

## **First Bulletin: CIPANP 2018**

### **Opening of Registration**

The 13<sup>th</sup> Conference on the Intersections of Particle and Nuclear Physics (CIPANP 2018) will be held May 29-June 3, 2018, at the Hyatt Regency Indian Wells, near Palm Springs, CA. This bulletin announces the opening of the web site, [cipanp18.berkeley.edu](http://cipanp18.berkeley.edu), as well as the opening of early registration. We ask participants to register soon, if possible.

The objectives of the CIPANP Conference series are to encourage communications and interactions among experimental and theoretical particle physicists, nuclear physicists, accelerator physicists, and astrophysicists about forefront issues facing these fields. The meeting will include plenary session talks (see the schedule on the web site), parallel session talks arranged by and summarized by conveners, as well as a poster session organized around the following topics:

- Physics at High Energies
- Precision Physics at High Intensities
- Cosmic Physics and Dark Energy/Inflation/Strong-Field Gravity
- Neutrino Masses and Neutrino Mixing
- Tests of Symmetries and the Electroweak Interaction
- Dark Matter
- Particle and Nuclear Astrophysics
- Heavy Flavors and the CKM Matrix
- Hadrons: QCD, Hadron Spectroscopy, and Exotics
- Parton and Gluon Distributions in Nucleons and Nuclei
- Nuclei, Nuclear Structure, NN Correlations, and Medium Effects
- Quark Matter and High Energy Heavy Ion Collisions

Information about the meeting organization, plenary talk schedule, registration and travel, visa assistance, and paper submission (contributed papers or posters) can be found on the conference web site. The early registration period extends from now until 20 April 2018.

The conference organizing committee has funding to help researchers who require such support to attend. As this funding is quite limited, priority will be given to younger physicists (graduate students, postdoctoral fellows, research associates). The deadline for requesting financial assistance is also 20 April 2018. The conference web site includes application procedures and further information.

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