South American Workshop on the Foundations of Quantum Theory and Cosmology

Programme:

Monday, November 3	
8:00 – 9:00	REGISTRATION
9:15 – 9:30	OPENING
9:30 – 11:00	A. Kent: Quantum Reality, Generalizations of Quantum Theory and Cosmological Implications
11:00 – 11:30	COFFEE BREAK
11:30 – 13:00	R. Tumulka: Cosmological quantum fluctuations from the perspectives of Bohmian mechanics and collapse theories
13:00 – 15:00	LUNCH
15:00 – 15:45	O. Lombardi: About the concept of quantum information
15:45 – 16:30	F. Holik: Generalizad probabilistic theories and the foundations of quantum mechanics
16:30 – 17:15	COFFEE BREAK
17:15 – 19:00	Discussion: Wave function of the Universe? Does it make sense?
	Tuesday – November 4
9:45 – 11:15	D. Albert (by SKYPE): On Primitive Ontology
11:15 – 11:45	COFFEE BREAK
11:45 – 13:15	R. Gambini: Quantum Gravity and the Montevideo Interpretation of Quantum Mechanics.
13:15 – 15:15	LUNCH
15:15 – 16:00	M. Losada: Quantum histories without contrary inferences
16:00 – 16:45	Poster session
16:45 – 17:30	COFFEE BREAK
17:30 – 19:15	Discussion: Many Worlds Interpretations; Decoherence and their interconnection

Wednesday – November 5		
9:00 - 10:30	A. Valentini: Primordial quantum non-equilibrium and large-scale cosmic anomalies	
10:30 – 11:00	COFFEE BREAK	
11:00 – 12:30	E. Okon: Consistency of Consitent Histories	
12:30 – 14:00	LUNCH	
14:00 – 15:30	IFT COLLOQUIUM – G. Ellis: Quantum mechanics, unitarity, and determinism: debatable issues and relations to cosmology	
15:30 – 16:00	COFFEE BREAK	
16:00 -	SIGHTSEEING	
Thursday, November 6		
9:45 – 11:15	D. Sudarsky: Symmetry in Quantum theory in general and in the cosmological context in particular	
11:15 – 11:45	COFFEE BREAK	
11:45 – 13:15	G. Ellis: Quantum physics and the classical transition: back to fundamentals.	
13:15 – 15:15	LUNCH	
15:15 – 16:00	M. Valenzuela: Space-time quantization and modified causality at Planck scales	
16:00 – 16:45	Poster session	
16:45 – 17:30	COFFEE BREAK	
17:30 – 19:15	Discussion: Collapse Theories, de Broglie-Bohm theory, Lorentz Invariance and all that	
20:00 -	CONFERENCE DINNER	
	Friday, November 7	
9:45 – 11:15	S. Landau: Testing quantum collapse models with data from the Cosmic Microwave Background	
11:15 – 11:45	COFFEE BREAK	
11:45 – 13:15	N. Pinto Neto: Quantum cosmology from the de Broglie-Bohm perspective	
13:15 – 15:15		
15:15 – 16:00	I. Peña: Black Hole Information Loss and Collapse theories	
16:00 – 16:45	I. Gomez: Fundamendal graininess and statistical classical limit: compatibility of chaos with the Correspondence Principle (CP)	
16:45 – 17:30	COFFEE BREAK	
17:30 – 19:15	Discussion: Final analysis and conclusions	