



## SAC weekly meeting

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# Meeting ground rules

Continuing from last term:

- Please mute when you are not speaking
- Please use the “raise hand” feature and the moderators will try to recognize people in order
- If we are moving on to another topic and your follow-up comment was on the current issue, please speak up. It is important to have timely and efficient conversations

# Agenda

- News
  - Working with COVID precautions
  - Pilot Winter Break
- IPPM
- Survey Results
- Next Quarterly All-Scientist Meeting Planning
- Future meetings

# Minutes

Minutes from last meeting have been uploaded to SAC internal Sharepoint

[https://fermipoint.fnal.gov/org/ood/sac/Shared%20Documents/2021%20Files/SAC%20Meeting%20Minutes/SAC\\_Minutes\\_Nov30\\_2020.pdf?csf=1&e=ktudg8](https://fermipoint.fnal.gov/org/ood/sac/Shared%20Documents/2021%20Files/SAC%20Meeting%20Minutes/SAC_Minutes_Nov30_2020.pdf?csf=1&e=ktudg8)

Minutes are not made public...

Jeremiah Holzbauer has agreed to take minutes today - thank you!

# News

## Timeline for snowmass working groups report

Ongoing discussion to delay report by ~year

Snowmass Frontier convener meeting today dedicated to this topic

Community Summer Studies (CSS) organizers have stated availability to host in 2022 if needed (UW in Seattle)

Next SAC meeting: Jan 11, 2021

# Have a restful Winter Break!



# Working with COVID Precautions

Discussion/feedback on how the Lab's COVID policy is affecting our research program

Initially started with a general policy to reduce onsite density

- Did not look at specific locations

Now using a more targeted approach and looking at work in specific areas (buildings)

- Asked to characterize risk of using a matrix of priority and density

Collect questions and suggestions and send to the COVID task force

*Could follow up with a presentation from the COVID task force in the SAC meeting*

- Is the policy being clearly communicated
- What facilities are needed (Testbeam, Irradiation facility...)
- Priorities (experiments, projects, facilities...)
- Feedback on how the current approach is impacting our work, suggestions for improvements
- How we can help with making sure work proceeds in a safe way

# Pilot Winter Break

Fermilab Today has several articles related to the Pilot Winter Break

“Stockroom winter break closure – **Dec. 24-Jan. 3**”

“Voluntary winter break pilot FAQs”

Expect another article this week with details on what services will be affected

*Administrative support, shipping/receiving, project support...*

*For the most part the impact on the research activities should be minimal*

A survey is being prepared to get feedback on how this impacts our work

*Results of the survey will be used to shape the program for the future*

*We should make sure to reply to the survey, or directly to the working group*

# Topics for Future Meetings

Jan 11, 2021

- Winter break pilot feedback?
- COVID-19 follow-up discussion/presentation?
- Hiring/Promotion Task Force
- Follow-up on Recreation/Retirement policy



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