



# REUVEN OPHER MEMORIAL SYMPOSIUM

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Reuven Opher, Emeritus Professor at the Institute of Astronomy, Geophysics and Atmospheric Sciences of the University of São Paulo (IAG-USP), passed away on November 28, 2020. He was 88 years old and he has touched the lives of many people during his long career.

At IAG-USP, Reuven introduced the research area of Plasma Astrophysics, supervising many graduate students in studies of fundamental plasma processes applied to compact objects, galactic and extragalactic astrophysics, and cosmology. In his long professional career of more than 60 uninterrupted years of activity Reuven published hundreds of articles in several different fields. He was also the creator of the series of conferences “New Physics in Space” (since 2002) and “Challenges of New Physics in Space (since 2008), which had a huge impact on the astrophysical community in Brazil.

This one-day Symposium honors Reuven’s incredibly diverse career and brings together friends, colleagues, former students and family members to remember his accomplishments and his influence on their lives.

## More information:

[www.ictp-saifr.org/reuven/](http://www.ictp-saifr.org/reuven/)

There is no registration fee. There will be no registration form and everybody is welcome to participate.