

"Topological and Strongly Correlated Phases in Cold Atoms"

Tutorial: 29 April 2015
Program: 30 April - 1 May 2015
Jadwin Hall, Fourth Floor, Room 407, PCTS

Recently, ultra-cold atom systems have become a new frontier in quantum physics. The unique controllability in experiments provides a playground for studying exotic phenomena proposed in condensed matter, statistical physics, quantum information and high-energy physics. Moreover, there is the exciting prospect of having novel topological and strongly interacting phenomena that are not easily accessible in usual solid-state systems, but realizable with cold atoms. This program will consolidate the collaboration between cold atom experimentalists and theorists from all interested fields, to discuss new mechanisms, realizations, and detections of topological and strongly interacting phases in cold atom systems. Topics will include but will not limit to artificial gauge fields, topological band structures, fractional quantum Hall physics, Mott phases and ferromagnetic phases in cold atom systems. This program will start with 1 day of pedagogical tutorials and will be followed by 2 days of conference.

FREE, but REQUIRED REGISTRATION is available online at http://pcts.princeton.edu/pcts/

<u>Workshop Organizers:</u> Waseem Bakr, David Huse, Yi Li, Titus Neupert, Curt von Keyserlingk

Speakers

Ehud Altman, Weizmann Institute Immanuel Bloch, MPI Nigel Cooper, Cambridge University Eugene Demler, Harvard University Marcus Greiner, Harvard University Massimo Inguscio, LENS Deborah Jin, University of Colorado/NIST Erich Mueller, Cornell University Ana-Maria Rey, University of Colorado, Boulder Ian Spielman, University of Maryland Tilman Esslinger, ETH Zurich Congjun Wu, UCSD

SPECIAL EVENT: 40TH Annual Donald Hamilton Lecture

"Fun with Ultracold Atoms"

Deborah Jin, JILA and University of Colorado

Thursday, April 30, 2015 * 8 p.m. * McDonnell Hall, A-02 Auditorium