



Fourth Workshop of the European Gamma and Ancillary Detectors Network and AGATA Collaboration meeting

EGAN 2014

GSI Darmstadt, 23-26 June 2014

Associated Events:

Meetings of the EGAN Working Groups and Scientific Committee

SECOND CIRCULAR

SCOPE AND TOPICS

The European Gamma and Ancillary detectors Network (EGAN), in the framework of ENSAR (FP7), promotes the mutual coordination between research groups involved in high-resolution gamma-ray spectroscopy to optimize the use of the valuable resources at the different infrastructures and to enhance synergies among researchers on a broad European scale for frontline research.

The aim of the EGAN 2014 Workshop is to present the latest physics results obtained with the different gamma arrays. In particular, we would like to explore different methods and techniques from both the structure and reaction mechanism points of view to plan and design new experiments at the stable and radioactive beam facilities.

Review talks are planned followed by shorter contributions selected from the submitted abstracts. There will be ample time for discussion.

The deadline for abstract submission is the 30th April 2014. Information regarding the abstract selection will be notified to the contributors by the 9th May 2014.

The workshop will start at 2pm on Monday 23th June. A welcome cocktail will be served on the evening of the 23th June. The Social Dinner will take place on the evening of Tuesday 24th June.

EGAN Scientific Committee and Working Groups

The afternoon of Wednesday 25th June will be devoted to the meetings of the EGAN Scientific Committee and of the Working Groups coordinating the ancillary instrumentation developments.

AGATA COLLABORATION MEETING

Thursday 26th June will be dedicated to the annual open meeting of the AGATA collaboration organized by the AGATA Collaboration Council where the status, results and plans of the AGATA project will be discussed.

WORKSHOP VENUE

The workshop will be held at GSI Darmstadt in KBW Lecture hall. For detailed information about the workshop please visit the website where information will be updated regularly.

REGISTRATION AND ABSTRACT SUBMISSION

Participants are invited to register using the registration form available on the web site. Deadline for registration is **15th June 2014**. There will be no registration fee. Lunches will be free of charge during the workshop. The social dinner will also be free of charge for the participants of the workshop.

Extra financial support will be available for young researchers wishing to attend the Workshop. This can be requested on the registration form. This support will cover local accommodation costs at GSI guesthouse. The deadline for the request

for financial support is 16th May. See the website for details:
<https://indico.gsi.de/event/EGAN2014>

Abstracts of a maximum of one page (min. 11pt font) may be submitted. These should be sent to C.Louchart-Henning@gsi.de by **30th April**. Those selected for oral presentation will be notified by **9th May**.

INVITED SPEAKERS

E. Clement, GANIL Caen, France

A. Gade, NSCL MSU, East Lansing, USA

L. Gaffney, KU Leuven, Belgium

A. Maj, IFJ. PAN, Kraków, Poland

T. Marchi, LNL INFN Legnaro, Italy

G. Martinez-Pinedo, TU Darmstadt, Germany

I. Matea, IPN, IN2P3, Orsay, France

D. Mengoni, INFN Padova, Italy

S. Nishimura, RIBF, RIKEN, Wako , Japan

F. Nowacki, IPHC Strasbourg, France

T. Otsuka, University of Tokyo, Japan

J. Pakarinen, University of Jyväskylä, Finland

J. Perkowski, University of Łódź, Poland

N. Pietralla, TU Darmstadt, Germany

A. Schwenk, TU Darmstadt, Germany

C. Ur, INFN Padova, Italy

J.J. Valiente Dobon, LNL INFN Legnaro, Italy

SOCIAL EVENTS

Monday 23rd June: Welcome cocktail after the session

Tuesday 24th June: Social evening “Discover Frankfurt – world’s smallest metropolis - from classic to modern”

The social evening will include:

- Organ concert in the Frankfurt’s main evangelic church (<http://www.stk-musik.de/>) in the very heart of the city.
The concert will be given by Prof. Martin Luecker who is one of the most known organists in the world (<http://www.stk-musik.de/kirchenmusiker/martin-luecker.html>).
- Open air dinner in one of the Frankfurt’s lounge locations:
<http://cms.mantis-roofgarden.de/>
- Optionally Frankfurt city tour by J. Gerl

Frankfurt is the most international city in Germany, the largest financial centre on the continent, the historical city of coronations, the city of Goethe and the Frankfurt School... In brief, to the smallest metropolis in the world, in which there is a lot to discover at close hand. Whether this glance at the city’s home page is the start of a longer, maybe even permanent, stay on the banks of the Main, or if, as a business visitor, you only have a limited amount of time available: you will find that the city has interesting offers for extensive tours of the city, cultural enjoyment and attractive shopping trips waiting for you.

Almost one in three of the people living in Frankfurt do not hold a German passport. No matter where visitors come from, they will always meet people in Frankfurt who speak their language and a restaurant that serves their favourite food. The open and hospitable atmosphere in Frankfurt stems from its centuries-old role as a trading centre. This liberal and democratic tradition of the city may be one reason for the fact that people from very diverse cultures have lived here in peace with one another for a long time. They have all contributed to making this city shine slightly differently from every angle, like a jewel shines slightly differently when you look at it from different sides.

This starts with the city’s architecture. Those who go and have a drink in a cosy cider pub on a nice summer evening will experience the atmosphere that even Frankfurt’s most famous son, Johann Wolfgang Goethe, would still easily recognise. The view of Frankfurt’s bold high-rise architecture is just as attractive and yet very different. Directly opposite the high-rise buildings, on the other side

of the Main, a unique collection of 13 museums has been developed and these are devoted to different works of art, from classical paintings to modern media.

IMPORTANT DATES

- Registration: until 15th June 2014.
- GSI accommodation: book by 25th May 2014.
- Request financial support: until 16th May 2014.
- Deadline for abstract submission: 30th April 2014
- Notification to contributors: 9th May 2014

ACCOMMODATION

Details of accommodation are available on the website:
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CORRESPONDENCE

Please address all correspondence by electronic mail to the scientific secretary of the workshop:

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Please put EGAN2014 in the title to help us respond to you.

WEB PAGE

Updated information on the Workshop can be found on the web page:

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