The purpose of this meeting is to strengthen the existing links among our respective communities in Russia and Spain, favour new collaborations and also propose ways to establish more stable links between the Particle Physics, Nuclear Physics and Astroparticle Physics communities in our respective countries. A complementary objective is to debate how exchanges and collaboration in these areas could be facilitated at the institutional, political and diplomatic levels.

Participation at the meeting is by invitation only. Those wishing to participate in the conference should approach members of the Local Organizing Committee or the Scientific and Program Committee.

The meeting is organized jointly by the Institut de Ciències del Cosmos de la Universitat de Barcelona and the Institut de Tècniques Energètiques de la Universitat Politecnica de Catalunya.

To register use the web: http://icc.ub.edu/congress/ESP-RUS2011/ There is no registration fee Deadline for registration is September 30th.

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Russian participants

Registration is now open and it will be possible until September 30th. We have already contacted a number of distinguished Russian physicists and we count on the participation of academicians L.Lipatov (Saint Petersburg), V.Rubakov (INR), A. Slavnov (Steklov) and A.Starobinsky (Landau). In addition the following professors have confirmed their attendance: S.Afonin, A.Andrianov, V.Andrianov, I.Arefeva, M.Braun, L.Chulkov, S.Dmitriev, A.Golovnev, D.Gorbunov, K.Gridnev, M. Ioffe, A Kamenschchik. D. Levkov, M. Libanov, N.Krasnikov, Y.Pis'mak, G.Rubtsov, V.Schvedunov, S.Sibiryakov, A.Studenikin, V.Tselyaev.

The accommodation of the above Russian participants will be arranged and paid by the organizers, within the existing budgetary limits. Accommodation will be in one of the University
Residences in Barcelona. We also have a limited number of travel grants to support the participation of some of our Russian colleagues.

The participation of interested Russian Scientists based in institutes outside Russia is also encouraged and most welcome. Unfortunately we cannot provide financial support in this case but the organizers will be happy to help in arranging accommodation. Please discuss justified requests with the organizers.

Russian participants are invited to contact the organizers if a letter of invitation to back the visa application is needed. At this moment most of the above mentioned scientists should have already received an invitation.

**Spanish participants**

We invite the Spanish communities in particle physics, astroparticle and nuclear physics, particularly those that have ongoing collaborations with Russian groups, to register and participate actively in this joint meeting. We would also like to invite Spanish participants to identify suitable Russian collaborators that could be invited within the existing budget constraints.

Spanish participants should arrange their accommodation by themselves. A number of useful links are provided in the meeting web page to this purpose.

Generally speaking, we cannot provide financial support for Spanish participants. However a small number of rooms has been reserved for students and young postdocs at a very convenient rate.

We hope to have a fair and balanced representation of the activities in Spain in the above areas. Some Spanish participants have already been privately contacted and we apologize for the duplicate information.

Note that this joint meeting takes place the week after the CPAN general meeting in Barcelona (Nov 2-4) and some of the Spanish participants may take this opportunity to enjoy a week-end in our city.

**Agenda and talks**

The meeting will start on the afternoon Tuesday November 8th and finish on Friday November 11th. We expect between 60 and 70 participants and we would like to reserve some time for informal discussions and round tables. Therefore is obvious that there is no time available for a contribution from every participant. Contributions will be short and they will be selected by the program committee. We count on the understanding of all participants.

The proposed contribution title and abstract can be uploaded via the web page following the instructions that will be received at the moment of registration.

**Social activities**

There will be a reception on Tuesday 8th open to all participants and accompanying persons. We hope to count on this occasion with the presence of some Spanish and Russian authorities and representatives.

A social dinner will be organized on Thursday 10th. It will be free for participants; the fee for accompanying persons will be 40€. Please indicate your preferences at the moment of registration.

*Join us in Barcelona to meet your Russian or Spanish colleagues!*