

# LINAC08

Victoria, BC, Canada

29/09→03/10/2008



The Fairmont Empress / Victoria Conference Centre

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## XXIV Linear Accelerator Conference

September 29 - October 3, 2008



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Welcome to the LINAC08 web site!

TRIUMF is pleased to host the XXIV International Linear Accelerator Conference in the spectacular Canadian Pacific Coast City of Victoria from September 29th to October 3rd, 2008. This bi-yearly conference series provides a unique opportunity for LINAC specialists from around the world to interact professionally and culturally in a relaxed and inspirational atmosphere.

The Conference will feature invited talks, poster presentations, industrial exhibits and a special program to promote active participation of students in accelerator research. Incentives and partial funding support for qualifying students will be available. Attendance at this conference is by invitation only and invitations will be sent, on request, to representatives of institutions and companies involved in all aspects of linear accelerator research and development.

If you are involved in LINAC technology, I enthusiastically encourage you to browse our web site and contact us for further information, or consider one of our many sponsorship opportunities to highlight your products.

Sincerely,

*Paul W. Schmor*

Chairman,  
LINAC08 International Organizing Committee

# COMMITTEES

IOC Chair: Paul Schmor

PC Chair: Robert Laxdal

LOC Chair: Amiya Mitra

- LOC was struck in April
- Presently has 13 members
- Meets weekly
- PC being selected

# MILESTONES

LINAC IOC and budget meeting		27/06/2007
Web page		01/09/2007
First announcement, poster		01/10/2007
PC meeting		14/01/2008
Nomination requests		01/02/2008
Abstract deadline		16/05/2008
PC meeting		06/06/2008
Programme on WWW, notify speakers		13/06/2008
Second announcement		11/07/2008
Early registration deadline		31/07/2008
Registration deadline / hotel cut-off		28/08/2008
Conference reception	Sunday	28/09/2008
Conference begins	Monday	29/09/2008
Conference ends	Friday	03/10/2008
TRIUMF tour	Saturday	04/10/2008
Proceedings on JACoW		01/12/2008



- The Victoria Conference Centre is located adjacent to The Fairmont Empress
- Same venue was used for CHEP'07 02→07/09/2007
- Internet access was upgraded
- Direct fibre connection to Internet
- University of Victoria IT support vital
- Direct connection to Canadian research network
- Canarie CAnet 4 OC-192 10 Gbps
- Will try to retain link for LINAC08
- **Wireless network was not adequate**
- The Victoria Conference Centre is pursuing an enhanced system with UVic/TRIUMF guidance

- LINAC08 will use all aspects of the SPMS
- SPMS instance installed
  
- TRIUMF will do its utmost to support the continued development of SPMS features
  
- TRIUMF looks forward to inviting the JACoW editors to assist and discover the wealth of local wines, beers and ciders that Vancouver Island has to offer to complement the food and scenery!