A Guide to the Grad Fair at the world’s largest gathering of physics undergrads

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Reach the most physics undergrads

Now’s the chance to:
- Connect with the largest gathering of diverse talented physics students in the United States
- Create awareness for your grad program and its unique offerings
- Consider a grad fair table for as little as $400
- The 2019 Physics Congress brought together students from 232 schools across 46 states

Not Your Average Physics Conference

The 2022 Physics Congress (PhysCon) is slated to bring together 1,300 physics undergraduate and graduate students, Sigma Pi Sigma members, professionals, and faculty to address common concerns for science and society. Attendees will be immersed in cutting-edge topics on innovation and technology. This is expected to be the largest attended Congress of Sigma Pi Sigma, the physics and astronomy honor society.

PhysCon brings together physics students, alumni and faculty members for three days of frontier physics, interactive professional development workshops and networking opportunities. PhysCon only happens every 2-3 years, so don't miss this opportunity.

PhysCon presents unique opportunities for attendees to:
- Bond with fellow physics students from across the United States and beyond.
- Explore graduate programs, summer research opportunities and workforce options.
- Be inspired by renowned physicists and tours of labs at the forefront of science and technology.
- Grow professionally through workshops on communication, inclusion and leadership.
- Present research to fellow students, potential graduate school advisors and potential employers.

PhysCon is a unique and exciting opportunity to reach the next generation of physicists with opportunities for

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GRAD FAIR PARTICIPANTS
AT THE 2019 PHYSICS CONGRESS

- Auburn University
- Boston College
- Boston University
- Clark University
- Clemson University
- Cornell University
- Ecological Society of America
- Emory University
- Florida A&M University
- Florida International University
- Florida Polytechnic University
- Florida State University
- George Mason University
- Johns Hopkins University
- Kent State University/CPIP
- Queens College
- Max Planck School of Photonics
- Ohio University
- Old Dominion University
- City University of New York
- Providence College
- Seton Hall University
- Siena College
- Southern Connecticut State University
- The George Washington University
- The University of Mississippi
- University of California, Merced
- University of Connecticut
- University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign
- University of Iowa
- University of Maryland
- University of North Texas
- University of Pennsylvania
- University of Utah
- University of Washington
- University of Wisconsin Madison
- University of Wyoming
- Utah State University
- Virginia Tech
- Wayne State University
- Western Michigan University
- William and Mary
- Worcester Polytechnic Institute
- Wyant College of Optical Sciences
A Physics Congress brings together over 1,000 physics & astronomy students with mentors, alumni, & renowned scientists for a life-changing experience. The Centennial Congress in Washington, D.C. presents a special opportunity to celebrate as a community the 100 Years of Momentum of Sigma Pi Sigma, the Physics Honor Society.

The Sigma Pi Sigma Physics Congress is the largest gathering of undergraduate physics students in the world. Each event attracts the brightest, most enthusiastic physics students & alumni from across the country. Attendees will engage in workshops, tour premier local organizations, learn from luminaries in the field, & strengthen our community.

**Plenary Speakers:**
Julianne Pollard-Larkin | K. Renee Horton | Rush Holt Jr. | Sarah Hörst

**Special Centennial Speakers**
Eric Cornell | Jim Gates | Jocelyn Bell-Burnell | John Mather

Partnering with Sigma Pi Sigma during our centennial celebration gives you a customizable opportunity to reach future physicists & astronomers as they begin their careers.

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Unlock Your Half Price Table Rate with GradSchoolShopper (GSS)

Grad fair tables at Physics Congress 2022 are as little as $400 with participation in GradSchoolShopper, the only directory of grad programs in physics, astronomy and related fields, free to students, now with a companion annual magazine full of advice and guidance specific to students considering grad programs in these areas.

To activate your half price table rate, choose from our two options:

- **List Your Program on GSS website year-round just $1,235** for a full profile of information, media and links to your program pages plus inclusion in our table of program data comparisons for students to export—your grad fair table rate for Physics Congress is just $500.

  OR

- **Bundle your program listing on GSS website with a program snapshot in the annual GSS magazine for 25% off**! In addition to being mailed with Physics Today magazine in September, GSS magazine will also be given to every attendee at PhysCon. Get both the year-round online listing described above AND an ad in GSS magazine for as little as $1,793—your grad fair table rate for Physics Congress is just $400.

**Grad Fair Hours**

- Thursday, October 6, 12:00 pm – 2:00 pm
- Friday, October 7, 10:00 am – 1:00 pm
- Saturday, October 8, 10:00 am – 1:00 pm

**Setup Hours**: *(subject to change)*

- **Exhibitor Registration**: Wednesday October 5, 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm
- **Setup**: Wednesday, October 5, 3:00 pm - 5:00 pm AND/OR Thursday, October 6, 9:00 am – 11:30 am

**Teardown Hours**

- Saturday, October 8, 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

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