

Friday - 6 September

Saturday - 7 September

9:00	Outlook on the day
9:30	<i>Plenary Lecture</i> B.-M. Schäfer (Heidelberg)
10:00	Lensing of the cosmic microwave background
10:30	
11:00	Coffee break
11:30	<i>Plenary Lecture</i> M. Hendry (Glasgow)
12:00	Einstein's masterpiece: 100 years of testing General Relativity, from Eddington to LIGO and beyond
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13:00	Lunch break
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14:30	<i>Plenary Lecture</i> N. Wex (Bonn)
15:00	Propagation of pulsar signals in curved spacetime and its applications
15:30	
16:00	Coffee break
16:30	<i>Group Tutorials</i> The optical gravitational lens experiment
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18:00	Summary of the day
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19:00	Social dinner at "Fuchsturm"
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9:00	Outlook on the day
9:30	<i>Plenary Tutorial</i> M. Hendry (Glasgow)
10:00	Making (and lensing) waves in the classroom: Introducing the physics and astrophysics of gravitational waveforms using high-school concepts
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11:00	Coffee break
11:30	<i>Plenary Lecture</i> V. Perlick (Bremen)
12:00	Gravitational lensing by black holes: Multiple imaging and shadow
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13:00	Lunch break
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14:30	<i>Plenary Discussion</i> Teaching of gravitational lensing to high-school students
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16:00	Coffee break
16:30	Summary of the day
17:00	Closing ceremony
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The Heraeus Summer School at the Friedrich Schiller University, Jena, is the seventh edition of the bi-national, Italian-German teacher training seminar "Astronomy from 4 Perspectives" (Heidelberg, Padova, Jena, Florence). The long-term scope of the seminar series is to create and maintain a network connecting teachers to each other and to their university teachers, and to develop teaching material about topical subjects of current research in astronomy for use in secondary schools. 2019 is the centenary year of the celebrated eclipse expeditions which confirmed Einstein's General Relativity. During the last sixty years the deflection of light by gravitational fields, now called "gravitational lensing", has become a powerful tool of astrophysics and cosmology.

Venue

Friedrich-Schiller University - Jena
Lecture Hall at Max-Wien-Platz 1

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