



Jan 12, 2024

Dear all,

We hope that you had a great start into 2024! To proceed with the preparation for your Masterclass, please read this week's circular below (which is a repetition from Jan 5 – where many people were still on vacation).

//////// Profile of your institute //////////

Make a good impression on our website! All participating institutes can have their profile on the IMC website. On this individual page, you can present your institute and its activities. Please check your profile, which you will find in the left hand side menu entry of your country at <https://cern.ch/mkppt>. If you do not see one, let us know and we will help you to build a page. If there is one there, please inspect it thoroughly: check both the English and the local language version and please click every link! Send URLs or any information that needs to be updated!

//////// Masterclasses on the UN International Day of Women and Girls in Science //////////

Around February 11, we will celebrate the International Day of Women and Girls in Science (IDWGS). Several groups have signed up so far for these special Masterclasses. You can still register!

- **CERN** will offer videoconferences for girls' Masterclasses on Friday, Feb 9, 2024. Schedule at <https://cern.ch/69b35>
- **GSI** will offer videoconferences for PTMC Masterclasses on Monday, Feb 12, 2024 <https://indico.cern.ch/event/1246300/>. Registration at: <https://cern.ch/pjlwv>

//////// Media templates //////////

We provide several media templates for useful applications for your Masterclass, e.g. letter and flyer for invitation, announcement poster, slides (ppt) for your presentations, certificate of participation, and logos. These are available at <https://cern.ch/ki7ll>. All of these have been designed to help you prepare your Masterclass, whether you create your announcement poster or print shirts with the IMC logo for your tutors.

Additional materials are available in the QuarkNet masterclass library at <https://quarknet.org/content/classroom>. These include posters and classroom preparatory activities.

//////// Moderators //////////

We are currently putting together the moderator teams for the videoconferences. As the program is expanding, we are looking for new volunteers. Moderations can be done remotely, so people don't have to be at CERN, Fermilab, KEK, GSI, or in Malargue. If you have colleagues who are interested, let us know!

Looking forward to working with you on International Masterclasses 2024!

Kind regards,

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