### Memories about

Alexander Petrovich Chetverikov

who passed away

on 07 December 2022

Alex will ever be with us.

Alexander Petrovich was born 13.06.1953 as a sun of Volga

town Saratov, where he grew up and studied physics and nonlinear







at Saratov State University and finished at the chair of Prof. Dmitrii I. Trubetskov, who headed the chair of electronics and wave processes, Faculty of Nonlinear Processes, Saratov State University Saratatov Astrakhanskaya.

**Prof. D.I.** Trubetskov was a well-known expert, served as Rector of the University, corresponding member of the Russian Academy of Sciences, author of many known books as e.g. Oscillations and Waves: in Linear and Nonlinear Systems with M. Rabinovich. Prof. Trubetskov may be considered as one of the founders of the tradition of nonlinear physics in Saratov

## 1990th the first publications of Alexander appeared

A.P. Chetverikov, Izv. Vus. AND Vol. 2 iss 5 (1994) Nonlinear dynamical systems of meeting elsctromagnetic waves with cubic nonlinearity

D. I. Trubetskov, A.P. Chetverikov, Izv. Vus. AND Vol. 2 iss 5 (1994) Selfexcited waves in distributed systems of electromagnetic waves meeting electron streams.

Alexander promoted at the Saratov University, defended the thesis of a candidate and later of a doctor of science

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Humboldt University Berlin working with Werner Ebeling and and his group. He developed a close collaboration and friendship lasting up to the end of his life.

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### 1999 back to SSU Saratov:

In Saratov he worked as docent at Faculty of Nonlinear Processes and then as professor at the chair Autowave Processes headed by Vadim S. Anishchenko:

### **Seminars at Saratov State University**

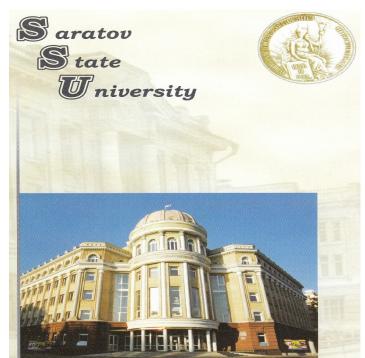
Ezequiel Del Rio, Prof. Vadim Anishchenko, Doc. Galina Strelkova



Seminar at SSU from left A.P.C., a spanish guest, friend and coauthor

Dr. Ezequiel Del Rio

**Back to the Volga:** 





Alexander Petrovich with Werner Ebeling at the Wolga river near Saratov during the Conference on Nonlinear Processes 2014

Since 2002 Madrid regular invitations to visits of the
Universidad Madrid Universidad Autonoma,
Prof. Manuel Velarde Instituto Pluridisciplinar in Madrid











2004 April Madrid: On the r.h.s. Pilar and Manuel Velarde, Alex, on the l.h.s. Werner Ebeling, Vadim Anishchenko and Barbara Ebeling

The first of a long series of common papers with Prof. Manuel Velarde and his group at Instituto Pluridisciplinar appeared:

M.G. Velarde et al, Int. J. Bifurcation Chaos 15, 245 (2005).

A.P.C. developed extended common work with the large group formed by Manuel Velarde.

- A.P. Chetverikov, W. Ebeling, M.G. Velarde, Eur. Phys. J. B 44, 509 (2005)
- A.P. Chetverikov, W. Ebeling, M.G. Velarde, Eur. Phys. J. B 1, 87 (2006)
- A.P. Chetverikov, W. Ebeling, G. Röpke, M.G. Velarde, Contr. Plasma Phys. **51**, 87 (2006)
- A.P. Chetverikov, W. Ebeling, M.G. Velarde, Int. J. Bifurcation Chaos 16, 1613 (2006)
- A.P. Chetverikov et al, Contr. Plasma Phys. 45, 275 (2005).
- M.G. Velarde et al, Int. J. Bifurcation & Chaos 16, 1035 (2006).
- A.P. Chetverikov et al, Eur. Phys. J. B **44**, 509 (2005).
- A.P. Chetverikov et al, Eur. Phys. J. B **51**, 87 (2006).
- D. Hennig et al, Phys. Rev. B 73, 024306 (2006).
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Between 2005 and 2020 appeared more than 20 paper partly in high-ranked

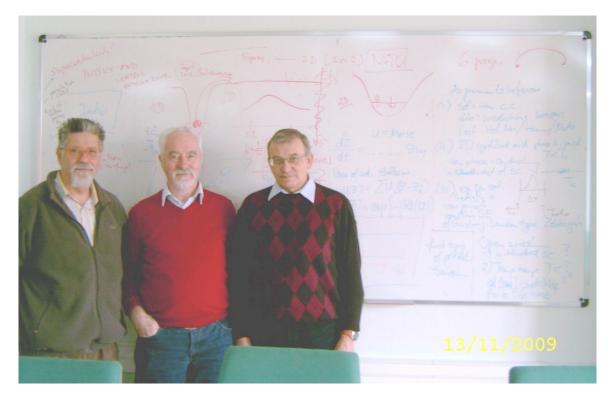
scientific journals







2004 April Madrid



2009 November Madrid

Seminar at Pluridisciplinar November 2009 Madrid. Ladies in the centre: Leonor Cruzeiro and O.G.Cantu Ros.

On the possibility of electric transport mediated by long living intrinsic localized solectron modes

O.G. Cantu Ros1, L. Cruzeiro1,2, M. G. Velarde1, and W. Ebeling1, appeared in Euro. Phys. J. 2011

Trip by bus to Toledo wonderful knifes!!!

# 2009 in July, trip to Italy.

Visit of University Pescara Italy developing a collaboration

and L'Aquila after earthquake



2009 L'Aquila, W. Ebeling and P. Velarde meet local people bringing as gift a big spanish jamon.



2009 July L'Aquila, Italy: Ceremony of handing out the Spanish Jamon as gift to the people of L'Aquila suffering from a big earthquake!

## The whole group visits together Granada 2011



New papers: Anharmonicity and Soliton-Mediated

Transport: Thermal Solitons, Solectrons

and Electric Transport in Nonlinear

**Conducting Lattices** 

W. Ebeling, M.G. Velarde, A.P. Chetverikov, and D. Hennig

Models of Electron Transfer along a Covalent Bridge Donor-Acceptor Based on the Riding on Solitons

(for discussion April – July 2009)

Alexander P. Chetverikov\*, Werner Ebeling\*\*,

Dirk Hennig\*\*, John J. Kozak\*\*\*, and Manuel G. Velarde\*

Next meeting occurs in summer 2011 in Saratov



Friends at central place in town in Saratov



2011 Saratov



2011 June Evening dinner in a restaurant in Saratov: From left: Alex' wife, Yuri Romanovsky, Vadim Anishchenko with his wife Tania, Werner Ebeling and Manuel Velarde.

# Next Meeting June 2012 in Madrid

### June 2012 near entrance of Instituto Pluridisciplinar



2012 June Madrid: Ladies in first row: Maria Jesus, chef secretary of Manuel's office, left to her Ljudmila Brizhik and right Leonor Cruzeiro, in the back between Manuel and Werner, a visitor from Pushchino Victor Lakhno, another friend and frequent coauthor of Alex

Discrete-breather-assisted charge transport along DNA-like molecular wires

A. P. Chetverikov, W. Ebeling, V. D. Lakhno, and M. G. Velarde

On the possibility of electric transport mediated by long living intrinsic localized solectron modes

O.G. Cantu Ros, L. Cruzeiro, M.G. Velarde and W. Ebeling

2012 April Madrid: Alex and Barbara study the newest work in CPP





## Meeting April 2013 in Berlin at lake Wilhelmsruh

2013 April Berlin: Group foto near to the house of the of the Ebeling's



 $\mathsf{meeting}\, \boldsymbol{Gerd}$ 

Röpke and Shura Neiman

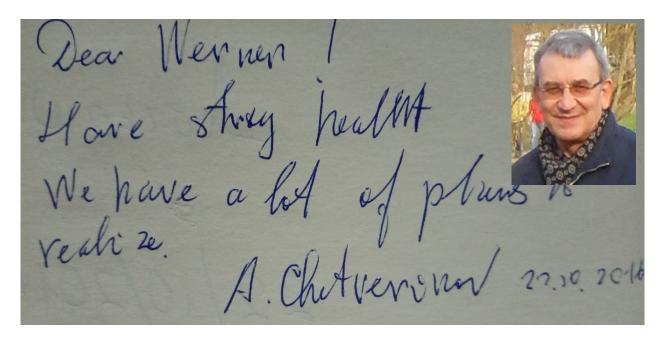
## Meeting April 2015 in

## Madrid with Wilson and Launay



2015 April Madrid from left: W.E., Wilson, Launay, A.P.C., M.G.V.

Greetings sent from Russia 2016 to Werner's 80th birthday



Alex was always full of plans:

"We have a lot of plans to realize ,

We list only a few of his last projects including Victor Lakhno (RAS Pushchino), Ekkehard Schöll (TU Berlin), Sergej Dmitriev & Elena Korznikova (RAS Ufa), Ezequiel del Rio (U Politechnica Madrid), Konstantin Sergeev (SSU Saratov) and others:

Alex left many plans and unfinished books !!

Examples of last projects and papers:!

Nonlinear excitations and bound states of electrons, holes and solitons in bilayers of triangular lattices?

Alexander P. Chetverikov1,2, Werner Ebeling3, **Eckehard Schöll4**,a,

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# LOCALIZED LUMP-SOLITON-LIKE EXCITATIONS IN TRIANGULAR MORSE LATTICES

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# A few salient features of dissipative solitons in crystal lattices of active units A. P. Chetverikov<sub>1,2,5</sub>, W. Ebeling, E. del Rio, K. S. Sergeev, M. G. Velardes

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### 2018: Scenarios of mass transfer in fcc copper: the role of point defects

A M Bayazitovi, E A Korznikovaz, I A Shepeleva, A P Chetverikova,

#### S Kh Khadiullin4, E A Sharapov4, P V Zakharov5, S V Dmitriev2,6

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### Article in Entropy (2022):

### **Long-Range Electron Transport Donor-Acceptor in Nonlinear Lattices**

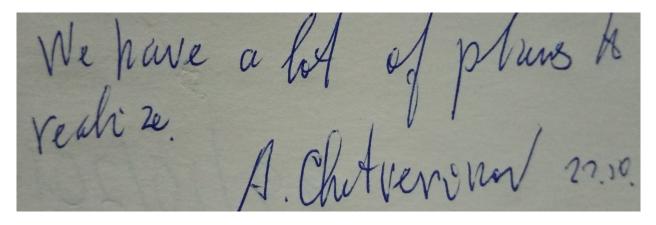
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Excitation of solitons in hexagonal lattices and ways of controlling electron transport

A. P. Chetverikov1 · W. Ebeling2 · E. Schöll3 · M. G. Velarde4 Nonlinear Dyn (2020) 102:1813–1823

Dissipative discrete breathers in a chain of Rayleigh oscillators K. S. Sergeev · A. P. Chetverikov · E. del Rio

What Alex left to us are several projects and unfinished books on solitons:



We will never forget him, he was the driving force in our collaboration!

Sorry, that we had to leave the chance to meet his 70th birthday on 13.06.2023 and honor our Alex by a big party!