassi, Graciela B. Blanchet and Aron Pinczuk, Appl. Phys. Lett., **87**, 103107 (2005).
7. “Composite Fermion Spin Excitations at $\nu \rightarrow 1/2$: Interactions in the Fermi Sea”, Irene Dujovne, A. Pinczuk, Moonsoo Kang, B. S. Dennis, L. N. Pfeiffer, and K.W. West, Phys. Rev. Lett. 95, 056808 (2005).
8. “Evidence of Correlation in Spin Excitations of Few-electron Quantum Dots”, C. Pascual García, V. Pellegrini, A. Pinczuk, M. Rontani, G. Goldoni, E. Molinari, B. S. Dennis, L. N. Pfeiffer and K. W. West, Phys. Rev. Lett. 95, 266806 (2005).
9. “Observation of Tunneling Excitations in Coupled Quantum Dots”, C. Pascual García, S. Kaliakos, V. Pellegrini, A. Pinczuk, B. S. Dennis, L. N. Pfeiffer and K. W. West, Appl. Phys. Lett. 88, 113105 (2006).
10. “Transition from free to interacting composite fermions away from $\nu=1/3$ ”, Y. Gallais T.H. Kirschenmann, I. Dujovne, C.F. Hirjibehedin, A.Pinczuk, B.S. Dennis, L.N. Pfeiffer, K.W. West, Phys. Rev. Lett. 97, 036804, (2006).
11. “Resonant Rayleigh scattering from bilayer quantum Hall phases”, S. Luin, V. Pellegrini, A. Pinczuk, B.S. Dennis, L.N. Pfeiffer, K.W. West, Phys. Rev. Lett. 97, 216802, (2006).
12. “Absorption in the fractional quantum Hall regime: Trion dichroism and spin polarization”, J.G. Groshaus, P. Plochocka-Polack, M. Rappaport, V. Umansky, A. Pinczuk and I. Bar Joseph, Phys. Rev. Lett., 98, 156803, (2007).
13. “Electric field effect tuning of electron-phonon coupling in graphene”, Jun Yan, Yuanbo Zhang, Philip Kim, Aron Pinczuk, Phys. Rev. Lett., 98, 166802, (2007).
14. “Spin texture and magnetoroton excitations at $\nu=1/3$ ”, J. Groshaus, I. Dujovne, Y. Gallais, C.F. Hirjibehedin, A.Pinczuk, Y.W. Tan, H.L. Stormer, B.S. Dennis, L.N. Pfeiffer, K.W. West, Phys. Rev. Lett. 100, 046804, (2008).

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16. “Soft spin wave near $\nu=1$: Evidence for a magnetic instability in skyrmion systems”, Y. Gallais, J. Yan, A.Pinczuk, B.S. Dennis, L.N. Pfeiffer, K.W. West, Phys. Rev. Lett. 100, 086806, (2008).
17. ” A molecular state of correlated electrons in a quantum dot”, S. Kalliakos, M. Rontani, V. Pellegrini, C.P. Garcia, A. Pinczuk, G. Goldoni, E. Molinari, L.N. Pfeiffer, K.W. West, Nature Physics, 4, 467 (2008).
18. “Observation of anomalous phonon softening in bilayer graphene”, J. Yan, E.A. Henriksen, P. Kim, A. Pinczuk, Phys. Rev. Lett. 101, 136804 (2008).
19. “First-order quantum phase transition of excitons in quantum Hall bilayers”, B. Karmakar, V. Pellegrini, A. Pinczuk, L.N. Pfeiffer, K.W. West, Phys. Rev. Lett. 102, 036802 (2009).
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24. “Optical Phonon Mixing in Bilayer Graphene with a Broken Inversion Symmetry”, J. Yan, T. Villarsen, E.A. Henriksen, P. Kim, and A. Pinczuk, Phys. Rev. B (RC) 80, 241417 (2009).
25. “Correlated Electrons in Optically Tunable Quantum Dots: Building an Electron Dimer Molecule”, A. Singha, V. Pellegrini, A. Pinczuk, L.N. Pfeiffer, K.W. West, M. Rontani, Phys. Rev. Lett. 104, 246802 (2010).
26. “Intense photoluminescence from pentacene monolayers”, R. He, N. G. Tassi, G. B. Blanchet, A. Pinczuk, Appl. Phys. Lett. 96, 263303 (2010).
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34. “Large Physisorption Strain in CVD Graphene on Copper Substrates”, Rui He, Liuyan Zhao, Nicholas Petrone, Keun Soo Kim, Michael Roth, James Hone, Philip Kim, Abhay Pasupathy, and Aron Pinczuk, *Nano Letters*, 12, 2408 (2012).

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38. Fractionally charged skyrmions in fractional quantum Hall effect”, A. C. Balram, U. Wurstbauer, A. Wojs, A. Pinczuk, J. K. Jain, *Nature Communications*, 6, 8981(2015).

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