Introduction to Beam Physics and Accelerator Technology

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Introduction to the course

# **About your lecturer**

Senior scientist at Fermilab, Head of the Accelerator Research Department

#### Research

- Master and PhD at U. Ferrara / Fermilab in particle physics: charmonium spectroscopy, hadron form factors, scintillating-fiber detectors
- Post-doc at Fermilab: antiproton source, charmonium experiments
- Researcher at INFN Ferrara/Legnaro: production and trapping of radioactive francium for atomic spectroscopy and parity violation
- Professor at Idaho State U. / Jefferson Lab: positron source for CEBAF
- Scientist at Fermilab: beam dynamics in Tevatron, IOTA and LHC, electron lenses, nonlinear integrable optics, dynamics of single electrons, optical stochastic cooling, synchrotron-light detection

### **Teaching**

electromagnetism, accelerator physics, seminars for high-school students and teachers

#### Interests and hobbies

playing music, photography, running, ...





- What is your name?
- Where are you from?
- Where are you connecting from?
- What is your course and year of study?
- What branch of physics would you like to specialize in?
- What do you expect from this course?
- What are your other interests and hobbies?



**REWARDING**: Connected to **fundamental science** (nuclear and particle physics, material science, biology, ...) and **exciting applications** (medical diagnostics and treatment, industrial processes, ...)

**CHALLENGING** and **DIVERSE**: You can find areas that match your interests in applied math, physics, engineering, computing, ...

**RELEVANT** for many fields of science and technology. Essential to **design** experiments, analyze data, explore new applications

**OPPORTUNITIES**: If you like the subject, there may be a **career** path for you. Several **theses**, **internships**, **fellowships** and **jobs** are available.



learn about the historical evolution and applications

become familiar with the main concepts

make quantitative estimates of basic phenomena and design parameters

locate and critically review relevant journal articles

All course activities are aimed at these learning objectives



### Student evaluation for course credit

**Attendance and Participation** Be present to at least 5 of the 6 lectures. Participate in the group activities. Contribute to the discussions!

**Homework** A set of questions and problems. **Due before Tuesday, May 31**. Examples will be discussed in class. Can be done individually or as a group. Each student must send a scan of his or her own *handwritten* copy.

**Critical Paper Review** Choose a journal article from a list of landmark papers or propose one. Prepare a report according to the guidelines discussed in class. **Due before Tuesday, May 31**.

**Oral Exam** (for undergraduate students only) Answer questions about the course contents. Summarize your paper review.



## **Overview: evolution of particle accelerators**



#### Physical principles and technologies



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## **Overview:** applications of particle accelerators





## **Overview: accelerator physics and technology concept map**



### Main course units

**Review** 

dynamics, electromagnetism, relativity

#### **Historical evolution**

direct-voltage acceleration, cyclotron, linac, betatron, phase stability, synchrotron, strong focusing, colliders, ...

### Applications physics, biology, medicine, industry, art, ...

# Experiment design and luminosity

cross sections, event rate, pulse structure

#### Longitudinal dynamics

acceleration, phase stability, buckets, synchrotron oscillations

**Transverse dynamics** 

focusing, betatron oscillations, emittance, dispersion, chromaticity

### **Advanced topics**

synchrotron radiation, current research areas, ...



## **Practical matters**

The **web site** <u>bitbucket.org/gist/apufe22</u> is the main course hub. Updated with current information.

Large or non-public files shared on Fermilab Microsoft OneDrive or Google Drive

- Lectures consist of
- Presentations
- Discussions in small groups
- Exercises and problems
- A few breaks

Please keep **microphone off** and **video on**, if possible. I would like to see you. **Show your name** in the window, so we can get to know each other better.

Raise electronic hand for **questions** or **comments**. However, please do not hesitate to interrupt for clarifications if I don't see it.

Please turn off distractions (e-mail, cell phone, etc.)

What technologies do you have available for whiteboard sharing (tablet, ...)?





