

LCLS UEC Meeting, March 11, 2016

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1. LCLS Update

1. Run 14 proposals received. PRP next week
2. LCLS-II ESAAB next week for CD2/3. Full Congressional funding this year
 - Launched instrument advisory committees for the 4 new instruments. Will issue a set of Initial Design Documents later this month for comment – looking for comment on the fundamental approaches being adopted
3. LCLS-II-HE: BESAC 16 April
4. PSLB labspace
 - Laser labs: THz, timing/synchr, heater development, spectroscopy development, HED?
 - Detector testing
 - Biolabs
 - Sample environment development
5. NAS/E study on high power lasers:
 - http://sites.nationalacademies.org/BPA/BPA_168356

2. LCLS/SSRL User's Conference 2016 Update

1. A request was made for the UEC to have a teleconference next month to discuss workshop topics.
2. Mike Dunne and Bill White will appoint two LCLS scientists to the organizing committee.
3. A request was made for more food during the conference.
4. An inquiry was made about how much space will be available for the workshops.
5. Elizabeth will send the call for workshop topics to the LCLS UO on behalf of Richard.

3. Other topics

1. Review of the plans for an expansion of the Guest House will occur in May or June.
2. Food options

- An inquiry was made about whether there are plans to extend the hours of SLAC Café and if it will be open for dinner since some of the experiments end at 9 p.m.
- A request was made to have fresh sandwiches available in the vending machine for the night shift and to have the machine replenished on the weekends.