



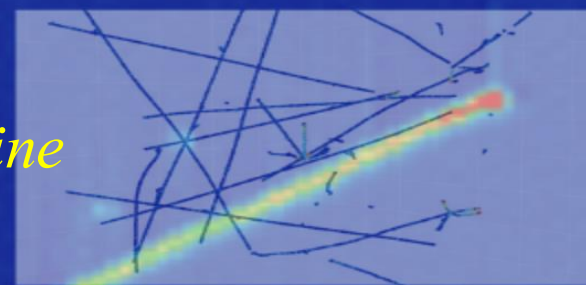
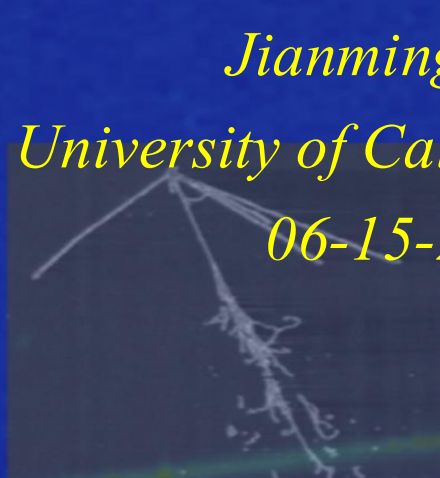
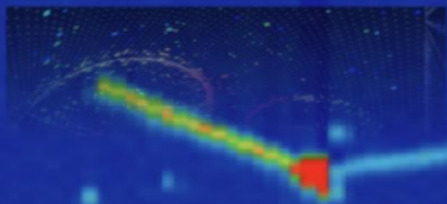
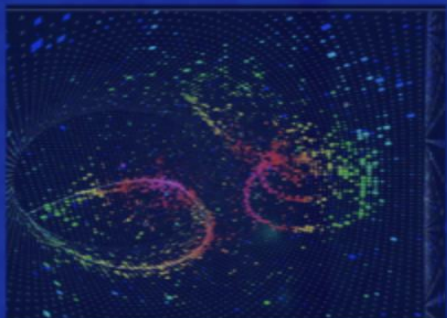
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Welcome and Logistics

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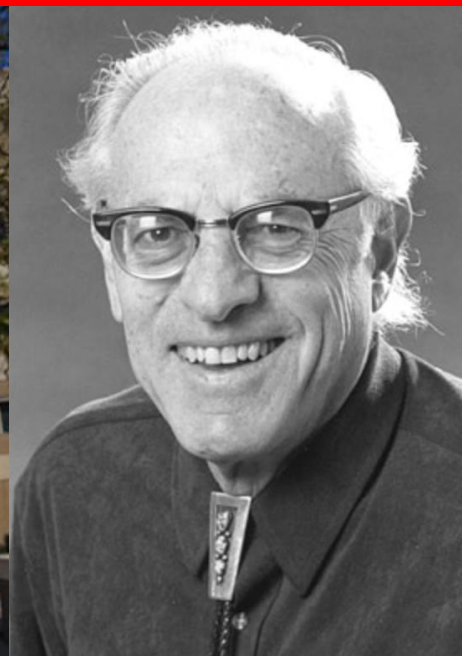
NPML2026, Irvine

Welcome to NPML 2026 in Irvine!

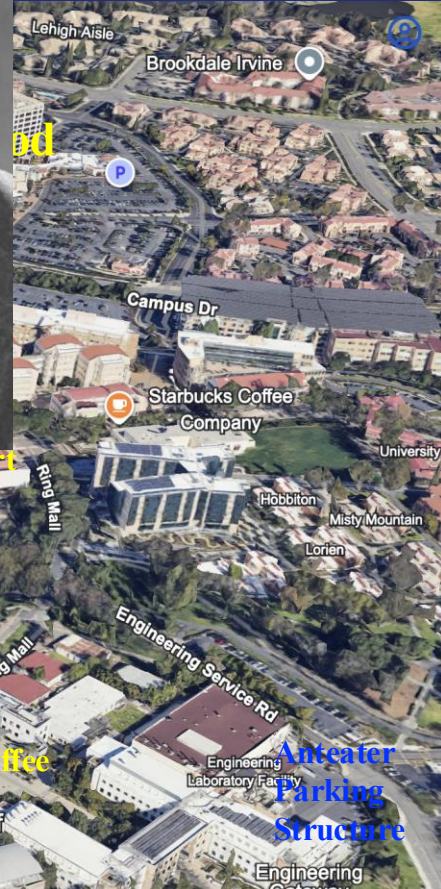


Neutrino at UCI

Frederick Reines Hall



Irvine!



- Frederick Reines – founding Dean of Physical Sciences, first observed neutrino in 1956 (with Cowan) – Nobel Laureate 1995
- Herb Chen – Proposed and led SNO, pioneered LArTPC
- Mike Moe – first observed double beta decay
- Current neutrino experiments: NOvA, DUNE, DayaBay, JUNO, Super-K, Hyper-K, T2K, IceCube, ARIANNA, FASER/FORTVNE (Steve Barwick, Jianming Bian, Jonathan Feng, Pedro Ochoa-Ricoux, Michael Smy, Hank Sobel)
- Neutrino theorists: Mu-Chun Chen, Michael Ratz, Shirley Li

Meeting Venue for Thursday and Friday

Location

4100 CALIT2 Building
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Building #325 on the [campus map](#)

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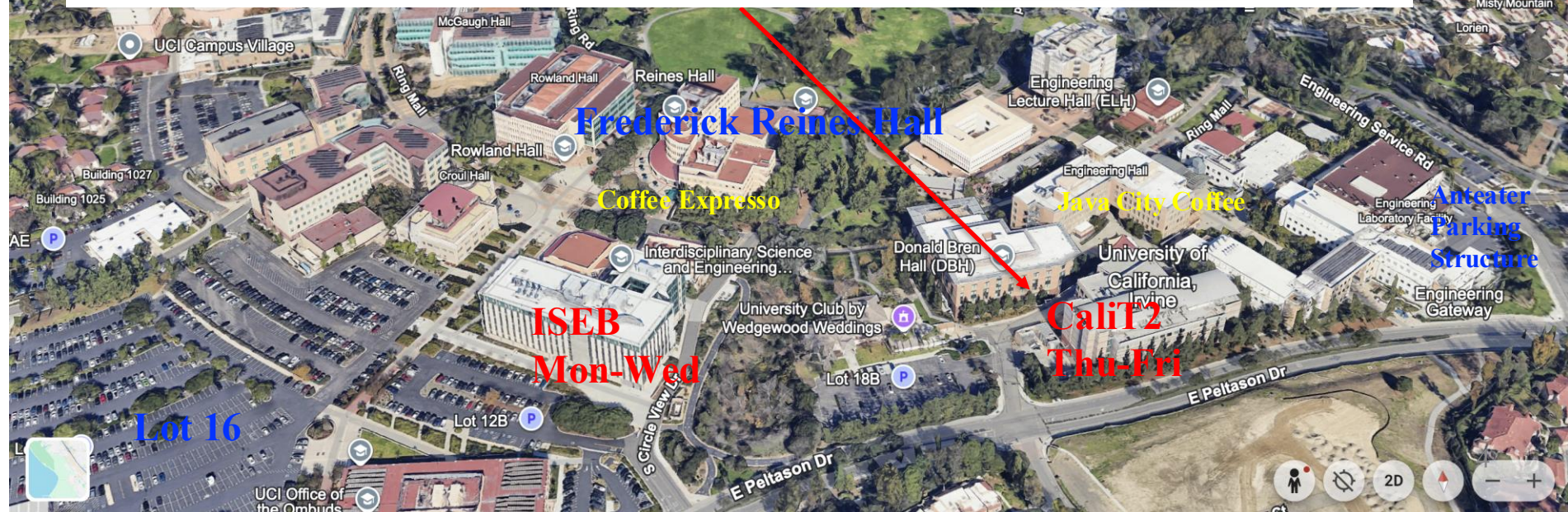
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Bringing AI to Science and Science to AI

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Our Mission

The primary mission of the UC Irvine AISI is to promote and execute AI research, focusing on the applications of AI across all sciences, as well as the foundational mathematical and algorithmic underpinnings of AI. The Institute is also committed to advancing research on the societal impacts and safety aspects of AI.



Parking:

For ISEB - Lot 16 will be the best parking lot. There is a parking permit kiosk at the entrance to the lot.

For Calit2 - Anteater Parking Structure is the best lot, you have to buy ParkbyPlate permit online. Lot 16 will also work.

Please purchase ParkbyPlate permit using the following

link: <https://apps.parking.uci.edu/parkbyplate/s/purchase.cfm?code=NPMLWS>

Permit information:

Event Name: NPML2026 Workshop

Event Code: NPMLWS

Event Dates: 6/15/2026 - 6/19/2026

Valid Parking Location: General (Unmarked) Stalls in Lot 16 and General (Unmarked) Stalls the Anteater Parking Structure

Parking Valid Time: All Day

Sales Window: 6/3/2026 - 6/19/2026

Permit Rate: \$16 /registration

**Please Park in a general unmarked stalls
Parking in marked like "AR reserved" stalls
will be ticketed**



Food

Food choices close to the meeting venue:

Café Espresso: <https://maps.app.goo.gl/2LDRq2JY7YAEExWmc8>

Java City Kiosk: <https://maps.app.goo.gl/2CRWFJ2hYmyd1AWb6>

Phoenix food court: <https://maps.app.goo.gl/xXddTQskcfk4WdqY8>

Other on-campus dinings: <https://uci.mydininghub.com/en/locations>

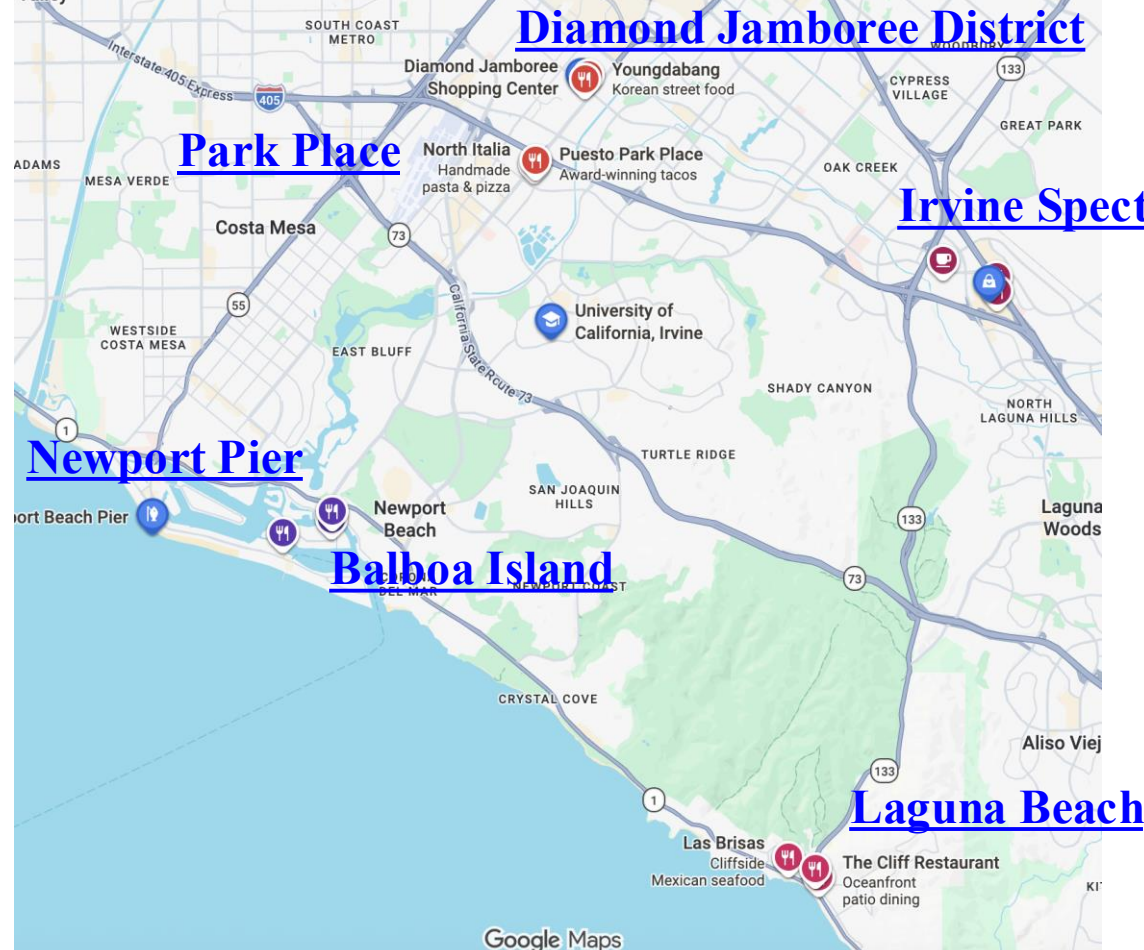
Close to Campus: **University Town Center (UTC)**. Many restaurants: <https://maps.app.goo.gl/jS6F2jJN7d78SUuS8>



Food

Nearby (times by car)

- **Diamond Jamboree District (10 minutes)**: Pan-Asian hub with dessert cafés and late hours.
- **Irvine Spectrum Center (20 minutes)**: Casual to upscale restaurants, patios, and bars in a walkable outdoor complex.
- **Park Place (Jamboree/405) (10 minutes)**: Several sit-down options, including Italian, American steakhouse, and continental food.
- **Newport Pier (25 minutes)**: A mix of casual beach bars, seafood restaurants, and laid-back spots serving American and Italian fare, all within easy walking distance of the ocean.
- **Balboa Island (20 minutes)**: A variety of casual cafés, seafood grills, and family-friendly restaurants along Marine Avenue, known for its relaxed atmosphere and signature frozen bananas and Balboa Bars.
- **Laguna Beach (25 minutes)**: Downtown Laguna Beach features a mix of upscale coastal restaurants, casual cafés, and vibrant bars offering seafood, California cuisine, and international dishes, all within walking distance of the beach and art galleries.



Wi-Fi

- eduroam
- You can also register as an off-campus guest - please see the following site: <https://www.oit.uci.edu/mobile/registration/> .

Shopping and Entertainment



Fashion Island



Disney Island



Newport beach



Spectrum Center



South Cost Plaza

Thanks!

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