

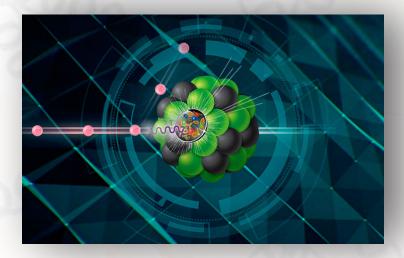
Welcome EICUG Summer 2021 Meeting

Bernd Surrow and Richard Milner





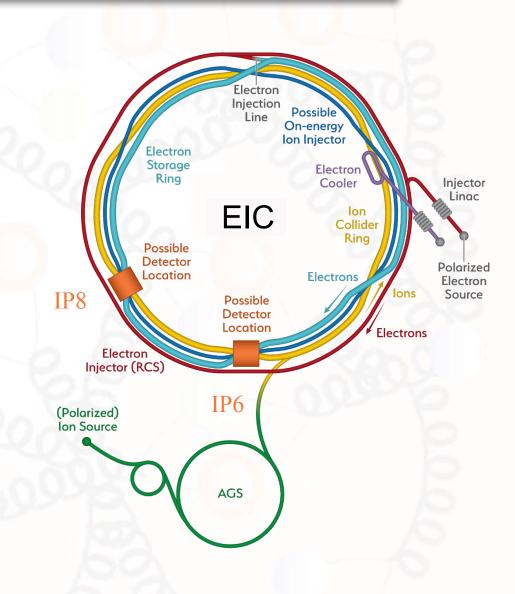
On behalf of the EICUG Steering Committee





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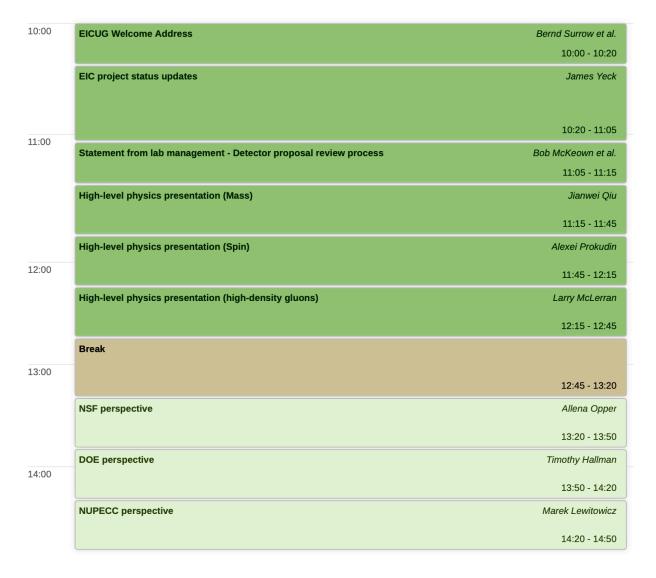


Welcome

- Welcome to the EICUG meeting 2021 on behalf of the EIC Users' group Steering Committee
- Last week we had the first EICUG Early Career Workshop: https://indico.jlab.org/event/438/ Thank you!
- We have experienced an unprecedented time with the COVID-19 pandemic. We hope that you are all healthy incl. your family and friends!
- Special Thanks to Narbe Kalantarians (Virginia Union University) and Miguel Arratia (UC Riverside) for helping with various practical details such as ZOOM!
- □ Special welcome / thanks to funding agency and country representatives:
 - Allena Opper: NSF NP Perspective on a Future Election Ion Collider
 - Tim Hallman: DOE NP Perspective on a Future Election Ion Collider
 - Marek Lewitowicz: NUPECC Perspective on a Future Election Ion Collider



Monday: EICUG Summer Meeting





Tuesday: EICUG Summer Meeting

10:00	Announcement of Election Results	Douglas Higinbotham et al.
		10:00 - 10:30
	EIC accelerator design overview / updates	Ferdinand Willeke
11:00		10:30 - 11:15
	IR design overview IP6	Holger Witte
		11:15 - 11:45
	IR design overview IP8	Randika Gamage
12:00		11:45 - 12:15
	Break	
		12:15 - 13:00
13:00	ATHENA: Proposal Overview	Silvia Dalla Torre
		13:00 - 13:30
	CORE: Proposal Overview	Pawel Nadel-Turonski
		13:30 - 14:00
14:00	ECCE: Proposal Overview	Or Hen
		14:00 - 14:30
	2nd IR Workshop Series Status / Updates	Latifa Elouadrhiri
		14:30 - 15:00
15:00	Discussion	
		15:00 - 15:30



Wednesday: EICUG Summer Meeting

Calorimetry

Tracking

PID

Backward/Forward

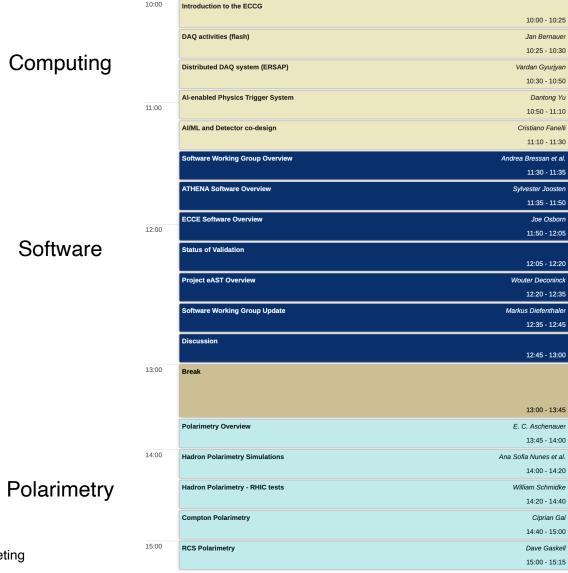
Computing/Electronics





Thursday: EICUG Summer Meeting

10:00





Friday: EICUG Summer Meeting





Saturday: IB Meeting

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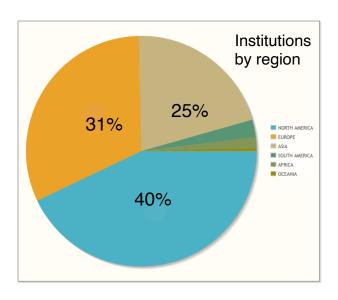
We can and should always strive to do the best possible job in creating a gender-balanced agenda.

Overlapping vacation schedules have unfortunately caused several speakers not able to attend our remote meeting.



EICUG Updates

- Size and demographics
 - O EICUG organization established in summer 2016
 - In numbers...: 1296 members (Experimental scientists: 796 / Theory scientists: 326 / Accelerator scientists: 161 / Computer Scientists: 7 / Support: 4 / Other: 2), 262 institutions, 35 countries, 6 world regions
 - World map:







EICUG Updates: Organization / Terms

- Institutional Board:
 - Chair: Olga Evdokimov (University of Illinois Chicago, USA), term January 2021 December 2022
 - O Vice Chair: Andrea Bressan (INFN Trieste), term January 2021 December 2022

Appointments ending in summer 2021

- Steering Committee Members:
 - O Chair: Bernd Surrow (Temple University, USA), term September 2019 August 2021
 - Vice Chair: Richard Milner (MIT, USA), term September 2019 August 2021
 - At Large Members:
 - Silvia Dalla Torre (INFN Trieste, Italy), term January 2021 December 2022
 - Barbara Jacak (LBL and UCB, USA), term January 2020 December 2021
 - Yuri Kovchegov (OSU, USA), term January 2021 December 2022
 - European Representative:
 - Daniel Boer (University Groningen, NL), term September 2019 August 2021
 - International Representative:
 - Wouter Deconinck (University of Manitoba, Canada), term January 2020 December 2021
 - Lab Representatives:
 - Rolf Ent (Thomas Jefferson National Accelerator Facility, USA)
 - ☐ Thomas Ullrich (Brookhaven National Laboratory, USA)

Elections &
Nominations
Committee will
announce results
on Day 2!

http://eicug.org/web/content/electron-ion-collider-users-group-eicug



EICUG Updates: E&N Committee

- Election & Nomination Committee
 - New Nomination & Election Committee:
 - ☐ Abhay Deshpande (SBU/BNL) (2nd term until 08/31/2021)
 - ☐ Yuri Kovchegov (OSU) (2nd term until 08/31/2021)
 - ☐ Marta Ruspa (INFN Torino) (Chair) (2nd term until 08/31/2021)
 - Douglas Higinbotham (JLab) (Vice Chair) (1st term until 08/31/2021)
 - □ Charlotte Van Hulse (IPN-Orsay) (1st term until 08/31/2021)
 - We want to express our sincere thanks to the above EICUG members for serving on this committee.
 - At least three new appointments starting in summer 2021 handled by new EICUG chair!



EICUG Updates: Talks committee

Conference & Talks Committee

- New Conference & Talks Committee:

 Sevil Salur (Rutgers) (2nd term until 08/31/2021)
 Dmitry Romanov (JLab) (2nd term until 08/31/2021)
 Michela Chiosso (INFN Torino) (1st term until 08/31/2021)
 Svetlana Barkanova (Memorial Uni. of Newfoundland) (1st term until 08/31/2021)
 Alexey Prokudin (PSU Berks) (1st term until 08/31/2021)
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Working groups / Coordination groups

- Several dedicated working / coordination groups have been formed beyond ongoing detector proposal efforts to serve the wider EIC community:
 - Software Working Group: Andreas Bressan (INFN Trieste), Markus Diefenthaler (Jlab), and Torre Wenaus (BNL)
 - O Computing Coordination Group (CCG): Jerome Lauret (BNL) and Graham Heyes (JLab)
 - O Polarimetry Working Group: Elke Aschenauer (BNL) and Dave Gaskell (JLab)
- □ Vision for two additional working groups providing a platform for EIC community-wide discussions: (1) Physics, in particular Theory and (2) Detector R&D



Charter Update

- In accordance with instructions laid out in the current Charter, an ad hoc committee was established in February 23, 2020 to review the EICUG Charter:
 - John Arrington, Will Brooks, Olga Evdokimov, Yuji Goto, Barbara Jacak, Richard Milner (Chair), Marco Radici, Franck Sabatie, Sevil Salur, Daria Sokhan
- Conducted a survey of EICUG membership in August 2020
- Main Conclusions:
 - Membership broadly satisfied with functioning of EICUG
 - O No consensus on changing conditions for membership at this time
 - Clear wish that EICUG act to enhance diversity and inclusion
- Subsequently, the EICUG Steering Committee has formed an ad hoc committee on Diversity and Inclusion:

 Taya Chetry (Mississippi State U.), Wouter Deconinck (U. of Manitoba) (Chair), Paul Gueye (Michigan State U.), Narbe Kalantarians (Virginia Union U.), Astrid Morreale (Los Alamos National Lab), Sanghwa Park (Stony Brook U.)
- The D&I Committee will present results on recent survey on Friday, August 6!



Summary and Outlook

- □ A lot of activities since the last EICUG summer meeting:
 - Completion and release of Yellow Report Major EICUG initiative in 2020!
 https://arxiv.org/abs/2103.05419 / Publication of YR planned!
 - Open Call for Detector Proposals: https://www.bnl.gov/eic/CFC.php
 - Award of CD1: https://www.bnl.gov/newsroom/news.php?a=118765
 - Formation of three dedicated proposal efforts: ATHENA / CORE / ECCE
 - 2nd IR Workshop Series
 - Discussion session / Detector systems at EIC: Tuesday, August 3, 03:00PM (EDT)
- We have prepared an exciting program for this week. We are looking forward to your active participation!
- We are grateful to presentations by the funding agency and community representatives!