

2026 Boulder Summer School for Condensed Matter and Materials Physics

Geometry and Topology in Soft Matter Physics

Schedule Overview

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Week 1: July 6-10					
8:30 - 9:00	Welcome				
9:00 - 10:30	M. Moshe	M. Moshe	M. Moshe	R. Kamien	R. Kamien
10:30 - 11:00	Coffee Break	Coffee Break	Coffee Break	Coffee Break	Coffee Break
11:00 - 12:30	R. James	R. James	R. Kamien	R. James	C. Rycroft
12:30 - 13:45	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
14:00 - 15:30	C. Rycroft	C. Rycroft	Tutorial / Q&A	M. Moshe	Problems & What have we learned?
15:30 - 17:00	Introductions		Problem solving - (15:45-17:00)		
Evening	18:30-18:55 Poster Blurbs I 19:00 - 22:00 Poster Session I	18:00-20:30 Social (Dessert on Flagstaff Mtn.)			19:00 - 21:30 Catered Dinner
Week 2: July 13-17					
9:00 - 10:30	M. Shelley	M. Shelley	M. Shelley	C. Marchetti	C. Marchetti
10:30 - 11:00	Coffee Break	Coffee Break	Coffee Break	Coffee Break	Coffee Break
11:00 - 12:30	S. Spagnolie	S. Spagnolie	C. Marchetti	P. Vlahovska	S. Spagnolie
12:30 - 13:45	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
14:00 - 15:30	P. Vlahovska	P. Vlahovska	Tutorial / Q&A	M. Shelley	Problems & What have we learned?
Evening	18:30-18:55 Poster Blurbs II 19:00 - 22:00 Poster Session II	Problem solving - (15:45-17:00)			
Week 3: July 20-24					
9:00 - 10:30	G. Grason	G. Grason	G. Grason	X. Mao	J. Panetta
10:30 - 11:00	Coffee Break	Coffee Break	Coffee Break	Coffee Break	Coffee Break
11:00 - 12:30	X. Mao	X. Mao	E. Katifori	E. Katifori	E. Katifori
12:30 - 13:45	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
14:00 - 15:30	J. Panetta	J. Panetta	Tutorial / Q&A	G. Grason	Problems & What have we learned?
Evening	18:30-18:55 Poster Blurbs III 19:00 - 22:00 Poster Session III	19:00-20:00 Public Lecture by Greg Grason	Problem solving - (15:45-17:00)		
Week 4: July 27-31					
9:00 - 10:30	I. Streinu	I. Streinu	I. Streinu	I. Tobasco	I. Tobasco
10:30 - 11:00	Coffee Break	Coffee Break	Coffee Break	Coffee Break	Coffee Break
11:00 - 12:30	J. Schwarz	J. Schwarz	I. Tobasco	J. Schwarz	C. Modes
12:30 - 13:45	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
14:00 - 15:30	C. Modes	C. Modes	Problem solving	C. Modes	Problems & What have we learned?
Evening					
<p>All lectures are in Duane Physics G130 Public lecture is in Duane Physics G1B30 Poster sessions are in common space next to the lecture room G130 Catered dinner is on the 10th floor of JILA tower</p>					