

## **Ninth International Workshop on Chiral Dynamics – CD18**

The Ninth International Workshop on Chiral Dynamics (CD18) will be hosted by the Triangle Universities Nuclear Laboratory (TUNL) and will be held in Durham, NC from September 17th to 21st, 2018. This series of workshops, which started at MIT in 1994, brings together theorists and experimentalists every three years to discuss the status and challenges in the physics of low energy QCD, Goldstone Boson dynamics, meson-baryon interactions, few body physics, lattice QCD and chiral perturbation theory. The workshop program will cover these topics during twenty plenary talks, and more than thirty parallel talks in each of the working groups on Hadron Structure, Few-Body Dynamics, and Goldstone-Boson Dynamics.

More information on the workshop is available at: [www.cd18.org](http://www.cd18.org)

We encourage you to register at your earliest convenience to take advantage of the savings during early and regular registration periods. For any further questions, please contact the CD18 organizers at [cd18@tunl.duke.edu](mailto:cd18@tunl.duke.edu).

### **Registration Schedule:**

Early Registration :	June 18, 2018	\$425.00
Regular Registration :	August 12, 2018	\$450.00
Late Registration :	September 7, 2018	\$500.00
Onsite Registration:	September 17-21, 2018	\$550.00

### **Conference Location and Accommodations:**

The workshop venue and the guest accommodations are provided by the J. B. Duke Hotel, located on the West Campus of Duke University. A negotiated rate of \$199/night is available for the workshop attendees. This block of rooms will be held until September 4, 2018. This room rate includes breakfast and lunch daily starting on the morning September 17.

### **Travel:**

The Raleigh-Durham area is served by all major US airlines. There are daily direct flights to two European destinations (London Heathrow - LHR, and Paris Charles de Gaulle – CDG). The airport code is RDU. The airport is located about 15 miles from the workshop venue. Information about ground transportation from the airport to the workshop hotel can be found on the RDU website at <https://www.rdu.com> (follow the Transportation tab).

### **Abstract Submission:**

All talks at the Chiral Dynamics workshop are invitation-only. If you have been invited to speak, please use the abstract submission portal on the website. All abstracts must be uploaded by August 10th, 2018.

### **Co-Chairs**

Mohammad Ahmed, NCCU/TUNL, Haiyan Gao, Duke/TUNL, Calvin Howell, Duke/TUNL, Dean Lee, NCSU