Governing Board Highlights

2012 AIDA Annual meeting at DESY



I. Vila

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Main topics



- Meeting starts at <u>13.30</u> seminar room 1 (build. 1a)
- Financial and Scientific reports
- Voting on:
 - New partner U. of Manchester (WP2)
 - New Associated Partner WP7 (Rudjer Boskovic Inst. from Croatia)
 - New WP8 co-convener
 - Next year venue for the Annual meeing.
 - _ Transfer of funds between STFC and CERN (WP4)

New co-convener WP8



- Proposing Dr Giovanni Mazzitelli as new co-covener WP8
- Dr. Mazzitelli is senior researcher at at the National Laboratories of Frascati of INFN, responsible of the DAFNE beam test facility (BTF), a user area mainly dedicated to HEP detector testing through the extracted beam (electrons, positrons, neutrons, and gammas) obtained from the DAFNE LINAC. During the last two years he was also the vice director of the accelerator division of Frascati. In addition to his activity as accelerator physicist, mainly on DAFNE and as machine detector interface, he 's working in HEP detectors R&D and beam diagnostics. In superB project, Dr. Mazitelli is responsible of the accelerator computing infrastructure and controls. Dr. Mazitelli was already leading the task 8.2 in AIDA about beam test infrastructure at Frascati

2013 Annual meeting: Frascati







2013 AIDA annual meeting @ LNF-INFN

- The Frascati National Laboratory hosts: the DAFNE accelerator complex consisting of a Φ mesons factory devoted to the study of K decay, four synchrotron light beamlines and a test beam area; the SPARC_LAB, a multidisciplinary infrastructure mainly devoted to new accelerator tecnology with FEL, THz, Compton-Thompson sources; many infrastructures and laboratories for detectors, design, R&D and construction. The laboratory is fully involved in the design of the new superB accelerator.
- Frascati, fomous for wine, villas and the scientific area, is located 30 km far from Rome city center, 18' by train, 2 km far from Frascati center where many hotels and restaurants are available and connected via bus service; Ciampino airport (40') and Fiumicino airport (60') are well connected.
- Meeting rooms: 1*350, 3*40, 4*20; cantine; bar; wi-fi; special rate taxi services; bus services.

2013 Annual Meeting: Paris-Paliseau



- The Ecole Polytechnique campus offers a large support for a diversified meeting:
 - ► Many large (150++) and small (50) modern amphi-theaters and rooms (all equipped with Wifi & plugs).
 - A reasonably good canteen (also being refurbished)
 - An on-site hotel (for students or 1 night comers)
 - ► Support from LLR; and possibility from LAL, Saclay and LPNHE, and (financially) IN2P3

AIDA

- The campus is void of students during the holidays (~mandatory)
- We are ~25km / 40 mins by public transportations from Paris downtown.
 - ► Numerous close-by accommodations along the B line of the RER (Orsay, Palaiseau, Massy, Antony, ...)
 - ▶ Direct connections to Roissy & Orly
 - ► The social dinner will be in one of the numerous places in Paris