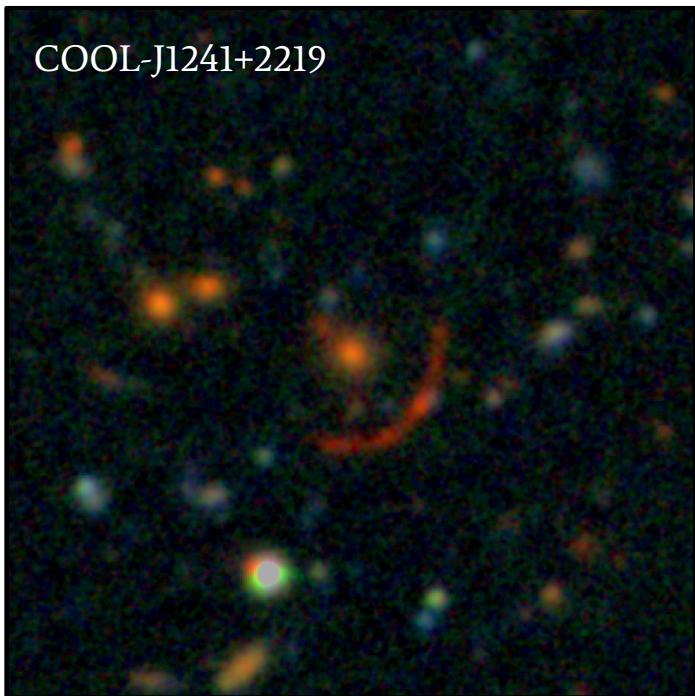


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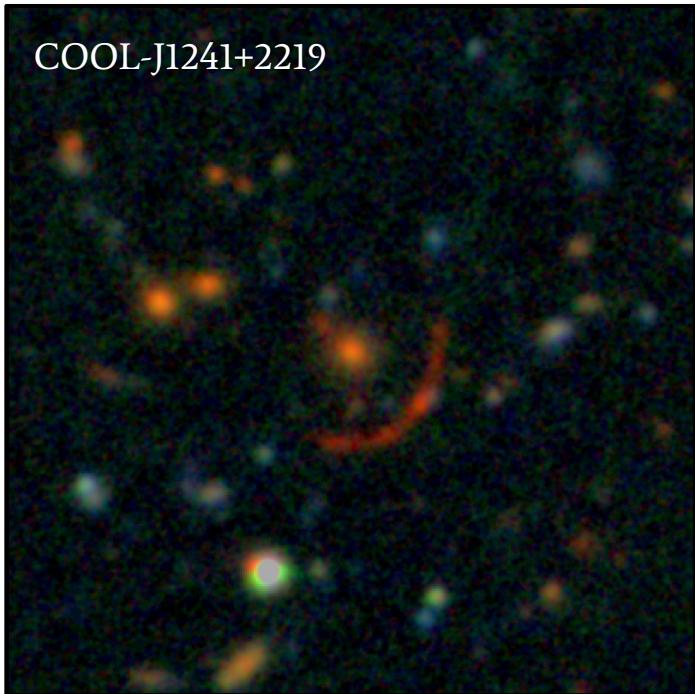
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 - b. Stellar populations in High- z galaxies w/ photometry
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Effort to find strong gravitational lenses in recent public imaging data - DECaLS (DR8) and Pan-STARRS (DR2)

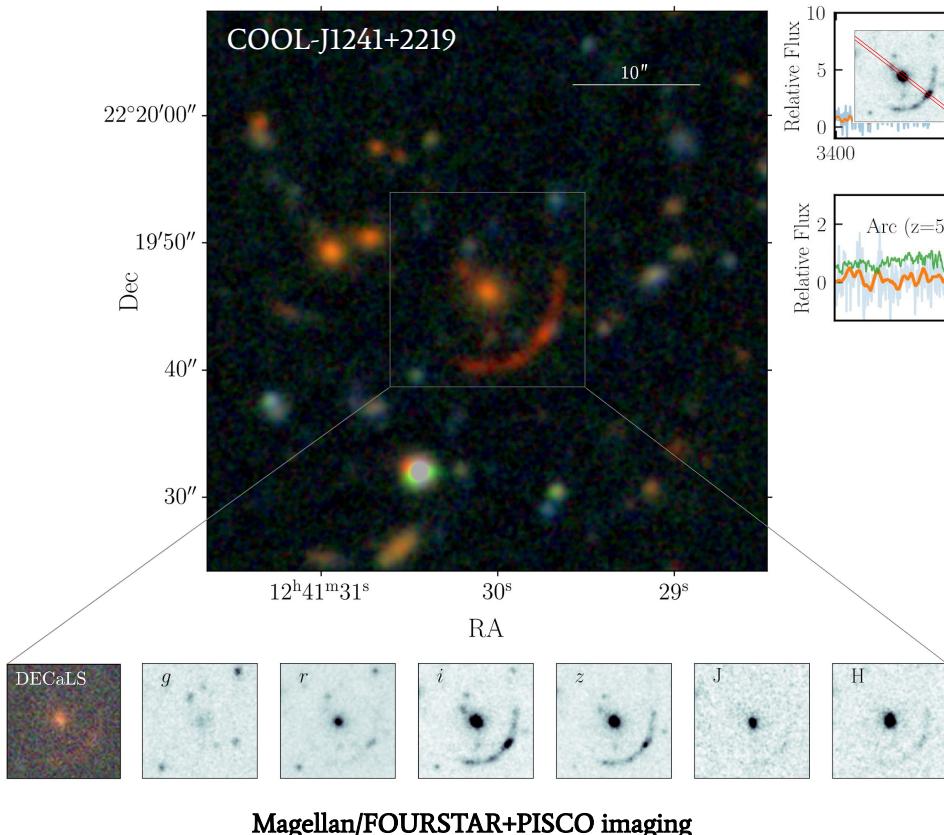
Objects that are photometrically at the margins of the distributions of source color and brightness, with visual examinations of 275k lines-of-sight

Initiated as the central focus of undergraduate research class at The University of Chicago
(December 2019-present)

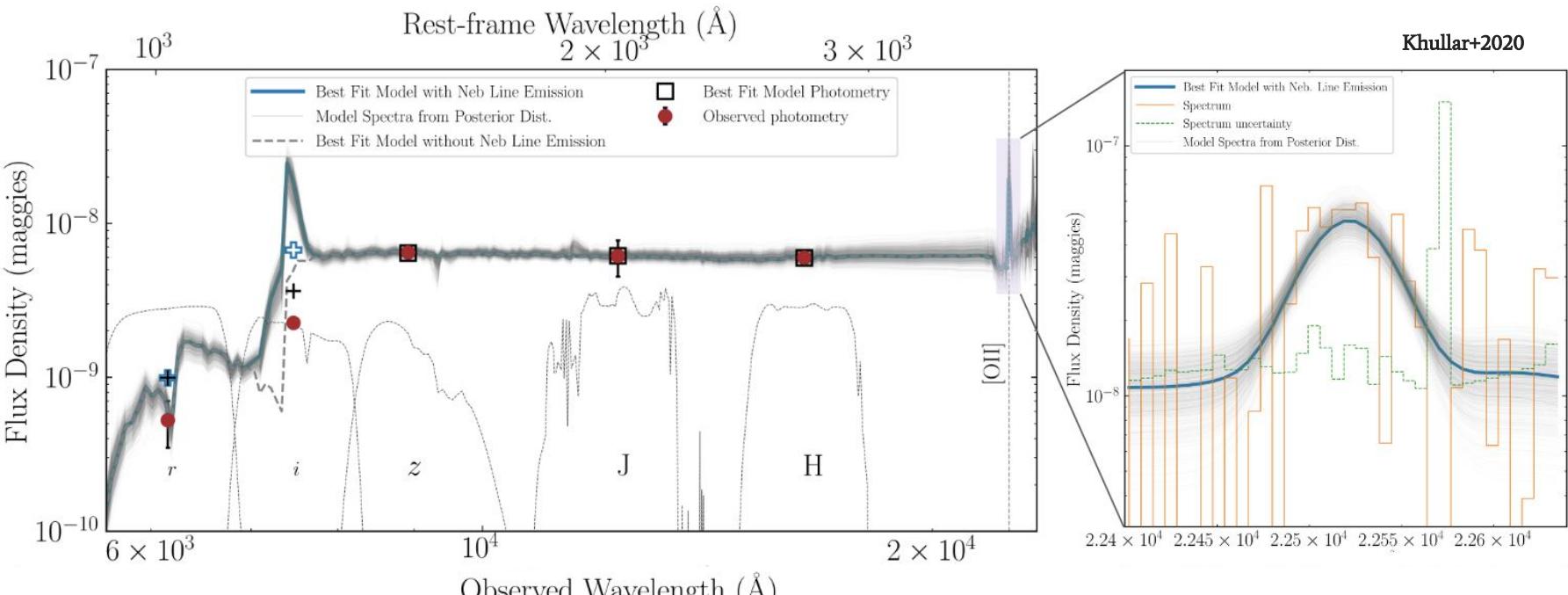
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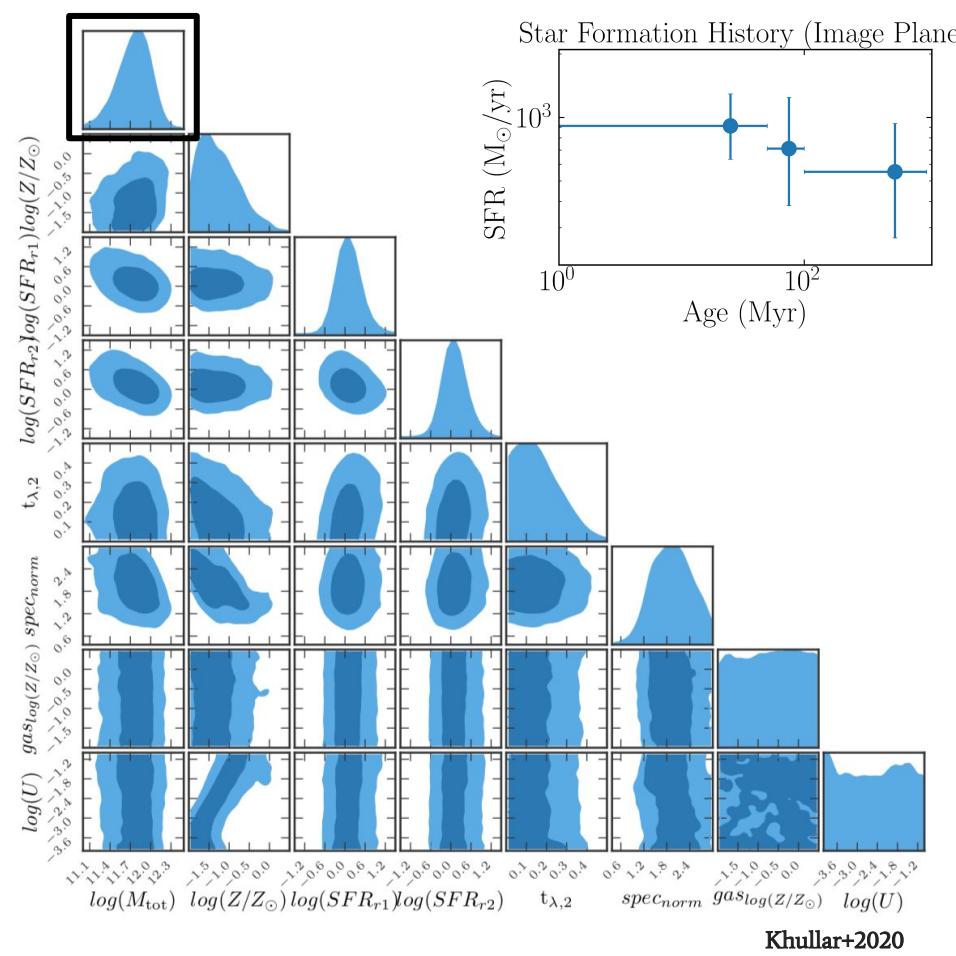
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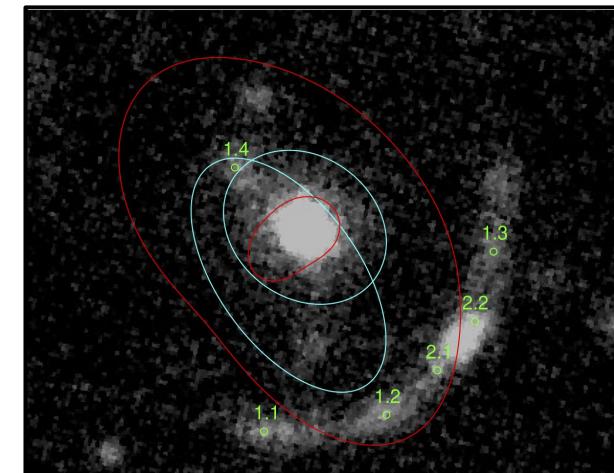
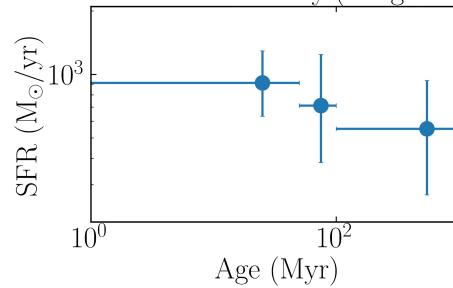


A z=5 galaxy with a flat UV SED (blue spectrum), little dust attenuation, and weak [OII] 3727A emission





Star Formation History (Image Plane)



Source plane properties (from a PISCO i imaging based lens model):

$$\log M_* \text{ (in } M_{\odot}) = 10.1 \pm 0.2 \\ \text{SFR (0-50 Myr, in } M_{\odot} \text{ yr}^{-1}) = 27_{-9}^{+13}$$

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Roman Space Telescope and Distant Galaxies

The Roman Space Telescope (RST) → wide area NIR coverage, HST-like spatial resolution

Will be a unique resource for the *discovery and characterization* of strongly-lensed galaxies in the early universe.

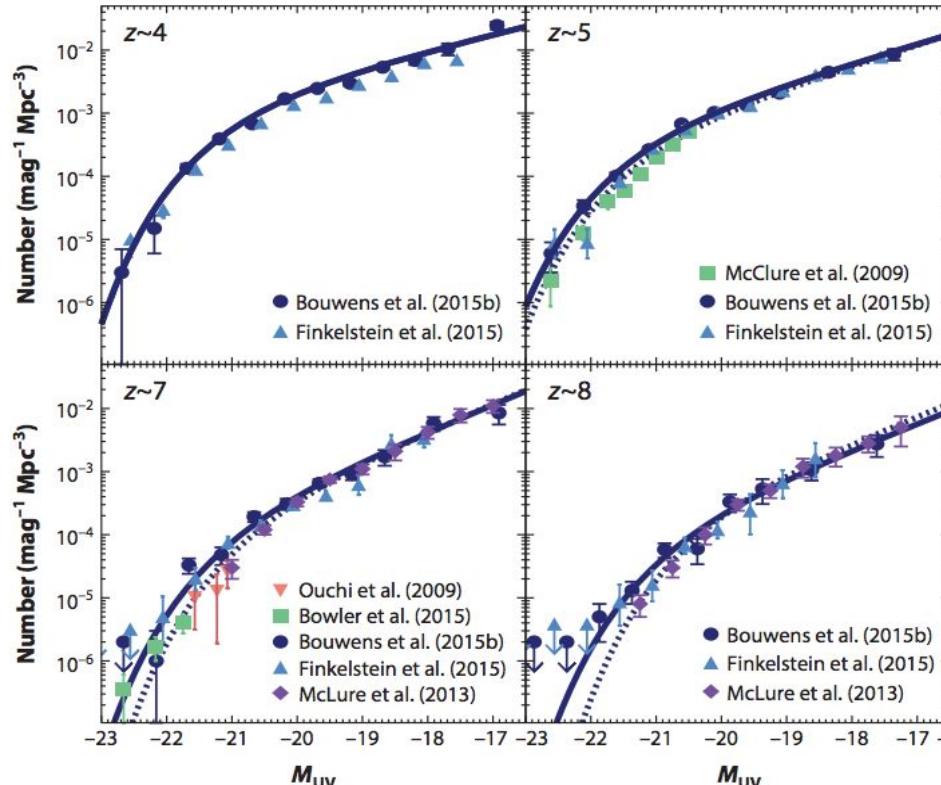
It will fill the broad gap in discovery space between:

1. Brightest systems found in all-sky shallower data, and
2. Faintest lensed systems found already in the Frontier Fields and expected from JWST.

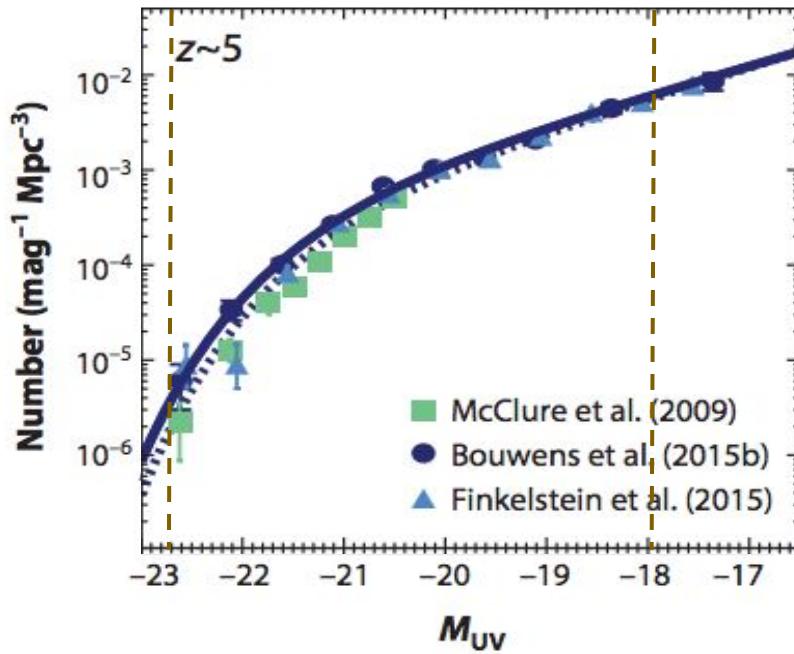
Enormous benefits of RST's features, **combined with the resolving power of strong gravitational lensing**:

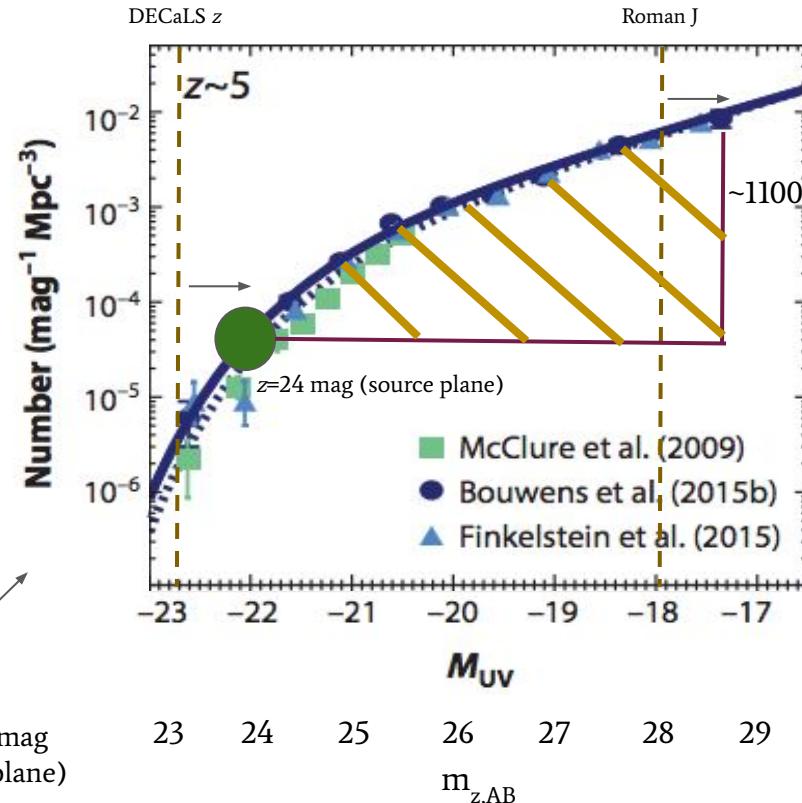
- Capturing and analysing rest-frame UV and optical signatures from stellar populations in high-redshift galaxies systematically.
- Observing the interiors of distant galaxies → < 1 kpc scale clumps

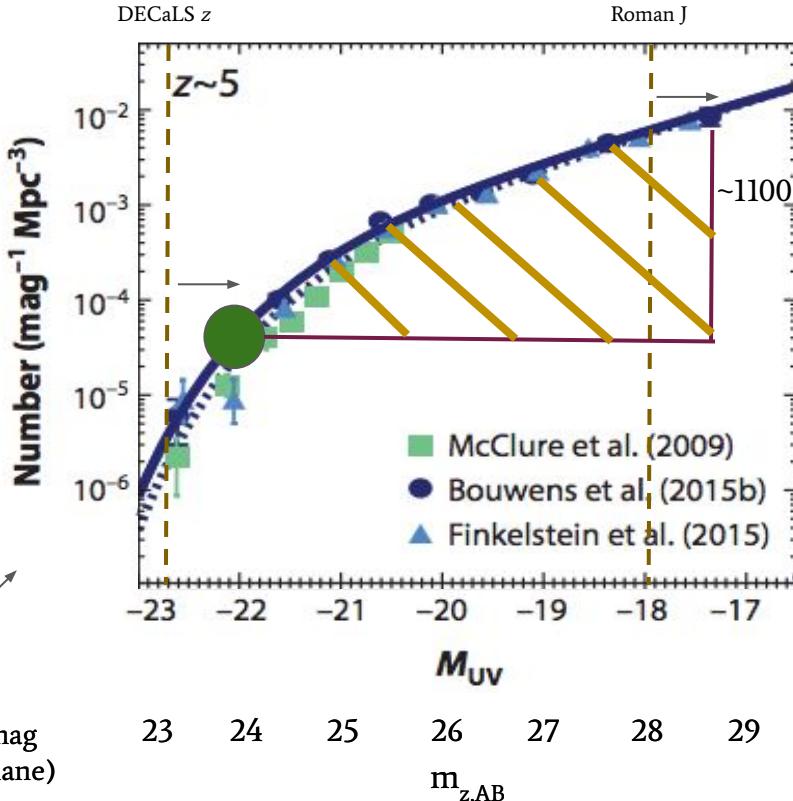
How many lensed galaxies will the RST find at $z>5$?



Galaxies in the First Billion Years After the Big Bang;
Stark 2016







DECALS DR8 Surveyed by COOLLAMPS → 4000 deg²
Roman High Latitude Survey → 2000 deg²

Expected number of objects ~ $(0.5 \times 500 \times 4.5) \times 2000/4000$

at least ~ 500 galaxies @ $z \sim 5-6$!

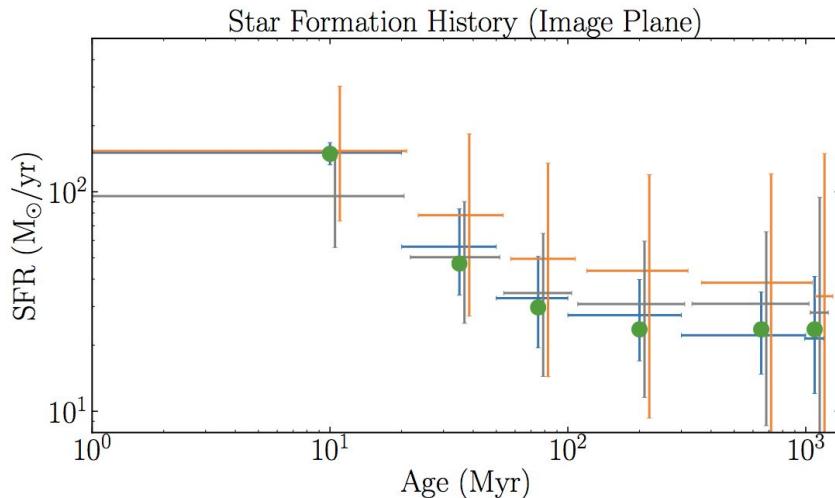
A sample of distant strongly lensed galaxies with

1. YJH+F184W imaging
2. 1-2μm spectra

How well can we characterize the physical properties of such galaxies?

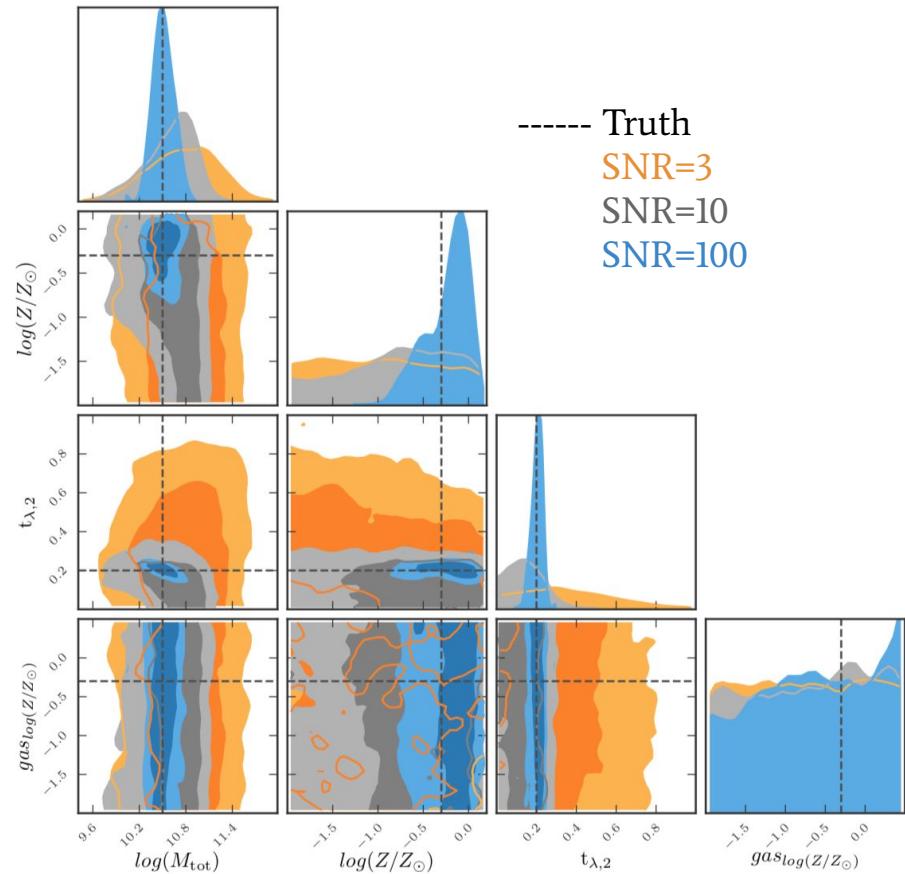
Galaxy with SED similar to COOLJ1241-2219

- Sampled gals → SNR=3 (a faint galaxy), 10, 100 (a bright galaxy)
- Imaging:
 - *riz* (Rubin Observatory)
 - YJH+F184W (Roman Space Telescope)



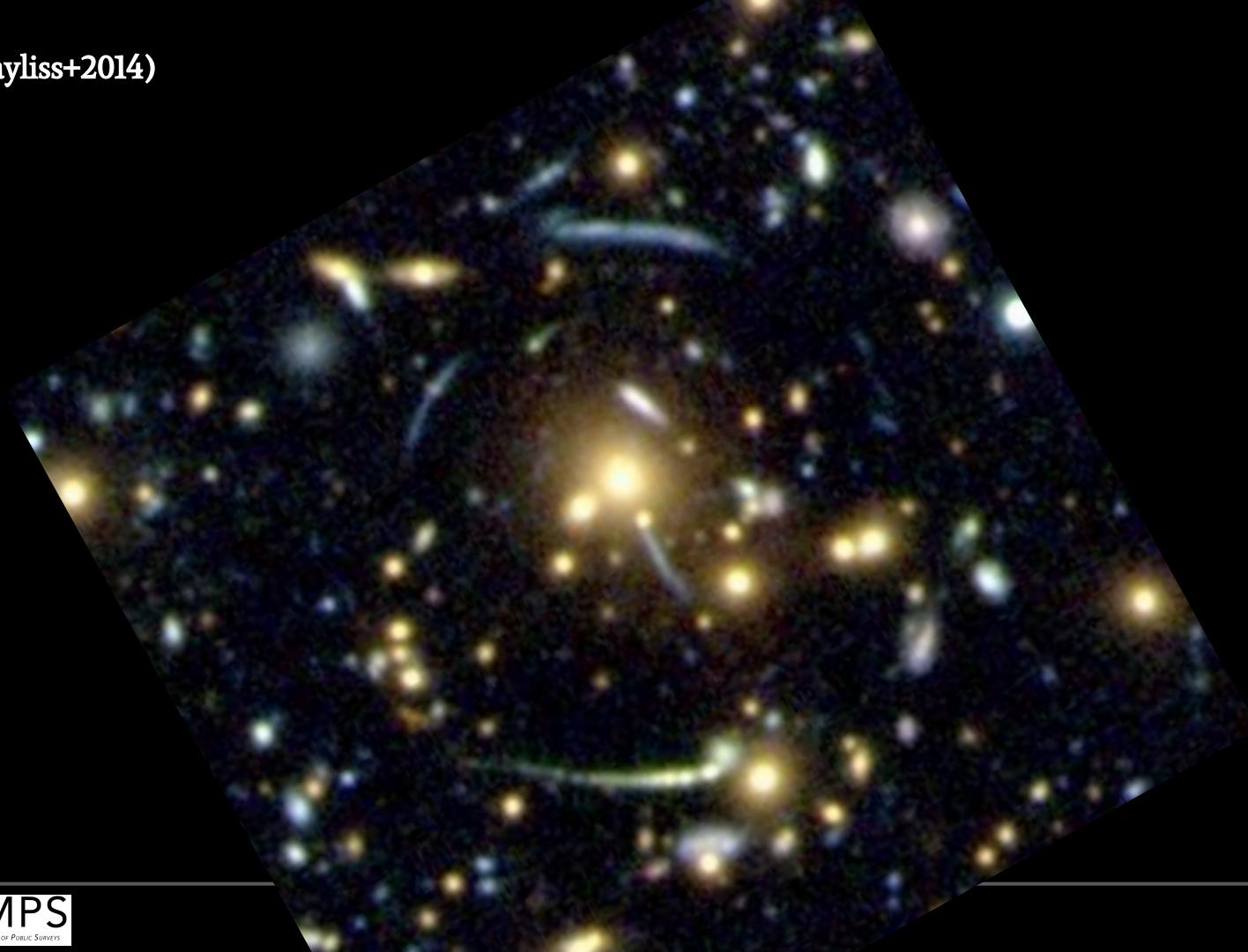
Truth values

SED analysis: SNR=3, SNR=10, SNR=100

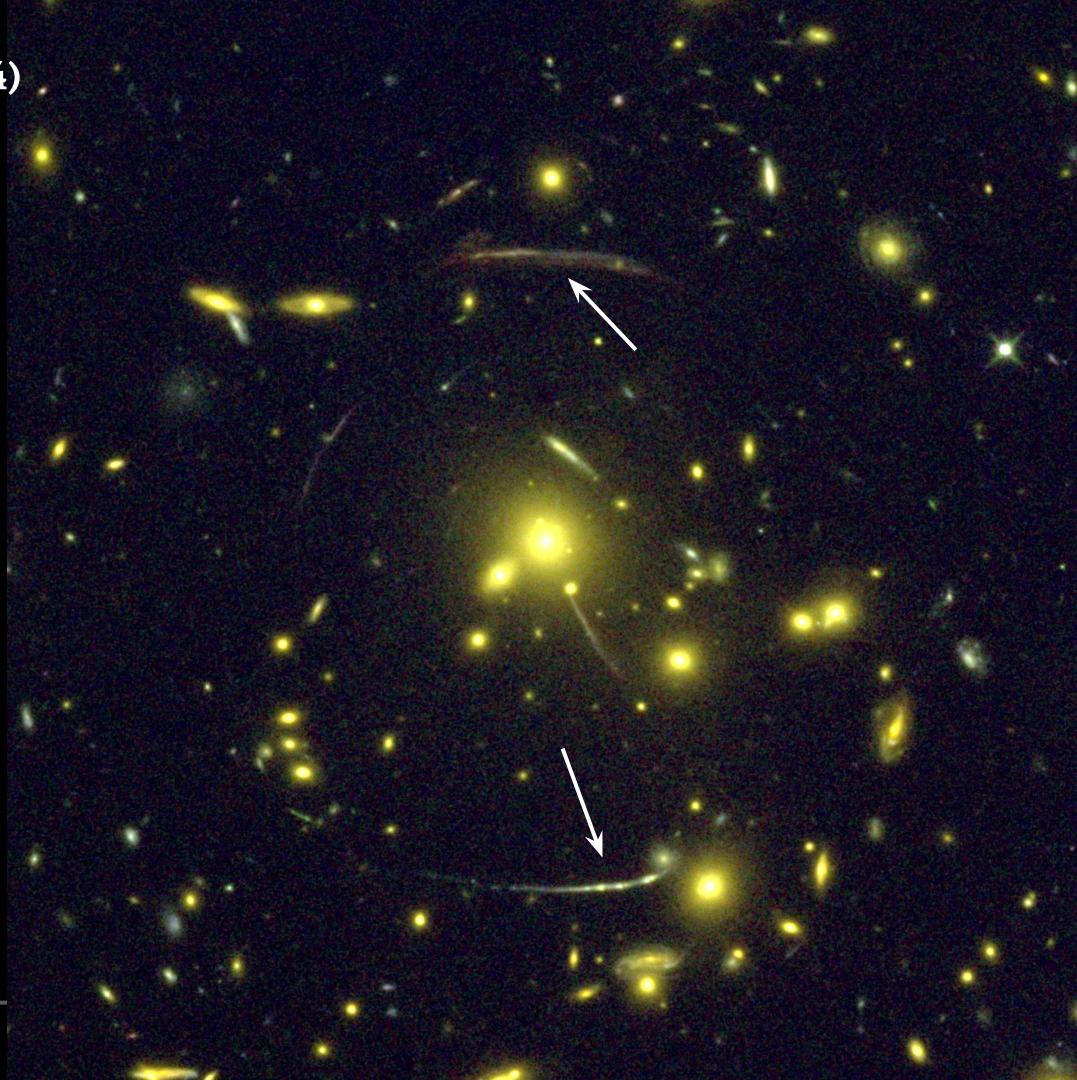


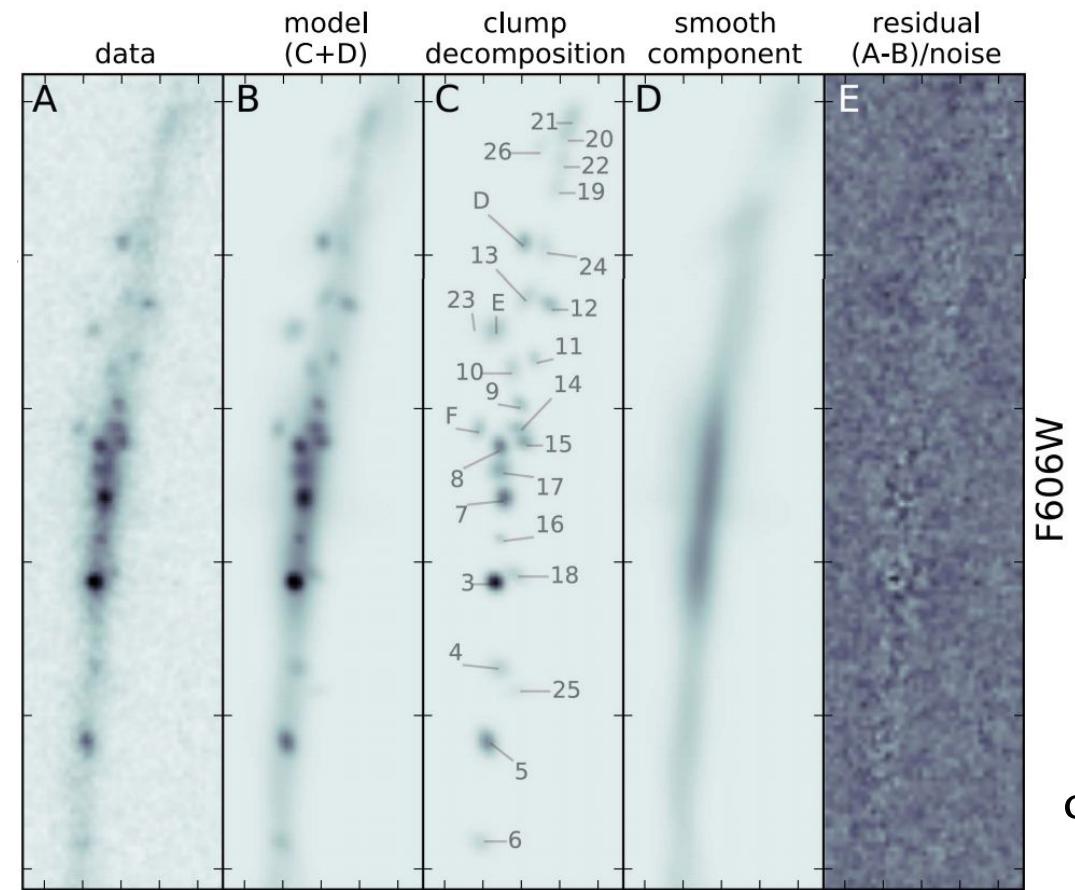
HST- like spatial resolution of the Roman Space Telescope

SGAS1050 (Bayliss+2014)
Subaru/*gri*



SGAS1050 (Bayliss+2014)
NASA/HST - WFC3/IR





Roman Space Telescope's spatial resolution
will allow study of the internal structure of
galaxies

GALFIT clump decomposition in HST/F606W imaging of the
arc in SGAS J1110+6459
(Johnson+2017)

Summary

A large sample of $z = 5\text{-}6$ distant strongly lensed galaxies with YJH+F184W imaging and $1\text{--}2\mu\text{m}$ spectra

RST's Near IR coverage + HST-like spatial resolution + strong gravitational lensing gives us:

- Rest-frame UV and optical signatures from stellar pops in high- z galaxies
 - Interiors of distant galaxies → $< 1 \text{ kpc}$ scale clumps

Please find me on Slack if you'd like to chat about

1. COOL-LAMPS and its wide variety of projects!
2. My work on constraining SFHs of member galaxies in South Pole Telescope galaxy clusters with optical/IR spectrophotometry across cosmic time ($0.3 < z < 1.5$)
3. Exciting new developments in synthesizing stellar populations in galaxies

Thank you! Questions?