

8th INTEGRAL Workshop

September 27-30, 2010

Dublin Castle,
Ireland



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Venue – Dublin Castle

- Historic city centre location
- Top of the range conference facilities
- Main hall capacity is for 330 theatre style
- Banqueting facilities on-site
- Many hotels, restaurants and tourist attractions within walking distance



Venue has been booked for September 27th - 30th, 2010

Workshop Theme

- Proposal is to keep the range of topics broad
- Encourage participation of the wider community, including ground-based gamma-ray and Fermi

Organisation

- Scientific Advisory Committee composed of IUG plus LH and BMcB (plus others?)
- Local Organising Committee chaired by BMcB (TBC)



Draft Schedule

- 2009 Milestones
 - Have SAC on board (SAC chair) Mid 2009
 - Draft first circular (ESA) August 2009
 - First circular out to big list (LOC) October 2009
- 2010 Milestones
 - Draft Poster and Design (ESA) Early April 2010
 - Print and Mail Poster (ESA) Early May 2010
 - Reminder to first circular (LOC) Mid May 2010
 - Abstract Deadline June 2010



- [2010 Milestones](#) contd.
- Programme Plan (SAC) Mid June
- Inform Participants and info on Travel Support (LOC) End June
- Third Circular Mailed Out (LOC) early July
- Programme + abstracts on WWW (LOC) mid July
- Registration deadline (workshop) mid July
- Hotel booking deadline (LOC) TBD
- Abstract Book Available (TBD, LOC) early September
- WORKSHOP mid (TBD) September
- Collect draft papers/start referee process (LOC) October/November
- End of Refereeing Process November/December
- Proceedings Publication Jan/Feb (2011)



Open issues for IUG consideration

- Title and scientific topics?
- Do we want invited talks?
- Preference for publication – online (cheap) vs hardcopy (expensive)
- Sponsorship
 - Local sponsorship covers venue cost (~€25K) but not coffee breaks, AV etc.
 - ESA sponsorship covers reception + some travel support
 - Other sources?
 - Will try to keep registration fee below €300
 - Fee to include excursion and conference dinner



Looking forward to seeing you in Dublin soon!

