

# This Week at Physics



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Department of Physics Seminar & Colloquium Notices For the Week of March 11<sup>th</sup>

## Monday, March 11<sup>th</sup>

**Cosmology Journal Club: An Informal discussion about a broad variety of arXiv papers related to Cosmology**

**Time:** 12:30 pm

**Place:** 5242 Chamberlin Hall

**Condensed Matter Theory Group Seminar: Waiting time distribution and switching rate of a microwave photon detector based on a current-biased Josephson junction**

**Time:** 4:30 pm

**Place:** 5310 Chamberlin

**Speaker:** Amrit Poudel, UW-Madison

## Tuesday, March 12<sup>th</sup>

**Chaos & Complex Systems Seminar: Climate change, disturbance, and forest resilience**

**Time:** 12:05 pm

**Place:** 4274 Chamberlin (refreshments will be served)

**Speaker:** Brian Harvey, UW Department of Zoology

**"Physics Today" Undergrad Colloquium (Physics 301): X-ray Astronomy**

**Time:** 1:20 pm

**Place:** 2223 Chamberlin

**Speaker:** Dan McCammon, University of Wisconsin Department of Physics

**Theory Seminar (High Energy/Cosmology): Same-sign Dilepton Signatures of RPV SUSY**

**Time:** 4:00 pm

**Place:** 5280 Chamberlin Hall

**Speaker:** Joshua Berger, SLAC, Stanford University

## Wednesday, March 13<sup>th</sup>

**Department Meeting**

**Time:** 12:15 pm

**Place:** 5310 Chamberlin Hall

**Careers for Physicists: Scott Converse**

**Time:** 2:30 pm

**Place:** 5310 Chamberlin Hall

**Speaker:** Scott Converse, UW-Madison, School of Business

## Thursday, March 14<sup>th</sup>

**R. G. Herb Condensed Matter Seminar: Non-equilibrium many-body dynamics with cold atoms in optical lattices**

**Time:** 10:00 am

**Place:** 5310 Chamberlin

**Speaker:** Andrew Daley, University of Pittsburgh

## Friday, March 15<sup>th</sup>

**Theory Seminar (High Energy/Cosmology): Instantons on  $R^3 \times S^1$  and a semi-classical realization of IR renormalons**

**Time:** 11:00 am

**Place:** 5310 Chamberlin

**Speaker:** Phillip Argyres, Cincinnati

**Physics Department Colloquium: New perspectives on quark confinement**

**Time:** 3:30 pm

**Place:** 2241 Chamberlin Hall (coffee at 4:30 pm)

**Speaker:** Philip Argyres, University of Cincinnati

**Add this event to your calendar**

See web version for latest data: <http://www.physics.wisc.edu/twap/view.php>

Don't forget afternoon coffee and cookies Monday–Thursday in 3339 Chamberlin at 3:30. All are welcome!

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