CERN - Science without Borders:

An example of a scientific, technical and training co-operation on a global scale



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The foundations for CERN's success

Scientific and political leaders from 12 European States with visionary minds founded CERN in 1954 with a dual mission:

Fundamental research and collaboration for the betterment of humanity



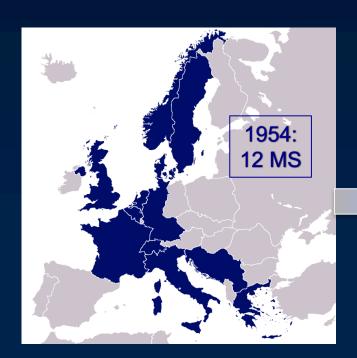
"A laboratory where it would be possible to carry out scientific work above and beyond the framework of the various nations taking part an engine for peaceful collaboration across borders"

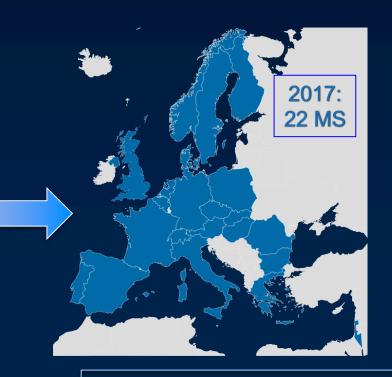


L. De Broglie 1892–1987 NP in 1929 for his discovery of the wave nature of electrons



..... an engine for peaceful collaboration across borders





Sir Ben Lockspeiser

(first president of CERN Council):

"Scientific research lives and flourishes in an atmosphere of freedom – freedom to doubt, freedom to enquire and freedom to discover. These are the conditions under which this new laboratory has been established." Member states (22):

21 European + Israel

Associate in pre-stage to MS:

Cyprus, Serbia

Associate Members:

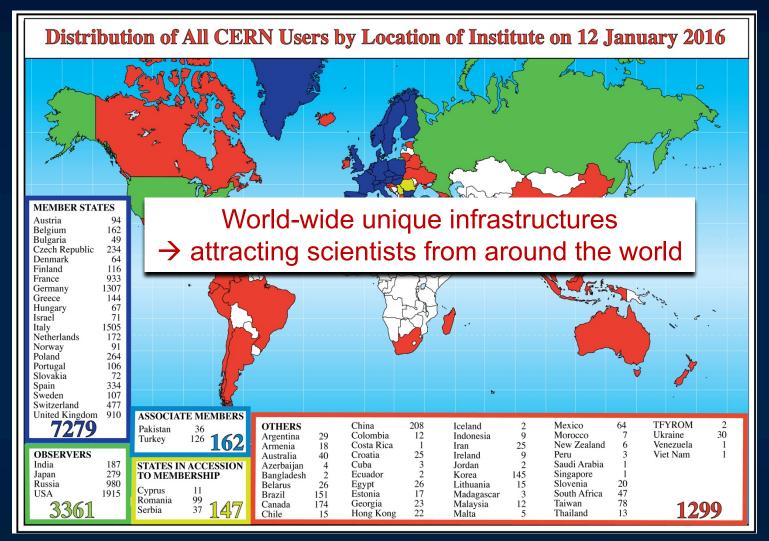
India, Pakistan, Turkey, Ukraine

CERN: ~ 2300 staff; ~ 1000 fellows, etc

Budget ~1'000 MCHF



CERN Users: A global scientific community





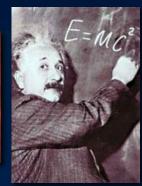
The Mission of CERN

Research

Push back the frontiers of knowledge

E.g. the secrets of the Big Bang ...what was the matter like within the first moments of the Universe's existence?





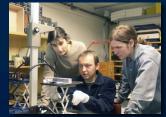
 Develop new technologies for accelerators and detectors

Information technology - the Web and the GRID Medicine - diagnosis and therapy





Train scientists and engineers of tomorrow





Unite people from different countries and culture

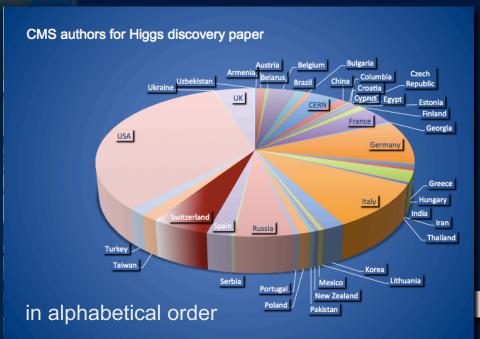


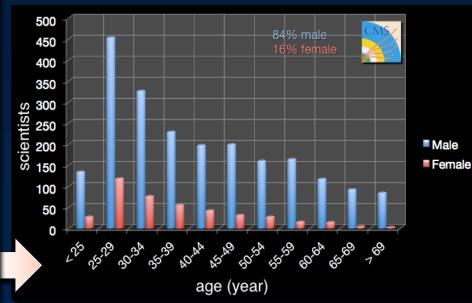




CMS: a truly global scientific project

~3000 scientists, ~200 institutes, ~40 countries



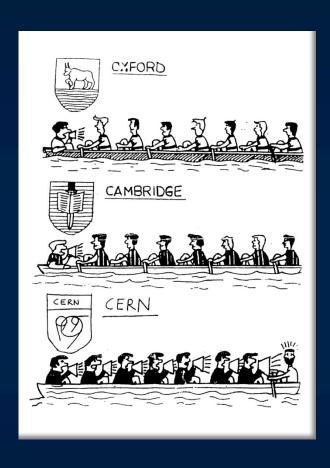


Impact of large international collaborations:

- □ a place where people learn how to work together
- cooperation and competition are the path to success
- open access and sharing results allows everyone to participate and contribute to new developments



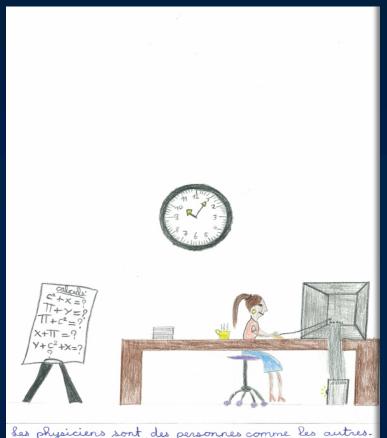
... you learn how to collaborate and to manage





www.cern.ch/dessine-moi-un-physicien/





Ses physiciens sont des personnes comme les autres. Ils font des recherches dans les calculs et en physique. Ses physiciens travaillent à plusieurs. Tolliet Aline





Examples of CMS Awards

CMS Thesis Award (initiated in 2000, also Industry Award)

- presents thesis results in the opening plenary session of a CMS week
- receives an Award plaque
- has the opportunity to attend an international conference to present the thesis results, with expenses paid by CMS
- thesis is eligible to be nominated for publication in the Springer Theses series



CMS Young Researcher Prize

- recognize outstanding achievements of young members
- awarded annually to at least three members who have made a very significant and sustained contribution to CMS over many years in any area of the experiment (hardware, software, technical, analysis etc.).





Career Committee:

- Networking with alumni
- information on career opportunities
- Reflect on the recognition of individual achievements
- Organize information sessions on career related topics

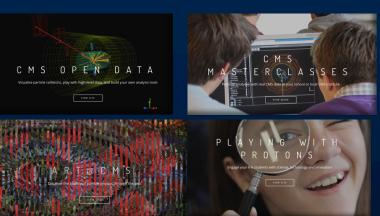


CMS Diversity Study Group > Diversity Office



"Engage with CMS": https://cms.cern/engage-with-cms





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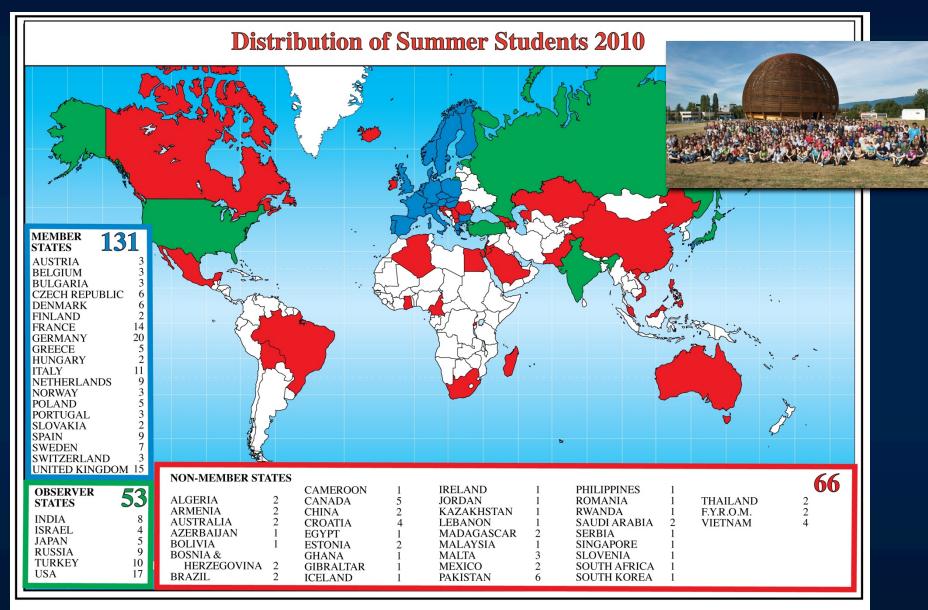
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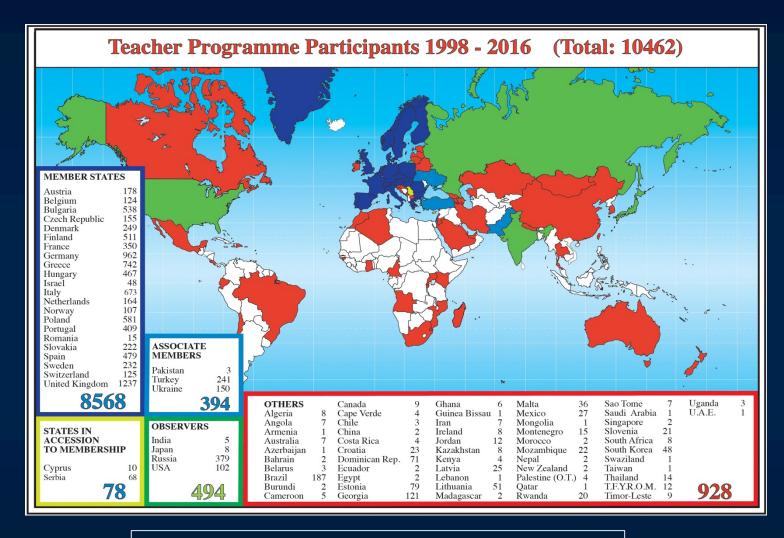


CERN Summer Students 2010





High-school Teacher programme



High-School Teacher Programme: 87 different nationalities