

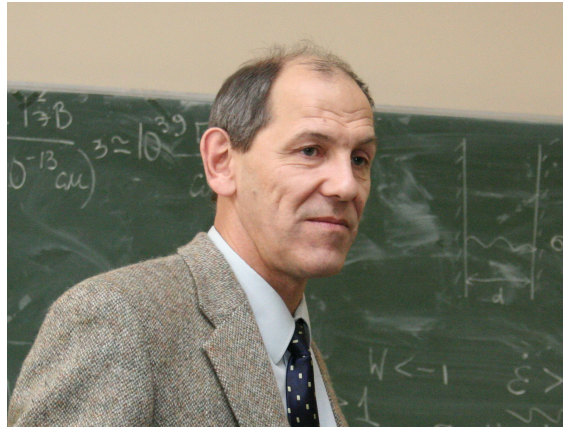
Valery Rubakov in Hamburg

Valery Rubakov had long and active interaction with DESY, starting in the late 80's with Roberto Peccei as head of theory group; since then many visits to DESY (seminars, lecture series, talks at DESY TH Workshop, ..., visits of younger colleagues; also visits of DESY theorists in Russia, Ahmed Ali, Andreas Ringwald, ..., bi-annual Quarks conf. series and other occasions, ...



Yaroslavl '96; broad and intense physics programme, but also time for cultural events (e.g. visit of performance in Mariinski Theater in St. Petersburg, from Novgorod '02)

2010: election as member of Hamburg Academy of Science and Humanities in recognition of his scientific achievements, participation in activities of Academy



2020: Hamburg Preis für Theoretische Physik (Pauli Centre for Theoretical Physics & Herz foundation), special event in Hamburg Planetarium and 3-day conference on particle physics and cosmology



Beyond his scientific work, Valery Rubakov took responsibility for his young collaborators, for science in Russia and around the world; his advice was very much appreciated; this led to encounters on various occasions, for instance at meetings of the Scientific Policy Committee at CERN

From: Wilfried Buchmuller wilfried.buchmueller@desy.de
Subject: cern
Date: 26. September 2022 at 17:50
To: rubakov@inr.ac.ru
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Dear Valery,

I am missing you at this year's SPC meeting, but I am optimistic that we will meet again on this occasion in the future!

Best regards,
Wilfried

Last email exchange a year ago during SPC meeting in September 2022

From: V.A.Rubakov rubakov@inr.ac.ru
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Date: 26. September 2022 at 19:47
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Dear Wilfried,
Today I had a series of other meetings which I could not skip, unfortunately.

Indeed, I also hope we will meet at some point despite everything.

Best wishes,

Valery

We shall remember Valery as a great physicist, a great teacher, as someone who took responsibility and, most of all, as a friend.