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### CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to our six successful ARC Future Fellows **Duk-Yong Choi, Lan Fu, Andrey Miroshnichenko, Elena Ostrovskaya, Matt Sellars** and **Hoe Tan**. And to our two DECRA award winners **Hua Xia** and **Zhiyong Yang**. A great result for the school.

### STAFF MOVEMENTS

#### *Nuclear Physics*

Prof Nanda Dasgupta is in India to present a series of four lectures at the school on Advances in Nuclear Physics being held at the International Centre Goa, 9 - 18 November and Dr Anton Wallner will be overseas until the 27 November organizing the CoDustMas Workshop, University of Vienna.

#### *Electronics Material Engineering*

Prof Chennupati Jagadish will be attending a conference in Sydney 21 - 23 November; Mr Daniel Pyke will be attending a conference in Boston USA and conducting research at Livermore Labs USA 24 November – 07 December; Mrs Boshra Afra will be conducting research in Melbourne 22 – 27 November; Drs Patrick Kluth and Matias Rodriguez will be conducting research in Melbourne 22 - 26 November; and Dr Patrick Parkinson, Messrs Yu-Heng Jaret Lee and Prakash Prasai and Ms Nian Jiang will be attending a conference at Macquarie University, Sydney 21 - 22 November.

#### *Plasma Research Laboratory*

Prof John Howard will be absent 14 November - 2 December collaborating at the ITER facility, France and in Rome giving an invited presentation at the Frontiers in Diagnostics Technology Conference.

### SCHOOL SEMINAR PROGRAM

**Thursday 1 December, 4.00pm**

Leonard Huxley Lecture Theatre

*What's New in Critical Lattice Models*

Dr David Ridout, Theoretical Physics

Drinks and light refreshments will be provided in the Link Tea Room after the Seminar around 5pm.

### DEPARTMENTAL SEMINARS

Theoretical/Mathematical Physics Seminar

**Thursday 24 November, 11.00am-12.00noon**

*D-branes in Doubled field theory*

LC.3.17 (Theoretical Physics Seminar Room)

Dr Peggy Kao, Department of Theoretical Physics,

### EDUCATION BULLETIN

**Friday 25 November, 10.00-12.00**

Green Couch Room, CPAS, Building 38a

*Physics Education Centre Steering Meeting*

The purpose of this meeting is to bring together all those involved or interested in the undergraduate education program to discuss this year's program and identify opportunities and challenges for 2012. Morning tea will be provided.

### BICYCLES UNDER THE FIRE STAIRS

It is a requirement under fire safety rules that nothing be stored in fire egress paths, including under fire stairs. A number of bikes are currently being stored in these areas that must be removed. The School has two security card controlled bike storage areas for use by staff and students. If you require access to these stores, located under the Oliphant and Weigold Buildings, please contact reception.

### SUPPORT YOUR MOVEMBER TEAM

You may have noticed a few gentlemen walking around sporting a fine moustache. These moustaches are for a great cause, to raise awareness and funds for prostate cancer and depression. If you would like to support your local RSPE team please use this link

[https://www.movember.com/au/donate/your-details/team\\_id/407476](https://www.movember.com/au/donate/your-details/team_id/407476)

### OHS BULLETIN

#### *Chemical Container Labelling*

All decanted substances require a label. Guidelines on requirements, and how to make labels are now available from the RSPE Intranet under Chemical Safety. Labels also require a hazard pictogram. To assist RSPE lab users, the following miniature stickers are now available from Stores at low cost. More info see

<http://physics.anu.edu.au/intranet/OHS/pdfs.php>

