

UNIVERSITY OF BIRMINGHAM

School of Physics and Astronomy

WEEKLY BULLETIN/NEWS

Monday 15th January 2018

Particle Physics Seminar

Wednesday 17th January 2018 at 13.30 in Poynting Small Lecture Theatre S06

Speaker: Silvia Martellotti, INFN

Title: KLEVER: an experiment to measure the BR($K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 + \bar{\nu} + \nu$) at the CERN SPS

Astronomy in the City

Wednesday 24th January 2018 at 17.30-22.00 **Booking essential!**

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/astronomy-in-the-city-january-2018-tickets-40716991618>

Each Astronomy in the City event will feature a talk on a different astrophysical topic connected to the research done at the University of Birmingham. This month, Alejandro Vigna Gómez will discuss supernovae, the amazing explosions from dying stars.

EPS Inaugural Lecture

Wednesday 24th January 2018 at 17.15 in Lecture Theatre A, Watson Building, School of Mathematics [R15 on campus map](#))

Speaker: Professor Chris Good, Professor of Mathematics and Deputy Head of School, School of Mathematics, University of Birmingham.

Title: To infinity and beyond

Professor Chris Good's Inaugural Lecture will chart his development as a mathematician from his first experience of infinity as a young child through to his present day work on topological dynamics. Chris will introduce his work, highlighting three favourite theorems he has proven over the course of his career. He will explain what inspired him to become a mathematician and why the study of pure mathematics matters. Along the way, he will talk about the importance of family, rugby, bread and coffee.

Chris Good is Professor of Mathematics and Deputy Head of the School of Mathematics. He is the author of over 50 research articles in set-theoretic topology and topological dynamics. Chris has a long standing interest in teaching and was awarded the first Head of School's Excellence in Teaching Award.

Complimentary alcoholic and non-alcoholic drinks will be served at the drinks reception following the event. Alcoholic drinks will be only be served to those who are aged 18 or over.

If you wish to attend this event, please complete the online [registration form](#). For further information, please contact: epscommunications@contacts.bham.ac.uk.

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<http://www.sr.bham.ac.uk/physicsOutreach/>