

# Summary of future collider activities in the Nordics

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### Future collider work in Denmark, Sweden, Norway and Finland

- We in the Nordics are involved in several future collider projects!
  - Circular colliders FCC
  - Linear colliders CLIC, ILC
  - Novel accelerators muon collider and plasma accelerators
  - Other future colliders EIC
- In a range of topics
  - Accelerator development
  - Detector development
  - Theoretical/phenomenological studies
  - Experimental physics studies



### **FCC - Future Circular Collider**

Physics studies and detector design

- Mogens Dam (Niels Bohr Institute) engaged in the FCC-ee developments since very early stages
- Co-convener of the Detector Concept Working Group of the Feasibility Study since 2016, working with the detector design for FCC-ee
- Key involvements for the design of the luminosity measurements
  - Aim to measure the absolute luminosity with a precision of 10<sup>-4</sup>
  - Master student Johanna. working on the full simulation of the luminosity monitors
- Pioneering work for tau measurements at FCC-ee
  - Precise measurement of the tau properties can rigidly test lepton universality
  - Master student Jonathan working on tau lifetime measurements







#### **Physics studies and detector development**

- Extensive studies of long-lived particles (LLPs) at FCC-ee led by Rebeca Gonzalez Suarez (Uppsala University)
  - FCC-ee can be utilized for direct BSM searches!
  - Currently the BSM co-convener for the FCC-ee Feasibility study as well as the BSM co-convener in the ECFA Higgs/Top/EW Factories study
  - Postdoc Giulia Ripellino, PhD student Axel Gallén and me are finalizing a sensitivity study of exotic Higgs decays to LLPs at FCC-ee, paper soon
- Calorimeter design studies of the noble liquid calorimetry for ALLEGRO (A Lepton-Lepton collider Experiment with Granular Read-Out) by a Finnish CERN Fellow in the EP-R&D department, Juska Pekkanen
  - Similar to ATLAS ECAL detector, aim to have at least an order of magnitude higher granularity than in ATLAS
  - Main focus on the development of the readout electrode, vital component for achieving the very high granularity



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### FCC

#### **MC** generators and accelerator development

- Snowmass contribution on event generators for High-Energy Physics Experiments by Lund University
- Input to CERN proceeding related to parton radiation and fragmentation from LHC to FCC-ee by Christian Bierlich and Torbjörn Sjöstrand (Lund University)
- Cryomodule development by ESS in Sweden, led by Paolo Pierini
  - Assembly and testing of FCC-ee Cryo Modules in the Superconducting Radio Frequency facility
- Simulation studies of thin film growth on superconducting cavities under different deposition conditions by **Finnish material physicists**





#### **References:**

- Snowmass review
- Cern proceeding

### FCC - possible future contributions



**Detector and accelerator development** 

- The current main detector development activity from the ALICE group in Lund are on the ALICE Sitracking upgrades for ALICE 3, called ITS3
  - The vertex detector requirements of ITS3 and FCC-ee are similar → work on ITS3 and ALICE3 are very relevant for FCC-ee!



 The FREIA lab at Uppsala University, with capabilities for R&D on superconducting accelerator technology, are keen to start working with FCC!

### **CLIC - Compact Linear Collider**

#### **Accelerator development**

- Over 10 years involvement from the Finnish community
- Major work from Kenneth Österberg and the group at Helsinki University includes
  - Detailed physics model of the mechanism of vacuum arc in CLIC RF cavities
  - Mechanical modelling, assembly and prototyping of the full CLIC module
  - Micromechanical manufacturing and assembly of CLIC RF cavities
- Also, long standing contributions from Norway with Steinar Stapnes, who is the CLIC project leader at CERN, and Erik Adli and Kyrre Ness Sjøbæk
  - Recently, main contribution in experimental and theoretical work on the wakefield monitors





### CLIC

#### **Accelerator development**

- Work from Uppsala University, led by Marek Jacewicz and Maja Olvegård
  - Contributed to the CLIC feasibility study with development of the two-beam test stand, part of the CLIC Test Facility 3 (CTF3) led by Roger Ruber
  - Designed a beam diagnostics systems for CLIC and CTF3
  - Collaborating with Finnish colleagues (and others) to investigate vacuum breakdown in high-gradient acceleration cavities, highly relevant for CLIC
  - One PhD student developing a simulation framework for the drive beam complex, applied for beam performance studies.
    - Code can also be used for the muon collider study!





Two beam acceleration module from CT3

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### **ILC - International Linear Collider**

#### **Detector development**

- Leif Jönsson and Anders Oskarsson from Lund University, with major roles in the LCTPC collaboration
  - Working on a tracking solution for the ILD that involves high resolution time projection chamber (TPC)
  - Lund responsible for the readout electronics and the data acquisition system for the LCTPC development
- No recent physics studies for ILC
- Linear collider activities are ramping down due to the plans for FCC-ee and CEPC
  - Name change of collaboration to International *Lepton* Collider
  - Studies ongoing to investigate the use of TPC at FCC-ee









### **Muon Collider**

#### **Accelerator development**



- Uppsala University and ESS are part of the European Consortium MuCol
  - Working towards one or more demonstrators of the main feasibility issues of a muon collider
- ESS is the lead institute of WP3 (working project focused on Proton Driver), coordinated by Natalia Milas
  - Responsible for delivering a very short pulse of intense protons to the target for pion to muon production
  - 3 ESS physicists, one PhD student and one Postdoc in the working group
- ESS and Uppsala University (Vitaliy Goryashko and Maja Olvegård) collaborates on the design of a proton accumulator and compressor to produce a proton beam that in turn can generate the muon beam
  - Uppsala University co-supervise an ESS Postdoc in this





### HALHF - Hybrid Asymmetric Linear Higgs Factory



#### **Accelerator development**

- Proposed in 2023 by Carl Andreas Lindstrøm (University of Oslo) with collaborators, built upon previous plasma-wakefield-acceleration linear collider (PWFA-LC) concepts, such as that proposed by Erik Adli (University of Oslo) in 2013
  - Combines the best of plasma-wakefield and RF accelerators into a 3-km long Higgs factory
  - Avoids the difficult plasma acceleration of positrons by a mixture of plasma-wakefield acceleration to high energy electrons, and conventional RF acceleration to low energy positrons
  - High-risk, high-reward alternative to the FCC-ee, at a fraction of the cost for FCC





### **Other plasma-based accelerator concepts**



#### **Accelerator development**

- Several contributions from the University of Oslo to plasma accelerator studies
- Prospective study of gamma–gamma colliders with plasma-based accelerators led by Erik Adli and funded by the Norwegian Research Council
  - Converts two electron beams into photon beams via Compton scattering of a laser pulse just before the collision point
  - Can be fairly compact even at multi-TeV energies if built with plasma-based accelerators!
- ERC starting grant for project Staging of Plasma Accelerators for Realizing Timely Applications (<u>SPARTA</u>) led by Carl Andreas Lindstrøm
  - Project aiming to demonstrate a solution to the difficult problem of staging plasma accelerators with plasma lenses
- Involved in demonstrating plasma accelerators in experiments at DESY, SLAC and CERN

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#### **EIC - Electron-Ion Collider and RHIC - Relativistic Heavy Ion Collider**

**Theoretical studies and detector development** 

- Historic involvement on the ALICE Time Projection Chamber (TPC) fronts from Lund University
  has led to a spin-off by David Silvermyr for the sPHENIX TPC at RHIC
- The ALICE group at Lund University might join EPIC (or the future 2nd experiment) at EIC, but no
  ongoing work on EIC or EPIC yet
- Several model developments in PYTHIA, for future EIC collisions:
  - Ilkka Helenius (University of Jyväskylä) extending and implementing a VMD model.
  - Christian Bierlich (Lund University) Monte Carlo initial states in electron-ion collisions
  - Both: MC validation studies (Rivet) for including HERA data and EIC simulation infrastructure.
- Large contributions to EIC from the theory group at University of Jyväskylä led by Tuomas Lappi
  - Presented earlier today in <u>Tuomas talk</u>!





### **Summary**

- The Nordic community is involved in many exciting future collider projects
  - Swedish contributions in accelerator- and detector development, experimental and theoretical studies for FCC-ee, muon collider, CLIC, ILC and EIC/RHIC
  - Finnish contributions in detector- and accelerator development, and theoretical studies for FCC-ee, CLIC and EIC
  - Norwegian contributions in accelerator developments for plasma accelerators and CLIC
  - Danish contributions to detector design and physics studies for FCC-ee
- Not to forget, our neighbors in the Baltics are working for the future as well!/
  - E.g some studies done with Key4HEP for CLIC, planned to be re-done for FCC-ee, by Mario Kadastik and Joosep Pata (HEPC Estonia)
- A huge **thank you** to everyone who shared their material with me!

Maybe in a multiverse somewhere we are building all the future collider projects ... one in each Nordic country ...



## The future is bright!