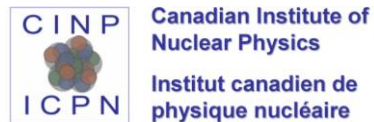


Welcome & Bienvenue

Welcome to the 1st ever online and fully remote WNPPC!



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WNPPC 2021

58th Winter Nuclear & Particle Physics Virtual Conference

**February
9-12 2021**

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Thank you to the Organizing Committee!



- Soud Al Kharusi
- Alain Bellerive
- Thomas Brunner
- Jens Dilling
- Beatrice Franke
- Dana Giasson
- Gwen Grinyer
- Blair Jamieson
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Thanks to the session
chairs and presentation
judges!

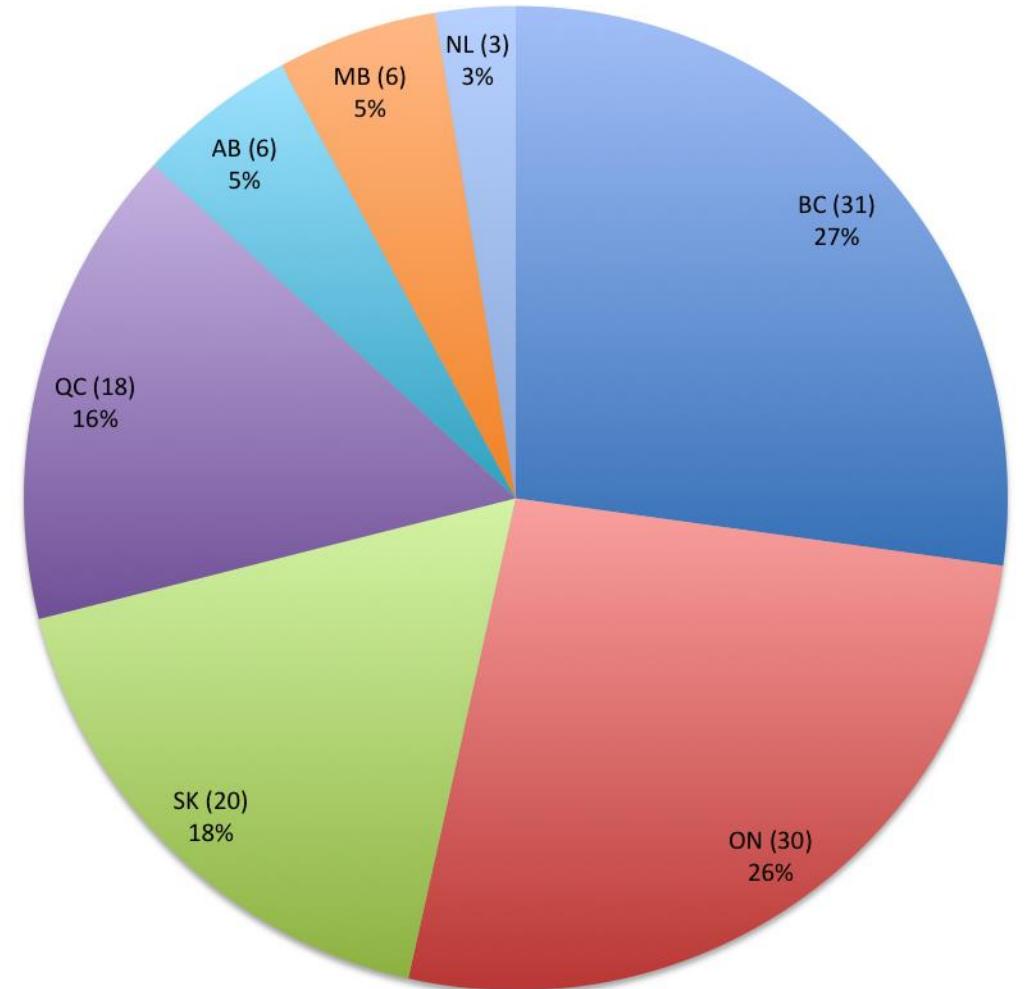
Thanks for contributing to the social program:

- Tony Kwan (McGill)
- Lia Formenti (McGill)
- Chris Chambers (McGill)
- The McDonald Institute team

Participants



- We have a total of 117 registered participants from across the country
- 99 students and post docs
- 18 regular attendees
- 50 student and post doc presentations
- 6 invited talks
 - Joseph Bramante, Queen's University
 - Erica Caden, SNOLAB
 - Matthias Danninger, Simon Fraser University
 - Dennis Muecher, University of Guelph
 - Nahee Park, Queen's University
 - Juan Pablo Yanez, University of Alberta



Program overview (MTL time, GMT-5)



- 11 am – 5:30 pm: Scientific program with three sessions per day (only two on the first day). Between second and third session there is a break (2 pm – 4 pm) where you are encouraged to socialize, play board games, and network in the WNPPC Gather.town world.
- 6:30 pm: Social program
 - Feb. 9: Reception and Trivia night (sign up on the bulletin board in gather.town)
 - Feb. 10: Professional development workshop and panel discussion
 - Feb. 11: Conference dinner (check your email for a food voucher)
 - Feb. 12: Best presentation award ceremony and closing of conference.
- You should receive a WNPPC 2021 tuque in your mailbox this week – check your mailboxes (sorry, we could only ship to addresses in Canada)!

Scientific Program



- You can find the program online:
<https://nyx.physics.mcgill.ca/event/253/timetable>
- Please upload your talks to the indico page **the night before your talk**. We will download it and can show your slides in case of technical difficulties.
- Please mute your microphone. For questions, please raise your hand and the chair will ask you to unmute. You can also write the question in your chat window and the chair will read it out.
- Feel free to keep your video on if your bandwidth allows it. It is nicer to see other faces instead of just talking to black rectangles.
- We will not publish any link to any of our communication platforms online. Links will only be shared via email. This way we aim to provide a private, protected, and safe space for all our interactions.
- Please use your preferred name and pronouns as screen name.

Gather.town

Approach Hussain, Soud
or Thomas for help or
announcements.

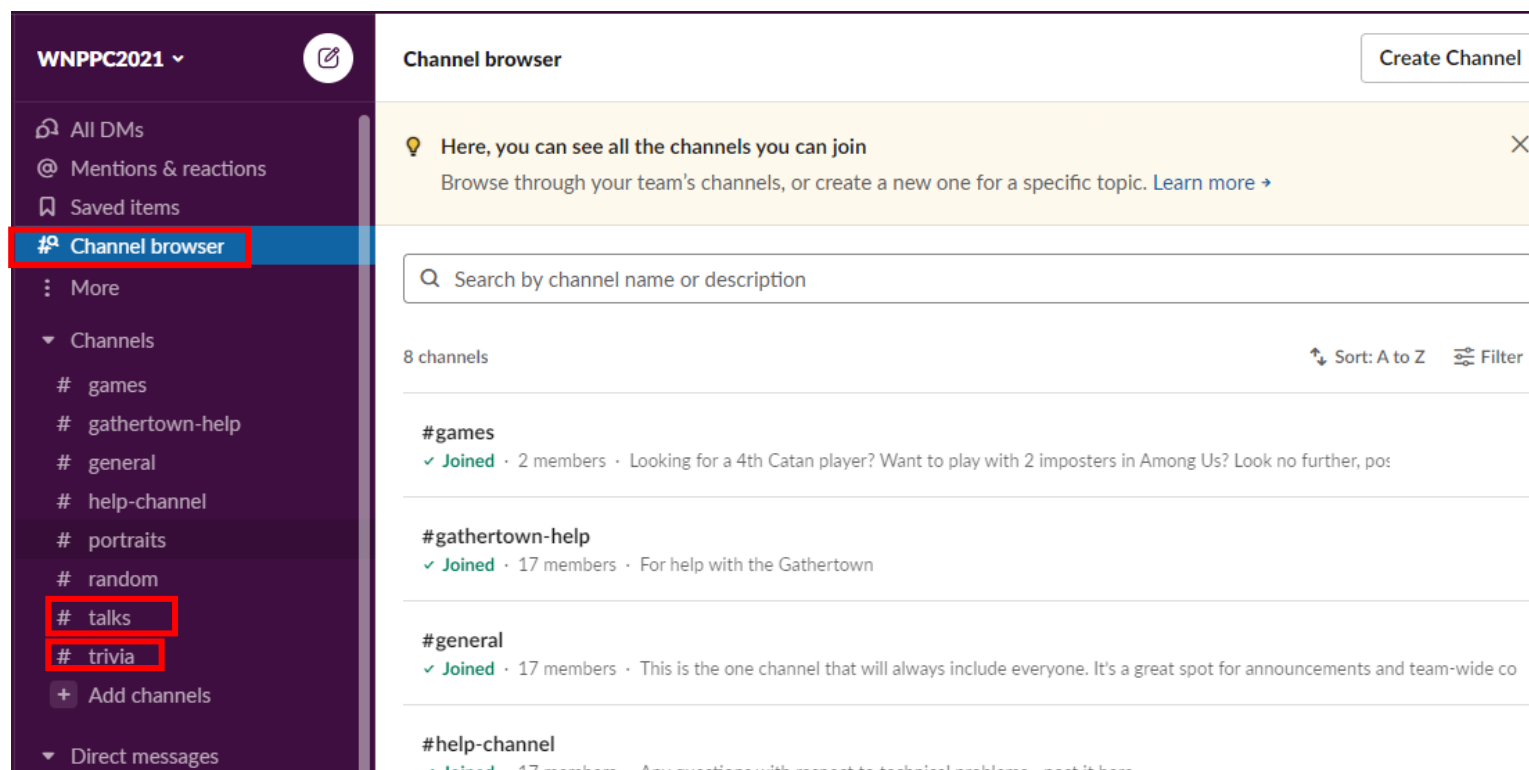


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- We selected Gather.town for social interactions.
- Proximity-based video chat platform.
- Only people in close proximity can see and hear you.
- It is set up for you to socialize and meet other participants.
- Seating areas are defined as private spaces so you need to 'enter' them to connect.
- You can play boardgames.
- We have whiteboards.
- Move around with error keys, interact with objects with 'x'.
- With sound issues, respawn or reload the browser.

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Slack

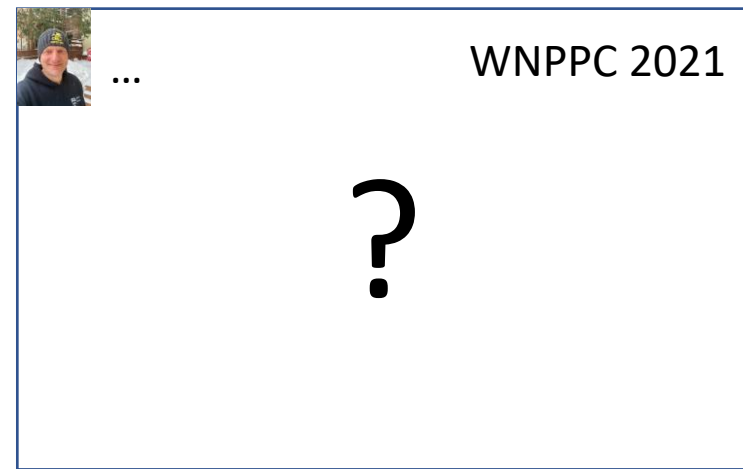


- Please sign up to slack using the signup link provided in the invitation email.
- You can continue your physics discussion after a talk in the channel #talks.
- Join the #trivia channel if you will join us tonight for a game of trivia!
- Browse channels and sign up for them.
- Ask us if you need technical support.
- You can direct message other participants.
- Let us know if we should add other channels.



Group-picture portrait collage

- Please upload a selfie of yourself while attending WNPPC to the slack channel #portraits, ideally with tuque.
- Please upload the picture by Thursday night.
- By uploading your selfie to slack#portraits you consent to it being used in a collage that we will post on the conference webpage.





Student Prizes

- This year we will have 6 prizes for best presentations.
- We have a total of \$3k in prizes from generous support from CINP, IPP, and CAP.
- Awarded based on
 - Clarity of presentation
 - Accessibility of presentation to those outside research group
 - Level of contribution to the presented work



Code of conduct

- This is professional event.
- We will support others' scientific discussion.
- We will avoid inappropriate actions or statements based on individual characteristics such as age, race, ethnicity, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, marital status, nationality, political affiliation, ability status, educational background, or any other characteristic protected by law.
- We will not engage in disruptive or harassing behavior of any kind.
- We will maintain professional conduct that is collegial, inclusive, and professional, welcoming to all participants and free from any form of discrimination, harassment, or retaliation.



Stay safe and enjoy WNPPC 2021!

For questions send an email to WNPPC@triumf.ca or use slack.