

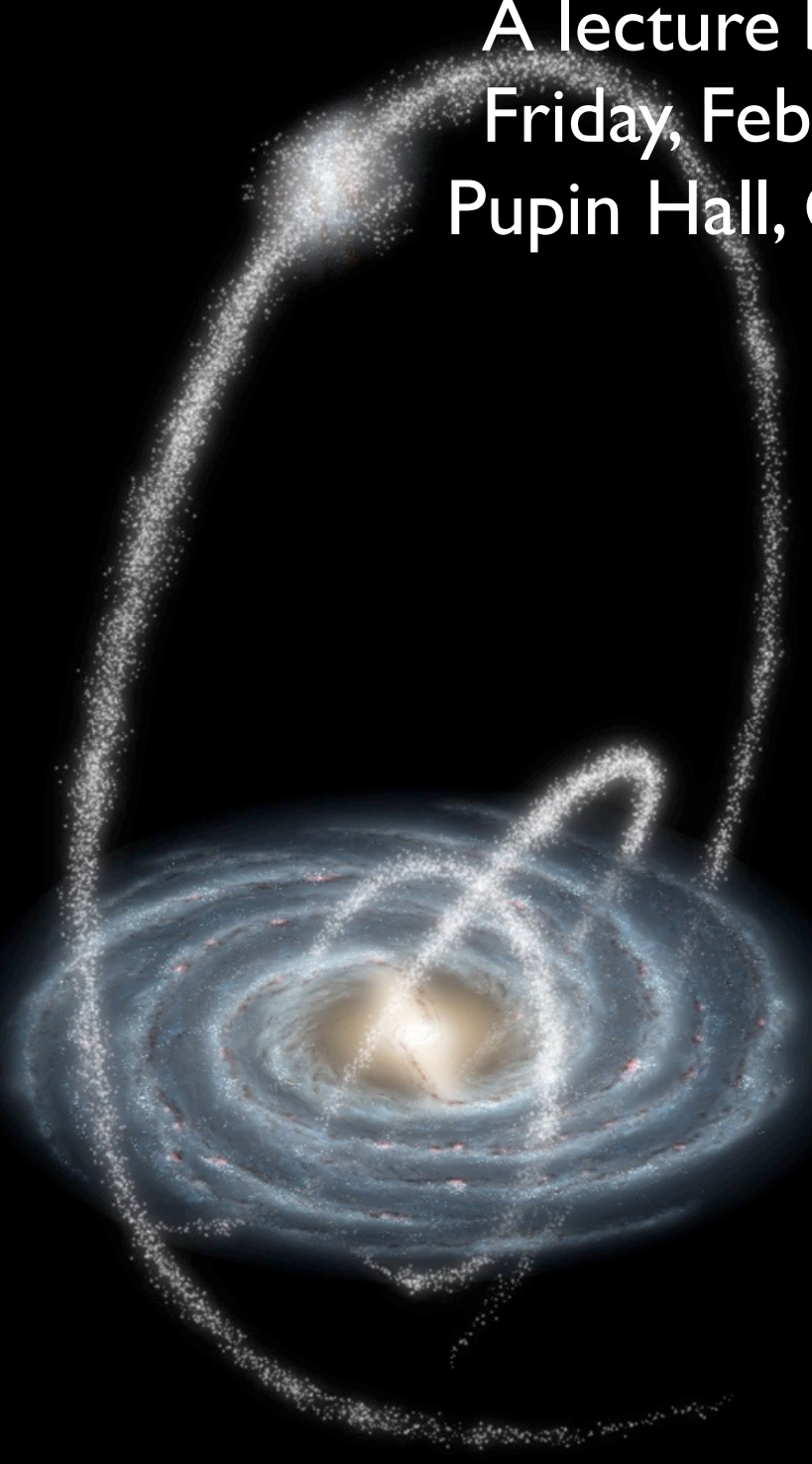
COLUMBIA ASTRONOMY OUTREACH PRESENTS:



PUBLIC LECTURE & STARGAZING

Galactic Sleuthing: Unraveling the Milky Way's Past

A lecture by Allyson Sheffield
Friday, February 11th, 7:00PM
Pupin Hall, Columbia University



How did the Milky Way form?
Clues to the formation history
of the Milky Way are recorded
in the current motions and
chemical abundances of its
stars. I will discuss the methods
and results of a survey designed
to use giant stars in the Milky
Way to investigate and
understand how our home
galaxy originated.

These are free lectures at a public level followed by guided stargazing with telescopes (weather permitting). All events are held at Pupin Hall at Columbia University. No reservations are needed. Lectures are 30 minutes, stargazing lasts 90 minutes.

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