



School on Effective Field Theory across Length Scales

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Constructing an effective field theory (EFT) to exploit the hierarchy of length scales in a physical system has become an essential skill to be mastered by the modern theoretical physicist. EFTs play a prominent role in almost all branches of modern theoretical physics including particle physics, gravitation, general relativity and condensed matter. This school will provide an overview of the general concepts and principles underlying the construction of an EFT, illustrating these concepts and principles in concrete applications in different areas of physics. The school is intended for PhD students, postdocs and young researchers who are seeking expertise in EFTs. *There is no registration fee and limited funds are available for local and travel support of participants.*

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Lecturers:

Raphael Flauger (U. Texas, Austin): *EFT for strings*

Hans-Werner Hammer (TU Darmstadt): *EFT for cold atoms*

David Kaplan (U. Washington): *EFTs for strong-interacting/nuclear systems*

Alberto Nicolis* (Columbia U.): *EFT in condensed matter/fluids*

Ira Rothstein (Carnegie Mellon U.): *General introduction on concepts in EFT*

Leonardo Senatore (Stanford U.): *EFT for cosmology – large scale structures*

*to be confirmed

The application deadline is December 11, 2015

The online registration form and more information can be found at:

www.ictp-saifr.org/eft



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