AS1901 – The Physical Universe

Welcome to AS1901 – Part of the Life Long Learning Programme.

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Assessment
Class tests weeks 6 and 13; Marks = 25% each
Physics & Astronomy essays set week 7, due week 13; Marks = 25% each

Provisional Timetable and Venue
Room 233 in the J F Allen (Physics and Astronomy) Building
Starting 25 Jan. 6:30 pm - 9:30 pm every Wednesday Evening

Week  Lecturer  Subject
1.    MD        Introduction and Physics session 1
2.    HZ        Astronomy session 1 and visit to the University Observatory
3.    MD        Physics 2
4.    HZ        Astronomy 2
5.    MD        Physics 3
6.    HZ        Test 1 and Astronomy 3
7.    MD        Physics 4 and Essays set

Spring Break
8.    HZ        Astronomy 4
9.    MD        Physics 5
10.   HZ        Astronomy 5
11.   MD        Physics 6
12.   HZ        Astronomy 6
13.   MD        Test 2 and Essays due
14.   HZ + MD   Essay Feedback

Course Books
Astronomy: Nicolson, Unfolding Our Universe, CUP

Please do not hesitate to contact us with any questions, queries or concerns you may have.

Please look at the School’s Handbook for level 1 and 2 students that is available from the School’s Students and Staff web page. This contains information on personnel, general rules for modules in the School, etc.

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