



LAB SCHEDULE MAX PLANCK INSTITUTE FOR ASTRONOMY, NOV 15-19

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 14

Students' arrival; accomodation in downtown Heidelberg

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 15

- 9h15 Welcome and introduction (Markus Pössel, ext. 261)
- 9h30-10h30 Minerva/EJC preparatory session
- 10h30-12h30 Tour of MPIA (Klaus Jäger, 379), Introduction to OPTICON (Markus Pössel, 261)
- 12h30-13h30 Lunch (students on their own)
- 13h30-14h00 Students move into guest house
- 14h00-16h00 LBT/LINC-NIRVANA: Interferometry for the LBT (Martin Kürster, 214)
- 16h00-17h00 Newsroom time and next day preparation
- 18h00 Dinner (students on their own)

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 16

- 9h15 Meeting in newsroom, overview of the day's activities
- 9h30-11h00 Prep session on VLTI (Leonard Burtscher, 405)
- 11h00-12h00 Interview session on VLTI (Ralf Launhardt, 207)
- 12h30-13h30 Lunch (students on their own)
- 13h30-15h30 Lab Visit: Cryogenics for the VLTI (Werner Laun, 279)
- 15h30-17h00 Newsroom time
- 18h00 Dinner (students on their own)

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 17

- 9h15 Meeting in newsroom, overview of the day's activities
- 9h30-10h30 Instrumentation for the European Extremely Large Telescope (Rainer Lenzen, 228)
- 10h30-11h30 E-ELT Information and interview session (Tom Herbst, 223)
- 11h30-12h30 Newsroom time



- 12h30-13h30 Lunch (students on their own)
- 13h30-15h00 Precision telescope building: Tour and Q&A at MPIA mechanics workshops (Armin Böhm, 240)
- 15h00-17h00 Sterne und Weltraum/Spektrum der Wissenschaft: The astronomy-journalism connection on the Königstuhl (Uwe Reichert, 393)
- 18h00 Dinner (students on their own)

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 18

- 9h15 Meeting in newsroom
- 9h30-12h30 Shadowing/hands-on in the Adaptive Optics Lab (Wolfgang Gässler, 277)
- 12h30-13h30 Lunch with some of the researchers
- 13h30-16h00 Shadowing/hands-on in the Adaptive Optics Lab (Wolfgang Gässler, 277)
- 16h00-17h00 Newsroom time and next day preparation
- 18h00 Joint dinner at Alter Kohlhof

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 19

- 9h15 Meeting in newsroom with
- 9h00-15h00 Lecture hall free for taping/photo sessions, if required]
- 9h30-12h30 Wrap-up session part I (various, coordinated by M. Pössel, 261)
- 12h30-13h30 Lunch (students on their own/or with the designated researcher)
- 13h30-14h30 Wrap-up session part II
- 14h30-17h00 Final newsroom time
- 18h00 Dinner (students on their own)