GWPAW2015 Scientific Program

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() indicates duration including the discussion. The unit is minutes. Blue are invited talks.

1st Day: June 17

8:30-9:00 Registration

chair: N.Kanda

9:00-9:15 Opening

Opening Remarks by SOC chair, Takashi Nakamura

Address by the President of Osaka City University, Yoshiki Nishizawa

9:15-11:15 Session 1 : Status of Detectors (1) Ground-based

- (40) Takaaki Kajita: Status of the KAGRA project
- (40) Matthew John Evans: Advanced LIGO: status and plans
- (40) Francesco Piergiovanni: Status of the Advanced Virgo gravitational wave detector

coffee break

chair: R.N. Manchester

11:30-12:30 Session 2: GW sources and physics (1)

- (20) Chunglee Kim: Implications of PSR J0737-3039B for the Galactic NS-NS binary merger rate
- (20) Tomoya Kinugawa: Pop III binary black holes with chirp mass of ~30 Msun and detectability of the quasi-normal mode with frequency ~200 Hz to confirm or refute the Einstein theory in the strong gravity region
- (20) Frank Ohme: Distinguishing compact binary population synthesis models using gravitational wave observations of coalescing binary black holes

lunch

chair: Y.Itoh

14:00-15:15 Session 3: Poster Enlightening Talks

1minute x 64 posters

coffee break + Poster exhibition

chair: S.Bose

16:30-18:40 Session 4: Templates of GWs

- (50) Alessandra Buonanno: Finalizing gravitational-wave modeling for searches in the advanced detectors era
- (20) Hiroyuki Nakano: Golden events for ringdown gravitational waves
- (20) Carl-Johan Haster: Distinguishing types of compact-object binaries using the gravitational-wave signatures of their mergers
- (20) Christopher Philip Luke Berry: Binary neutron-star parameter estimation with Advanced LIGO
- (20) Collin Capano: A Search for Binary Black Holes with Non-precessing Spin in Early Advanced LIGO

chair: T.Nakamura

9:00-11:20 Session 5: Follow-ups/Counterparts (1) X, Gamma ray

- (50) Peter Istvan Mészáros: X and Gamma Counterparts of Gravitational Wave Sources
- (20) Nobuyuki Kawai : iWF-MAXI: soft X-ray transient monitor on the ISS
- (50) Edo Berger: Short GRBs: Evidence for Compact Object Mergers and Lesson for Gravitational Wave Follow-up
- (20) Daisuke Yonetoku: Expected detection rate of gravitational wave estimated by Short Gamma-Ray Bursts

coffee break

chair: N.Kawai

11:40-12:30 Session 6: Follow-ups/Counterparts (2) Optical

(50) Shrinivas R Kulkarni: Follow up of GW sources by optical/NIR telescopes

Group Photo

lunch

chair: N.Kawai

14:00-16:20 Session 7: Follow-ups/Counterparts (2, cont'd) Optical

- (20) Hsin-Yu Chen: Facilitating follow-up of EM counterparts to GW events
- (20) Gianluca Maria Guidi : Multi-messenger gravitational wave and electromagnetic astronomy: prospects and challenges
- (20) Kipp Cannon: Searching for Compact Object Collisions with Latencies of Seconds
- (20) Reed Essick: LOCALIZATION OF SHORT DURATION GRAVITATIONAL-WAVE TRANSIENTS WITH THE EARLY ADVANCED LIGO AND VIRGO DETECTORS
- (20) Shota Kisaka: Engine-powered macronovae
- (20) Yuichiro Sekiguchi: Properties of dynamical ejecta form binary neutron star merger
- (20) Masaomi Tanaka: Radioactively-powered emission from compact binary mergers

coffee break

chair: B.Mours

16:40-18:10 Session 8: Data Analysis (1)

- (50) Maria Alessandra Papa: Results, methods and prospects from the analysis of the data of ground-based gravitational wave detectors
- (20) Vivien Raymond: Population Inference in Gravitational-Wave Astronomy
- (20) Tjonnie Guang Feng Li: Inferring the nuclear equation of state from binary neutron star mergers

(18:30- BUS to banquet will depart from the conference site.)

19:30-21:30 Banquet

chair: M. Hewitson

9:00-10:10 Session 9: Status of Detectors (2) Pulsar Timing Array

- (50) Richard N Manchester: The Search for Gravitational Waves using Precision Pulsar Timing
- (20) Pablo Antonio Rosado: On the properties of the first signal detected by pulsar timing arrays

(Session 10 is canncelled.)

coffee break

chair: M.A.Papa

10:40-11:40 Session 11: Data analysis (2) results/methods

- (20) Grant David Meadors: Scorpius X-1 and other LMXBs: directed and all-sky searches for continuous gravitational waves
- (20) Chris Messenger: Gravitational waves from Sco X-1: A comparison of search methods and prospects for detection with advanced detectors
- (20) Heinz-Bernd Eggenstein: Einstein@Home all-sky search and follow-up for continuous gravitational waves from isolated neutron stars in LIGO's 6th science run data

lunch (The lunch box will be served at 12:30.)

chair: T.Tanaka

14:00-14:10 Student Poster Awards

14:10-15:30 Session 12: Status of Detectors (3) Space-based

- (40) Martin Hewitson: eLISA and LISA Pathfinder
- (40) Masaki Ando: Space Gravitational-Wave Antenna: DECIGO and Pre-DECIGO

coffee break

chair: E. Katsavounidis

16:00-16:40 Session 13: GW sources and Physics (3)

- (20) Eric Thrane: Detecting gravitational-wave backgrounds with Advanced Detectors: opportunities and challenges
- (20) Atsushi Nishizawa: Measuring Gravitational-Wave Propagation Speed with Multimessenger Observations

16:40-18:10 Session 14 Follow-ups/Counterparts (3) Neutrino

- (50) Mark Robert Vagins : Supernova Neutrinos
- (20) Takaaki Yokozawa: Probing explosion mechanisms of supernovae using both gravitational waves and neutrinos with realistic detector responses
- (20) Jade Powell: Determining the core-collapse supernovae explosion mechanism with gravitational waves.

chair: G.M.Guidi

9:00-10:00 Session 15: Data analysis (3) results/methods

- (20) Alex Nielsen: Neutron star-black hole binaries: searching and science
- (20) Kenta Kiuchi : Magnetohydrodynamics simulation of black hole-neutron star merger: Mass ejection and short gamma-ray burst
- (20) Kyohei Kawaguchi : Black hole-neutron star binary merger: dependence on black hole spin orientation and equations of state

chair: T.Nakamura

10:00-11:00 Session 16: Presentations by Poster Award Winners

(20 x 3) Oral presentation of 3 poster awards

coffee break

chair: T.Nakamura

11:15-12:15 Last Session: Summary and Discussions

Bruce Allen: (Personal) summary of new, novel, and interesting results presented at this workshop

12:15-12:20 Closing