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Date: 15 November 2021 Time: 15h00 - 16h30 (SA-time) Speaker: Dr Dmitry Naumov (followed by a Live Q&A session with Dr. Naumov) Title: The Universe through the Baikal Neutrino Telescope Zoom Link: will be given closer to Event date

About the Baikal GVD Project

The Baikal deep underwater neutrino telescope (Baikal-GVD – Gigaton Volume Detector) is an international project in the field of **astroparticle physics and neutrino astronomy**. The construction of Baikal-GVD is motivated by its discovery potential in astrophysics, cosmology and particle physics. Its primary goal is the detailed study the flux of high-energy cosmic neutrinos and the search for their sources. The Baikal-GVD will also search for **dark matter** candidates, for neutrinos from the decay of super heavy particles, for magnetic monopoles and other exotic particles. It will also be a platform for **environmental studies** in Lake Baikal.

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• The 1st Neutrino in nature was detected in **South Africa** in 1965 in a Witwatersrand mine

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