



**Welcome to the  
2024 Challenges Workshop in Vienna!**



# Scientific programme

- 36 topical presentations
  - 4 morning sessions from 9:00 to 12:00
  - 4 afternoon sessions from 13:30 to 17:30/18:00
- 4 discussion sessions plus a closing session discussion
  - Tue 24/9 11:30 - 12:00: Vcb exclusive ( Florian Bernlochner / Oliver Witzel )
  - Tue 24/9 17:00 - 17:30:  $R(D^*)$  and LFU in semitauonic ( Marcello Rotondo / Thomas Mannel )
  - Thu 26/09 9:00 - 9:45: Vcb inclusive ( Christoph Schwanda / Paolo Gambino )
  - Thu 26/09 15:00 - 15:30: Vub ( Lu Cao / Alex Khodjamirian )
- Workshop is planned to end Friday at 12:00

# Presentations

- Please upload your slides to the indico site \*well ahead\* of your session
  - <https://indico.cern.ch/e/1345421>
  - Mail your slides to me ( [christoph.Schwanda@oeaw.ac.at](mailto:christoph.Schwanda@oeaw.ac.at) ) if you have trouble with the upload
- Pdf format is preferred, PowerPoint should work, Keynote is not installed on the conference laptop

# Meals and drinks

- There will be a coffee break in the middle of every morning and afternoon session
  - Will be served in the room next to us, you can have your coffee also outside
- Suggestions for the lunch break from 12:00 to 13:30 ( all 1'-5' walking distance )
  - INIGO, Bäckerstraße 18, 1010 Vienna (Lunch menu)
  - Kaffee Alt Wien, Bäckerstraße 9, 1010 Vienna (Lunch menu, Goulash)
  - Cafe Engländer, Postgasse 2, 1010 Vienna (Lunch menu)
  - Öfferl, Wollzeile 31, 1010 Vienna (Pastrami, Focaccia, ...)
  - Pizzeria Da Capo, Schulerstraße 18, 1010 Vienna (Italian)
  - Paremi Boulangerie – Patisserie, Bäckerstraße 10, 1010 Vienna (Sandwiches, Quiches, Salades, ...)
  - Le Pic, Dr. Karl Lueger Platz 3, 1010 Vienna (French)
  - Plachutta Wollzeile, Wollzeile 38, 1010 Vienna (Viennese cuisine, higher price)
  - Swing Kitchen, Schwedenplatz 3-4/4-5, 1010 Vienna (Vegan)
  - Buddha Bowls by elena's, Wollzeile 23, 1010 Vienna
  - Ouzeri Bistro Ellas, Wollzeile 21, 1010 Vienna (Greek cuisine)

# Social programme

- Welcome reception (Monday 18:00 - 20:30)
  - Here at the venue, in the coffee break room
- Conference dinner (Wednesday 19:00 - 21:00)
  - Restaurant Stadtwirt  
untere Viaduktgasse 45, 1030 Wien
  - 14' walk from the venue
  - Included for workshop participants  
Let me know if you want to bring an accompanying person



# Let's have a productive meeting!

- Took 271 email messages to put together an exciting agenda
- Organizing committee:
  - Christoph Schwanda (chair)
  - Florian Urs Bernlochner
  - Martin Jung
  - Andreas Kronfeld
  - Marcello Rotondo
  - Thomas Mannel
- All local organisation:
  - Brigitte De Monte