

CHAMPP CENTER IN HAMBURG FOR ASTRO-, MATHEMATICAL AND PARTICLE PHYSICS

LECTURE COURSE IN THE QUANTUM UNIVERSE RESEARCH SCHOOL

Winter Term 2020/2021

Quantum Mechanics II

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Course Description:

Contents of the course are

- Quantum mechanics of many-particle systems
- Identical particles and statistics
- Bosons and fermions
- Hamiltonian of solid-state electrons,
- Mean field approximation and Hartree–Fock equations
- Occupation number representation, field quantization, field operators
- Partition sum, density operators,
- Relativistic Quantum Mechanics
- Representations of Lorentz group
- Klein-Gordon field, Dirac field and their quantization
- Properties of relativistic Dirac particles (electrons)

Prerequisites:

Builds upon all courses of theoretical physics, mechanics, electrodynamics and especially quantum mechanics

Literature:

The lecture will have a complete manuscript (hand-written). Here is some more helpful literature:

- Cohen-Tannoudji, Diu, Laloe: Quantum Mechanics, Vol. 2
- J.J. Sakurai: Advanced Quantum Mechanics
- M. Peskin, D. Schroeder: Introduction to Quantum Field Theory
- S. Weinberg: Quantum Mechanics

Date and Place: Mon 16:00–17:30, Zoom https://uni-hamburg.zoom.us/j/94897475775, Passcode: 87wg5v²d Tue 12:00–13:30, Zoom https://uni-hamburg.zoom.us/j/93300277938, Passcode: 18rXSRt6 Problem Classes: Wed 10:15–11:45 or 16:00–17:30, Zoom

Starting on:

2 November 2020