

## **EXPRESSIONS OF INTEREST**

In preparation from the upcoming joint ReNeW workshop for Themes I and II (for details, see <http://fusion.gat.com/global/Renewt12>), we are in the initial stages of developing a detailed agenda. In this regard, if you have an interest in giving a presentation at this workshop, please send an e-mail to Chuck Greenfield ([greenfield@fusion.gat.com](mailto:greenfield@fusion.gat.com)), with CC to Jim Van Dam ([vandam@physics.utexas.edu](mailto:vandam@physics.utexas.edu)) and Amanda Hubbard ([hubbard@psfc.mit.edu](mailto:hubbard@psfc.mit.edu)), indicating the title of your presentation and also the Theme panel(s) that you think should consider your idea. The deadline for these expressions of interest is March 13, 2009.

Note that your expression of interest is not a guarantee of a time slot at the workshop. As noted in a previous correspondence, presentation at the meeting is limited to those individuals who have submitted White Papers to the ReNeW workshop web site (see the web site above for details) or who are specifically invited by the Theme chairs. Furthermore, we believe that ample discussion time should be allocated so that the Workshop participants can discuss the ideas. Hence, the total number of presentations will be limited. If necessary, considerations of programmatic and institutional balance will help determine the choice of presenters.

## **PRESENTATION GUIDELINES**

Because of the anticipated demand for presentations, the amount of time allocated for each presentation will likely be limited. It is imperative that the presenters sharply focus their presentations on the main objective of this workshop—namely, the vetting, discussion, and selection of potential research thrusts (or elements of a thrust) for the respective Themes. To achieve this, a three-part presentation is suggested:

- 1) Identification of critical issues that your research thrust would address
- 2) Specification of physics requirements for answering key questions regarding these issues
- 3) Description of proposed research thrust(s), including scope and timeline

Each presentation should aim to convey the need for a particular research thrust at a high level, with details left to the accompanying White Paper. Detailed discussions of past or present research should not be included in the presentations.