Welcome and Logistics

Probing strong-field QED in electron-photon interactions

21-23 August 2018

DESY, Hamburg

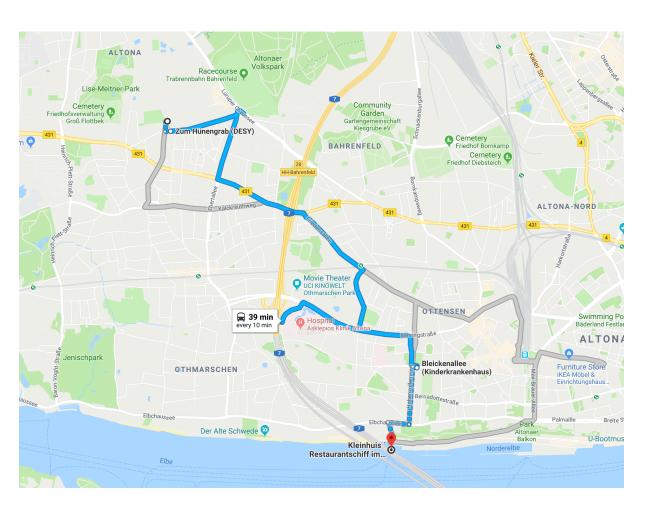


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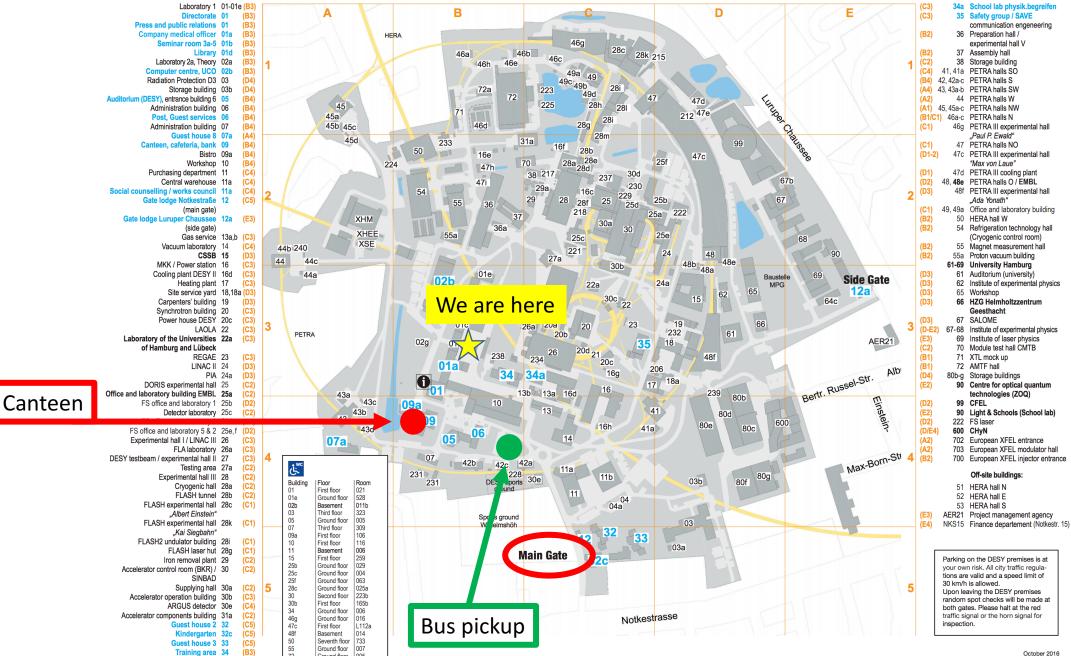
- Schedule is tight
 - Speakers please stay within allocated time and upload talks well in advance
 - Questions on talk upload: jenny.list@desy.de or marius.hoffmann@desy.de
- Conference fee receipts will be made available today
- Photograph:
 - Today after morning session (before lunch) a picture will be taken at steps in front of main auditorium
- Lunch:
 - You have received vouchers for 5 Euros for lunch in the canteen on both days
- Dinner tonight at 7:30pm at http://www.kleinhuis-restaurantschiff.de/
 - Bus leaves at 7pm from parking lot near main auditorium
 - Session ends at 6pm
 - you can also find your own way and stroll along Elbe river and enjoy the weather
- Hostel: can be paid at checkout time
- Friday:
 - Tour of DESY at 10am (HERA, XFEL mock-up, ...) => If interested, contact Ramona.Matthes@desy.de
 - Time for informal meetings as needed (we have several rooms reserved)
- Any logistics questions: ask <u>Ramona.Matthes@desy.de</u>

Dinner tonight: Kleinhuis restaurant in Oevelgoenne at 7:30pm



- Take bus at 7pm on site
- Or, use public transport
 - see google maps





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Agenda

- Today:
 - Overview
 - Physics case
- Tomorrow:
 - Accelerators and Lasers
 - Detectors
 - Synergies

Agenda today

08:30 - 09:00	Registration			
09:00 - 12:25	Introduction/Overview Session to give general overview over physics, epxeriment, laser and acccelerator aspects			
		ers: Beate Heinemann (DESY and Freiburg University), Matthew Wing (UCL)		
	09:00	Welcome and logistics 10' Speaker: Beate Heinemann (DESY and Freiburg University)		
	09:10	The European XFEL accelerator and science programme 25' Speaker: Prof. Robert Feidenhansl (European XFEL)		
	09:40	The scientific interest in strong-field QED and electron-laser experiments 30' Speaker: Dr. Anton Ilderton (University of Plymouth)		
	10:15	The E144 experiment and lessons learned 20' Speaker: Kirk McDonald (Princeton)		
	10:40	Coffee 30'		
	11:10	New ideas for high-energy electron/laser experiments 20' Speaker: Matt Zepf (HIJ)		
	11:35	Global high energy electron accelerators: present and future 20' Speaker: Vitaly Yakimenko (SLAC)		
	12:00	Overview of high-power lasers 25' Speaker: Georg Korn (ELI beamlines)		
12:25 - 13:45	Lunch	+ photo		

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13:45 - 17:55	Physics case Talks on physics case (mostly theory talks)		
	Convene	rs: Dr. Thomas Heinzl (Plymouth University, School of Computing and Mathematics), Andreas Ringwald (DESY)	l
	13:45	Trident Pair Production in Laser Fields 15' Speaker: Mr. Greger Torgrimsson (Umeå/Chalmers)	~
	14:05	Laser-Assisted Breit-Wheeler and Schwinger Pair Production 15' Speaker: Prof. Burkhard Kaempfer (HZDR)	~
	14:25	Next great challenge beyond SLAC E144: probing a fully non-perturbative QED with electron-laser interaction 15' Speaker: Dr. Alexander Fedotov (National Research Nuclear University MEPhI)	~
	14:45	QED processes at high intensities 15' Speaker: Stepan Bulanov	T
	15:05	Quantum radiation reaction, e+e- pair production and acceleration in laser-electron beam scattering configurations 15' Speaker: Marija Vranic (IST, Lisbon)	~
	15:25	Nonlinear trident pair production in an arbitrary plane wave: a focus on the properties of the transition amplitude 15' Speaker: Felix Mackenroth (MPI for Complex Systems) Material: Slides	~
	15:45	Coffee 30'	
	16:15	Giant energy transfer from an electron bunch to a photon beam mediated by radiation reaction 15' Speaker: Matteo Tamburini (MPI Heidelberg)	~
	16:35	Massive scalar and pseudoscalar production in electron-laser collisions 15' Speaker: Dr. Ben King (Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität München)	T
	16:55	Laser-Matter Interactions at High Intensity: Theoretical Challenges 15' Speaker: Mattias Marklund (Gothenburg)	v
	17:15	All optical signatures from the quantum vacuum 15' Speaker: Holger Gies (Friedrich-Schiller University Jena)	v
	17:35	Relevance of laser-based experiments for probing hidden particles 15' Speaker: Dr. Selym Villalba-Chavez (Institut für Theoretische Physik I, Heinrich Heine Universität Dusseldorf)	\
19:30 - 22:00	Dinner		