

7th INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP ON ASTRONOMY AND RELATIVISTIC ASTROPHYSICS Quarks and Cosmos IWARA 2016 7th CIRCULAR / 2016

Dear Participant

We are pleased to have received your registration to the IWARA2016 event - 7th International Workshop on Astronomy and Relativistic Astrophysics, which will be held in Gramado, Brazil, from 9th to 13th October, 2016 at the <u>Centro de Eventos FAURGS</u> – "Events Center" of the Federal University of the State of Rio Grande do Sul – FAURGS/UFRGS, located in São Pedro street nº 663, Gramado, RS. (See map <u>here</u>).

Access please <u>here</u> the book of abstracts of the meeting, --- which contains a draft of the program of the lectures, the summaries of the contributions, the program of the poster sessions and the list of participants ---, for amendments, corrections, and suggestions. Please remember that the MÁRIO SCHENBERG PRIZE will be offered to the best three students' posters.

Please be also advised that we will provide to the participants three buses leaving Porto Alegre airport to Gramado on October, Sunday 9, at 11:00 AM, 11:30 AM and 11:45 AM (local time). When disembarking in Porto Alegre, please find our staff next to the exit of terminal 1 of the airport. In order we can give you the best possible support, please let us know if you will use the transportation services of the official agency, "Plinc Tourism" (tel: +5554 3905 4747; e-mail: <u>eventos@plincturismo.com.br</u>), or if you will use the transportation to Gramado provided by the local organizing committee, as well as the data of your flight to Porto Alegre, or if you will use any other mean of transportation. Please inform also the name and address of the hotel where you will be staying during the event. A personal cell phone number would be helpful in this process. Please visit our website: <u>http://www.if.ufrgs.br/IWARA2016</u>, and in particular the <u>Participants List and Contributions</u>, which contains titles and summaries of the contributions.

We emphasize that we are making a huge effort, despite our financial constraints, to offer to you a pleasant stay in Gramado and a scientific program of excellence for IWARA 2016. The payment of the fees of the event in turn, will be very helpful to enable us to offer, to the participants, coffee breaks during the sessions of the event, transportation of the participants of the Porto Alegre Airport to Gramado and return to Porto Alegre, preparation of a book of abstracts and other promotional materials, publication of the proceedings of the meeting, wireless network access at the venue and a cocktail of welcome. Brazilian participants are invited to pay the fees of the meeting, if they have not done already, by deposit of the value (\$60 euros for students and \$150 euros for senior researchers and professors) in the Bank of Brazil account no. 55221-6, agency: 1899-6. Foreign participants are invited to pay the fees on Sunday, October 9 directly at the venue.

We are proud with your participation in our event. Best regards. IWARA 2016 LOC