

SCD Postdoc News

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SCD Postdoc Meeting
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Safety and Reporting



- We hope you are all well and safe at home during this difficult time
 - Please make health and safety your highest priority as you work from home
 - Please spend whatever time is needed to insure your safety.

Effort Reporting

- Fermilab has provided the timecard charging activity "Weather Diff"
 - To record time to fulfill necessary functions of survival that are conflicting with work.
 - Taking care of family, home schooling, shopping for food, etc.
- Please contact your supervisor or HR partner for advice before using it.

Scientific Reporting

- Fermilab is now requiring weekly reports from SCD and the other divisions
- Intended to record a "heartbeat" of activity in addition to accomplishments
- Please write something in each weekly report

E-conferences and Jobs



E-Conferences

- We recommend postdocs participate in conferences remotely
 - Most conferences can be found at https://inspirehep.net/conferences
 - Need to check the conference website to find if it is remote
- Some conferences and schools are remote attendance or considering it
 - LHCP2020 is Remote Only: Large Hadron Collider Physics Conference, 25-30 May
 - Neutrino2020 is considering it: Neutrino Physics and Astrophysics, 22-27 June
- Please consider a talk at an e-conference and ask your supervisor and mentor
- SCD will support your attending conferences that advance your career

Faculty Jobs

- We recommend postdocs continue to prepare to search for faculty jobs
- Faculty job interviews in March were being done remotely in some cases
- Postdocs with 3+ years of experience should apply for jobs this fall.