Physics WG Structure

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TDR and 2019 WG Updates

- TDR Physics Volume: A major achievement
 - Represents an enormous amount of work over the past few years.
 - Everyone involved should feel proud of the product!
 - Individual physics chapters are being packaged up as journal articles.
- With the TDR heading out the door, it's a suitable time for annual updates to the WG organization
 - Have historically targeted Autumn each year for this.
 - This year there are some slight structural changes in addition to the typical number of personnel rotations.



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Long Baseline

Dan Cherdack Chris Marshall Mayly Sanchez

ProtoDUNE Analysis

George Christodoulou Tingjun Yang

SNB / Low Energy

Alex Friedland Inés Gil-Botella Kate Scholberg

NDK / High Energy

Lisa Koerner Vitaly Kudryavstev Greg Pawloski

Plus:

Calibration Task Force

Sowjanya Gollapinni Kendall Mahn

ND Physics

Mike Kordosky Steve Manly

BSM/Pheno

Alex Sousa Jae Yu



Changelog

- Creation of LBL/NDDG Liaison position
 - Charged with coordinating the LBL-related analysis work happening within the extensive NDDG structure
- "ND Physics" becomes "ν Interactions & SM"
 - Refer to the science mission rather than a detector in the group's name. (The ND is highly relevant for *several* Physics WGs.)
- "SNB/Low-E" becomes "Low Energy"
 "NDK/High-E" becomes "High Energy"
 - The physics scopes of these two groups are broad. Reflect that in their names.
 - The scopes in practice are roughly:
 - Low energy WG: physics with neutrino sources in the <50 MeV range
 - High energy WG: a much broader set of sources and signatures, typically >50 MeV.
 Includes ongoing BNV and atmospheric neutrino analyses plus astrophysics and BSM searches that involve full sim/reco and can naturally share tools with other analyses in the group



Changelog

- Creation of Calibration WG; Ending of Calibration Task Force
 - Paves the way for longer-term analysis work within Physics on calibration topics.
 - The Task Force has long completed its intended scope of work.
- "BSM" becomes "BSM/Pheno"
 - A name that better reflects the work in the group
- Addition of dual-phase-oriented convener(s) to ProtoDUNE Analysis WG
 - Reflects the current stage of operations and data analysis with ProtoDUNE-DP.
 - The SP and DP analysis work will initially continue in parallel tracks, but increased sharing of tools and personnel resources is critical moving forward.



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A hearty thanks...

- ...to all the Physics conveners departing, continuing, or joining
 - Roughly 1/3rd changeover: a balance of continuity vs. new perspectives and opportunities
 - And an extra thanks to Lorena Escudero, Sowjanya Gollapinni, Kendall Mahn, Greg Pawloski for leading their respective groups so effectively during this very busy and productive time.

