

GANIL, Caen, France November 6th – 8th, 2017

Dear Colleagues,

The **NFS workshop** will take place from November 6th (14h) to 8th (14h), 2017 at GANIL (Caen, France). The preliminary program is now available on our website: <u>https://nfs-workshop.sciencesconf.org/resource/page/id/9</u>

Visit

A visit of SPIRAL2 facility will be organized on Tuesday, 7th afternoon. We will register participants for the visit during the workshop registration on Monday 6th.

Scope

The NFS facility (Neutrons for Science) is a part of the new GANIL-SPIRAL-2 complex. It will deliver a neutron beam with unprecedented intensities in the energy range between 1 and 40 MeV. This facility, the first operational experimental area of SPIRAL-2, will be a very powerful tool for fundamental and applied physics in the study of reactions induced by beams of fast neutrons, protons and deuterons.

This workshop will be the opportunity to make a detailed description of all the components of the facility, to review the status of the preparation of the first detectors and experiments, to look for new experimental opportunities, and to visit the facility. The goal of the workshop is twofold: to inform the users about the NFS status, and to extend the NFS user community to other potentially interested groups. A limited number of presentation slots are still free for such groups, who are invited to contact the organizers for a possible presentation on experiments that could be performed at NFS. Details on the procedures for submitting proposals for NFS will be discussed as well.

Registration

The registration is free of charge and mandatory. **The deadline for registration is October 20th, 2017.** Further information about registration can be found on the website using the link: <u>https://nfs-workshop.sciencesconf.org/resource/page/id/2</u>

Practical information

All the practical information (accommodation, transportation) are available on our website: <u>https://nfs-workshop.sciencesconf.org/resource/page/id/5</u>

We are looking forward to welcoming you at GANIL for this NFS workshop. Sincerely yours, Organizing Committee: G. Bélier P. Dessagne D. Doré U. Fischer M O Frégeau F. Gunsing X. Ledoux J. Mrazek O. Sérot S. Pomp