ASSA Cosmology Section Annual Report 2017-2018

https://groups.io/g/assa-cosmology/topics

Last year, I was asked to take the section's reins from Maciej' competent grasp. As is normal in a new role, there were things to learn but we seem to have avoided calamity; indeed, the year seems to have progressed quite well.

With the detection of GW150915 and the four subsequent gravitational wave observations, cosmology has become deeply entangled with a number of disciplines. As a result, the Cosmology Section really serves as a means to alert interested members about developments in Cosmology, Particle Physics and occasionally Astrophysics. It is an exciting time for gravity-experimentalists.

Our posts contain an eclectic mixture of press releases, links to articles from a number of journals and pre-prints from the arXiv server at Cornell (http://arXiv.org) Keeping things topical requires a reliable list server that will cater for 20-30 posts per month.

We found multiple cases when Yahoo Groups would fail to deliver notifications but a little hunting lead to our relocation to groups.io. It would seem this has been successful. The migration procedure has been made available to the ASSA webmaster and will be posted in the fullness of time.

To conclude, I would like to thank all the members for their contributions. I would have missed many of the alerts were it not for the alerts.

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