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## Multiparticle correlations and collectivity in proton nucleus collisions from the initial state

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In this talk, I will discuss recent progress in understanding multiparticle correlations in small systems from an initial state model. In this model of eikonal quarks scattering off of a dense nuclear target with localized domains of color charge, we are able to reproduce many of the qualitative features observed in light-heavy ion collisions at RHIC and the LHC which are often ascribed to collective behavior. These include the ordering of n-th moment two particle Fourier azimuthal anisotropy coefficient,  $v_n\{2\}$ ; a negative four particle second Fourier cumulant  $c_2\{4\}$ , giving rise to a real  $v_2\{4\}$ ; the similarity for multiparticle second Fourier harmonics  $v_2\{4\} \approx v_2\{6\} \approx v_2\{8\}\$$ ; and the energy dependence of the four particle symmetric cumulants. I will also contrast this model with the Glasmagraphap proximation, where some of these feature cannot be reproduced, leading to the conclusion that multiples cattering is a key ingredient for the observed multiparticle correlations from the initial state.

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