



## NBI 2012

# 8<sup>th</sup> International Workshop on Neutrino Beams and Instrumentation

**6<sup>th</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> November 2012**  
**CERN, Geneva, Switzerland**

### First Bulletin

The 8<sup>th</sup> Neutrino Beams and Instrumentation Workshop is scheduled to take place at CERN from 6<sup>th</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> November 2012. The NBI series workshops started in 1999 and since established as the forum where Neutrino Beam specialists gather together to collect, review and share design and operational experience of the increasingly challenging accelerator neutrino beams for short or long baseline detectors.

The scientific program includes sessions on:

- Reports from current and planning of future projects
- Primary and secondary beam lines
- Target design and operation experiences
- Horn design and operation
- Radiation Protection, radioactive component handling and waste treatment
- Remote handling and installation maintenance

### Workshop Webpage

Please check regularly the Workshop webpage for the most updated information: [www.cern.ch/NBI2012](http://www.cern.ch/NBI2012). There you will find the names of the Local Organizing Committee members as well as the Regional Liaison members and the most up-to-date program. You can also find in there the conference poster that you should feel free to print and post.

### Important Dates

Registration deadline<sup>1</sup>: **21<sup>st</sup> September 2012**

Payment deadline: **1<sup>st</sup> October 2012**

Registration cancellation with full refund: **10<sup>th</sup> October 2012**

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<sup>1</sup> All deadlines refer to 17h00 pm of the same date, local Geneva-Switzerland time.

## **Registration**

Registration is open and we kindly ask you to complete the online registration as soon as possible. The registration fee for participants is CHF 450, details and payment options are available in the workshop web.

Accompanying persons must also be registered as well if stay at CERN or want to enter CERN to issue an access card. Fee payment details will be communicated directly, please proceed as instructed in the web pages.

Any changes and cancellations must be communicated in writing to:

[NBI2012.workshop@cern.ch](mailto:NBI2012.workshop@cern.ch).

## **WIFI Access**

Please note that for security reasons you are requested to register your laptop if you want to make use of it at CERN. You are strongly advised to do so in advance, through CERN's [External Visitor's Computer Registration form](#).

Please register as contact person:

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## **Accommodation**

A number of rooms (70) have been reserved between the 6<sup>th</sup> November 2011 and 11<sup>th</sup> November 2012 in the CERN hostel. The deadline for booking is 1<sup>st</sup> October 2012. No rooms will be guaranteed after this date. Bookings MUST be made through the registration form. Payment is NOT included in the registration fee; it should be done directly at the Hostel.

## **Transport, general information**

Please refer to the website, under General Information, for details about transport between Geneva Airport, and CERN and in the Geneva area.

## **Accessing CERN**

Participants who do not already have a CERN access pass should request an access card through the registration form. You will be able to collect it from the reception, building 33 during its opening hours between 8:00 and 17:45. For arrival outside working hours: please ask the guardian at the main entrance B.

## **Practical information about Geneva**

The currency is the Swiss Franc (CHF) and the current exchange rate is approximately 1CHF~1USD~0.85 Euro. At CERN and many places, Euros are also accepted.

Electric plugs are Swiss type (<http://www.travel-images.com/electric-plugs.html>) three round prongs type J, and require a special adaptor, but the two round prong basic French plugs type C will work if ground is not needed.

Looking forward to seeing you in Geneva!

Ilias Efthymiopoulos, Edda Gschwendtner and the NBI2012 Local Organizing Committee