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Physics 490

Homework #1

Due Monday August 30

1. Who is your scientific advisor for your thesis?
2. Summarize the motivation for your thesis and your advisor's description and expectations. (for example, why is it interesting, what problems does it address, is it research or literature search based, what is the specific topic, what are your advisor's standards for originality, completeness, scientific comprehension of the topic...)

If you have completed a formal thesis proposal with your research advisor, you can turn that in for this assignment.

Use the naming convention of your electronic homework files as follows:

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