XXV DAE-BRNS HEP Symposium @ IITGN

A Proposal made to the DAE GBM
IIT-Gandhinagar (IITGN) was established in 2008.
In 2012, we moved to Palaj, Gandhinagar (~400 acres) - a green campus!
Current strength ~110 faculty in Phy, Math, Chem, HSS +7 engineering disciplines.
Almost equal number of UG and PG students!
Physics discipline has faculty working on diverse areas and has vibrant M.Sc and Ph.D programs.
Symposium Facilities

- 520 capacity auditorium for plenary session.
- 300 capacity auditorium: 1, 150 capacity auditoriums: 3
- Several ~40 capacity classrooms.
- All these can be used for the parallel sessions.
- In addition, meeting rooms (~10 capacity) can be booked.
- Many open spaces for discussion/poster sessions.
520 capacity Auditorium
300 capacity Auditorium
Stilted Area for Posters/Discussions
Accommodation

- Guest house on campus with 80+ rooms.
- Student hostels: expect to book around 60-70 rooms; many can be shared.
- Tune hotel in Motera and Hotel Country Inn in Gandhinagar - can house 100-120 people each. Around 35 mins bus ride.
- Typical cost of these hotels: Rs. 2000 for single occupancy, Rs. 3000 for double. We shall strive to negotiate a better deal.
- Additional new hotel in the GIFT city very close to campus (10 mins ride).
Guest House (under construction and will be ready in 2021)
Hostel Parcel + New hostel blocks (under construction, ready in 2021).
Fountain Area for Workshop Dinner
## Budget Details

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- The cost of the conference will be covered mostly from the registration fee, but we will also apply for DAE-BRNS and DST-SERB fundings.
Some Specifics

The registration fee will cover the following:
- Conference kit & Stationery
- Conference food
- Banquet
- Printing, banners, photography

Assuming 450 participants, the average registration cost for the above works to ~Rs. 3500. In addition, participants are expected to pay for their accommodation.

We rely on DAE-BRNS, DST-SERB, Gujcost and other funding agencies to cover the remaining costs.
Related Information

- A hospitality department that will take care of all necessities ensuring comfort of all guests.
- Hostel Mess + Guest House Mess + Various small eateries within campus + 1 hotel in the Central Arcade.
- A relaxed atmosphere and good weather in December!
- Full-fledged gym + walking/jogging trails.