

July 6th, 2018

To: Experimental Spokespersons and Users
Operations
Division Heads

RE: **Call for ISAC Beam Requests for October 16th to December 18th, 2018 (Schedule 135)**

We hereby invite ISAC beam requests for Schedule 135 (October 16th to December 18th, 2018). We are only considering RIB requests that require **less than 40 kV** bias voltage on ISAC target modules. If you are in doubt as to the requirements of your experiment, please contact the Facility Coordinator or the ISAC Liaison Scientist, Martin Alcorta, at malcorta@triumf.ca. All standard ISAC target and ion source types will be considered for Schedule 135, within the usual compatibility constraints.

The SAP-EEC was held on June 18th & 19th 2018. Shifts awarded at this meeting are viewable on the dashboard (<https://mis.triumf.ca/science/dashboard.jsf>) and can be allocated in Schedule 135.

Note that we are now routinely operating with an 8-hour shift pattern. All requests should be in the form of 8-hour shifts. Shifts awarded at SAP-EECs prior to July 2017 may not yet have been converted to 8-hr shifts in the online database, so please take this into account when submitting a request. If you spot inconsistencies between the number of shifts awarded by the EEC and those in the database, please let me know at ruiz@triumf.ca. Please note that shifts expire three (3) years after they have been awarded.

The deadline for requesting beam time during Schedule 135 is **Tuesday, July 31st, 2018 at 23:59 PDT**. We plan to release a draft schedule on Friday, August 24th, 2018 and hold the final scheduling meeting for all stakeholders on Friday, August 31st, 2018.

Please submit your beam requests for Schedule 135 using the online beam request application directly at <https://mis.triumf.ca/science/beam/request/home.jsf> or through the Experimenters' Dashboard at <https://mis.triumf.ca/science/dashboard.jsf>. Should you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,



Chris Ruiz
ISAC Beam Scheduler