

UEC AUM Meeting

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Poster

- Getting good reviews
- Web link not active
 - we need a placeholder to welcome guests even if we are not ready to register them

The 2017 RHIC/AGS Annual Users' Meeting

From Protons to
Heavy Ions, and
Back Again

June 20–23, 2017
Brookhaven National
Laboratory

Topical workshops June 20
Plenary sessions June 21–23

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A CENTURY OF SERVICE



Rough Breakdown of Agenda

- Tuesday – Workshops
 - 3 rooms going simultaneously – talks (25+5)
- Wednesday – Plenary program
 - 10 talks (25+5)
 - Banquet ... perhaps in Lobby of B400
- Thursday – Agencies, History & Overview talks
 - Including Poster session & Thesis Flash talks
 - Reception & cocktail hour
- Friday – The future
 - 5 talks (25+5)
 - Business meeting
 - Catered Lunch (don't get your hopes up, it'll be a big sub sandwich :-)

Workshops

(room assignments tentative, but reservations confirmed)

- Beam Energy Scan in large systems – cumulants
 - Hamilton Seminar Room (Chemistry, Max Capacity 120) - morning
- Beam Energy Scan in small systems – substructure
 - Hamilton Seminar Room (Chemistry, Max Capacity 120) - afternoon
- Heavy Flavor – Open Charm and Quarkonia
 - Building 490 (Medical, Max Capacity 75) - morning
- Jets
 - Building 490 (Medical, Max Capacity 75) - afternoon
- Spin & Proton Structure
 - John Dunn Seminar Room B463 (Biology, Max Capacity 100) - morning
- Isobar Program – CME, Isospin and beyond (the 2018 run plan)
 - Berkner Room B (Cafeteria, Max Capacity 75) - afternoon
- Talks (25+5) allows for 5 talks in the morning, 5 in the afternoon, w/coffee and lunch break
- Yes, we will have real coffee at both breaks and thus informal discussions are encouraged

Workshop Organizer Selection

- UEC member encouraged to volunteer to organize workshops
 - UEC participation would be wonderful, in addition to outside names
- We have several nominations for people to help organize the workshops – ideal composition (Exp, theory, UEC)
 - Would like to (roughly) rank order preferences, today
 - Get on with invitations to join sub-committees to see who will accept
- Workshop sub-committees primary goal is to choose speakers
 - Good to have Exp & Theory, all major collaborations reporting, Young and Old, Gender balance
 - “Users Meeting” so try to touch everyone in the RHIC and AGS Community for both organizers and speakers. No reason not to invite LHC folks, but its primarily a RHIC and AGS Users meeting.
 - Try to use Speakers Bureau’s within collaborations, when possible

Spin & Proton Structure

- Nominations

- Berndt Surrow (Temple)
- Christine Aidala (U Mich)
- Michael Skoby (U Mich)
- Xuan Li (LANL)
- Jin Huang (BNL)
- Jinlong Zhang (LBNL)
- Matt Sievert (BNL)
- Anselm Vossen (Indiana)
- Brian Page (BNL)
- Ralf Seidl (Riken)
- Alex Bazilevsky (BNL)
- Oleg Eyser (BNL)
- Renee Fatemi (Kentucky)

Isobar Program

CME, Isospin and beyond (the 2018 run plan)

- Nominations

- Jinfeng Liao (IU)
- Xuguang Huang (Fudan Univ.)
- Gang Wang (UCLA)
- Jie Zhao (Purdue)
- Robert Pak (BNL)
- Aihong Tang (BNL)
- Sergei Voloshin (Wayne State)

Beam Energy Scan

in Large Systems

- Nominations
 - Xiaofeng Luo (UCLA)
 - Nihar Sahoo (Texas A&M)
 - Grazyna Odyniec (LBNL)
 - Gabor David (BNL)
 - Takao Sakaguchi (BNL)
 - Swagato Mukherjee (BNL)

Beam Energy Scan

in small systems

- Nominations
 - Ron Belmont (UC Boulder)
 - Niseem Abdelwahab (SUNY SB)
 - Shengli Huang (Vanderbilt/BNL)
 - Helen Caines (Yale)
 - Qiao Xu (Vanderbilt/BNL)

Heavy Flavor

Open Charm and Quarkonia

- Nominations
 - Zhenyu Ye (UIC)
 - Lijuan Ruan (BNL)
 - Gaku Mitsuka (Riken BNL)
 - Rachid Nouicer (BNL)
 - Jaro Bielcik (Czech Technical Univ.)
 - Shanshan Cao (Wayne State)
 - Rongrong Ma (BNL)

Jets

- Nominations
 - Kolja Kauder (Wayne State)
 - Nathan Grau (Augustina University)
 - Justin Frantz (Ohio University)
 - Rongrong Ma (BNL)
 - Megan Connors (GSU)
 - Li Yi (Yale)

Rough Breakdown of Agenda II

- Wednesday – Plenary program – 10 talks (25+5)
 - Peter, please organize theory talks on this day. 3 to 4 talk program.
- Thursday – Agencies, Poster Session, Overviews
 - Agencies & Berndt/Doon Welcome – ~ 1.5 hour (Possibly a “real” politician, too)
 - Experimental Overviews - ~ 1 hour ... also have to include SREL, etc.
 - Machine Status, Run Report, political future - ~ 1 hour
 - Poster session - ~ ½ hour beyond normal coffee break (Thesis Flash talks, too)
 - Three Invited talks on the History at BNL - ~ 1.5 hour
 - Instrumentation, Accelerators (and/or science results), From Basic Science to Applications
 - Nominations: Velco Radika, Nick Samios, Thomas Roser, Tom Ludlam, Peter Bond
 - Reception & cocktail hour
 - Leaving ½ hour ... would be fun to have squeeze in one pre-eminent theory talk
- Friday – The future
 - STAR and sPHENIX upgrades - ~ 1 hour
 - EIC physics & machine - ~ 1 hour
 - Business meeting & BNL infrastructure update (aka Lanny Bates) ~ 1 hour
 - (DNP pep talk & poster flash, too)
 - Leaving ~ ½ hour for new topics (25+5). Catered Lunch.

Thesis Awards

- Justin Chairing the Thesis Award Committee
- Advertising has begun
- Results are needed in time for AUM, Thursday
- A committee will be formed soon
 - Segue to Justin 😊