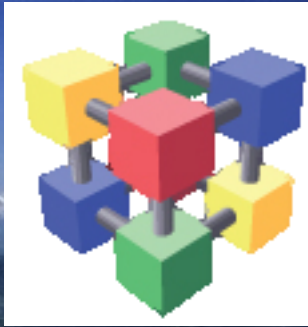


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- **New MoU signatures**

- USA, Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory (LBNL) as an ALICE Tier-2
- Greece, University of Ioannina, as a CMS Tier-2
- US for ALICE; LBNL and LLNL
 - LBNL has signed MoU; LLNL cannot at the moment – have sent a letter of intent and will make pledges and behave as if signed MoU until legal constraints have been addressed

- **MoU follows standard CERN experiment MoU**

- General conditions were changed in 2008. These are now binding (refer to status of people at CERN, and use of facilities). The remainder of the MoU is non-binding.
- Signatories must note that the General Conditions referred to in 8.2 are those dated 20th February 2008. <http://cern.ch/committees/GeneralConditions.pdf>
- This is the same as the experiment MoUs; future signatures will have a footnote explaining this.

New Tier 1s being proposed

- Russia is proposing to provide Tier 1 for all experiments
- ALICE:
 - KISTI (Korea), Mexico (UNAM)
 - Must be clear what a Tier 1 is:
 - Scale, functionality, levels of service, long term responsibility, etc.