

PSD MIXER

May 17th

2024

: Friday, May 17th, 2024

: 2:30pm

: via Zoom and in the Auditorium

: Pizza will be available in-person

: Kick back, relax, and have fun!

ZOOM

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“WHAT’S THE GIST, PHYSICIST?”


Join us for another afternoon of division updates, science, community, and good food!

Agenda:

- Division updates w/ Petr plus GRIDS, TSI, Science Week and GAPS updates (~25 min)
- Q+A w/ Petr (~5 min)
- “Probing physics beyond the Standard Model with molecular ion 227ThF^+ ” presented by Kia Boon Ng (~20 min). [Abstract on the following page!](#)
- Pizza and pop!

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“Probing physics beyond the Standard Model with molecular ion $^{227}\text{ThF}^+$ ” – Kia Boon Ng

The Standard Model of particle physics is one of the most successful models in explaining how the world works at a microscopic level, but it is considered to be incomplete. Efforts on the theoretical front have sought to extend the Standard Model with new physics to explain intriguing open questions such as the matter-antimatter asymmetry in the universe. New physics can, for example, manifest as electric dipole moments (EDMs) in atomic/molecular or subatomic systems. Measurements of EDMs in these systems can shed light on the nature of new physics. Following a brief overview of general scientific ambitions at RadMol, I will be explaining how we intend to perform quantum control of singly charged thorium-227 monofluoride ($^{227}\text{ThF}^+$) to probe for physics beyond the Standard Model.