



Second Announcement of the sixth Accelerator Reliability Workshop October 15-20, 2017, in Versailles, FRANCE

We are pleased to announce **the 6th Accelerator Reliability Workshop, ARW 2017**  **which will take place in Versailles, France, from October 15 to 20, 2017.** ARW 2017 is hosted by Synchrotron SOLEIL and supported by ESRF, GANIL, Institut Curie, and the French Physics Society.

This is the sixth workshop in a series of successful workshops started by the ESRF (Grenoble 2002), TRIUMF (Vancouver 2009), iThemba (Cape Town 2011), the Australian Synchrotron (Melbourne 2013), and SNS (Knoxville 2015).

The ARW provides a venue for individuals from accelerator communities worldwide to meet and share their experiences on operating reliable facilities. The workshop fulfills the need to improve information exchange on technical issues and equipment reliability. It facilitates the opportunity for individuals to share their problems and solutions with their peers from other facilities, worldwide.

The Local Organization Committee (LOC) is chaired by Laurent S. Nadolski (SOLEIL).

ARW2017 will offer plenary sessions on Monday through Friday morning. A few exceptions are the parallel sessions on Thursday afternoon; Wednesday will be located in SOLEIL (visit of the SOLEIL facility, extended poster session, invited speakers). A welcome cocktail will be held on Sunday evening. Optional events are: a visit of the Château de VERSAILLES on Friday afternoon and a tour of the Proton Therapy Center (Institut Curie) the following Morning (Saturday). A draft of the program is available on the website together with the abstract of the main sessions.

Please make a note of the next milestones for the workshop.

- Abstract submission and registration from **March the 15th to June the 15th** (with a selection of hotels by the LOC).
- Late Registration till September 15th (with no selection of hotels)

Workshop web site <http://www.synchrotron-soleil.fr/Workshops/2017/ARW-2017>

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