## **Exploiting** at best the CMS detector and developing new technologies for the HL-LHC upgrade



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### Spot the differences

Positron Emission Tomography Scanner for cancer imaging The CMS detector for imaging of LHC collision events



Onion

Single-layer detector

Multi-layer detector









### The CMS Electromagnetic Calorimeter (ECAL)

- Calibration of the 70000+ ECAL channels with complementary approaches:
  - Comparing the electron energy with its momentum measured by the tracker
  - Exploiting the detector cylindrical geometry (φ-symmetry method)
- Prediction of the ECAL crystal transparency loss and optimization of clustering and noise reduction exploiting machine learning techniques

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## The High Luminosity LHC program: *a major upgrade of the accelerator*



### High Luminosity LHC challenges



Extreme pile-up impacts the current CMS capability to reconstruct physics events: need novel methods and detectors

Unprecedented levels of radiation exposure: a threat for many detector components

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  - Upgrade of the inner tracker pixel detector

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### A novel pixel detector is needed!

#### Main requirements/challenges:

- 15x number of pixels (up to 2 billions)
- **10x radiation tolerance** (equivalent to about 40 millions PET exams/year!)

#### Strategy:

 Development of a new technology of silicon detectors (e.g. 3D pixels)



# Pixel tracker upgrade

New detector prototypes are studied with **simulation**, in **laboratory** and with **test beam** at international facilities



Sviluppiamo sistema di controllo e acquisizione dati per rivelatore a pixel per HL-LHC (C++ avanzato e uso di microchip FPGA)





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  - Addition of a new sub-detector designed for high precision time tagging of charged particles (the MiP Timing
    Detector MTD)

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- The CMS Mip Timing Detector will enable unprecedented time resolution (~30 ps)
- Tackling the challenge of high spatial vertex density by exploiting a fourth dimension

## LHC Bunch Crossing 1ns Clip

-0.12ns

### 0.15ns 0ns -0.05ns 0.2ns (define to be t=0)

0.4ns 0.02ns

Raw SE 2 TeV

0.11ns

### People, cables and timing detectors

Activities at the University laboratories and at CERN

## • Significant room for groundbreaking contributions

- Event reconstruction and exploitation of timing in searches and Higgs boson characterization with modern computing techniques
- Development of the Barrel Timing Layer
- Sensor and ASICs characterization, module prototyping, system tests and performance characterization with particle beams
- SW interfaces for detector control and data acquisition



## Skills acquired at the end of these thesis

- Field work in particle physics and instrumentation
- Python, C++, modern analysis methods
- Radiation detectors and readout systems
- Ability to work in collaborative efforts
- Ability of independent thinking

### Don't miss the opportunity!

- **Inventing and exploring** new sophisticated methods to exploit the CMS detector for better event reconstruction in continuously growing challenges
- Hands on with the **construction and** testing of new particle detectors for the CMS Upgrade, paving the road for future collider experiments beyond HL-LHC





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#### 3. Search for Flavour Changing Neutral Current decays of BO mesons with machine-learning-based analysis techniques - Referenti: M. Dinardo, P. Dini, S. Malvezzi, D. Pedrini.

After completion of the first phase of the LHC program, the particle field entered into a new exploratory era. The flavor sector, being sensitive to high physics scale, opens a window on possible beyond Standard Model indirect effects in rare processes such as FCNC (Flavour Changing Neutral Current) B0 to Kaon 0 lepton lepton. The ability of the CMS experiment to make precision heavy flavors measurements has been demonstrated by the results from Run-I and Run-II data performed by our group.

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### Don't miss the opportunity!

• **ECAL:** Andrea Massironi, Alessio Ghezzi, Pietro Govoni

• **Pixel:** Luigi Moroni, Mauro Dinardo, Simone Gennai

 MTD: Andrea Benaglia, Martina Malberti, Federico De Guio, Marco Lucchini, Tommaso Tabarelli de Fatis, Alessio Ghezzi





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### CMS Physics results

