

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Week of December 4th



Happy Nobel Week and start of December!



Upcoming Events

December 6th- Reception for Nobel Week, 10:00 am, PRB Atrium and Commons

December 10th- Nobel Ceremony Watch Party, 9:45 am, 1080 PRB and Live Stream on Nobel Site

Upcoming Colloquia & Seminars

12/4/23 Climate & Diversity Committee Town Hall- 11:00 am- noon, 1080 PRB and on [Zoom](#). Department Chair Michael Poirier will be present

12/5/23 Fall 2023 Colloquium Series- Rich Lebed- The XYZ Affair: Tales of the Third (and Fourth) Hadrons. [More information](#)

12/5/23 CCAPP Seminar- Nepomuk Otte- Trinity the PeV Neutrino Observatory. [More information](#)

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Full Department

The Climate & Diversity Committee is kicking off a set of town hall meetings to collect community feedback to articulate goals for a department-wide DEI Strategic Plan. Do you have questions about the process? Do you have suggestions for us about how we can better collect community feedback? Please join us for “office hours” on Monday, Dec. 4, 11 am-noon, PRB 1080 and [Zoom](#), or Wednesday, Dec. 6, 1-4 pm on [Zoom](#).

Our department has a variety of new AV equipment deployed and ready for use. There are 6 new large screens available throughout the PRB conference rooms, as well as carts for easy transport. These can be easily connected via HDMI cable to personal computers. There are also still projectors and OWLs

available to be checked out at the PRB main office.

There is more information and resources available on our department website.

[Click here](#) for archived Department of Physics Weekly Emails

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Graduate Students

PGSC is hosting a **Graduation Deadlines and Policies Seminar** on December 7 1-2 PM, PRB 1080 Smith Seminar Room.

There will be a panel of recently finished students and Kris Dunlap will also be one the panel.

This seminar will review the final semester timeline for graduation and is **highly** recommended for anyone planning to graduate in the next year. Specifically, we will discuss the required graduate school forms and associated deadlines, when and how to reserve a room for the defense, the difference between regular and end-of-semester graduation, deadlines for dissertation submission to your committee and the graduate school, graduate school dissertation formatting requirements, and other related topics. We will also provide helpful tips on how to approach dissertation writing and the defense. This information will be presented in the first half hour, and the second half hour will be reserved for a Q&A with recently graduated students as well as Kris Dunlap.

Undergraduate Students

This Thursday, December 7th, is the final Physics and Engineering Physics Major Social of the Semester! Join us from 2:00- 3:00 pm this reading day in the PRB Atrium for grab and go Buckeye Donuts and warm drinks!

Submit your news items to scopel.6@osu.edu by 5pm, Thursday.

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