

Principles Behind a LIGO Publication Policy

- Highest Priority
 - Scientific integrity
 - Quick dissemination of important LIGO results
 - Appropriate recognition of individual and institutional contributions
- Implementation
 - the above priorities are of equal priority and need to be balanced on a case-by-case basis. The Spokesperson and review panel along with the Executive Council are charged with ensuring that LIGO publication policy is consistent with these priorities

Principles Behind a LIGO Publication Policy (cont)

- Other Priorities
 - Maximize the quality of LIGO scientific and technical publications
 - Maximize the participation of Collaboration members in the presentation and publication of results, particularly of younger scientists and engineers
 - Promote the frequent publication of results and the visibility of LIGO scientists and engineers in the broader astrophysics, physics, and engineering communities
 - Maximize the speed and efficiency of the internal review process

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