

Analysis Grand Challenge: Coffea-Casa analysis facility as a test environment for packages and services

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Intro

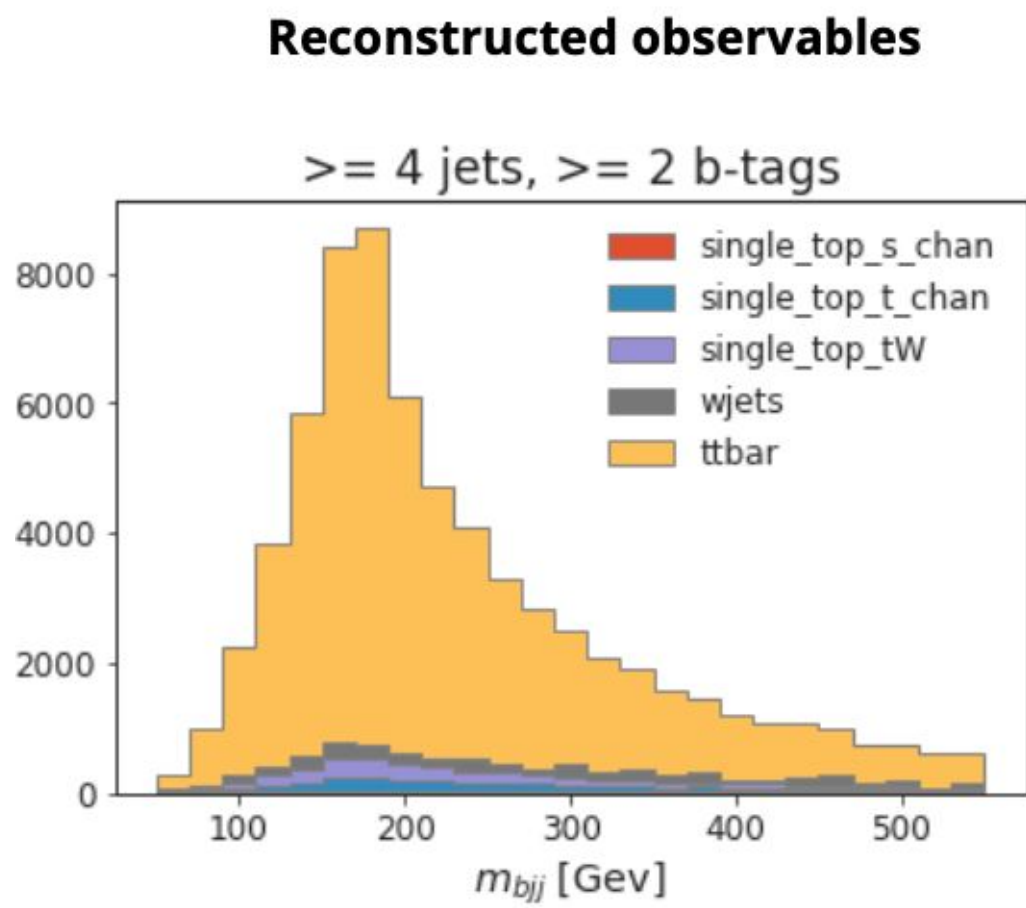
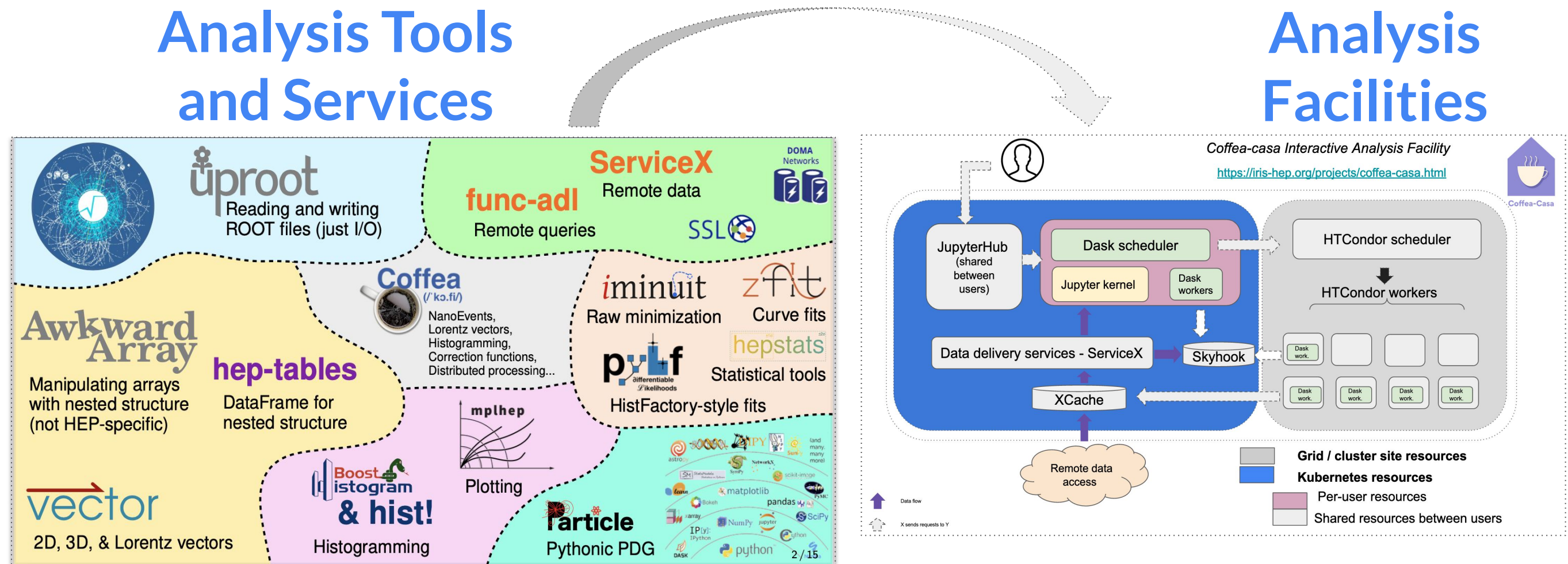
- Adjunct Software developer @ University of Nebraska-Lincoln
 - Coffea-casa analysis facility developer
 - IRIS-HEP Analysis Grand Challenge co-coordinator (together with Alex Held)

My background:

- Infrastructure engineer at BITP (ALICE)
- Doctoral Student at GeantV simulation project
- ROOT team member:
 - IO (compression algorithms) & build system
 - C++ modules in ROOT/CMSSW
 - Performance studies in ROOT

Analysis Grand Challenge (AGC)

- Analysis Grand Challenge (AGC): *execute series of increasingly realistic exercises toward HL-LHC*
- The AGC is **an integration exercise** for IRIS-HEP
- Also **community project**: focus discussion, bring together different groups and experiments

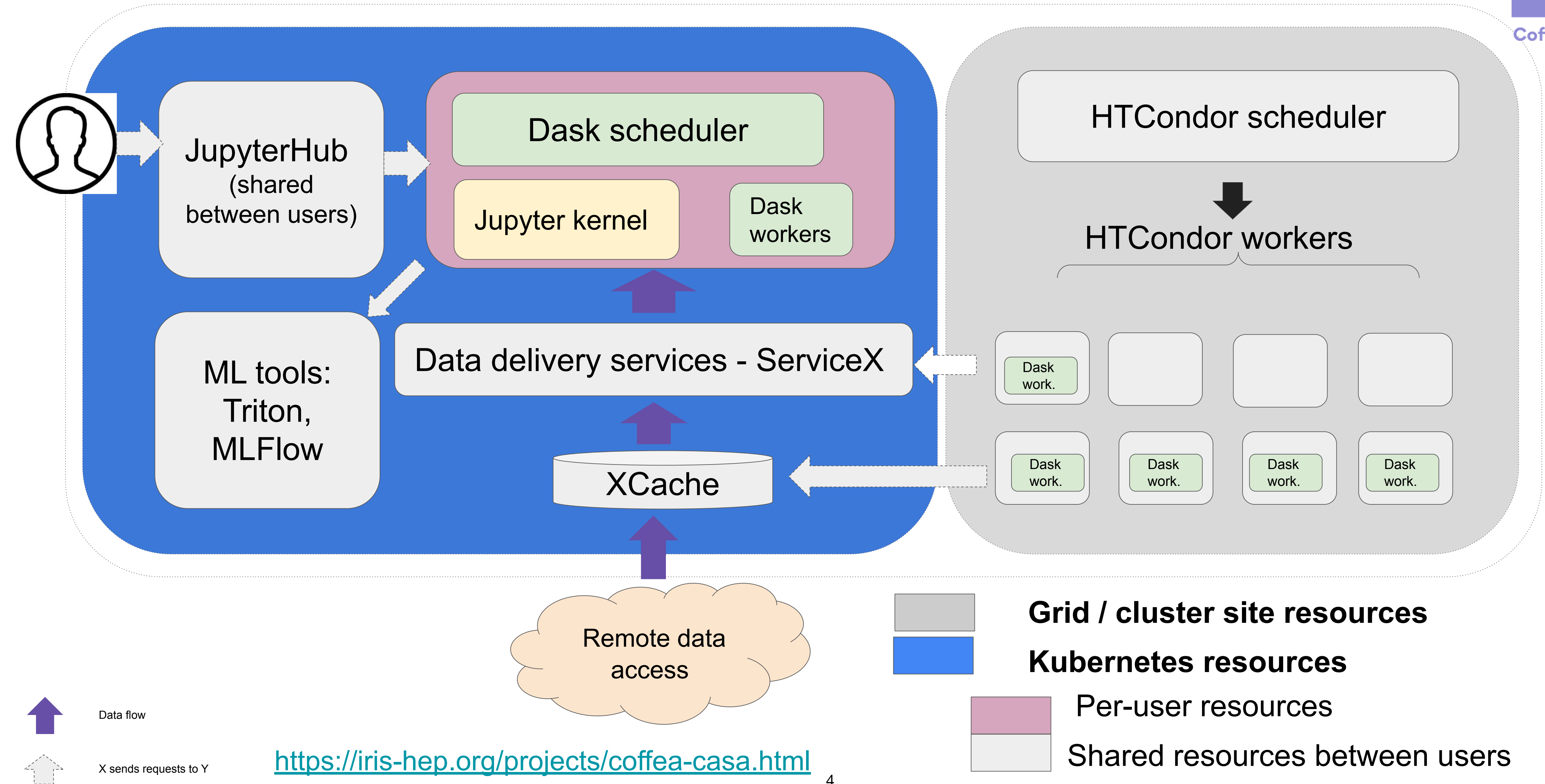


example output of [analysis notebook](#)

Execution of AGC analysis benchmark

Coffea-casa Analysis Facility

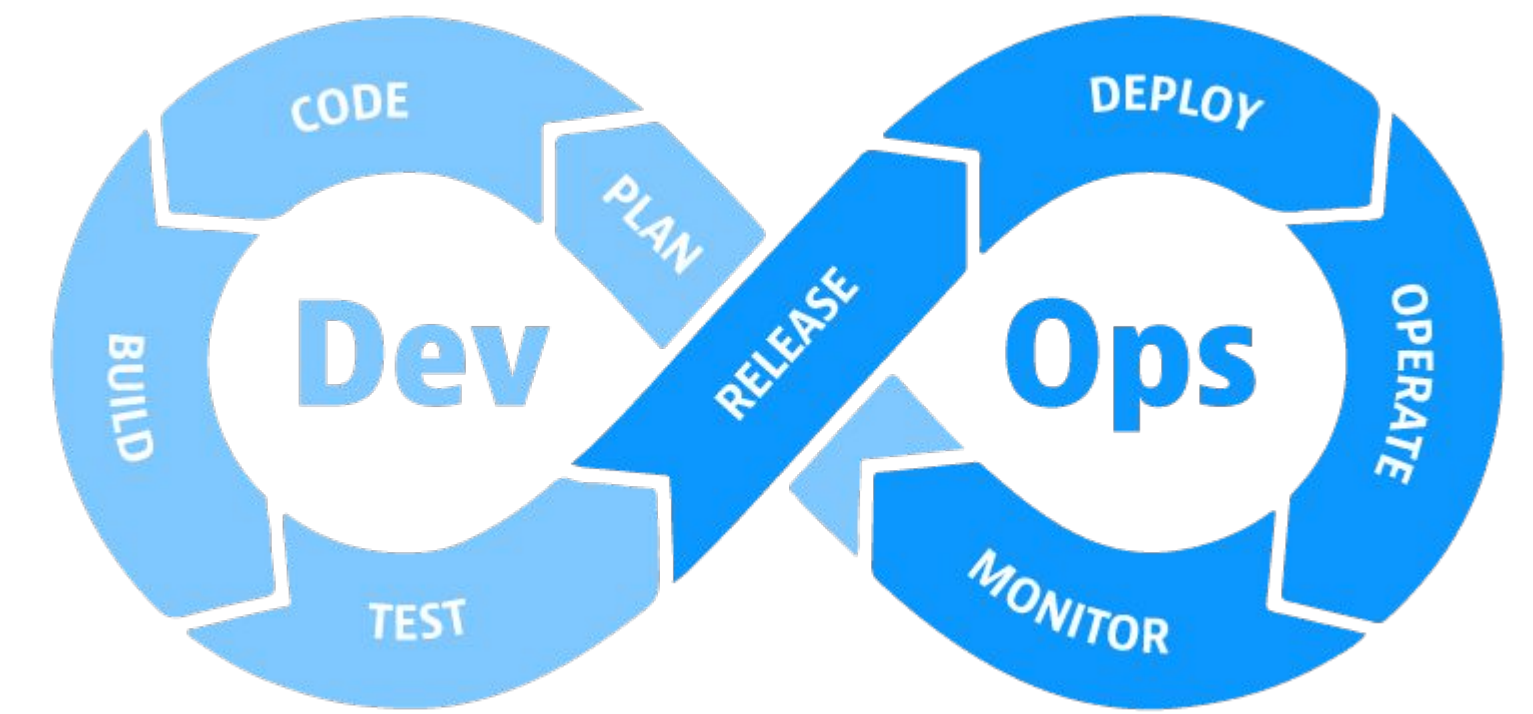
Coffea-casa facility @ UNL is co-located at U.S.CMS Tier-2 at University Nebraska-Lincoln and other instance is co-located at U.S.ATLAS Tier-3 at University UChicago



<https://iris-hep.org/projects/coffea-casa.html>

My interests

analysis workflows - UX - ML (MLOps) - Infrastructure as a Code



- In AGC we ensure that whole analysis pipeline (e.g. packages) are tested in the different aspects: scalability, UX, performance bottlenecks and make sure packages are available to early adopters and redeployable anywhere else
 - I would like to encourage **more collaborative work between the facility architects and package / service developers**: it definitely makes things work faster ;-)
 - **The facility design should be treated as an additional “layer” while thinking about vertical and horizontal layering of analysis pipeline**
 - Are there specific services that would be useful to provide?
- HEP analysis lifecycle is getting more and more complex (ML model training, inference services, autodiff etc..)
 - How to make sure that it scale?
 - Can we design all-in-one solution for HEP?