



Lepton-Photon 2023

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Where and when

- We will host the conference in central Melbourne
 - Several options are possible and we will look to settle within the next 4 months
- Dates are fixed to 17-21 July 2023
 - Placed in InSPIRE conference database and not colliding with EPS-HEP

31st International Symposium on Lepton Photon Interactions at High Energies (Lepton Photon 2023)
17-21 July 2023. Monash University, Melbourne, Victoria, Australia (C23-07-17)

Accelerators Experiment-HEP Phenomenology-HEP Lattice Gravitation and Cosmology Instrumentation Data Analysis and Statistics

2023 European Physical Society Conference on High Energy Physics (EPS-HEP2023)
21-25 August 2023. Hamburg, Germany (C23-08-21)

Accelerators Astrophysics Computing Experiment-HEP Gravitation and Cosmology Instrumentation Lattice Phenomenology-HEP
Theory-HEP Math and Math Physics

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Organisation

- The main players in organising
 - The Local Organising Committee – chair Ulrik Egede
 - The International Organising Committee
 - Melbourne Convention Bureau
 - Professional Conference Organiser



Committees

- Have agreement on the Monash contingent of the Local Organising Committee
 - Will seek participants from other HEP institutes across Australia
 - Seeking a reasonable gender distribution here will be a challenge
- International Organising Committee
 - Have drawn up a list of candidates that we will contact soon
 - Looking for a good representation across gender, regions, science area, career stage

Professional Conference Organiser

- Together with the Melbourne Convention Bureau we have created a tender request for the PCO
 - Have just today received the tenders from 3 different PCO
 - Will interview each of these and aim to sign a contract in a few months time
 - Uncertainty regarding how the world will look like in mid 2023 will have an impact on type of contract



Points of uncertainty

- Still completely unclear when travel will be possible in and out of Australia again
 - Very unlikely that I will be able to attend LP21 in Jan 2022 in Manchester
- In tender document, we have requested that there should be support for remote participation as well
 - Impact on budget and likely number of attendants will be an ongoing uncertainty