

Program

Sunday, July 8, 2018

17:00 – 21:00 Registration

18:00 *BUFFET SUPPER and get-together*

Monday, July 9, 2018

08:00 BREAKFAST

08:50 – 09:00 Scientific organizers **Welcome & Opening**

09:00 – 10:00 Ekkehard Peik **Th-229 as an optical nuclear clock**

10:00 – 10:30 COFFEE & TEA

10:30 – 11:15 Andreas Fleischmann **Indirect determination of the Thorium-229 isomer energy by high resolution gamma spectroscopy**

11:15 – 12:00 Christian Schneider **Direct search for the ^{229}Th nuclear isomeric transition with Th-doped crystals**

12:00 – 12:10 **Conference photo** (in the front of the lecture hall)

12:15 *LUNCH (followed by coffee and/or tea)*

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13:45 – 14:15	Thorsten Schumm	Two attempts to measure the Thorium-229 isomer energy
14:15 – 14:45	Akihiro Yoshimi	Nuclear resonant scattering of ^{229}Th for observation of radiative isomeric transition
14:45 – 15:15	Beata Zjawin	Analysis of optical atomic clocks readouts aimed on searches for dark-matter signatures
15:15 – 15:45	COFFEE & TEA	
15:45 – 16:15	Matthias Verlinde	Study of $^{22\text{m}}\text{Th}$: Laser ionization and VUV spectroscopy
16:15 – 16:45	Petr Borisyuk	Excitation of ^{229}Th nuclei in laser plasma: the energy and half-life of the low-lying isomeric state
16:45 – 17:15	Adriana Pálffy-Buß	Nuclear and atomic structure calculations for the ^{229}Th isomeric state
17:15 -18:45	Poster session	
19:00	DINNER	

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Tuesday, July 10, 2018

08:00	BREAKFAST	
09:00 – 10:00	Peter Thirolf	The fog disperses: What do we know about the elusive $^{229\text{m}}\text{Th}$ isomer ?
10:00 – 10:30	COFFEE & TEA	
10:30 – 11:15	Benedict Seiferle	Internal conversion electron spectroscopy of $^{229\text{m}}\text{Th}$
11:15 – 12:00	Christoph Heyl	Power-scaling VUV/XUV frequency combs: Recent results and prospects
12:15	LUNCH (followed by coffee and/or tea)	
13:45 – 14:15	Feodor Karpeshin	Physics of laser-assisted nuclear processes as the base for creation of the nuclear clock
14:15 – 14:45	Julian Berengut	Atomic calculations in multivalent ions with applications to novel clocks
14:45 – 15:15	Martin Henriksen	Acetylene frequency reference
15:15 – 15:45	COFFEE & TEA	
15:45	Excursion	
19:00	HERAEUS DINNER (social event with cold & warm buffet and complimentary drinks)	

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Wednesday, July 11, 2018

08:00	BREAKFAST	
09:00 – 10:00	Marianna Safronova	Novel atomic clocks and the search for new physics
10:00 – 10:30	COFFEE & TEA	
10:30 – 11:15	Andrew Ludlow	High stability optical clock based on Ramsey-Borde interferometry in thermal calcium
11:15 – 12:00	Atsushi Yamaguchi	Laser cooling of cadmium towards an optical lattice clock
12:15	<i>LUNCH (followed by coffee and/or tea)</i>	
13:45 – 14:15	Nils Huntemann	$^{171}\text{Yb}^+$ single-ion optical clocks
14:15 – 14:45	Stefan A. Schäffer	Lasing on a forbidden transition in a thermal cloud of Strontium atoms
14:45 – 15:15	Tanja Mehlstäubler	Clocks based on complex Coulomb systems
15:15 – 15:45	COFFEE & TEA	

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15:45 – 16:15	David Champion	Pulsars as cosmic clocks
16:15 – 16:45	Pacôme Delva	A gravitational redshift test using eccentric Galileo satellites
16:45 – 17:15	Jean Lautier Gaud	Enabling the remote comparison of novel optical clock signals with state-of-the-art optical frequency standards
17:15 -18:45	Poster session / nuClock consortium meeting	
19:00	DINNER	

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Thursday, July 12, 2018

08:00	BREAKFAST	
09:00 – 10:00	José R. Crespo López-Urrutia	Electronic transitions in highly charged ions with possible applications to the electron-nucleus bridge mechanism
10:00 – 10:30	COFFEE & TEA	
10:30 – 11:15	Viktor Flambaum	Effects of dark matter, variation of the fundamental constants and violation of the fundamental symmetries in nuclear and atomic clocks
11:15 – 12:00	Michal Zawada	Dark matter searches within the intercontinental optical atomic clock network
12:00 – 12:15	Scientific organizers	Closing
12:15	<i>LUNCH (followed by coffee and/or tea)</i>	

End of the seminar and departure

NO DINNER for participants leaving on Friday morning