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Conference Wrapup

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**The first of what is conceived as an annual series of topical conferences organized by NOIRLab**

- *Broad conference topics that are cutting edge, intellectually stimulating, with a forward look on the foreseeable future*  
*present topic chosen by NOIRLab staff consensus*
- *A channel for NOIRLab to connect to the broader community and their interests*  
*inform NOIRLab how best to direct its resources to maximally serve the science directions and open new horizons*

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Following up on what we have discussed here...

- A repository for post-conference thoughts and feedback
  - Maybe this conference nucleates new collaborations?
  - Can what we have discussed here be useful for strategic planning in the future?
  - Ideas for follow-up activity and additional meetings/workshops?
- We will be setting up additional channels in the Slack associated with this meeting to capture your ideas – see: [#next-steps](#)

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Thanks to **ALL** participants for making this conference a success, and helping to validate our concept

Future NOIRLab conferences will rotate through our 3 sites:

Hilo, Hawaii

La Serena, Chile

Tucson, Arizona

Keep your eyes peeled for future announcements, and share with your colleagues !!

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