

Announced Posters

Radek Ševčík: *Densities of Interstellar Material* [8.2]

Jan Palounek, Petr Kurfürst: *Degree of Excitation in HI-Regions* [8.12]

PRC Meeting

Problem: New Official Name, Abbreviation and Logo of the Masaryk University Observatory

Rationale: We were asked by representatives of our hosting institute to pose a final sentence about recent controversial internal decision of the Masaryk University Observatory Administrator, who proposed change of the official name, abbreviation and logo of the observatory. However, his proposal has not met with general acceptance by university students and staff members, especially due to the consequential obsolescence of the previous name. It was already pointed out that the new Observatory Rules and Regulations, recently released by the same person, have not met with general acceptance as well; however, they were already accepted by authorities.

Panel A

Topic: *Obsolescence of the Name "MonteBoo Observatory"*

Head: Petr Šafařík

Members: Ondrej Urban, Richard Jánov, Vendula Hlobilová

Task: To investigate consequences of the proposed obsolescence of the previous observatory name that was used as an identifier and referrer for a long time. The goal is to summarize pros and cons of the obsolescence. Final resolution of this panel also determines relevance of the resolution of Panel B.

Panel B

Topic: *New Official Name and Abbreviation of the Observatory*

Head: Helena Hanzlová

Members: Lenka Matěchová, Jaroslav Vážný, Tereza Jeřábková

Task: To define a new official name and abbreviation that should be used as a replacement of the obsolete name in both Czech and English language. Resolution has to be prepared independently and it should not reflect an attitude of Panel A.

Panel C

Topic: *New Official Logo of the Observatory*

Head: Petr Kurfürst

Members: Hana Marková, Marek Skarka, Lenka Zychová

Task: To define a final design of the official logo of the observatory. This panel should work independently of Panel A and Panel B; however, its committee members have to take into account all possible resolutions of these two panels.

Social Event

April 17, 2008

6.00pm – *Diana pub*

We would like to invite you to an informal meeting of all IWSSP 2008 participants and guests held in Diana pub located at Kounicova street, very close to the old campus of the Faculty of Science. Expenses are not covered by the workshop fee and they have to be handled by attendees themselves.

