First circular for PSTP2017, Mar 30, 2017

This is the first announcement for the 2017 International Workshop on Polarized Sources, Targets & Polarimetry (<u>PSTP2017</u>), which will take place at **KAIST, Daejeon, South Korea, from Monday**, **Oct. 16th to Friday, Oct. 20th 2017**, organized by 'the Center for Axion and Precision Physics Research (CAPP)' at the Institute for Basic Science (IBS). This workshop continues a series whose last few meetings were at Bochum, Germany (2015), Charlottesville, USA (2013), and St. Petersburg, Russia (2011). PSTP2017 is sponsored by IBS.

Program

This workshop is aiming to discuss and exchange information on the following topics:

- 1. Polarized Solid Target
- 2. Polarized Gas Target
- 3. Polarized Electron Sources
- 4. Polarized Ion Sources
- 5. Proton Polarimetry
- 6. Electron Polarimetry
- 7. Application of Spin
- 8. New Initiatives

All invited papers will be presented in plenary sessions together with a selection of submitted papers. Parallel sessions will be organized if the number of submissions exceeds the number of slots available in the Plenary schedule. The proceedings will be electronically published by Proceedings of Science (http://pos.sissa.it/).

Participation by young scientists/students is encouraged and a poster session is scheduled.

Venue

Room L104, Lecture Wing (1F), KAIST Munji Campus 193 Munji-ro, Yuseong-gu, Daejeon 34051, Republic of Korea Click <u>here</u> for more information. Map link: <u>https://goo.gl/maps/TL5KM7YTB9T2</u>

Registration and workshop fees

The website for PSTP2017 is at <u>PSTP2017</u>. The poster for the workshop is available for download at the above website. For early **REGISTRATION until August 15**, the fee for the workshop is **350 USD**. After August 15, the registration fee will rise to **400 USD**. The fee covers the welcome reception, banquet, lunch during the workshop, excursion (lunch+dinner), coffee breaks, and bus rental for daily commute between hotels and venue.

The registration fee does not include the costs for accompanying person. If a workshop participant would like to join an accompanying person to social activities such as excursion (October 18) and banquet dinner (October 19), extra workshop fee **(Approx. 100,000 KRW)** will be charged for each accompanying person.

Please note that the way of collecting registration fee (cash, money transfer, credit card etc.) is not determined yet. We are still working on it and will be notified on the website or via a separate email. The registration page and abstract submission page will be open in April. Please check the website to find updated information.

The e-mail address for workshop organizers is pstp2017@ibs.re.kr

Abstracts

Abstracts should be submitted via registration page by **August 15, 2017**. More Information can be found on the workshop website.

Travel information

For the travel information, please visit here.

Hotels

Hotel ICC, <u>http://www.hotelicc.com/eng/index.do</u> (IBS Institute Discount Rate: 67,500 KRW (Breakfast Included)) Lotte City Hotel, <u>http://www.lottehotel.com/city/daejeon/en/Default.asp</u> (IBS Institute Discount Rate: 146,500 KRW (Breakfast Included)) Transportation (Buses) will be provided between these two hotels and venue place.

Other hotels are also available in the downtown area (<u>Doonsan-dong</u>) in Daejeon. However, participants who do not stay in Hotel ICC or Lotte City Hotel have to arrange their own transportation.

We kindly ask you to book your hotel room on your own by using the Hotel's links. When you check in the hotel, please make sure to let them know that you are attending PSTP 2017 workshop organized by CAPP/IBS.

Visas

We strongly recommend you to contact your relevant embassy as soon as possible for information regarding your visa in accordance with the duration and nature of your stay in Korea. If you need a visa to enter Korea, it must be obtained before leaving your home country.

If your country of origin has a visa-waiver agreement with South Korea (<u>refer to this document for</u> <u>the list of visa waiver countries</u>), participating in the 2017 PSTP meeting would not require any further formalities. Otherwise a C3 visa would be necessary. For more precise information, please consult with the Korean consulate in your region.

Reference: http://pstp2017.kaist.ac.kr/index.php/pstp2017/travel

• Important information

- ✓ Workshop dates: Oct 16~20, 2017
- ✓ Registration deadline: Aug 15, 2017
- ✓ Abstract submission: Aug 15, 2017
- ✓ Workshop registration fee: 350 USD/person by Aug 15 (400 USD/person after Aug 15).
- ✓ Accompanying person fee: 100,000 KRW/person (Approx. 100 USD/person)

Hope to see you in Daejeon, Korea.

Seongtae Park and Yannis K. Semertzidis Chair and Co-Chair of the PSTP2017 Local Organizing Committee

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