First announcement – GrACo III

III Reunião Argentino-Brasileira de Gravitação, Astrofísica e Cosmologia III Reunión Argentino-Brasileña de Gravitación, Astrofísica y Cosmología

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We are pleased to announce the III Argentine-Brazilian Meeting on Gravitation, Astrophysics and Cosmology – GrACo III, to be held at the Centro Brasileiro de Pesquisas Físicas in *Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, from April 26th to 29th, 2016*. Below you will find important information on the meeting.

<u>Rationale</u>

The research on Gravitation, Astrophysics, and Cosmology in Argentina and Brazil has reached a solid level of development, as shown by the quality of the production of both countries. In this scenario, the main goal of the GrACo series of meetings is to stimulate and reinforce the collaboration between these two well-established scientific communities.

The first Meeting was held in Foz do Iguaçu, Brazil, in October 2011, with the attendance of 76 researchers and students from Argentina and Brazil. The increase to 103 participants for the second Meeting held in Buenos Aires, Argentina, in April 2014, and the balance of participation between Brazilians and Argentinians are a proof of the importance and the support from both scientific communities to this series of meeting.

The organization of the third Argentine-Brazilian Meeting on Gravitation, Astrophysics and Cosmology aims to continue fostering the effort for long-term collaborations, by fully involving a larger number of researchers and students in the discussions.

The scheme of the Meeting will follow the main lines of the previous editions, with contributed talks and posters, together with a few invited plenary presentations by well-known specialists on topics of particular relevance. There will be also enough free time to encourage interaction and discussion between the participants.

Important information

In this third edition, the meeting will include both invited and contributed talks, together with contributed posters. The list of invited speakers is available at the website of the conference: <u>http://www.cbpf.br/gracoiii</u>

The instructions for sending your contribution will be available at the same website by the opening of the registration.

The deadline for abstract submission is December 31_{st}, 2015. Registration will open from October 1st, 2015, to December 31_{st}, 2015.

The registration fee is USD 100 (one hundred american dollars) if paid before December 1_{st}, and USD 150 (one hundred and fifty american dollars) after this date. For students, the fee is USD 50 (fifty american dollars). A limited amount of funding will be available for supporting the participation of students.

More information on the meeting is available at the conference website: http://www.cbpf.br/gracoiii We look forward to meeting you in Rio de Janeiro.

The Organizing Committee