

January 24, 2023 (Week 1)

High Energy Physics Computing Basics, Part 1

Objectives:

- Introductions (get to know instructor and classmates)
- Set up functioning work station

Outline:

- Introductions
 - Code of conduct
 - Session recordings
 - Round-table introductions
- Expectations/goals
 - From instructor:
 - Course outline
 - Materials from previous years ([Indico category](#))
 - From students:
 - Previous experience
 - What materials do you want to cover?
 - What skills do you want to feel confident in before the summer?
- Available setup round-table
 - OS
 - VSCode/Terminal/puTTY
 - VSCode: <https://code.visualstudio.com/>
 - puTTY: <https://www.putty.org/>
 - Coding language experience
 - CERN account
 - Grid certificate
- Exercises
 - e-groups (<https://e-groups.cern.ch>)
 - Atlas-usa-calstate-summer2023
 - Set up functioning workstation (VSCode or Terminal)
 - Windows: download <https://git-scm.com/download/win>
 - Basic terminal commands (ls, cd, pwd, touch, more, rm, mv, cp, wildcards, paths, options, history, man/-help)
 - Text editors (vim/emacs and VSCode)
 - .bash_profile and .bash_rc
 - Aliases

- Prompt customization
- ssh
 - Log into lxplus
 - X11 (XQuartz/Xming)
 - scp
 - ssh config
- VSCode GUI

Homework - due 8am January 26, 2023:

- Fill out office hours poll (<https://www.when2meet.com/?18419967-O8iZP>)
- Subscribe to course e-group
- Practice terminal commands and create personal reference sheet
- Reflect on your expectations/goals for this class and email to instructor