# Mid-term check meeting with the EU Project Officer







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Graduated in nuclear and sub-nuclear physics at the University of Turin (Italy):



**Bachelor - October 2018:** "Study of the (anti-)deuteron production in pp collisions at 5 TeV" with ALICE (CERN)



Master - April 2021: "Natural Language Processing techniques for error message analysis in WLCG data transfer" with Operational Intelligence (CERN)



Internship at the University of Geneva (Switzerland) with Prof. Tobias Golling's group



April-June 2022: Anomaly Detection in large-radius jets, ATLAS



#### From August 2022:

- ESR8: Real Time Analysis for global event triggering in LHCb and manufacturing
- Supervisor: Johannes Albrecht at the Technische Universität in Dortmund (Germany)

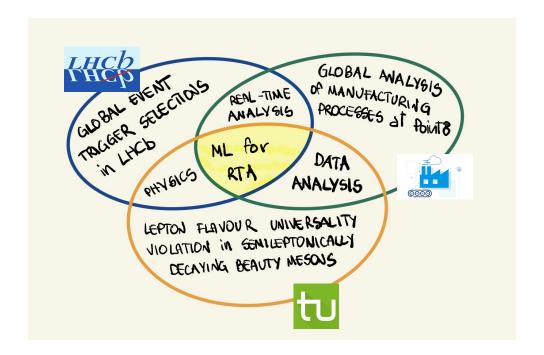






## ESR 8

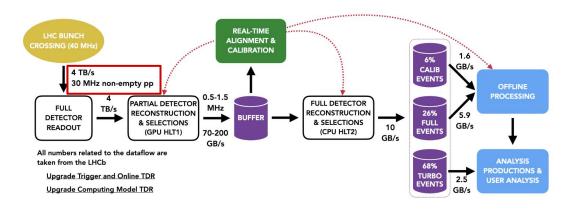
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# Real Time Analysis at LHCb

Figure 1: LHCb upgrade dataflow focusing on the real-time aspects.



HITZ candidate

Percensing information

Percensing persisted event size

Percensing information

Percensing properties and percent size

Image source

Bandwidth [MB/s]  $\propto$  Trigger output rate [kHz]  $\times$  Average event size [kB]



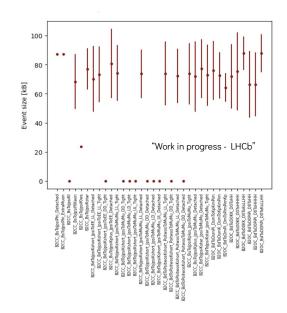


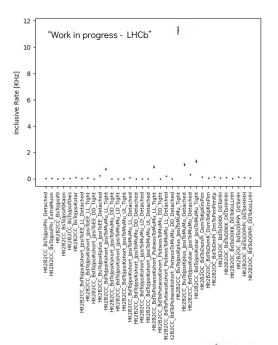
### First results

#### Our starting point: Flavour Tagging

- Knowledge of neutral B meson flavour at the production time → measurements of CP violation and flavour oscillations at LHCb
- Need for evaluation and optimisation of tagging algorithms for RUN3
- Studies on:
  - pre-selections cuts on tracks used by Flavour Tagging algorithms
  - trigger output rate and average event size for tracks used by Flavour Tagging algorithms

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## **Training & Outreach**

#### **Training**

- → LHCb starterkit, 28/11/2022 02/12/2022, CERN
  - For early PhD and Master's students who need an introduction to LHCb and its software
- → 3rd Terascale school of Machine Learning (Part 2), 10/10/2022 12/10/2022, DESY:
  - ♦ Network architectures with a focus on Graph networks
  - Generative Models
  - Normalising Flows
  - ◆ Weak classification and anomaly detection
  - ◆ Machine learning on FPGAs

#### Outreach

→ Presentation and interaction with students about opportunities in Machine Learning applied to Physics within the Machine Learning Journal Club (<a href="https://example.com/here">here</a>)



# Career expectations and soft skills after the project

- Be a versatile (early stage) researcher.
  - increased independence in managing my work,
  - > able to lead other students,
  - able to transfer knowledge and communicate scientific information,
  - able to quickly integrate to new contexts.
- Open-doors in both industries and academy
- Also thanks to the many partners involved in the project, **find out my preferred area of research in Machine Learning and Physics.**

