



# HEPTech Discussion

How do we evolve to meet the needs of members?

27<sup>th</sup> February 2023



# Agenda

1. Welcome and introductions
  - a) What do you want from HEP Tech?
2. Scene setting
3. Discussion
  - a) Focus on types and frequency of activities.
  - b) What adds most value to our organisations?
4. Next Steps
  - a) Actions to build momentum



# Objective of Meeting

Objective of the meeting is to identify and prioritise activities and engagement pathway (f2f/online) for members this year and next.

What adds value and where can you contribute?



# HEPTech Mission

HEPTech's mission is to support large-scale (high-energy) physics facilities to translate innovations into industry/community to generate economic, environmental, and social benefits.

HEPTech leverages the strengths of its institutional members to identify and exploit possible synergies within the network by voluntarily supporting each member in their technology and knowledge transfer activities.

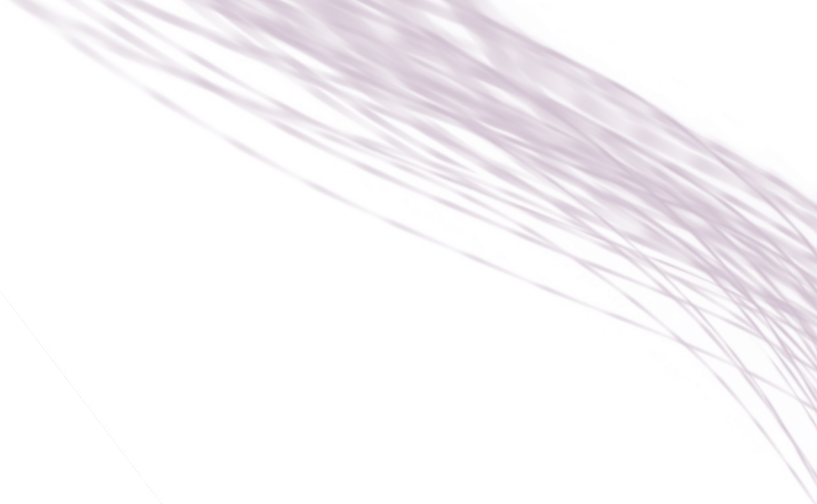


# HEPTech Activities

1. Support Technology and Knowledge Transfer for HEP Facilities
  - a) Best practise exchange sessions.
  - b) Network of contacts to share challenges and get TT advice.
  - c) Visits to member facilities to network and understand their TT processes.
2. Enabling Opportunities via Network Communications
  - a) Consortium forming for HORIZON Europe
  - b) Annual Newsletter
  - c) Website / LinkedIn Page
3. Funding support via support for Academia Industry Matching Events (AIME)'s
4. Access to like-minded communities
  - a) Obtaining individual or group discounts to ASTP Technology Transfer training network.
  - b) EU Project participation (European Commission's scoping study for supporting the development of a code of practice for researchers on).
  - c) Working together in Industry brokerage events.



# Discussion





# Value Proposition (Liam)

## Customer/User

- Technology Transfer professionals based in large-scale state-funded physical science laboratories (e.g., a team like DESY – [https://innovation.desy.de/index\\_eng.html](https://innovation.desy.de/index_eng.html)).

## Competition

- Technology Transfer networks and special interest groups (i.e., ASTP) – not specific on HEP.
- EU-funded network building consortium for HEP (i.e., ENRIITCH) – not specific on TT.
- Industry-focused networks (i.e., EEN) – not TT or HEP

## Value Proposition

- Collection of HEP organizations with similar challenges – opportunity to learn from each other.
- Specific focus on impact, HEP and large-scale infrastructure – targeted at our customers needs.
- Diverse with Range of organization sizes and maturity – opportunity to visit/learn for all sizes organizations.
- Part of the European HEP Community focused on advocating for benefits for all organizations.



**Next steps**





# Actions

Set up working groups to:

- WG1 – Write paper on rotating chair for HEP Tech.
  - Propose terms and rotation list.
- WG2 – Organise best practise session of June face-to-face meeting.
- WG3 – Propose process changes to improve organisation and management of face-to-face meetings.