



AGNES SCOTT COLLEGE
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Thank you for your interest in visiting the Bradley Observatory at Agnes Scott College!

The Bradley Observatory (84 17 38.98 W, 33 45 54.84 N) is an astronomical teaching and research facility located on the campus of Agnes Scott College in Decatur, Georgia. The Observatory, named in honor of William C. and Sarah Hall Bradley, contains the 70-seat Delafield Planetarium and a 100-seat capacity lecture hall.

The building also contains a library/seminar room, three faculty offices, a darkroom, a student computer lab, and an observing plaza for astronomical viewing. The large dome atop the Observatory houses the 30-inch Lewis H. Beck telescope.

To schedule a visit to the observatory, please email observatory@agnesscott.edu.

2011-2012 Fee Schedule

Fees for observatory visits help to support maintenance of the telescopes and the Open House series.

School groups (<i>September through May only. One chaperone per every 10-12 students</i>)	\$1 per student
Private groups (Scouts, community groups, etc.)	\$1 per person
Open house admission	Free

A check payable to Agnes Scott College can be mailed to:

Agnes Scott College
ATTN: Rachel Garner
141 E. College Ave.
Decatur, GA 30030

Parking

Handicapped-accessible parking is available adjacent to the observatory. Other visitors are requested to use campus parking lots accessible via E. Dougherty St. and South McDonough St.

There is on-street parking along E. Dougherty, or in the parking lot to your right past the Mary Brown Bullock Science Center.

Additional parking is available off of S. McDonough St.: follow Dougherty to the four-way stop, either turn left and take your first left into the parking lot, or turn right and park in the large parking deck on the left.

The sidewalk to Bradley Observatory is found between the Woodruff Physical Activities Building and Gellerstedt Field, to the left (south) side of E. Dougherty.

Please see the [map for parking options](#).

Please see the next page for information on our open house series or click [here](#).



2011-2012 Open House Lecture Series *Return of the Alumnae*

Graduates of the Department of Physics & Astronomy have gone on to a wide range of graduate studies and careers. This year, our speakers are all returning alumnae who will tell us about their journeys since they have left Agnes Scott College, and the work or research that they are now doing.

September 23

William A. Calder Equinox Concert
C. De Pree

October 21

Allison Mercer (ASC '03)
*Sensing Everything:
How Wireless Sensor Networks are Shaping the Future of the Internet*
Research Scientist
Georgia Tech Research Institute

November 11

Ashley Zauderer (ASC '02)
*Exploring the Most Energetic Phenomena in the Universe:
Radio Observations of Supernova and Gamma Ray Bursts*
Postdoctoral Fellow
Harvard Center for Astrophysics

December 9

Sarah Dhalla (ASC '08)
Active Galactic Nuclei: Monsters of the Universe
Astrophysics PhD Candidate
Florida International University

February 10

Jewels Deblasio (ASC '05)
*Considering Human Factors in the Design of
Multimodal Displays for NASA*
Georgia Tech

March 23

William A. Calder Equinox Concert

April 13

Sarah Scoles (ASC '05)
Science Writing and Writing Science
Writer, NRAO-Green Bank

May 11

Charlee Bennett (ASC '03)
*En Route to Smart Materials:
Barium and Bismuth Ferrite Epitaxial Films*
Nova Research Inc.