

# Theory Frontier: Structure & Plans

- **Snowmass Report Structure:** Current structure is suitable for TF
  - Anticipate ~50-page frontier summary, 11 x ~10-page topical group summaries along current guidelines.
- **Dates of CSS:** Current dates are preferred for TF (July 11-20, 2021) in light of logistics, feasibility, and P5 timeline.
- **Workshop plan before CSS:** Theory Frontier meeting March 17-19 2021; various smaller-scale topical group meetings before & after TF meeting under development
- Detailed TF Timeline (To be finalized with TF TGCs later today)

# Theory Frontier: SEC

- All contributed papers read & considered in TF, solicited & unsolicited alike.
- Some papers solicited by topical group conveners to cover salient points.
- LOIs acknowledged; LOI authors responsible for following through. Papers welcome from those who did not submit LOIs.
- Topical group conveners & liaisons discuss with counterparts in other frontiers to manage papers spanning frontiers.
- TF will soon (this week) widely advertise an indication-of-interest form to help determine coverage of topics & connect interested parties.
- *Propose to reconsider “early career liaisons should be included in all convener meetings, public and private” in light of self-appointed nature of SEC liaisons vs. nominated, vetted, and SC-approved conveners & frontier liaisons. Instead, we plan to establish regular communication with the SEC.*