



Final programme

Invited reviews: 25 min + 5 min questions

Long contributed talks: 25 min + 5 min questions

Short contributed talks: 12 min + 3 min questions

Sunday (13/05/2012)

18:00 - 20:00 Registration

20:00 - 21:00 Welcome cocktail

Monday (14/05/2012)

8:00 - 8:45 Registration (entrance of the conference hall)

8:45 - 9:00 Welcome address

--> Chair: Claudio Mendoza

9:00 - 9:15 The discovery of oxygen in the Universe (*Grażyna Stasińska*)

9:15 - 9:45 Why we need to map oxygen in the Universe (*Nikos Prantzos*)

9:45 - 10:15 How well do we know oxygen yields from massive stars? (*Sylvia Ekström*)

10:15 - 10:45 Oxygen production on the AGB and the relevance of planetary nebulae to map the oxygen abundance in galaxies (*Amanda Karakas*)

10:45 - 11:15 Coffee break

11:15 - 11:45 The Solar oxygen abundance (*Martin Asplund*)

11:45 - 12:15 Alternative determinations of the Solar oxygen abundance (*Héctor Socas-Navarro*)

12:15 - 12:30 The Solar oxygen abundance as derived using MHD atmospheric models (*Damian Fabbian*)

12:30 - 16:00 Lunch & beach

--> Chair: Martin Asplund

16:00 - 16:30 Constraints on the Solar oxygen abundance from meteorites, planets, and other planetary objects (*Katharina Lodders*)

16:30 - 17:00 Oxygen abundance determinations in solar-type stars (*Iván Ramírez*)

17:00 - 17:30 Oxygen in cool stars according to CO5BOLD (*Hans-Günter Ludwig*)

17:30 - 18:00 Coffee break

18:00 - 18:30 Galactic evolution of oxygen: 3D effects on near-UV OH lines (*Jonay Isaí González-Hernández*)

18:30 - 19:00 Oxygen abundance determinations in cool giant stars (*Sergei Andrievski*)

19:00 - 19:30 Oxygen in red giants from near-infrared OH lines: 3D effects and first results from the Apache Point Observatory Galactic Evolution Experiment (*Carlos Allende-Prieto*)

19:30 - 19:45 Oxygen variations in globular clusters and the multiple population scenario(s) (*Valentina D'Orazi*)

19:45 - 20:00 Oxygen in globular clusters (*Thibaut Decressin*)

20:00 - Free evening

Tuesday (15/05/2012)

--> Chair: Danny Lennon

- 9:00 - 9:30 Oxygen abundance determinations in A-type supergiants: methods and uncertainties (*Norbert Przybilla*)
9:30 - 10:00 Oxygen abundance determinations in OB dwarfs and supergiants (*Miguel A. Urbaneja*)
10:00 - 10:15 Present-day cosmic oxygen abundance in the Solar neighbourhood (*María Fernanda Nieva*)
10:15 - 10:30 Oxygen and other alpha-elements vs Iron in massive stars at the Galactic Center: Clues on a top-heavy star formation history? (*Francisco Najarro*)

10:30 - 11:00 Coffee break

- 11:00 - 11:30 Temperature-based oxygen abundances in H II regions and planetary nebulae: methods and uncertainties (*Mónica Rodríguez*)
11:30 - 12:00 The reliability of atomic data used for oxygen abundance determinations (*Claudio Mendoza*)
12:00 - 12:30 Very deep spectroscopy of planetary nebula NGC7009 - The rich optical recombination spectrum and new effective recombination coefficients (*Xuan Fang*)

12:30 - 16:00 Lunch & beach

--> Chair: Mónica Rodríguez

- 16:00 - 16:30 Oxygen abundances in ionized nebulae from photoionization model-fitting (*Christophe Morisset*)
16:30 - 17:00 Temperature fluctuations in ionized nebulae and their effect on the oxygen abundance determination (*Antonio Peimbert*)
17:00 - 17:15 Oxygen abundances from optical OI and OII recombination lines in planetary nebulae with [WC] central stars (*Jorge García-Rojas*)
17:15 - 17:30 Effects of Herbig-Haro objects and ionization fronts on the oxygen abundance in the Orion Nebula (*Adal Mesa-Delgado*)

17:30 - 18:00 Coffee break

- 18:00 - 18:15 The oxygen abundance in protoplanetary disks embedded in HII regions (*Yiannis Tsamis*)
18:15 - 18:45 What can we learn about present-day oxygen abundances from the combined study of massive stars and HII regions? (*Sergio Simón-Díaz*)
18:45 - 19:00 Simulation of temperature fluctuations in HII regions (*Roy Matadamas*)
19:00 - 19:15 Resolving the electron temperature discrepancies in HII regions and planetary nebulae: kappa-distributed electrons (*David Nicholls*)
19:15 - 19:45 Strong-line methods for oxygen abundance determinations in giant HII regions and emission line galaxies: methods and uncertainties (*Lisa Kewley – talk given by H. Jabran Zahid*)

20:00 - 21:00 Buffet dinner at the hotel on the Kontiki terrace

21:00 - 22:00 **Discussion I:** How well do we need to know oxygen abundances? How important is an absolute scale? (led by *Leticia Carigi*)

Wednesday (16/05/2012)

--> Chair: Fabio Bresolin

- 9:00 - 9:15 Direct oxygen abundances for low luminosity LVL galaxies (*Danielle Berg*)
9:15 - 9:30 SDSS galaxies with double-peaked emission lines (*Bernabé Cedrés-Exposito*)
9:30 - 9:45 Oxygen in the far-IR: Mapping nearby galaxies with Herschel (*Kevin Croxall*)
9:45 - 10:00 Observational study of the ISM abundance of star formation regions in three nearby dIrr galaxies (*Oleg Egorov*)
10:00 - 10:15 Mapping the oxygen abundance in an elliptical galaxy (*Jeremy Walsh*)
10:15 - 10:30 Oxygen abundance from strong-line methods at extremely low metallicities (*Ana Belén Morales-Luis*)
10:30 - 10:45 Nitrogen-to-oxygen ratio as a solid tool to ascertain the chemical evolution of star forming galaxies (*Enrique Pérez-Montero*)
10:45 - 11:00 Abundance anomalies in blue compact dwarf galaxies (*Eon-Chang Sung*)
- 11:00 - 11:30 Coffee break
- 11:30 - 11:45 The CHemical Abundances Of Spirals (CHAOS) Project (*Evan Skillman*)
11:45 - 12:00 Galaxy And Mass Assembly (GAMA): A deeper view of the mass, metallicity, and SFR relationships (*Maritza Arlene Lara-López*)
12:00 - 12:15 Environmental imprint on galaxy chemical enrichment (*José M. Vilchez*)
12:15 - 12:45 Eliminating error in the chemical abundance scale for extragalactic H II regions (*Ángel R. López-Sánchez*)
12:45 - 13:15 The “counterpart” method for abundance determination in HII regions (*Leonid Pilyugin*)
- 13:30 - 21:00 Visit to the Teide national Park
21:00 - Free evening

Thursday (17/05/2012)

--> Chair: Anthony Jones

- 9:00 - 9:30 Measuring the oxygen abundance in the neutral ISM of star-forming galaxies at redshift z=0 (*Alessandra Aloisi*)
9:30 - 10:00 Oxygen abundance determination at high redshift from emission lines (*Roberto Maiolino*)
10:00 - 10:30 The oxygen abundances at high redshift from absorption lines (*Miroslava Dessauges-Zavadsky*)

10:30 - 11:00 Coffee break

- 11:00 - 11:30 The oxygen abundance from X-rays : methods and prospects (*Kyoko Matsushita*)
11:30 - 12:00 The abundance pattern of O, Ne, Mg, and Fe in the X-ray emitting interstellar medium of spiral and starburst galaxies (*Saori Konami*)
12:00 - 12:30 Oxygen-rich dust production in evolved stars (*Lars Mattsson*)

12:30-16:00 Lunch & beach

--> Chair: Katharina Lodders

- 16:00 - 16:30 Oxygen-rich dust processing and evolution in the interstellar medium (*Anthony Jones*)
16:30 - 16:45 The C/O ratio in the formation location of presolar X grains from supernova (*Bruce Fegley*)
16:45 - 17:00 Water Absorption in the Milky Way: Herschel/HIFI Insights on the History of the Gas (*Nicolas Flagey*)
17:00 - 17:30 The abundance of free oxygen atoms in the local ISM from absorption lines (*Edward Jenkins*)

17:30 - 18:00 Coffee break

- 18:00 - 18:30 Oxygen morphology and abundance in the interstellar medium through absorption line spectroscopy (*Ciro Pinto*)
18:30 - 19:00 Oxides in interstellar dust (*Ulysses J. Sofia*)
19:00 - 19:30 Stellar sources for O in the early Solar system (*Josep Maria Trigo-Rodríguez*)

20:00 - 21:00 Buffet dinner at the hotel on the Kontiki terrace

- 21:00 - 22:00 **Discussion II:** Tracking the biases: comparison of abundances in the same site from various indicators (*led by Grażyna Stasińska*)

Friday (18/05/2012)

--> Chair: César Esteban

- 9:00 - 9:15 Stellar Oxygen in M33 (*Artemio Herrero*)
9:15 - 9:30 The oxygen abundance determination in the IFU era (*Fabián Rosales-Ortega*)
9:30 - 9:45 Oxygen abundances in outer galaxy disks (*Fabio Bresolin*)
9:45 - 10:00 Oxygen distribution breaks at corotation radius in spiral galaxies (*Sergio Scarano Jr.*)
10:00 - 10:15 The Solar oxygen and the origin of the Sun (*Letícia Carigi*)
10:15 - 10:30 Chemical evolution models: IMF and nucleosynthesis stellar yields (*Mercedes Mollá*)

10:30 - 11:00 Coffee break

- 11:00 - 11:15 The abundances of oxygen, sulphur, neon, and argon in planetary nebulae: Constraints of nucleosynthesis and chemical evolution (*Walter Maciel*)
11:15 - 11:30 The MW Galaxy and M31 oxygen gradients using planetary nebulae as probes (*Richard Henry*)
11:30 - 11:45 The oxygen abundance gradients from planetary nebulae and HII regions (*Miriam Peña*)
11:45 - 12:15 Is oxygen well-mixed in the sites where it is observed? (*William Henney*)
12:15 - 12:45 A census of oxygen (*H. Jabran Zahid*)

12:45 - 14:30 Lunch (no beach!)

- 14:30 - 15:30 **Discussion III:** Oxygen abundance gradients in galaxies: are they well understood? (*led by Richard Henry*)

16:00 - 19:00 Transfer and guided tour to La Laguna

- 19:00 - 20:00 El óxigeno y la vida en el Universo (*César Esteban*): Public conference in the *Museo de la Ciencia y el Cosmos de La Laguna*

20:30 - 1:00 Conference dinner in *La Cueva Caprichosa*