

EIC USER GROUP INSTITUTIONAL BOARD MEETING

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AGENDA & ORGANIZATIONAL ITEMS

Welcome / IB news *Andrea Bressan et al.*

Wang Center, CFNS Stony Brook University 11:00 - 11:10

Planning of next EICUG Annual Meeting *Andrea Bressan et al.*

Wang Center, CFNS Stony Brook University 11:10 - 11:20

Report from EICUG SC Chair *Renee Fatemi*

Wang Center, CFNS Stony Brook University 11:20 - 11:40

Inter-American Network of Networks of QCD Challenges

Wang Center, CFNS Stony Brook University 11:40 - 11:55

Report from the EICUG Charter Update Committee *Richard Milner* 

Wang Center, CFNS Stony Brook University

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Open Mic

Wang Center, CFNS Stony Brook University 12:40 - 13:00

- Welcome to the EICUG Institutional Board **OPEN** meeting!
- If you are connected online but have discussion topics for the Open Mic session: Please write it in the chat



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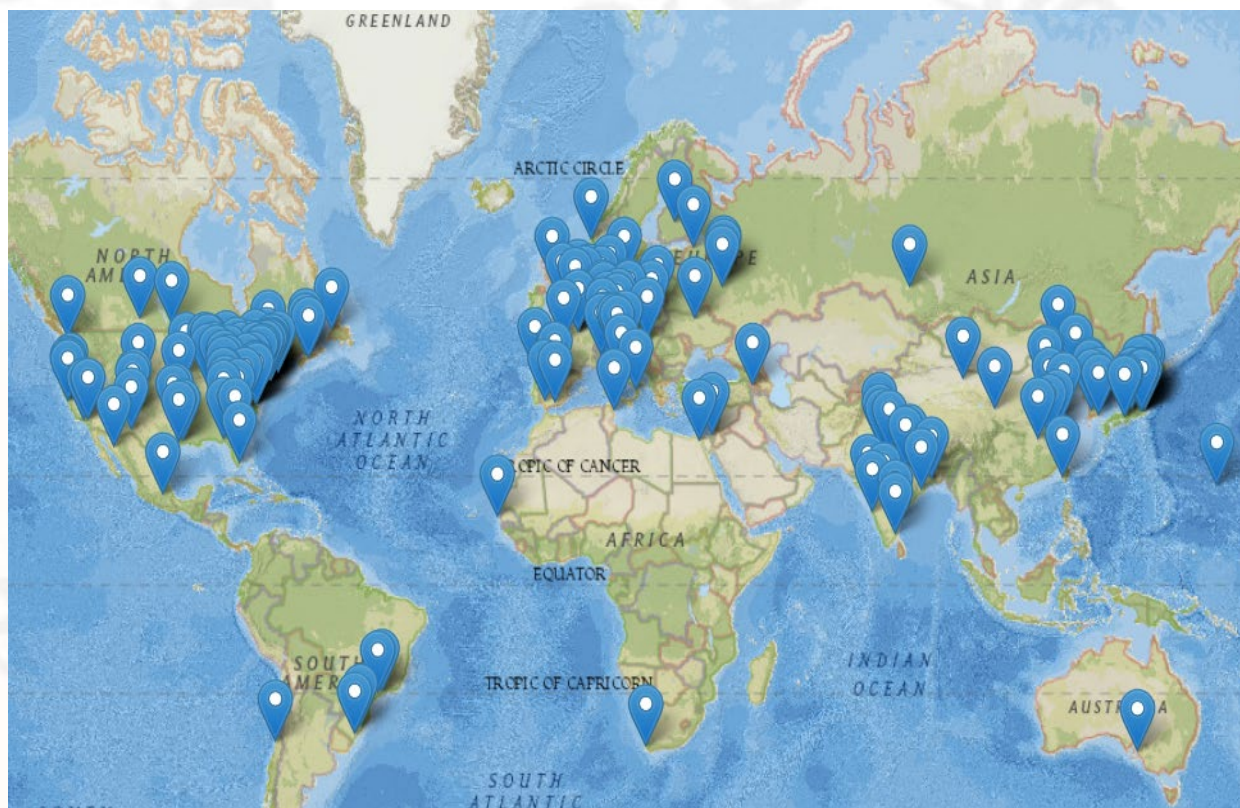
- Chair: Douglas Higinbotham (JLab, USA) – August 2023
- Vice-Chair: not yet available
- Members
 - Adrian Dumitru (CUNY, USA) – August 2024
 - Bedangadas Mohanty (NISER, India) – August 2024
 - Cristina Tuvè (Univ. and INFN - Catania, Italy) – August 2023
 - Charlotte Van Hulse (IPN-Orsay, France) – August 2024

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- **Our sincere thanks to all the committee members for their serving on this committee!**



EICUG IN NUMBERS



- EICUG organization established in summer 2016
- Current stats:
- **1348 members**
 - Experimental scientists: 831
 - Theory scientists: 344
 - Accelerator scientists: 159
 - Computer Scientists: 8
 - Support: 4 / Other: 2

266 Institutions, 36 countries,
7 world regions

Last Meeting: 1300 members

263 institutions in 35 countries;



EICUG IN NUMBERS

Warm welcome to our new groups:

- Jacksonville University (US)
 - Guangyao Chen
- Ramaiah University of Applied Sciences (India)
 - Tapasi Ghosh
- University of Huston (US)
 - Rene Bellwied
- University of Bergen (Norway)
 - Aleksandr Bylinkin



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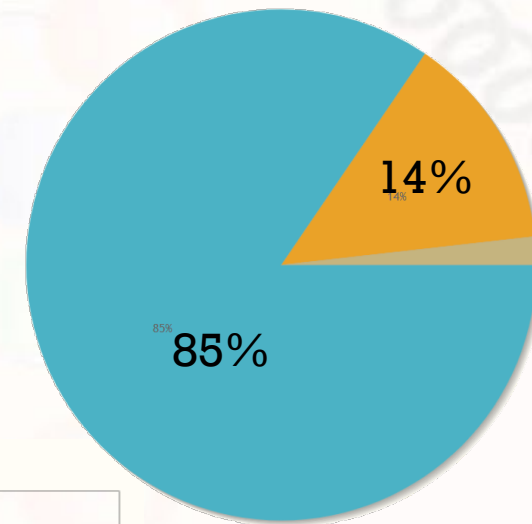
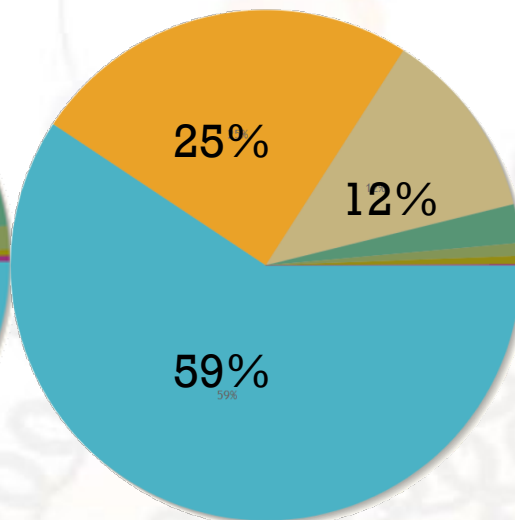
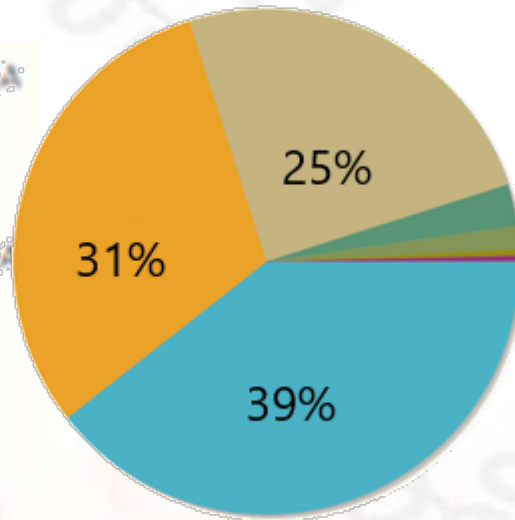
Regional Distribution

Per Institution

Per Member

Gender Distribution

- NORTH AMERICA
- EUROPE
- ASIA
- SOUTH AMERICA
- AFRICA
- OCEANIA
- UNSPECIFIED



- Male
- Female
- Unspecified



EICUG PHONEBOOK UPDATE

- The need for regular updates was brought up in the IB meeting last summer
- With support of SC and help from Thomas Ullrich and Dmitry Arkhipkin, there is a new functionality now built into the EICUG Phonebook interface
- Annual update requests of the User Group list can now be done with a click of a button (and a lot of dedicated work by the Phonebook gatekeeper Rachel Nieves – many thanks!)
- Demographic information tracking – for aggregate reports/studies only! Need feedback from the DEI on the best way to conduct/word questionnaires.



DIVERSITY AND INCLUSION COMMITTEE

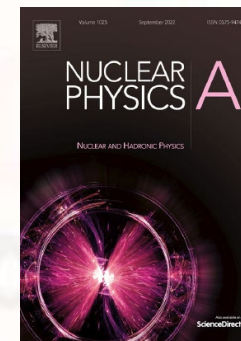
- Chair: Taya Chetry (Mississippi State University, USA)
- Members
 - Paul Gueye (Michigan State University, USA)
 - Narbe Kalantarians (Virginia Union University, USA)
 - Asmita Mukherjee (Indian Institute of Technology Bombay, India)
 - Sanghwa Park (Stony Brook University, USA)
 - Rosi Reed (Lehigh University, USA)
 - Cheuk-Ping Wong (Los Alamos National Laboratory, USA)

DEI Committee report will be presented in the next session

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EICUG UPDATES: YELLOW REPORT



arXiv:2103.05419

- Yellow Report is scheduled to be published in issue/vol 1026 of Nuclear Physics A
- Manuscript will be compiled on July 27th and proofs will follow within a few days.
- Many thanks to Nu Xu and many SC members for pushing behind the scenes.



FOLLOW-UP FROM THE LAST MEETING

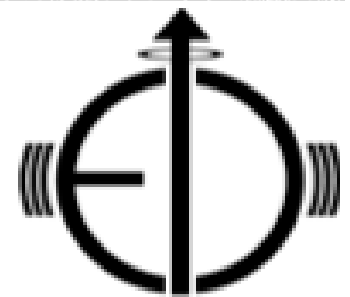
Talking points/Context:

- What is the path for two detectors?
- EICUG-wide working groups: collaborative efforts beyond the detector proposals
- Early-carrier programs: continuity and timing. Organizing/Advisory board?
- EICUG PR initiative: spotlight on community members. Input/nominations: Early carrier members. Awards and recognitions.
- EIC Software Townhall initiative: topics? Timing?
- EICUG Regional meetings?

EICUG Institutional Board Meeting
August 7, 2021

- Several efforts, see later talks. Thank you for your help with reaching out to Funding Agencies!
- Theoretical Physics / Software (AI, Communication)/ Computing Coordination / ...
- EIC Early Career Workshop
<https://indico.jlab.org/event/485/overview>
- PR initiative – did not take off
- Series of Software Townhall meetings
- Was not attempted (pandemic travel constraints)

THANK YOU!





EICUG ANNUAL MEETINGS

- Annual Meetings

2016 UC Berkeley, CA

2019 Paris, France

2016 Argonne, IL

2020 Miami, FL

2017 Trieste, Italy

2021 VVU/UCR

2018 Washington, DC

2022 SBU, NY

- We are very grateful to (and amazed by) Abhay Deshpande and his team for hosting this year meeting on a very short notice!



NEXT EICUG MEETING

- Summer 2023, Warsaw
- The meeting will be hosted by the Faculty of Physics, University of Warsaw (Barbara Badelek: “*We are in a permanent stand-by state, ready to make the conference even at a short notice, say ~2 months.* ”)
- Feedback/discussion for shaping the program:
 - Possible dates mid/end July ?
 - Meeting layout ?
 - Early career day(s) incorporated into program, before/after?
 - Scheduling and time zones hybrid mode?



PLANNING AHEAD

- It takes a long time to prepare / organize the meeting of the EICUG scale (unless you are Abhay)
- We need volunteers for hosting the next editions to plan ahead
- Please email me/Renee if your Institution is available/interested to host the event in the near future