

First announcement of PD18 workshop November 27-29, Tokyo, Japan

The International Workshop on New Photon Detectors (PD18) will take place at the University of Tokyo in Tokyo, Japan, from November 27 to November 29, 2018.

PD18 is the 5th meeting in a series of Workshops on New Photon Detectors: PD07, Kobe, Japan; PD09, Matsumoto, Japan; PhotoDet12, Orsay, France; PD15, Moscow, Russia. The purpose of this workshop is to discuss new ideas and recent developments in photo-detectors and their applications in various fields: high energy physics, neutrino physics, particle and astroparticle physics, nuclear physics, nuclear medicine and industry.

The workshop will be held at the <u>Koshiba Hall</u> of the University of Tokyo (Hongo Campus).

There will be plenary sessions with invited and contributed talks, and a poster session.

The main topics of the worksop include:

- New developments in photon-detectors: PPD, APD, PMT, Hybrid PMT, MCP-PMT
- Electronics: front-end and readout of large systems
- Applications: particle and astroparticle physics, nuclear physics, nuclear medicine and industry

Details and updated information about the workshop will be available at the workshop webpage: http://www-conf.kek.jp/PD18.

Abstract submission will be open from <u>July 30 to September 28</u>. More details, including registration procedure, will be given at the next announcement, which should follow soon.

We are looking forward to seeing you in Tokyo in November.

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