

## Board on Physics and Astronomy Meeting

**Fall Meeting – November 14-15, 2016**  
**Beckman Center**  
**100 Academy Drive**  
**UC Irvine**

**Monday, November 14, 2016**

8:00 am	<b>Depart</b> from Fairmont Hotel <b>Breakfast</b> , Beckman Center	
8:45	CLOSED SESSION	
11:00	<b>Break</b>	
<b>Reports from Standing Committees</b>		
11:15	Committee on Astronomy and Astrophysics	*Steve Ritz, University of California at Santa Cruz
11:45	Committee on Radio Frequencies (CORF)	*Liese van Zee, Indiana University
12:15 pm	<b>Lunch</b>	
1:30	NSF Big Ideas	*Fleming Crim, NSF MPS (via Webex)
<b>Reports from Standing Committees (Cont'd)</b>		
2:30	Plasma Science Committee (PLSC)	*Bill Dorland, University of Maryland (via Webex)
3:00	<b>Break</b>	
3:15	Condensed Matter and Materials Research Committee (CMMRC)	*Pierre Wiltzius, University of California at Santa Barbara
3:45	Joint Discussion – Standing committees and the BPA	
4:15	AAS Ethics Code	*Dara Norman, NOAO
6:00	<b>Dinner – Roy's Hawaiian Fusion located at 453 Newport Center Drive, Newport Beach, CA</b>	
8:00	<b>Adjourn</b>	

**Tuesday, November 15, 2016**

8:00 am	<b>Depart</b> Fairmont Hotel <b>Breakfast</b> , Beckman Center	
8:45	Search for Life on Exo-planets	*Sara Seager, MIT (Via Webex)
9:30	Briefing – Astro Mid-Decadal Report	*Jackie Hewitt, MIT
10:15	<b>Break</b>	
10:30	CLOSED SESSION	
2:00	<b>Adjourn BPA Meeting</b>	

**Portions of the meeting with attendance limited to Board Members and staff are shaded.**