

MagRes: Back To The Lab

Initial Thoughts

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Principles

- ▶ Safety before productivity
- ▶ Work from home where possible
- ▶ Enable as much use of lab infrastructure as possible
- ▶ Provide as much protection as possible
- ▶ Recognise that these goals may be in conflict

Operation

- ▶ Access to spectrometers
- ▶ Only 2 people working in any lab for extended periods of time
- ▶ Morning/afternoon shifts
- ▶ Out of hours conditions: no high-risk work
- ▶ Collaborative projects
- ▶ Do desk-based work at home

Organisation

- ▶ Book spectrometers as before
- ▶ Book *lab access* on similar booking system
- ▶ Weekly (?) lab/spectrometer booking/coordination meeting
- ▶ Buddy system: always work together with the same person
- ▶ Academic staff / technical staff support needs?

Rules of Engagement

- ▶ Virus hygiene
- ▶ Wipe common surfaces before and after use
- ▶ Social distancing
- ▶ Regular health monitoring before coming in