

GEMINI SOUTH OBSERVATORY OBSERVER/VISITOR SUPPORT PREPARATION FORM

[Please submit at least 4 weeks prior to your scheduled run]

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Observer Name:	Date:
Institution:	E-Mail:
Mailing Address:	
Phone Number:	Fax Number:
Passport Number:	Issue Date:
Observing Allocation Code:	Program Title:
Principal Investigator:	

METHOD OF PAYMENT

_____ Cash

_____ Credit Card

Driver's License Number:	Issuer:	Expiration Date:
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The following information is needed for your accommodation while in La Serena. If you plan on making your own hotel and car reservations, please provide the confirmation numbers.

Our office in La Serena will handle lodging at Cerro Pachón. **For the provision of your credit card information please call Lucía Medina at 56-51-205 601 or send it by fax at 56-51-205 684**

BEFORE OBSERVING RUN REQUIREMENTS

Arrival Date in Santiago:	Flight No:	Time:	
Hotel Accommodation in Santiago:	Confirmation No:	In:	Out:
Arrival Date in La Serena:	Flight No:	Time:	
Hotel Accommodation in La Serena:	Confirmation No:	In:	Out:
Rental Car [not for driving on the summit]	Pick up Date:	Time:	
Confirmation No:	Return Date:	Time:	

CP LODGING INFORMATION

Date in:
Date out:
Vegetarian Meals?

AFTER OBSERVING RUN REQUIREMENTS

Hotel Accommodation in LSC:	Confirmation No:	In:	Out:
Rental Car After Run:	Pick up Date:	Time:	
	Return Date:	Time:	
Departure Date in LSC:	Flight No:	Time	
Hotel Accommodation in SCL:	In:	Out:	
Departure Date in Santiago:	Flight No:	Time	

SPECIAL NEEDS OR COMMENTS

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SCIENCE TALK

Title:
Short Abstract:
Possible Dates for Talk:

If you have any questions, please call Lucía Medina at +56-51-205 601 or e-mail her at <mailto:lmedina@gemini.edu>

VEHICLE RENTAL FOR FOR COMMISSIONING TEAMS ONLY

[The provision of an independent vehicle for instrumentation teams on Cerro Pachon will be subject to the approval of the Head of Science Operations, Gemini South]

Please provide the information required in the below questionnaire.

1.

How much experience do you have of driving vehicles with manual transmission [as opposed to vehicles with automatic gears]?				
None	Very little experience	A reasonable amount of experience	Quite a lot of experience	I usually only drive vehicles with manual transmission

2.

How much experience do you have of driving vehicles with automatic transmission?				
None	Very little experience	A reasonable amount of experience	Quite a lot of experience	I usually only drive vehicles with automatic transmission

3.

How much experience do you have of driving 4 x 4 or All Wheel Drive vehicles?				
None	Very little experience	A reasonable amount of experience	Quite a lot of experience	I usually only drive 4x4 / AWD vehicles

4.

When was the last time you drove a 4x4 or AWD vehicle? [Date]

5.

How much experience do you have of driving in the following conditions?				
	On Mountain Roads	On dirt/gravel roads	On snow & ice	In Chile
None				
Very little experience				
A reasonable amount of experience				
Quite a lot of experience				
I usually drive in these conditions				

4. Do you have any physical impediment to driving, including the temporary or permanent use of medication

5. What do you think is your most important strength as a driver?

6.

Are you able to change a tire?	
Yes	No

7.

Have you watched the training video “A Safe Journey?” concerning driving on the road to the Gemini South telescope on Cerro Pachón?	
Yes	No