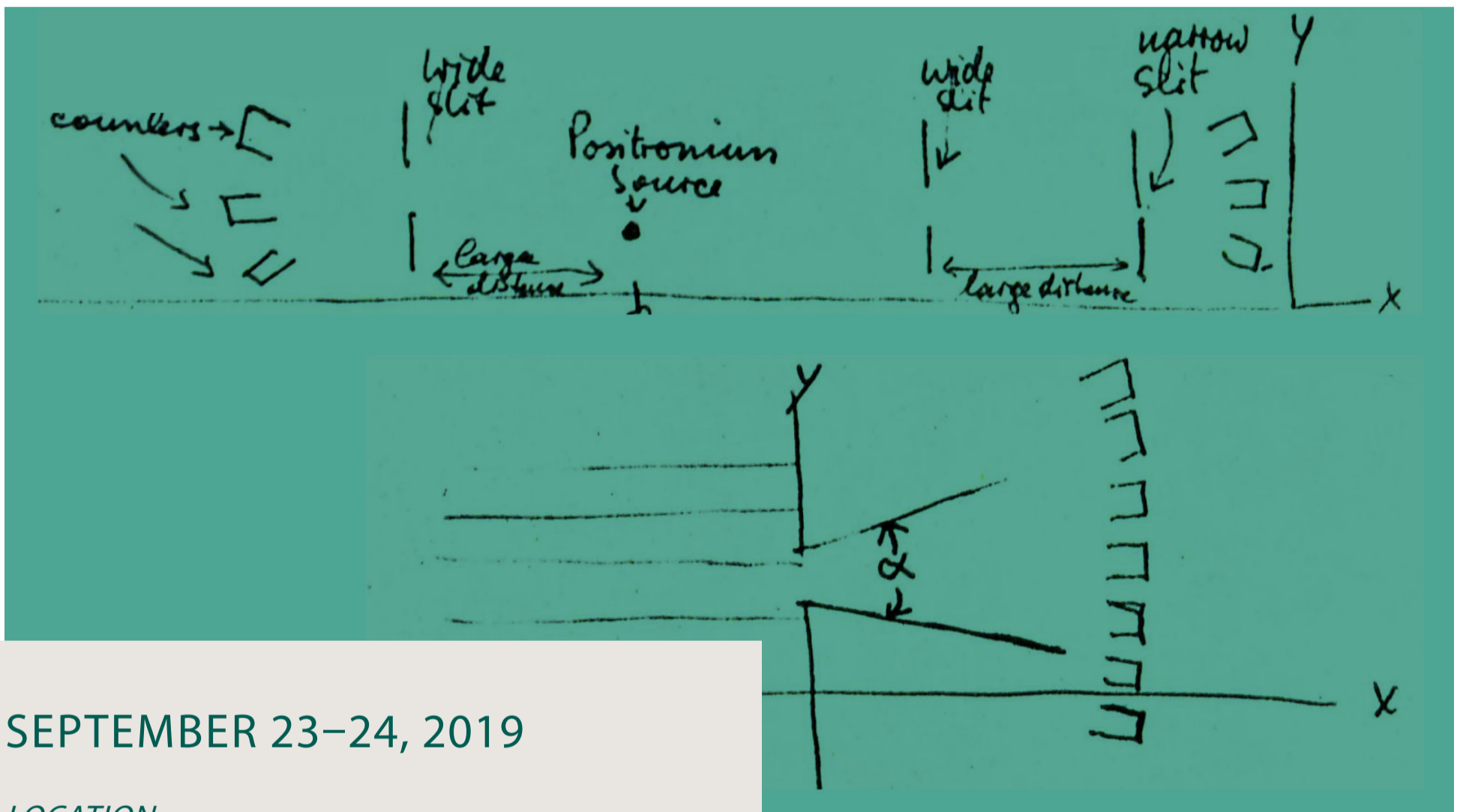


SYMPOSIUM ANNOUNCEMENT

History for Physics: Quantum Foundations

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SEPTEMBER 23–24, 2019

LOCATION

Lise-Meitner-Hörsaal
Faculty for Physics, University Vienna
Strudlhofgasse 4, 1090, Vienna

INVITED TANDEMS

David Kaiser (Massachusetts Institute of Technology)
& Christopher Fuchs (University of Massachusetts Boston)

Olival Freire Jr. (Federal University of Bahia)
& Daniel Greenberger (City College of New York)

DEADLINE FOR CONTRIBUTED TALKS

July 31, 2019

MORE INFORMATION

<http://bit.ly/historyforphysics>

This symposium aims at demonstrating the importance of the history of physics within physics itself. To forward this agenda, the core format will be that of tandem talks. Each tandem will pair two presentations, one given by a physicist on a historically relevant research topic in quantum foundations, the other given by an historian of physics providing the historical context to that same topic. Additionally, there will be a panel discussion on the relevance of the history of physics for research and education and its current realization within academic structures.

"A knowledge of the historic and philosophical background gives that kind of independence from prejudices of his generation from which most scientists are suffering. This independence created by philosophical insight is—in my opinion—the mark of distinction between a mere artisan or specialist and a real seeker after truth."

(Albert Einstein)

