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NASA Laboratory Astrophysics Workshop - Second Announcement

Workshop: NASA Laboratory Astrophysics Workshop

Where: Gatlinburg, Tennessee

When: 25-28 October 2010

Deadline for early registration: September 10, 2010

Deadline for abstract submission: September 10, 2010

Deadline for hotel reservations: September 30, 2010

Deadline for travel support: August 10, 2010

Deadline for proceedings contribution: December 9, 2010

The Astrophysics Division of NASA's Science Mission Directorate (SMD) is sponsoring its fourth Laboratory Astrophysics Workshop (LAW).

The purpose of this approximately quadrennial workshop is to provide a forum within which the scientific community can review the current state of knowledge in the field of Laboratory Astrophysics, assess the critical data needs of NASA's current and future space astrophysics missions, and identify the challenges and opportunities facing the field as we begin a new decade. The complete charge for the workshop can be downloaded at

http://www-cfadc.phy.ornl.gov/nasa_law/ .

The Workshop website http://www-cfadc.phy.ornl.gov/nasa_law/ now also provides a wide range of information regarding the location, transportation, registration, abstract submission, etc.

Deadline for Early Registration: September 10, 2010 (\$275 which includes coffee breaks, three continental breakfasts, and three lunches. Late Registration after September 10, 2010 is \$400. Please use the link on the workshop website to register and make payment by credit card.

http://www-cfadc.phy.ornl.gov/nasa_law/registration.html)

Deadline for Abstract Submission: September 10, 2010 (Invited speakers should submit a one page abstract following the instructions available on the workshop website. In addition, each registered participant may submit an abstract and present a corresponding 4' by 4' poster.

http://www-cfadc.phy.ornl.gov/nasa_law/abstracts.html)

Deadline for Hotel Reservations: September 30, 2010 (Though the workshop room block will be held up until September 30, we strongly encourage participants to make their hotel reservations as soon as possible.

http://www-cfadc.phy.ornl.gov/nasa_law/hotel.html)

Deadline for Travel Support: August 10, 2010 (NASA has provided a limited amount of funding intended to facilitate participation by young faculty, postdoctoral researchers, graduate students or others with particular need. Please send a brief one paragraphs statement of justification to the workshop local organizer schultzd@ornl.gov before August 10, 2010 and we will make arrangements to provide partial travel support for as many of those that apply as is practical.)

Deadline for Proceedings Contributions: December 9, 2010 (A proceedings containing the Scientific Organizing Committees' report along with papers from the Invited Talks and Contributed Posters will be prepared and distributed. Please see the instructions on the

workshop website.

http://www-cfadc.phy.ornl.gov/nasa_law/proceedings.html)

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