

A Brief History of the TAUP Workshop Series Beginning in 1989

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**This story has had a long and
productive history with many
people involved ...**

The Godfathers: Angel Morales and Alessandro Bottino

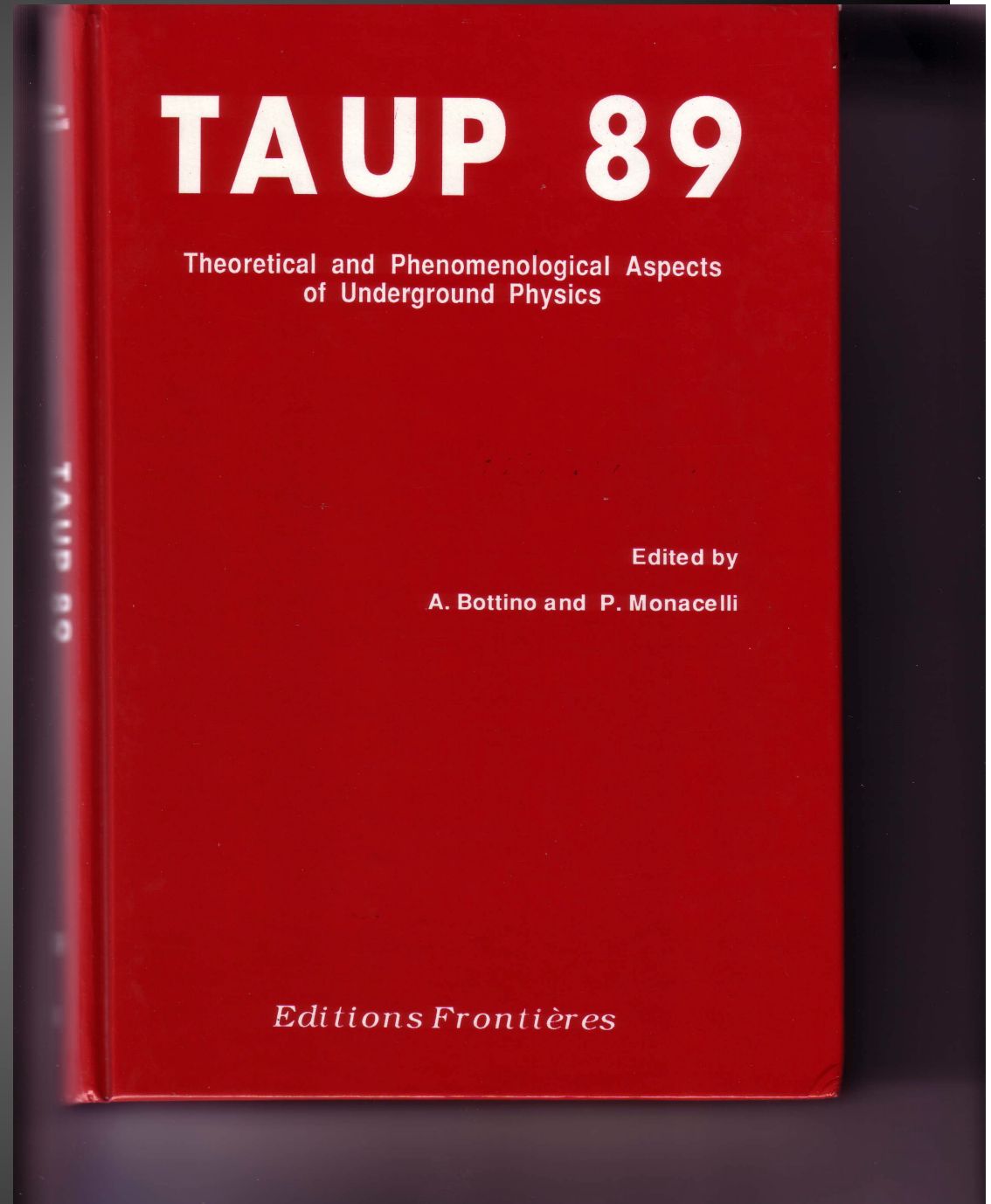


The First TAUP Was Held at the University of L'Aquila and at LNGS, September 25-28 1989.

The Organizing Committee Was:
E. Bellotti, Sandro Bottino, Chair,
V. de Alfaro , M. Luisignoli, P.
Monacelli, A. Morales and G.
Rossi.

I Was Present But Only as a
Discussion Leader With
Graciella Gelmini

I joined the Steering Committee
the following year.

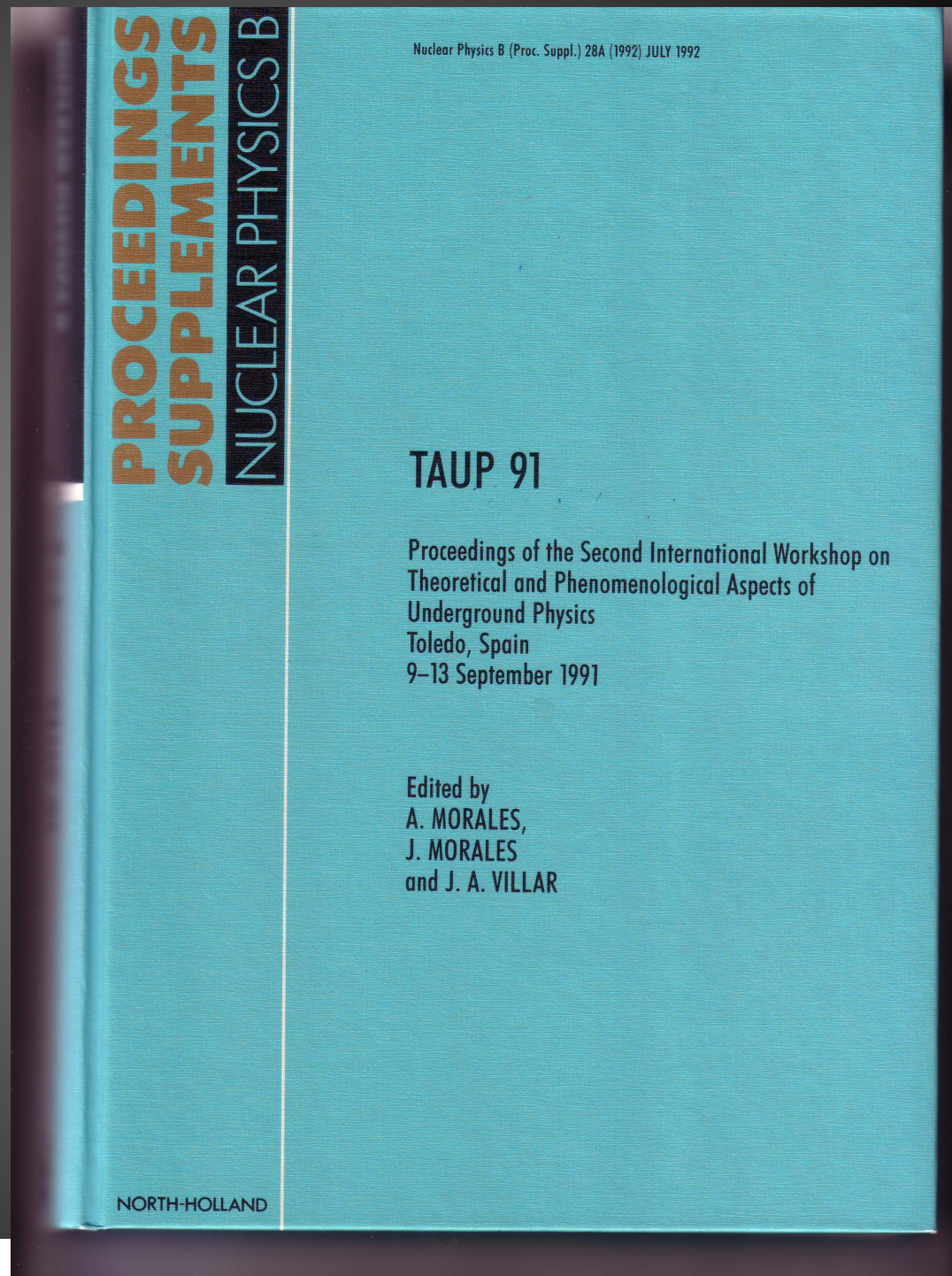


TAUP 91, Toledo Spain
9-13 September 1991

Eds: Angel Morales
Julio Morales and
Jose` Angel Villar

U. Zaragoza

Sandro Bottino and
Angel Morales Co-Chairs of
the Steering Committee



Angel and the Rest of the Usual Suspects

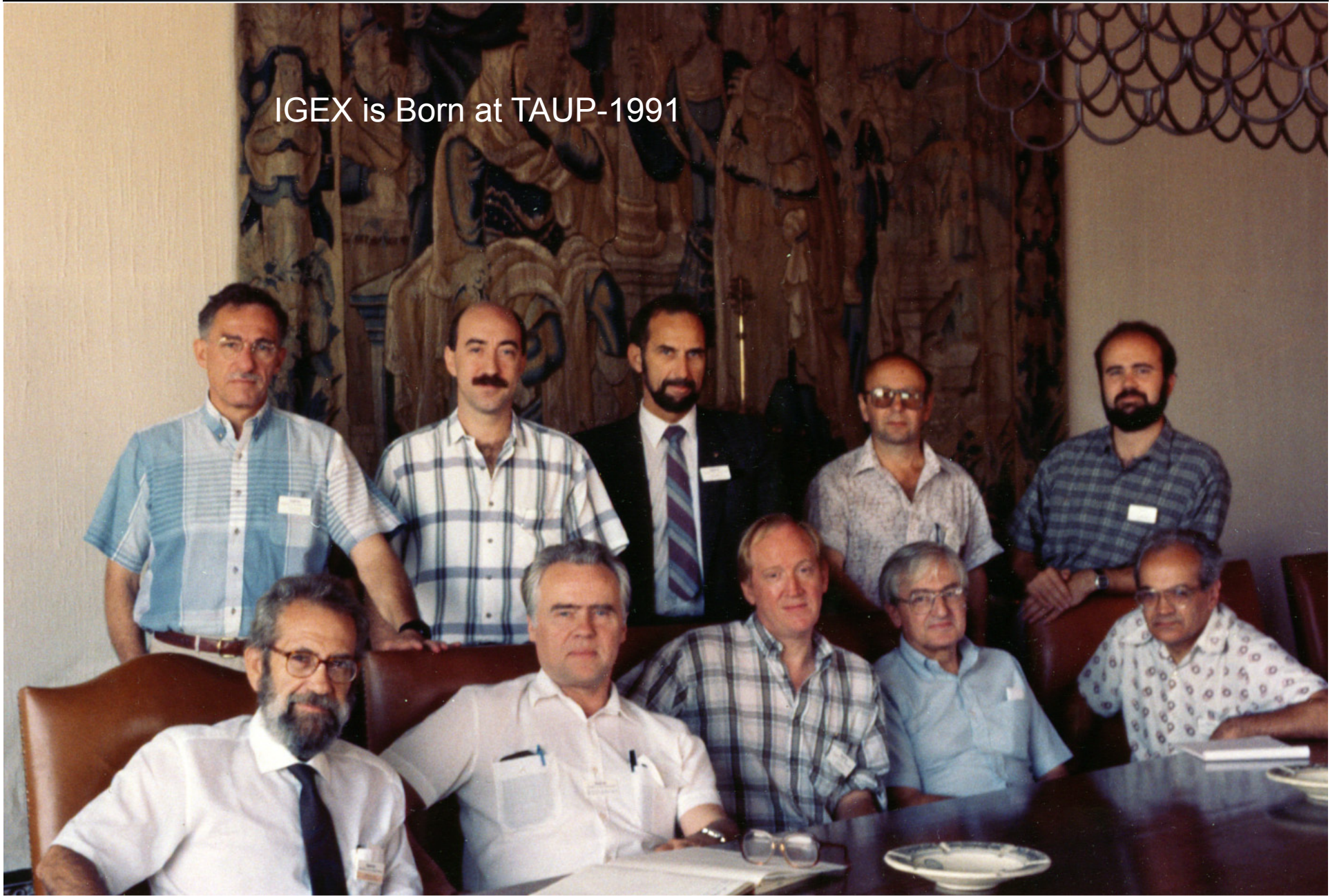


Can You Find:
Bruno Pontecorvo?
Pepe Bernabeau?
Venya Berezinsky?
Angel Morales?
Sandro Bottino?
Me? Yourself?



Palacio de Benacazòn, Toledo, Spain

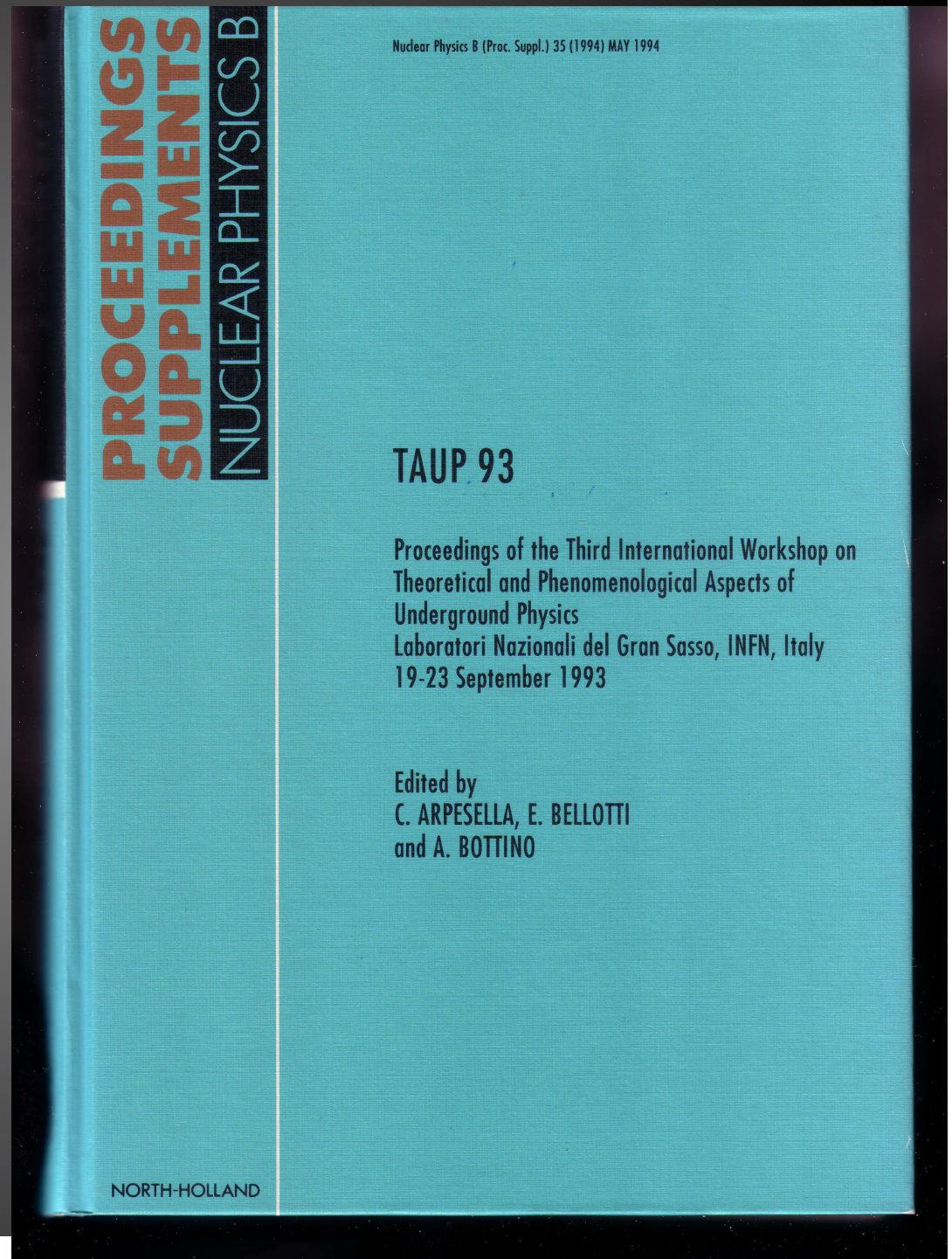
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TAUP 93
Laboratori Nazionali del
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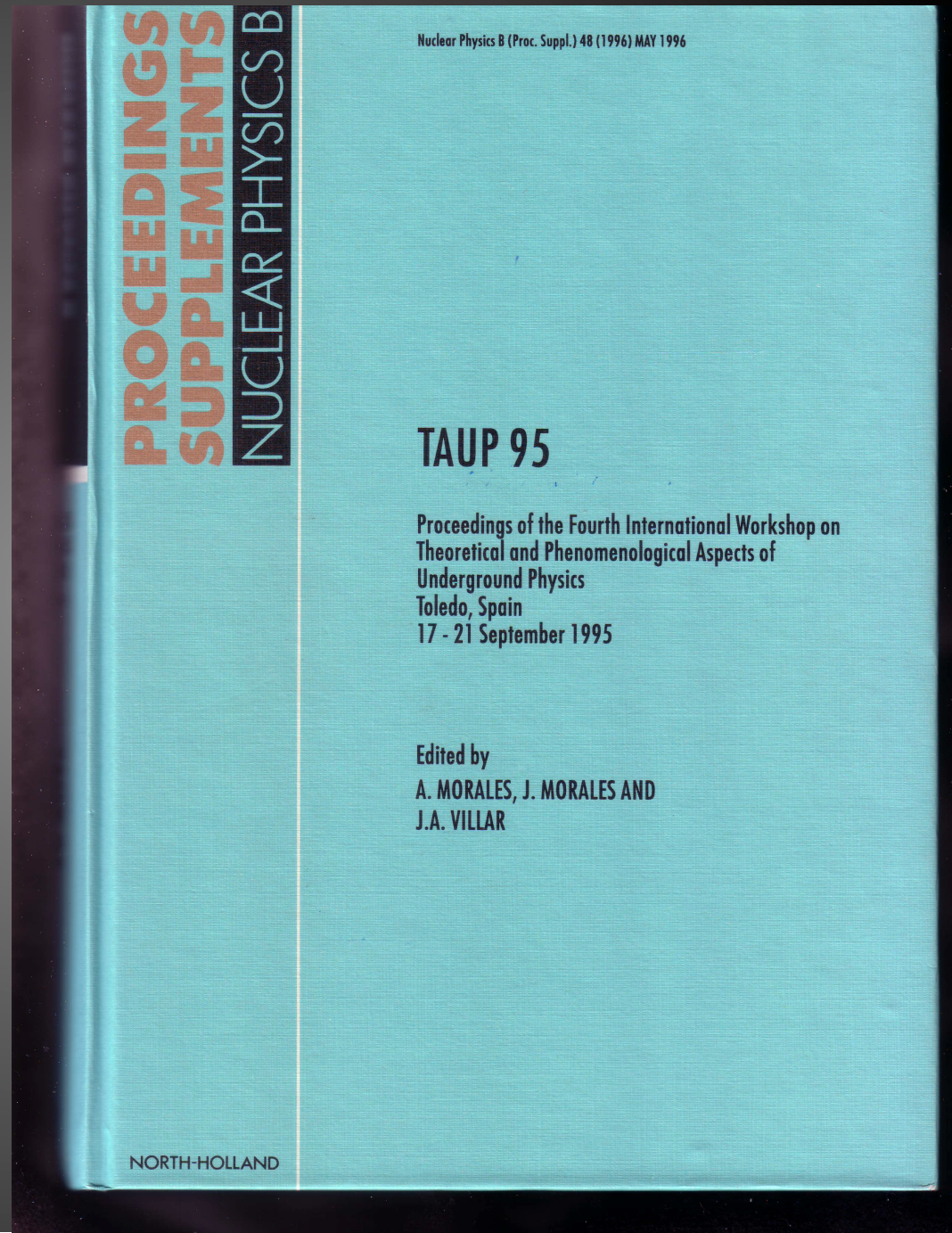
19-23 September 1993

C. Arpesella
E. Bellotti
A. Bottino



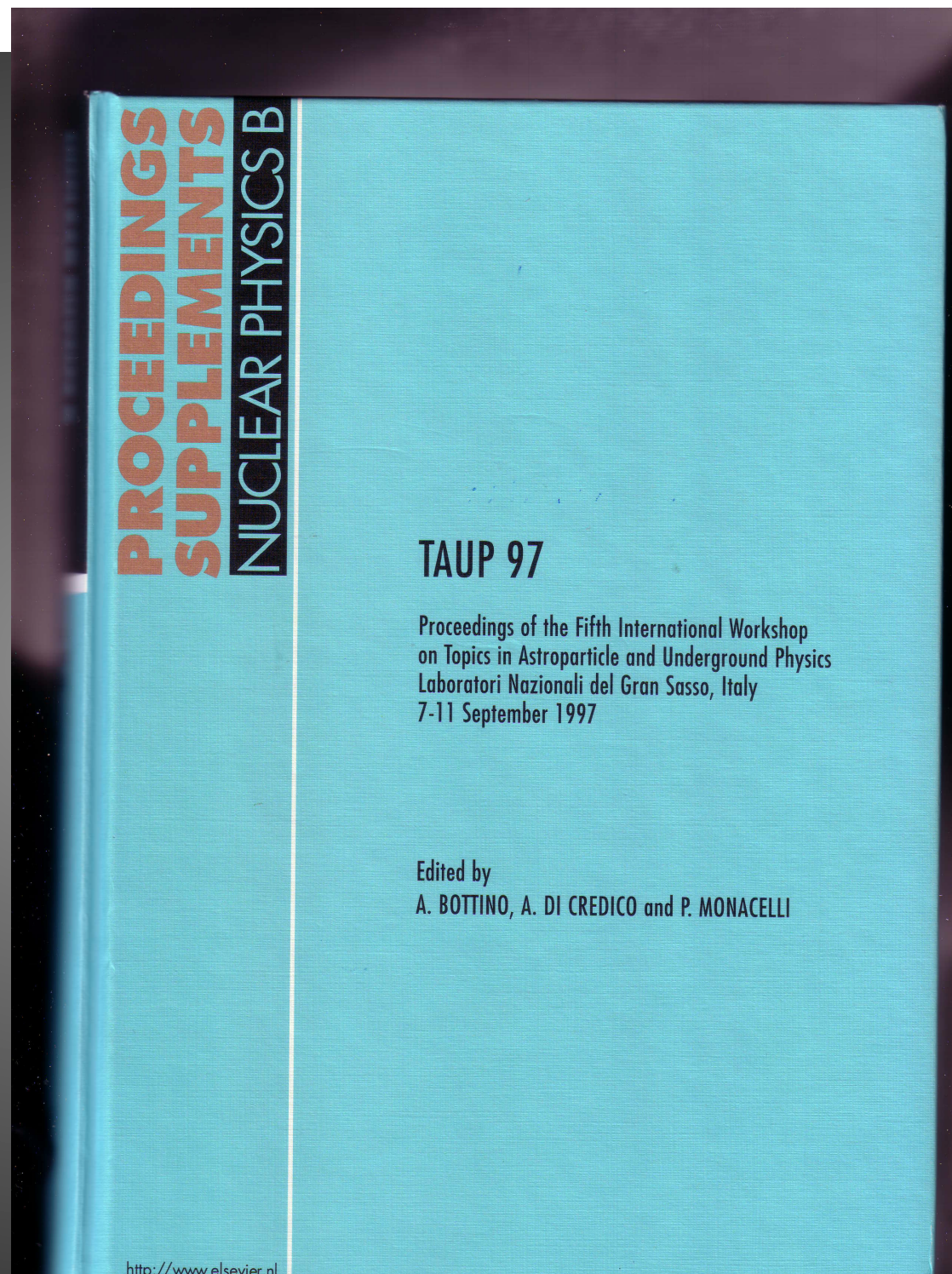
TAUP 95
Toledo, Spain

Eds. Angel Morales
Julio Morales
Jose` Angel Villar



TAUP 97
7-11 September 1997
Laboratori Nazionali
del Gran Sasso

Eds.
A. Bottino
B. A. Di Credico
C. P. Monacelli



TAUP 99
6-10 September 1999
College de France
Paris

Eds.
J. Dumarchez
M. Froissart
D. Vignaud

PROCEEDINGS
SUPPLEMENTS
NUCLEAR PHYSICS B

Nuclear Physics B (Proc. Suppl.) 87 (2000) JUNE 2000

TAUP 99

Proceedings of the Sixth International Workshop
on Topics in Astroparticle and Underground Physics
Collège de France
Paris, France
6-10 September 1999

Edited by
J. DUMARCHEZ
M. FROISSART
D. VIGNAUD

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TAUP 2001

8-12 September, 2001

Laboratori Nazionali del
Gran Sasso

Eds.

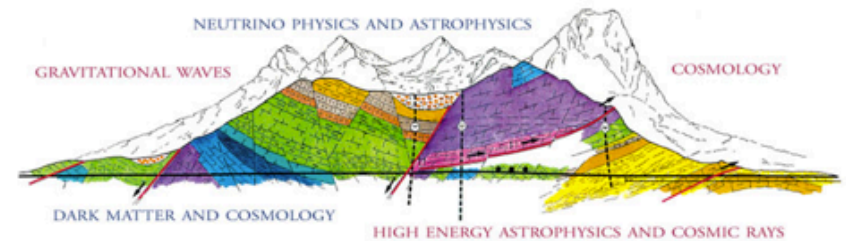
A. Bettini

A. Bottino

A. Di Credico

On the 4th day, Sept. 11th, during
our 15:00 hr Coffee break we
learned of the terrorist attack on the
Twin Towers in New York.

TAUP 2001



Venue: Laboratori Nazionali del Gran Sasso (Italy)

Dates: 8-12 September 2001

Organized by: Laboratori Nazionali del Gran Sasso (ITALY)

Main sponsors: IUPAP/PaNAGIC, INFN

Scientific Committees

Scientific Program:

Plenary Sessions

Workshop Sessions

Proceedings:

TAUP 2001: Proceedings of the Seventh International Conference on
Topics in Astroparticle and Underground Physics

Editors: A. Bettini, A. Bottino, A. Di Credico

Nuclear Physics B (Proc. Suppl.) Vol. 110 (2002)

Home page: <http://taup2001.lngs.infn.it/>
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DECLARATION SIGNED BY ALL PARTICIPANTS

It is with utmost shock that the participants of the international physics conference TAUP 2001, who met at the Laboratori Nazionali del Gran Sasso of the Istituto Nazionale di Fisica Nucleare, learned of the tragic terrorist attacks in the United States. The monstrosity of the events, and the instant solidarity among scientists who came from all over the world, many from the United States, abruptly stopped scientific discussion. The scientists wish to express their warmest sympathy to the families of the innocent victims of the tragedy. They also wish to make clear the utter contempt and despise with which they see such actions against humanity and peaceful living, which cannot be justified on any ground, and which are directed against everything that science represents and stands for.

TAUP 2003
5-9 September, 2003
University of Washington
Seattle, Washington

Eds.
Frank Avignone
Wick Haxton

This was also a special TAUP for
many of us.

TAUP 2003



Venue: University of Washington, Seattle (WA, USA)

Dates: 5-9 September 2003

Organized by: University of Washington, Seattle (WA, USA)

Main sponsors: IUPAP/PaNAGIC, Institute for Nuclear Theory and Center for Experimental Nuclear Physics and Astrophysics (University of Washington)

Scientific Committees

Scientific Program:

Plenary Sessions

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Proceedings:

TAUP 2003: Proceedings of the Eight International Conference on Topics in Astroparticle and Underground Physics

Editors: F. Avignone, W. Haxton

Nuclear Physics B (Proc. Suppl.) Vol. 138 (2005)

Home page: <http://www.int.washington.edu/taup2003/>

Angel and his entourage of usual suspects



This was the last TAUP Angel Morales would attend.

Shortly after returning to Spain from TAUP 2003
He fell into a coma, and
died several weeks later.



Angel and Julio, the Early Days



Memories of
past times,
Angel the
Academic



At Connanchu Cerca 1987



***TAUP 2005
Edificio Paraninfo,
University of Zaragoza
10-14 September 2005***

***Eds.
A. Bottino
E. Coccia
J. Morales
J. Puimedon***

***This was to be in honor of Angel
Morales' 70th Birthday and to
Celebrate the completion of the
Laboratorio Subterraneo del
Canfranc.***

TAUP 2005



Venue: Edificio Paraninfo, University of Zaragoza (Spain)

Dates: 10-14 September 2005

Organized by: Laboratori Nazionali del Gran Sasso (Italy) and University of Zaragoza (Spain)

Main sponsors: IUPAP/PaNAGIC, INFN (Italy), Universidad de Zaragoza, Ministerio de Educacion y Ciencias (Spain), Gobierno de Aragon (Spain)

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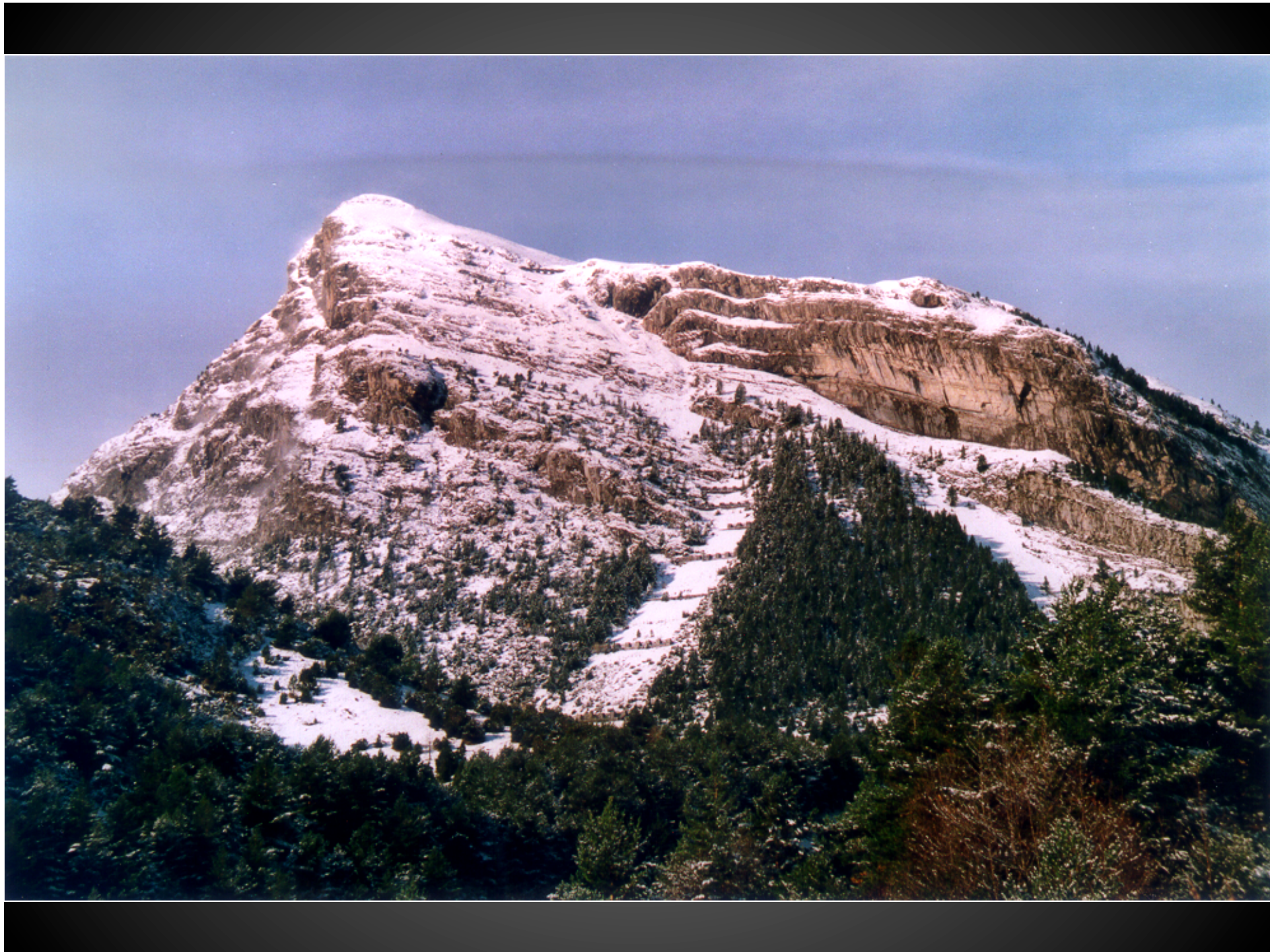
TAUP 2005: Proceedings of the Ninth International Conference on Topics in Astroparticle and Underground Physics

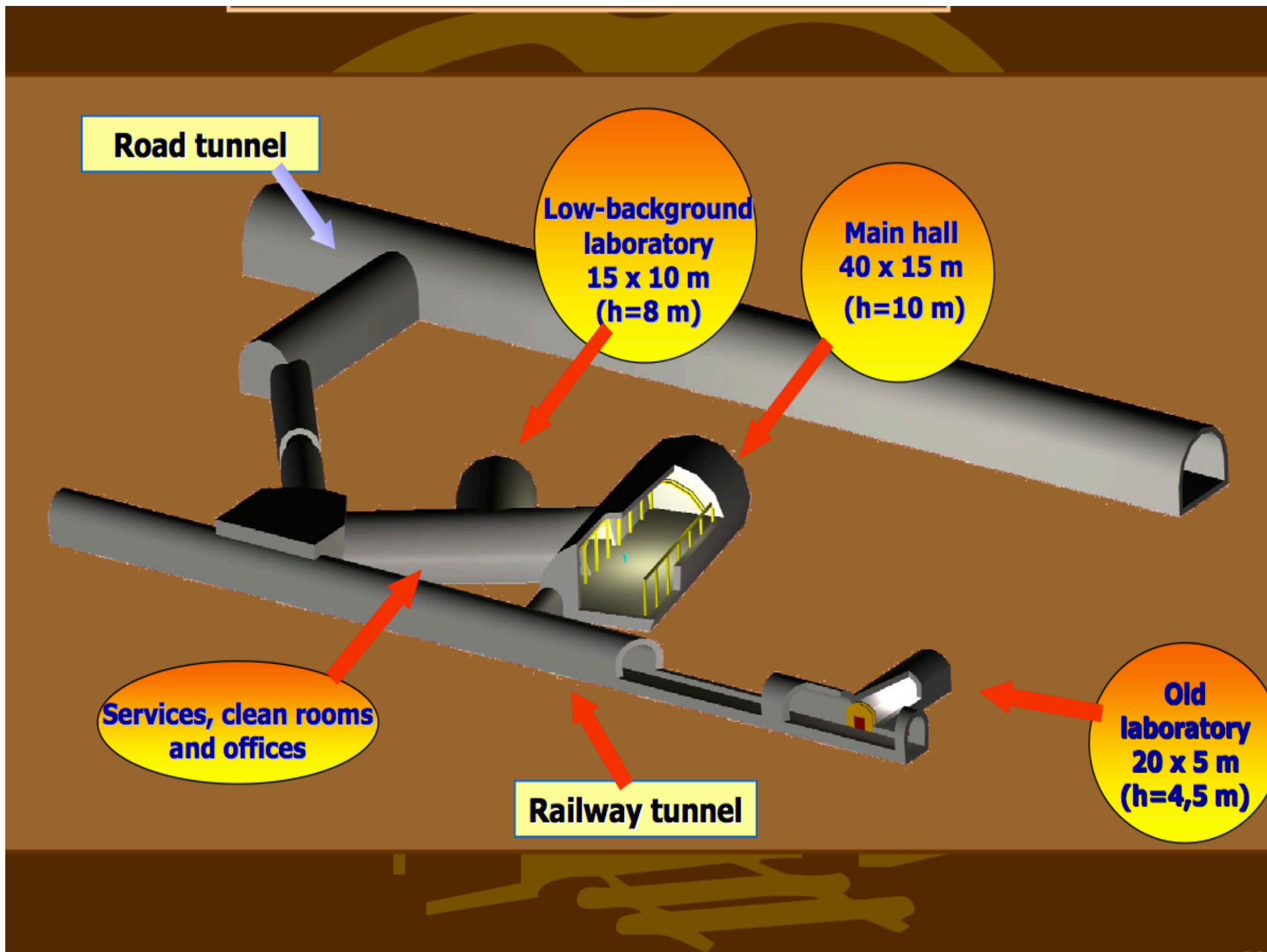
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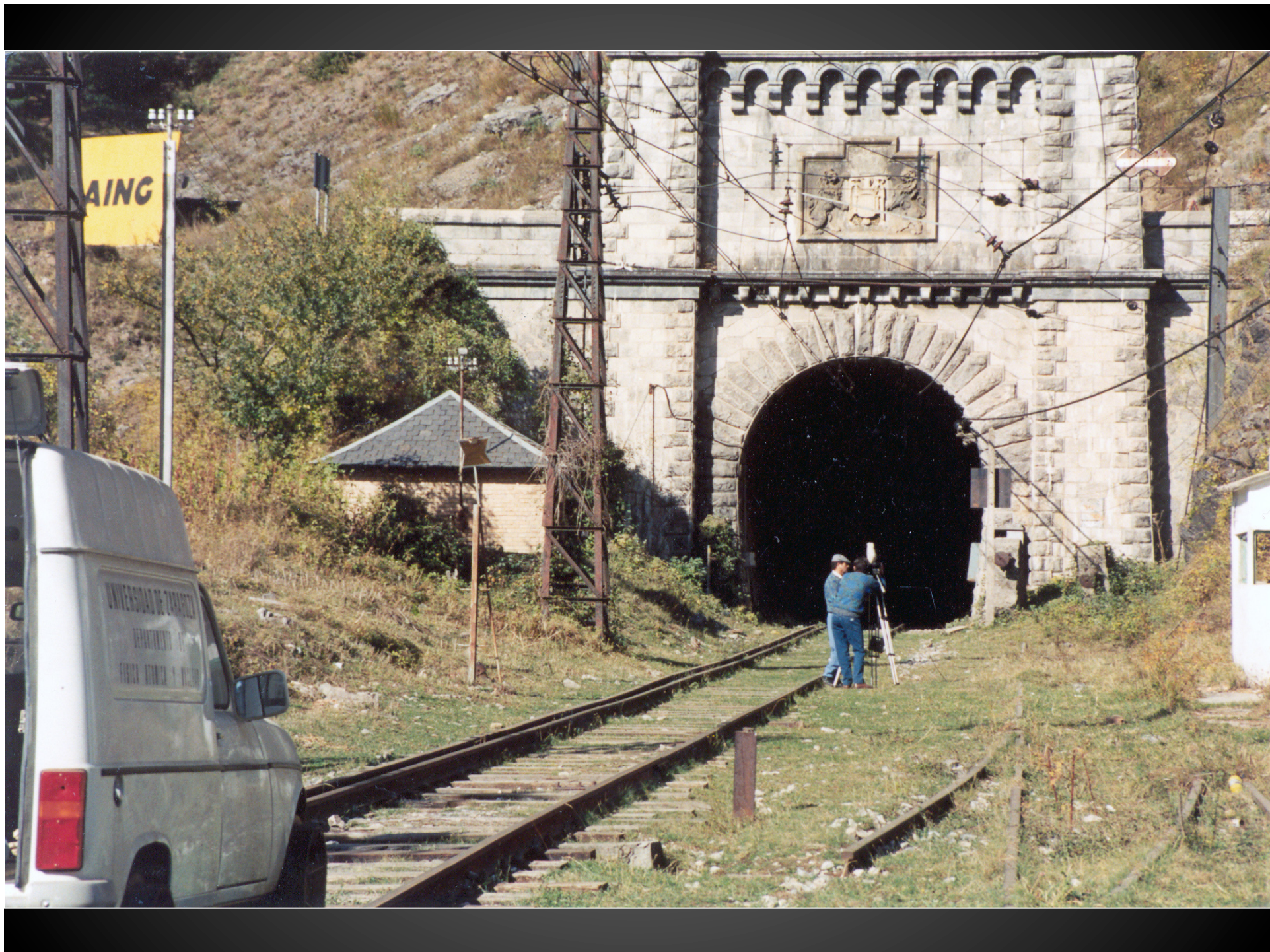
Journal of Physics: Conference Series 39 (2006)

Home page: <http://www.unizar.es/taup2005>

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Laboratorio Subterraneo del Canfranc Surface Laboratory





**Finally Angel's dream
became true ...**

***TAUP 2007
Sendai Civic Center
Sendai, Japan
11-15 September 2007***

***Eds.
K. Inoue
A. Suzuki
T. Mitsui***

***We wish our Japanese
friends and colleagues
A speedy recovery from
The recent tragedy***

TAUP 2007



Venue: Sendai Civic Auditorium in Sendai (Japan)

Dates: 11-15 September 2007

Organized by: Research Center for Neutrino Science, Tohoku University,
Sendai (Japan)

Main sponsors: IUPAP/PaNAGIC

Scientific Committees

Scientific Program:

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Poster Session

Proceedings:

TAUP 2007: Proceedings of the Tenth International Conference on
Topics in Astroparticle and Underground Physics

Editors: K. Inoue, A. Suzuki, T. Mitsui

[Journal of Physics: Conference Series 120 \(2008\)](#)

Home page: <http://www.awa.tohoku.ac.jp/taup2007/index.html>
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TAUP 2009
Angelicum-the Pontifical
University of Saint
Thomas Aquinas
Rome, Italy

1-5 July, 2009

Eds. E. Coccia
L. Pandola
N. Fornengo
R. Aloisio

The meeting was moved
from LNGS because of
the terrible earthquake
In and near L'Aquila

TAUP 2009



Venue: Angelicum - The Pontifical University of Saint Thomas Aquinas,
Rome (Italy)

Dates: 1-5 July 2009

Organized by: Laboratori Nazionali del Gran Sasso (Italy)

Main sponsors: IUPAP/PaNAGIC, INFN (Italy), University of Torino (Italy)

Scientific Committees

Proceedings:

TAUP 2009: Proceedings of the Eleventh International Conference on
Topics in Astroparticle and Underground Physics

Editors: E. Coccia, L. Pandola, N. Fornengo, R. Aloisio

Journal of Physics: Conference Series 203 (2009)

Home page: <http://taup2009.lngs.infn.it>







Sadly, it was at TAUP 2009 that we were notified that Julio Morales Lost his long battle with cancer.





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WELCOME TO TAUP 2011

12th International Conference on
Topics in Astroparticle and Underground Physics
5 – 9 September 2011, Munich, Germany

The biennial TAUP series covers recent experimental and theoretical developments in astroparticle physics by [invited plenary review talks](#) and [parallel workshop sessions](#) of invited and contributed presentations.

Topics covered by the conference:

- Cosmology and particle physics
- Dark matter and its detection
- Neutrino physics and astrophysics
- Gravitational waves
- High-energy astrophysics and cosmic rays

The scientific program for TAUP2011 is now finalized, comprising [31 plenary](#) and [173 parallel talks in six workshop tracks](#), as well as [31 posters](#). Besides the online agenda, you may also [download the compact program booklet](#) (PDF, 1.9 MB) and the [abstract booklet](#) (PDF, 0.4 MB), which you will also receive in a printed version as part of your conference pack. See [here](#) for last-minute modifications of the agenda.

For speakers:

Please upload your talk as early as possible through your TAUP account, at the latest on the day before your talk.

Conference venue:

The 12th edition of TAUP will be held at the [Münchner Künstlerhaus](#) (Munich House of Artists), a cultural event venue in the city center. The conference is jointly organized by [Max-Planck-Institut für Physik](#); [Technische Universität München](#), [Physik-Department E15](#); and the [DFG Excellence Cluster "Origin and Structure of the Universe"](#).

The interactive map below displays the location of the conference. The [airport](#) and [Hauptbahnhof \(Central Station\)](#) are also displayed (zoom out for these). You can center the map on one of the locations by clicking on the corresponding letter in the list below.

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Min:	15.3°C	13.4°C	8.3°C
PPR:	60%	80%	80%

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27 August 2011

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available for download.

22 August 2011

Final version of the
[conference agenda](#)
available – also as [PDF](#).

25 July 2011

[Preliminary conference
agenda](#) published.

5 July 2011

Registration is now closed.

3 June 2011

Abstract submission is now
closed.

4 May 2011

[Information for press
accreditation](#) added.



We are attending the 12th TAUP conference. They have all been very successful. One of the leading reasons for their success was the constant attention to detail given by the chair and co-chair of the steering committee.

Thanks to Sandro Bottino for more than 22 years of his devotion to TAUP

And TAUP owes a great deal to Sandro's co-chair who also played a leading role.

I dedicate this talk to thank Sandro and to the Memory of Angel Morales.

