



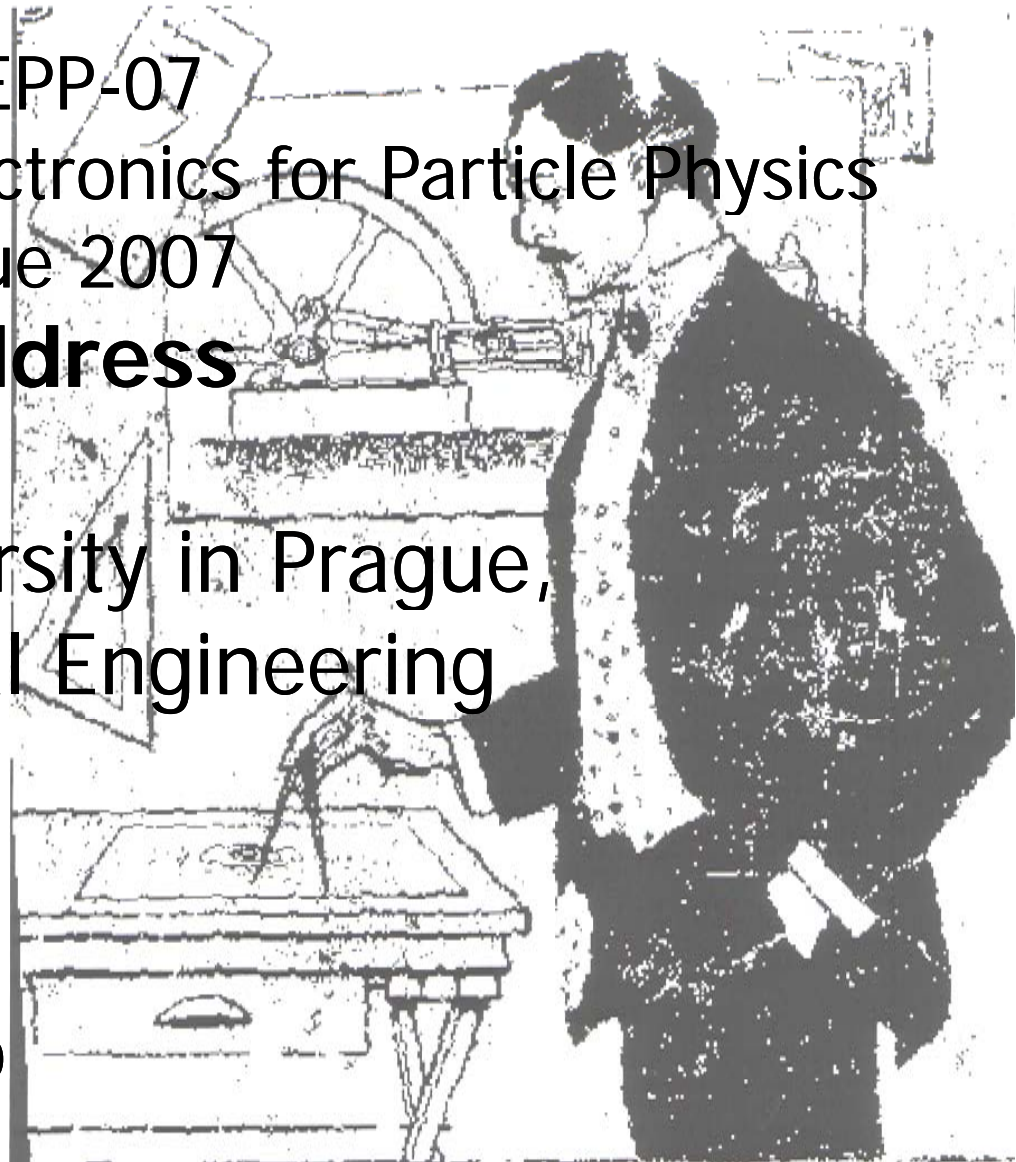
TWEPP-07

Topical Workshop on Electronics for Particle Physics
Prague 2007

Welcome Address

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Faculty of Mechanical Engineering

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The Czech Technical University in Prague (established 1707) and the Mechanical Engineering Faculty of the CTU

- 7 faculties - Civil Eng, MechEng, EEng, NucEng, TranspEng, BioMedEng and Architecture/Styling
- 21 000 students (mostly MS level, partially BS and PhD)
- 2 500 academic staff
- Faculty of MechEng: 4 200 students (11 semesters MS studies, 4 years PhD studies)
- 400 academic staff

Christian Willenberg – Civil Engineering (fortification structures) 1707

Franz J. Gerstner 1806 – mathematics, mechanics - Polytechnical Institute

Josef Božek - Mechanical Engineering Labs 1806 - 1825, designer of a steam car 1815 and a steam boat 1817

Christian Doppler around 1850 – mathematics

Czech Technical School of ME 1864

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Future of Mechanical Engineering in Prague

- Tradition obliges engineers of FME to keep the high level in the future, as well.
- Key issues:
 - transdisciplinarity (biomechanics, mechatronics, etc.)
 - involvement in the most advanced engineering projects (e.g., engineering service at CERN experiments and facilities) using such lessons as a source of finding side effects.
- Therefore, the close contact with CERN and involvement in conference organization is highly appreciated.



FME CTU wishes you

- **a successful and fruitful conference;**
- **many new ideas in detection and sensors;**
- **have nice stay in Prague!**

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