#### STUDIES SCUBA-2 Ultra Deep Imaging EAO Survey Wei-Hao Wang (王 為豪, ASIAA) and STUDIES Team



# Outline

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- Progress
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## STUDIES in a nutshell

One of the seven EAO JCMT Large Programs.

A confusion limited SCUBA-2 450 µm map,
 deepest ever far-IR sensitivity limit.

# Survey Description

- Pointing center: 10:00:30.7, +02:26:40.0
  (center of COSMOS, norther edge of the CANDELS region)
- 330 hr of observations under the best submillimeter weather of Maunakea.
- single Daisy pointing (D = 3' ultradeep core,
  D = 10' deep outer region)
- Execution period: 2015–2019



# Scientific Background



- The optical and IR backgrounds have comparable strengths.
- Half of the activities (star formation + black hole accretion) in the universe are hidden in dust.

#### **STUDIES: The First Confusion Limited 450 μm Survey**



- STUDIES will detect the most typical members in the dusty galaxy population, key star formers in the history of the universe.
- STUDIES will significantly overlap, for the first time, with the SFR range probed by optical surveys.

### Current Status

- >100 team members signed up.
- A wiki page is used for internal communication, document/data distribution.
- 129 hr (out of 330 hr) of data obtained, 39% complete.
- no progress since May 2016.
- data fully reduced, analyses and science studies underway.

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### Current Status



#### Power of SCUBA-2



#### Herschel 500 µm

#### STUDIES 450 µm

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## Followup of High-z Candidates



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awarded SMA and NOEMA time for high-res imaging

#### One more thing.....

# Summary

- The 1-yr STUDIES data have excellent quality.
- Project ~40% complete so far.
- Statistical analyses of the counts and luminosity functions are underway. Number count paper to be submitted in April.
- Multi-band analyses conducted by various team. High-z candidates are selected and followed up by interferometers.
- Another paper is drafted, and perhaps will be submitted before the number count paper.