

CONFERENCES

15th Granada Seminar on computational physics, Granada 17-20 September.

Stochastic and Collective Effects in Neural Systems:

Biological aspects, Modeling, dynamics, Networks, Function and Applications

Partial list of scheduled speakers :

G. Bianconi, L. de Arcangelis, A. Gabrielli (ISC-CNR), J. Marro Cyriel Pennartz, D. Plenz,
M. Sánchez-Vives, S. Suweis, Y. Tu (IBM), P. Varona, and many others.

Please visit <http://ergodic.ugr.es/cp/>

From: Miguel A. Muñoz <mamunoz@onsager.ugr.es>

IX Summer School on Statistical Physics of Complex Systems, in Santander, Spain, on September 2-13, 2019

The school, oriented to Master, PhD students, and young postdocs worldwide will take place at Instituto de Física de Cantabria (IFCA) and will include six courses: Statistical Mechanics of Topological Defects, by C. Miguel; Critical transport dynamics in fusion plasmas, by R. Sánchez; Tipping points in dynamical systems and applications, by U. Feudel; Simulating percolation and granular media, by HJ. Herrmann; Complex Networks: Structure, Dynamics and their interrelation, by E. Estrada; Synchronization in populations of oscillators, by E. Montbrió.

For more information visit <http://gefenol-school2019.unican.es>

From: Juan M. López <lopez@ifca.unican.es>

Workshop on Locomotion and Navigation from Flies to Robots ICTP, Trieste, Italy, 10-12 Jul 2019

Deadline to submit applications: 31 May 2019

Apply here: <https://e-portal.ictp.it/applicant/login>

Grants: A limited number of grants are available to support the attendance of selected participants, with priority given to participants from developing countries.

There is no registration fee for this workshop.

Organizer: M. Vergassola (UCSD), Local Organiser: A. Celani

Cosponsor: Institute for Complex Adaptive Matter

ACADEMIC JOBS

Nine new faculty positions at Eindhoven University of Technology, The Netherlands

The department of Applied Physics at Eindhoven University of Technology, The Netherlands, is inviting applications for 9 new faculty positions.

The positions are open at all levels, i.e. Assistant, Associate, and Full Professor, and we are looking for candidates in all fields related to Applied Physics, including statistical physics, soft matter, biophysics, and fluid mechanics. As part of the university's newly established Irène Curie Program, which will be rolled out officially in June, the positions are currently open only to *female* candidates. See: <https://t.co/rf9XorDZQa>

From: Liesbeth Janssen <liesbethmcjanssen@gmail.com>

POST-DOC POSITIONS

Postdoc in Machine Learning for statistical Physics @ Berlin

We welcome applications by Postdoc candidates at the interface of Machine Learning for statistical Physics at FU Berlin.

Strong theoretical and computational background are required.

Example projects include Boltzmann Generators

<https://arxiv.org/abs/1812.01729>

Learning coarse-grained Molecular Dynamics force fields

<https://arxiv.org/abs/1812.01736>

Please send applications with CV, research interests and references to Frank Noe, frank.noe@fu-berlin.de

Postdoc position - experimental self-assembly - ESPCI Paris

We welcome applications from experimentalists interested in the frustrated self-assembly of irregular objects. The position consists in developing an experimental protocol to design and produce colloids of arbitrary shapes using a sub-micrometer-resolution 3D printer, then monitor their self-assembly to demonstrate the tendency of irregular shapes to aggregate into fibers and sheets as discussed in recent theoretical work. More at

<http://lptms.u-psud.fr/membres/mlenz/ExperimentalPostdoc.pdf>

From: Martin Lenz <martin.lenz@espci.fr>

Two-year postdoc position at the University of Campania "Luigi Vanvitelli"

funded by the national grant Stochastic forecasting in complex systems. Probabilistic prediction and scenario evaluation are powerful instruments in the description of complex systems of interest. In the present project, we aim to highlight, detect and assess methods, models and techniques able to perform stochastic prediction and scenarios evolution in real complex systems with methods inspired by statistical physics concepts and tools. In particular, we plan to focus on granular models for seismic faults and neuronal network models for brain activity, as well as on the analysis of experimental data provided by national and international collaborations.

From Lucilla de Arcangelis <luca.dearcangelis@unicampania.it>

MISCELLANEOUS

The Italian Society of Statistical Physics (SIFS) has been founded on the 20th of May 2019.

Available info can be found at the following link

<https://www.fisicastatistica.org/>

Association is open to colleagues working in foreign scientific institutions.

As a first step one has to fill the form at the following link

<https://forms.gle/5qrZLyZshBoXDyvL8>

The applicant will receive by e-mail approval of the application by the Executive Board. The association has to be validated by paying the association fee. Quite soon a bank account code for the payment will be available on the first link.

From the President of SIFS, Roberto Livi <roberto.livi@unifi.it>
