

Kilonova: Multimessenger and Multiphysics

774. WE-Heraeus-Seminar

28 November – 01 December 2022

hybrid

at the Physikzentrum Bad Honnef, Germany

**WILHELM UND ELSE
HERAEUS-STIFTUNG**



Program

Sunday, 27 November 2022

17:00 – 20:00 Registration

18:00 *BUFFET SUPPER and informal get-together*

Monday, 28 November 2022

08:00 *BREAKFAST*

09:00 Scientific organizers **Welcome words**

09:10 – 09:55 Masaru Shibata **Modeling neutron-star mergers by long-term numerical relativity simulation**

09:55 – 10:40 Jonah Miller **Impact of neutrinos in post-merger accretion flows**

10:40 – 11:10 *COFFEE BREAK*

11:10 – 11:55 Stephan Rosswog **Neutron star merger simulations with the Lagrangian numerical relativity code SPHINCS_BSSN**

11:55 – 12:20 Anna Neuweiler **Long-term simulations of dynamical ejecta: Homologous expansion and kilonova properties**

12:20 – 12:45 Maximilian Jacobi **Nuclear matter properties in neutron star mergers**

12:45 *LUNCH*

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14:00 – 14:45	Nicole Vassh	r process in neutron star mergers and the impact of nuclear physics uncertainties
14:45 – 15:30	Gabriel Martinez-Pinedo	3D radiative transfer kilonova modelling with detailed nuclear and atomic input
15:30 – 16:00	<i>COFFEE BREAK</i>	
16:00 – 16:45	Ann-Cecile Larsen	Experiments for the r process
16:45 – 17:30	Oliver Just	R-process conditions and neutrino flavor mixing in neutrino-cooled accretion disks
17:30 – 17:45	Stefan Jorda	About the WE-Heraeus-Foundation
17:45 – 18:30	Discussion: Simulations and nucleosynthesis with Rodrigo Fernandez and Nicole Vassh	
18:30	<i>DINNER</i>	

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Tuesday, 29 November 2022

08:00	<i>BREAKFAST</i>	
09:00 – 09:25	Giulia Stratta	A comparison between short GRB optical counterparts and kilonova AT2017gfo
09:25 – 09:50	Sho Fujibayashi	Mass ejection and nucleosynthesis in binary neutron star mergers leaving short-lived massive neutron stars
09:50 – 10:35	Masaomi Tanaka	Radiative transfer simulations for kilonovae
10:35 – 11:00	<i>COFFEE BREAK</i>	
11:00 – 11:25	Vsevolod Nedora	Modeling kilonova afterglows: Effects of the thermal electron population and interaction with GRB outflows
11:25 – 11:50	Nina Kunert	Model selection of GRB 211211A through multi-wavelength analyses
11:50 – 12:15	Brendan O'Connor	The locations and environments of short GRBs
12:15 – 12:40	Nanae Domoto	Signatures of heavy elements in near-infrared spectra of kilonova
12:40 – 12:50	Conference Photo (in the front of the lecture hall)	
12:50	<i>LUNCH</i>	

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Tuesday, 29 November 2022

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| 14:00 – 14:45 | Daiji Kato | NIFS database for non-equilibrium plasmas and Japan-Lithuania opacity database for kilonovae |
| 14:45 – 15:30 | Poster flash | |
| 15:30 – 16:00 | <i>COFFEE BREAK</i> | |
| 16:00 – 17:30 | Poster session | |
| 17:30 – 18:30 | Discussion: Kilonova models and observations
with Eleonora Troja and Eli Waxman | |
| 18:30 | <i>DINNER</i> | |

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Wednesday, 30 November 2022

08:00	<i>BREAKFAST</i>	
09:00 – 09:45	Henrik Hartman	Experimental atomic radiative data for kilonova spectroscopy
09:45 – 10:30	Stephan Fritzsche	An atomic approach to the opacity of open d- and f-shell elements
10:30 – 11:00	<i>COFFEE BREAK</i>	
11:00 – 11:45	Sonja Bernitt	X-ray astrophysics in the laboratory
11:45 – 12:10	Khwaish Kumar Anjum	Laser-microwave double-resonance spectroscopy to perform g-factor measurements of heavy, highly charged ions at ARTEMIS in HITRAP
12:10 – 12:35	Ricardo Ferreira da Silva	Calculation of atomic inputs of r-process elements for kilonova modelling
12:35	<i>LUNCH</i>	

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Wednesday, 30 November 2022

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| 14:00 – 14:45 | Stefan Schippers | Laboratory astrophysics with storage rings and synchrotron light sources |
| 14:45 – 15:30 | Darach Watson | Element identification in, and geometry of, the kilonova AT2017gfo associated with GW170817 |
| 15:30 – 16:00 | <i>COFFEE BREAK</i> | |
| 16:00 – 16:45 | V. Ashley Villar
<i>(online)</i> | Kilonova observations enabled by the Vera C. Rubin Observatory |
| 16:45 – 17:30 | Asa Skúladóttir | Two sources of the r-process: quick and delayed |
| 17:30 – 18:30 | Discussion:
Atomic physics for kilonova models and experiments
with James Gillanders and Yuri Litvinov | |
| 18:30 | <i>DINNER HERAEUS DINNER</i>
<i>(social event with cold & warm buffet with complimentary drinks)</i> | |

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Thursday, 01 December 2022

08:00	<i>BREAKFAST</i>	
09:00 – 09:45	Anne Noer Kolborg	R-process mixing in the early Universe
09:45 – 10:10	Quentin Pognan	NLTE spectra of kilonovae
10:10 – 10:35	Smaranika Banerjee	Early kilonova from neutron star merger
10:35 – 11:00	<i>COFFEE BREAK</i>	
11:00 – 11:45	Imre Bartos	Near-future multi-messenger observations of kilonovae
11:45 – 12:30	Tim Dietrich	Multi-messenger astrophysics studies of merging neutron star
12:30 – 12:40	Scientific organizers	Closing words
12:40	<i>LUNCH</i>	

End of the seminar and departure

NO DINNER for participants leaving on Friday; however, a self-service breakfast will be provided on Friday morning