



# UEC Meeting: Users Meeting Subcommittee Report

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# UM2021: Summary



UM2021 took place 2-6 August 2021



~400 registrants



Talks from all experiments and several additional talks – many early careers speakers



Release forms collected - videos live



Poster prize winners contacted - \$ 600 total money → a one off!:

1<sup>st</sup> : Ben Zhang (Astro)

2<sup>nd</sup> : Miranda Elkins (neutrino)

3<sup>rd</sup>: Emrys Peets (LDMX/Dark Matter)



Survey in progress



# UM2021: Publicity

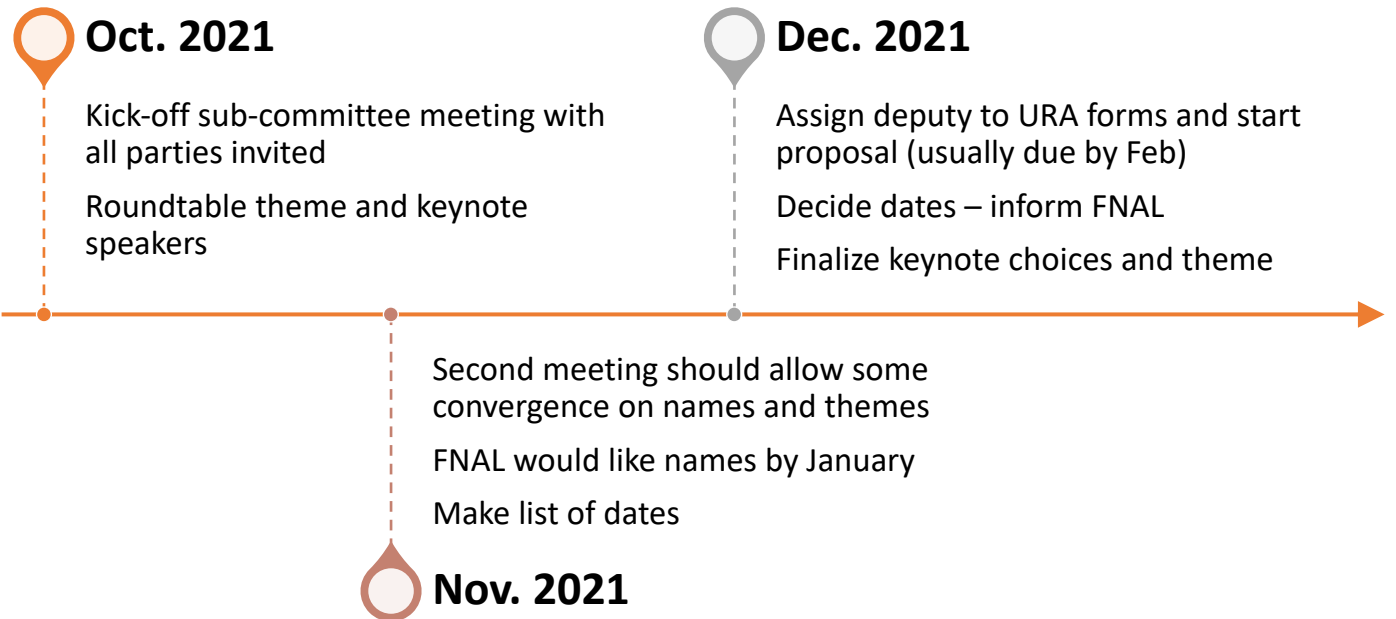
- Particles article from Ashley (thanks for this) now live:
  - <https://news.fnal.gov/fermilab-at-work/from-lab-leadership/>
- I am writing a Fermilab news article summarizing the meeting
- Lesson for next year: We should have a news article before the meeting to further advertise the meeting



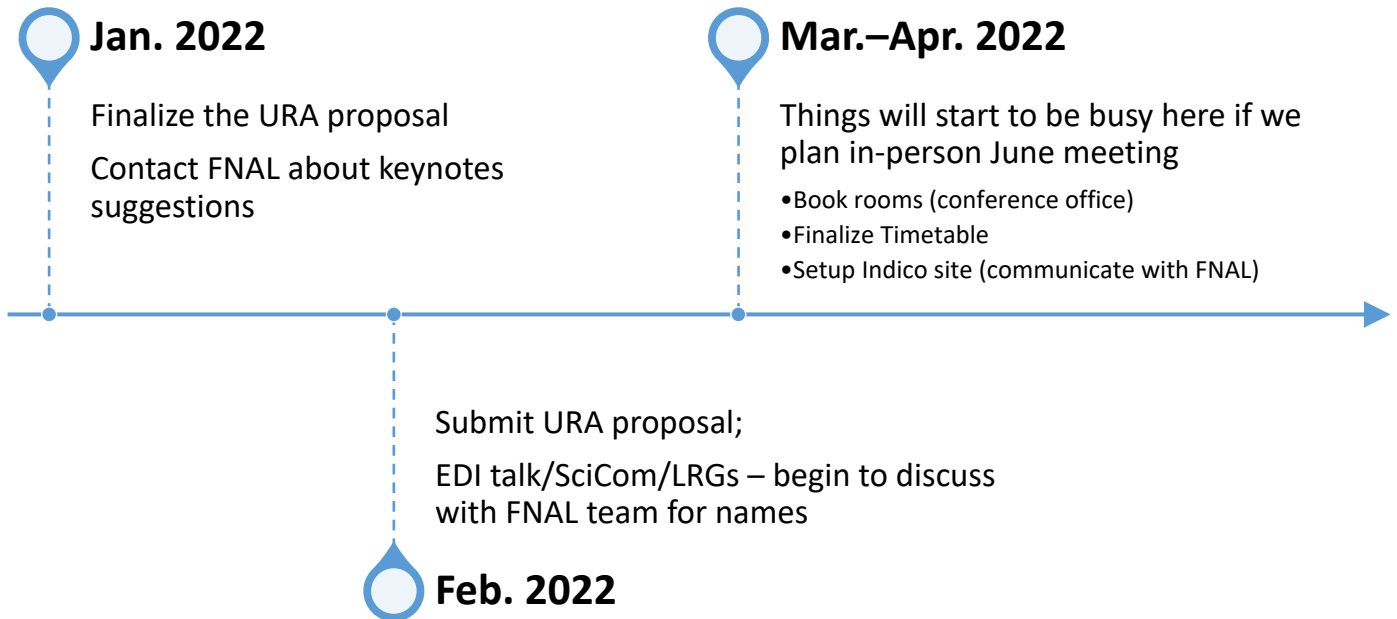
# Towards UM2022

- It is now time to begin planning for next years meeting
- A few things I noted from informal feedback:
  - People would prefer a move back to a June time slot
  - An in-person component next year would be welcome
- We should aim to start planning early with this in mind!

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**April – May 2022**

Reach out to spokespeople for speaker nominees (give them at least a month)

Reach out to public for poster nominees (if virtual we need to think about platform)

Open registration (if in person people will need to make travel arrangements)

Publicity – FNAL news, Users Mailing Lists, Posters – communicate with communications office

Festa Italia (amount of work depends if virtual)

This will depend on nature of meeting...

**June 2022**

# Summary

- UM2021 was a great success – thank you Reddy and Ashley for making it so!
- I am happy to inherit the chair role and am looking forward to an equally successful UM2022
- In order to keep on track for a (hopefully) in person June meeting we will begin meetings next month.
- If you want to assist the planning please reach-out or come to the first meeting when advertised