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# WP7: Dissemination, Outreach, Innovation

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# Tasks in WP7

Task 7.1 Nuclear Astrophysics Masterclasses (TUD)

Task 7.2 Nuclear Astrophysics Scientific Schools (GANIL/HZDR)

Task 7.3 Nuclear, Astronomy, and Astrophysics Conference Outreach (HZDR)

Task 7.4 Research-Industry Days (UNIPD)



# **Deliverables and Milestone in WP7**

#### **Deliverables**

- ✓ D7.1 Two presentations targeting Nat. Funding Authorities and the general public, available on ChETEC-INFRA webpage
- ✓ D7.2 Report on new NPA school plans to EB
- ✓ D7.3 Report to GA on comprehensive plan of nuclear astrophysics schools over the duration of the project
- ✓ D7.4 First Masterclass made available to multipliers in 11 different languages
- D7.5 Report to GA on organization and participants of scientific schools in the first two years (04/2023)
- D7.6 **Report** on first **model industry day** to the GA and publication on project web page (04/2023)
- D7.7 **Second Masterclass** made available to multipliers in 11 different languages (10/2023)

#### Milestone

M6 (04/2023) First Nuclear Astrophysics masterclass used by the first 100 high school students





# Task 7.1 Nuclear Astrophysics Masterclasses

# First Masterclass on Nuclear Astrophysics A Journey through the elements <a href="http://mc.chetec-infra.eu/">http://mc.chetec-infra.eu/</a>

- ✓ Available since 08/2022, initially in German and English
- ✓ Training of junior scientists at NPA-X school 09/2022
- ✓ Masterclass was held in Germany several times, 60 high school students reached so far

### **Open items:**

- Translation to local languages by consortium members → Send translation, several languages still missing
- → Hold Masterclass at your university/research lab or in a school nearby

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# **Second Masterclass on Stellar Astrophysics**

Under development

More details: see presentation from Hannes Nitsche (Tuesday)





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# WP 7 HIGHLIGHTS Nuclear Astrophysics Scientific Schools

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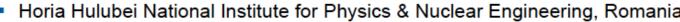


# **Involved institutions**

- Grand Accélérateur National d'Ions Lourds, France
- Helmholtz-Zentrum Dresden-Rossendorf, Germany
- Horia Hulubei National Institute for Physics & Nuclear Engineering, Romania
- Hubert Curien Pluridisciplinary Institute, France
- Kore University of Enna, Italy
- Laboratori Nazionali del Sud, Italy
- Max Planck Institute for Astronomy Heidelberg, Germany
- University of Frankfurt, Germany
- University of Milan, Italy
- University of Oslo, Norway
- University of Padua, Italy
- University of Perugia, Italy
- University of Strasbourg, France
- Uppsala University, Sweden
- Vilnius University, Lithuania



























# Partner schools of ChETEC-INFRA

#### New schools

- Intercontinental School on Nuclear Astrophysics NIC XVII 11-15/09/23
- Nuclear Physics in Astrophysics School

NPA X 29/08 – 03/09/22

- School on observations and spectroscopic tools ChINOS 24-28/07/23
- SNAQs (14)
   Schools on Nuclear
   Astrophysics Questions

# Well established schools

 Carpathian Summer School of Physics

- European Summer School on Experimental Nuclear Astrophysics
- Rußbach School on Nuclear Astrophysics













i-process 15-19/05/23 MESA 28/08-01/09/23

# Carpathian Summer School of Physics



82 participants (50 students) 34 hours lectures



Organizing Committue:
Chair: Livius Trache, Mihai Straticiae
Seantfic secretary. Alexandra Spiridon
Hyodore: Alexandra Saftolu, Dun Filipescu, Dendou Crangana, Laurentia Serban

Soon coming edition of 2023 (July 2- 15)

# Rußbach School on Nuclear Astrophysics



17th Rußbach School on Nuclear Astrophysics

202241 participants28 students

2023 (after covid)64 participants35 students





# European Summer School on Experimental Nuclear Astrophysics





# **Nuclear Physics in Astrophysics School**

NPA-X SCH®☆L

Nuclear Physics in Astrophysics X School

29 August 2022 to 3 September 2022 CERN, Geneva, Switzerland

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Registration is open until 30 June 2022.

# 29/08 to 03/09/22 at CERN

Observation night scheduled Hands on GCE code Training for NA masterclasses Public lecture











Nuclear Physics in Astrophysics is an exciting field with many highlights in recent years in observational astronomy, simulating astrophysics, experimental and theoretical nuclear physics. Therefore, training and interaction of young scientists, PhD students and postdocs, are important for further progress and expansion of this community.

We are organizing a Summer School on "Nuclear Physics in Astrophysics" in connection to the International Conference on Nuclear Physics in Astrophysics X. It will be held at CERN, Geneva, Switzerland from August 29 to September 3, 2022.

#### Nuclear Physics in Astrophysics - X

Topics will cover the different aspects of Nuclear Physics and Astrophysics from nuclear structure theory to nuclear ground and excited state properties and experimental studies. Nuclear physics is the necessary link between astronomical observations, stellar models and galactic chemical evolution. The impressive progress in astrophysics during the last decades explaining and predicting astronomical scenarios was only possible because of the fluitful interplay between all disciplines. New insights in one field triggered new developments in the other fields. New experimental techniques are typically the response to new predictions and observations. Recent success stories involve exotic objects like merging neutron stats, more abundant red giants or even rather ordinary stats as the Sun.

Highlights of the school include:

- Observation night with the world-class Nordic Optical Telescope sponsored by ChETEC-INFRA
- . Hands-on day with the galactic chemical evolution code OMEGA
- . Training day for Nuclear Astrophysics Masterclasses

ChETEC-INFRA, ChETEC-INFRA will provide financial support to 20 selected students, partially covering local costs (i.e., meals and accommodation).

Moreover, via the global network of networks, IReNA will provide financial support to USA students.







# i-process Nucleosynthesis Workshop & School

15-19 mai 2023 Poseidonia Beach Hotel, Limassol, Cyprus

Fuseau horaire Europe/Athens





1st ChETEC-INFRA Observational School (ChINOS) 2023

24–28 juil. 2023 IN-PERSON EVENT

Ondřejov Observatory

Accueil

Inscription

Liste des participants

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The 1st ChETEC-INFRA Observational School (ChINOS) 2023 will take place from July 24 to 28 (arrival July 23, 2023) at the Ondřejov Observatory near Prague, Czech Republic. ChINOS has been developed within the European Starting Community ChETEC-INFRA and focuses on teaching astronomical spectroscopic observing techniques to young scientists (Master's students, PhD students and young postdocs) working in nuclear astrophysics. The school includes three nights of remotely controlled observations at the Nordic Optical Telescope (NOT) on La Palma, Spain. Observed spectra are analysed in small teams among the school participants.



The school is open to all young nuclear astrophysicists worldwide. You can apply for the school by filling in the registration page

Currently we plan to accept 14 students who will be selected based on their motivation letter and letter(s) of recommendation.

ChETEC-INFRA funds are available to support selected students for lodging (shared apartments at the Observatory) and meals. Travel expenses have to be covered by their home institutions. Statements in this regard can be made in the registration form.

**Ondrejov Observatory** Prague, Czech Republic 3 nights observation at the NOT telescope Soon coming 24-28/07/23



Commence le 24 juil. 2023, 07:00 Finit le 28 juil. 2023, 17:00 Europe/Prague



Andreas Korn



Ondřejov Observatory





# **SNAQs: Schools on Nuclear Astrophysics Questions**

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A virtual school format discussing questions related to nuclear astrophysics

14 Alternatively organized by one of the director of the 3 schools of Carpathian, Catania and Russbach.

#### **Organizing committee:**

Rosanna **Depalo** (*Università degli Studi di Milano, Italy*)

Camilla Juul **Hansen** (Johann Wolfgang Goethe-Universität, Germany)

Marcel Heine (Hubert Curien Pluridisciplinary Institute, France)

Ann-Cecilie Larsen (University of Oslo, Norway)

Andreas **Korn** (*Uppsala University, Sweden*)

Arūnas **Kučinskas** (Vilnius University, Lithuania)

Sara **Palmerini** (*University of Perugia, Italy*)

Gianluca Pizzone (Laboratori Nazionali del Sud, Italy)

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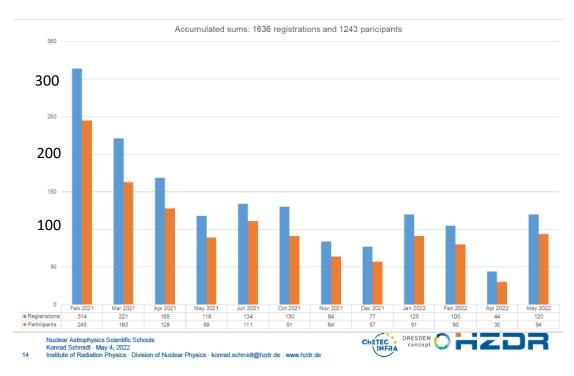
Livius **Trache** (Horia Hulubei National Institute for Physics & NE, Romania)

Aurora **Tumino** (Kore University of Enna, Italy)

Usually 2-3 speakers with moderators for questions.

Reached up to 250 participants during Covid, each month at beginning Stopped/reduced when in-person meetings restarted

# SNAQs stats – registrations and participants



Sets of slides (or 1-slide), e.g.

ChETEC-INFRA at a glance, Transnational Access with ChETEC-INFRA

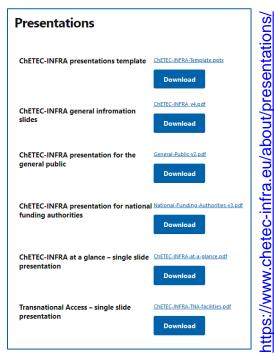
### For various target groups:

- Research communities
- General public
- National funding authorities

#### Roll-up banner, poster

#### ChETEC-INFRA was **strongly presented** at:

- all schools (SNAQs, Sinaia, Russbach, Catania, CERN)
- shared topical meeting of IReNA and ChETEC-INFRA ("Nuclear reaction measurements in Underground Laboratories", Rome, April 2022)
- 2022 "Frontiers in Nuclear Astrophysics" Meeting and IReNA Day (South Bend, USA, May 2022)
- Astrophysics with Radioactive Isotopes (Budapest, June 2022)
- CELLAR community meeting of Underground Laboratories (Dresden, November 2022)
- SDSS-V/IReNA Science Festival (Leuven, April 2023)



### TASK 7.4 - RESEARCH — INDUSTRY DAYS

- WG members: UNIPD, HZDR, INFN, TUD
- <u>Aim:</u> coordination by UNIPD and INFN of an industry outreach and innovation promotion activity -> achieve a model/standard industry day (UNIPD) to be shared with other laboratories (HZDR for example can be the next)
- <u>Test Case</u>: using the neutron detector topic (JRA1) as example. To this end, indicate a neutron detector school to be supported

# FIRST INDUSTRY DAY

<u>Test School</u>: 4<sup>th</sup> SUMMER SCHOOL on Neutron Detectors and Related Applications NDRA-2022, 30th June – 4th July, 2022. Riva del Garda, Trento, Italy.

Continuing in its tradition, the aim of the school is to illustrate principles, methodologies and most recent applications of neutron detection technologies.

<u>Target:</u> The school is addressed to PhD students, Post-Docs and young researchers with backgrounds in Engineering and Physics.

#### **Topics:**

- Neutron interaction with materials.
- Physics of neutron detectors.
- Materials for neutron detection.
- Monte Carlo simulation.
- Gas detectors for neutrons.
- Neutron sources.
- Neutrons in medicine, energy and environment.

# ORGANIZATION OF THE DAY

Sunday afternoon	INDUSTRIAL DAY – sponsored by ChETEC-INFRA EU project
14.00-15.00	Richard Hall-Wilton (S&D Center, FBK, Italy)
	Neutron Sources.
15.00-16.00	Richard Hall-Wilton (S&D Center, FBK, Italy)
	Detectors for Spallation Sources.
16.00-17.00	Coffee Break + Poster session
17.00-18.30	Industrial presentations
	A. Caciolli (University of Padova)
	The CHETEC-INFRA project.
	P. Schotanus (SCIONIX)
	Relation of public research with industrial partners.
	Yuri Venturini (CAEN)
	New digital acquisition solutions for neutron detectors and applications.
20.00	Informal Discussion with Industrial Partners

NOTE: Additional talks related to university research for industrial application were planned but deleted due to last time problems of selected speakers

### **OUTCOME**

<u>Participants:</u> about 50 PhD students and 15 lecturers (probably due to the slow restarting after pandemic contingency)

Strong connection of the school topic (neutron detectors) with the work of WP3

The talks topic where selected to show connections between research and industries and make an overview on the different approaches to R&D and interconnection possibilities

The industrial partners were selected among SME that are not only producing components but also collaborating in research developments

# THE IMPORTANCE OF THE SME PARTNER LIST:

LASER ZENTRUM HANNOVER E.V.

CINEL

**SANDIA** 

SCIONIX [Detectors]

CAEN [Electronics]

FBK Trento [Silicon]

Micron Semiconductor Limited (Lancing, UK): [silicon] Mirion(Canberra): [HPGe]

TNE (Italy) [HPGe]

**AMETEK-ORTEC** 

Pfeiffer-Vacuum

**VACOM GmbH** 

Swagelok

Cryo-Anlagenbau

**LECROY Telemeter** 

Pfeiffer-Vacuum

**EMIOS Vakuum** 

EIE (Italy)

MERO/M3 (US) (mechanics of big dimension)

Medialario (Italy) optics, mirror

Fraunhofer (Germany)

ZAOT (Italy) mirror coating

Many of them already contacted successfully for the n-cap COST project

A continuous updated list would be important to be present in our website (private?) to help future applications to regional or EU calls

# INDUSTRY PARTNERS AND INNOVATION SESSION / EXHIBITION AT CELLAR COMMUNITY MEETING (DRESDEN)



**CELLAR Community Meeting 2022** 

28-30 Nov 2022 HZDR

The European underground physics laboratories community has been driving progress in a number of domains.

[...]

In recent years, a number of technical advances [...] have led to significant advances in sensitivity.

The three-day workshop (Monday noon until Wednesday noon) will provide an update on recent progress in the field and network the related community, including also innovation partners from industry. [...]



















# A POSSIBLE NEXT INDUSTRY DAY

Where?: HZDR

<u>How?</u>: The first industry day is a model and the organization of the day can be hired for the new industry

Who?: we hope that the participation of more partners can be also achieved

### Improvements?Suggestions?:

- Unfortunately, due to technical reasons, a Q&A pool was not used last time but it could be implemented to monitor better the achieved results
- ...?

# **Outlook**

# **Task 7.1 Nuclear Astrophysics Masterclasses**

- Masterclass on Stellar Astrophysics under development
- Will be presented at ChINOS Observational School next month

# Translate to your local language



# **Task 7.2 Nuclear Astrophysics Scientific Schools**

- ChINOS Observational School, July 24-28
- https://events.hifis.net/event/729/

# Task 7.3 Nuclear, Astronomy, and Astrophysics Conference Outreach

- ongoing
- Various slides at <a href="https://www.chetec-infra.eu/about/presentations/">https://www.chetec-infra.eu/about/presentations/</a>

# > Use sets of slides from website

# **Task 7.4 Research-Industry Days**

Planning next industry day at HZDR



