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Lecture 1:

### (第九十七期)

## What can excitations do in an ultracold atom quantum gas? Dr. Hossein Sadeghpour

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#### Abstract:

In this lecture, I will introduce the topic of excitation in an atomic or molecular gas and describe the fascinating features which result when highly excited atomic or molecular species interact in an ultracold trapped environment. Novel methods and devices which can be constructed for correlated many-body quantum physics and quantum information processing will be described.



#### About the speaker:

Senior Scientist - Harvard-Smithsonian Astrophysical Observatory
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PhD: theoretical atomic and molecular physics - JILA (with Chris Greene)
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Joined "Institute for Theoretical Atomic, Molecular and Optical Physics" (ITAMP) staff in
1994 as the coordinator of the Visiting Fellows and workshops program
2009 became the Deputy Director of ITAMP
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Current areas of research interests: Rydberg molecules; ultracold collision and spectroscopy; heating noise in ion traps, Casimir surfaces, and superconducting qubits; synthesis of large carbon molecules in interstellar medium; Rydberg formation in ultracold and astrophysical plasmas

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