



4th International Symposium on the Nuclear Symmetry Energy

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Dear Colleagues,

We are pleased to announce the Fourth International Symposium on the Nuclear Symmetry Energy (NuSYM14), which will be held on July 7-9, 2014 at the University of Liverpool, United Kingdom.

The symposium will cover similar topics to those discussed in past editions, with a particular emphasis on the links with astrophysics:

- ❖ Advances in the nuclear equation of state
- ❖ Recent theoretical developments related to isospin asymmetric nuclear matter
- ❖ New experimental constraints on the symmetry energy from nuclear reactions and nuclear structure experiments
- ❖ Symmetry energy and neutron stars from X-ray, radio and gravitational wave observatories

The programme will comprise of invited and contributed talks as well as posters and the participation of young researchers is strongly encouraged. Further details about abstract submission deadlines will be communicated shortly in the second circular.

Practical information, including registration, accommodation, travel, etc, can be found on the Symposium website at <http://npg.dl.ac.uk/NuSYM2014-Workshop/>, which will be updated regularly.

We would appreciate if you could bring this Symposium to the attention of your colleagues, including PhD students and postdocs. If you have suggestions for speakers or know of exciting new results related to the nuclear symmetry energy, please do not hesitate to contact us at sue.richards@stfc.ac.uk with the subject line: NuSYM14.

We look forward to hearing from you,

Marielle Chartier, University of Liverpool (Deputy-chair)
Roy Lemmon, STFC Daresbury Laboratory (Chair)
On behalf of the Organizing Committee