

# **ProtoDUNE**

## **Status and Updates**

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# SPSC questions

- Final version of answers to SPSC referee questions submitted on Sept. 23<sup>rd</sup>

<http://docs.dunescience.org:8080/cgi-bin/ShowDocument?docid=471>

- SPSC will discuss protoDUNE in closed session on Oct. 20/21
- Would expect approval soon thereafter

# Organizational issues

New protoDUNE management structure not yet in place

→ ProtoDUNE is on aggressive schedule and lots of work needs to be done, so keep moving with present organization until it is being updated

High level meetings on **Fridays at 10:00am CDT** during detector weeks:

- Monthly: focus on protoDUNE issues
- Monthly: focus on synergies between protoDUNE and WA105

Reminder of working groups:

- “Measurement and analysis”
  - now sub-group under far detector “computing and simulation”
  - Same conveners (to be formalized)
- “calibration”
  - now sub-group under far detector “calibration”
  - same convener (but may change)
- “beam”
  - As before

→ Meeting times of working groups to be identified ...

# Organizational issues

CERN nu-platform meetings on **Thursdays at 8:30am CDT** :

- Neutrino platform general meeting alternates with
- Neutrino platform integration meeting

# Reminder:

## ProtoDUNE email list:

- We are using [CENF-LBNF-Test@cern.ch](mailto:CENF-LBNF-Test@cern.ch) including all sub-groups
- Also: [CENF-General@cern.ch](mailto:CENF-General@cern.ch)  
→ CERN nu-platform meetings announced here
- Self-subscription at: <https://account.cern.ch/account/>  
→ Follow link “e-groups membership” or if you don’t have a CERN login yet follow “create a new account” first.
- Please let us know (1. Youlia Ilieva Krasteva [youlia.krasteva@cern.ch](mailto:youlia.krasteva@cern.ch) or 2. [kutter@phys.lsu.edu](mailto:kutter@phys.lsu.edu)) if you experience problems with the CERN based email list/e-group

## ProtoDUNE and WA105 email list: (not yet used, but will start to use soon)

- self-subscribe to [dune-cern-proto](mailto:dune-cern-proto)  
<https://web.fnal.gov/project/LBNF/SitePages/LBNF%20and%20DUNE%20Mailing%20Lists.aspx>
- <http://listserv.fnal.gov/scripts/wa.exe?A0=DUNE-CERN-PROTO>

# protoDUNE key issues:

Most critical tasks ahead:

- 1) grow team and fully engage more collaborators and newcomers in all required activities  
(See following presentations for specific opportunities)
- 2) exploit synergies with WA105 and other CERN and FNAL nu-platform activities
- 3) aggressively pursue funding opportunities (in various countries) to help enhance effort and support people

# Ongoing/New Activities

- CERN EHN1 facility interface requirements need to be better defined NOW
- ...

