

Session Program

21-24 Apr 2026

GridPP55

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Wednesday 22 April

14:00

GridPP55: Opening Session Session

14:00–14:05 **Intro**

Speaker

Samuel Cadellin Skipsey

14:05–14:45 **"GridPP7 PI Talk"**

Speaker

David Britton

14:45–15:15 **Tier-1 Update**

Speaker

Alastair Dewhurst

15:35

15:55

GridPP55: Experiments Session

15:55–16:15 **ATLAS Update**

Speaker

Brij Kishor Jashal

16:20–16:40 **LHCb Update**

Speaker

Alexander Rogovskiy

16:45–17:05 **CMS Update**

Speaker

Katy Ellis

17:45

Thursday 23 April

09:00

GridPP55: (CERN DG Townhall), Networking Session

09:00–10:00 **CERN DG Town Hall (LIVESTREAM)**

10:10–10:30 **DC27 - initial planning**

Speakers

Alessandra Forti, Katy Ellis

10:30

10:55

GridPP55: Security Session

10:55–11:15 **Science DMZ Security (JISC)**

Speaker

Tim Chown

11:20–11:40 **Security Update**

Speakers

Dr David Crooks, David Crooks, Matthew Doidge, Dr Matthew Steven Doidge

11:45–12:05 **Tier-2 Security Site Survey Report**

Speakers

Dr David Crooks, David Crooks, Matthew Doidge, Dr Matthew Steven Doidge

12:10–12:30 **A word from our sponsors**

Speaker

Rowan Pavlovic

12:30

13:35

GridPP55: AI For HEP Session

13:35–13:45 **EGI Software Vulnerability Group**

Speakers

Linda Ann Cornwall, Linda Ann Cornwall

13:50–14:00 **New People @ RALPP**

Speaker

Alison Elliot

14:05–14:25 **AI4HEP workshop Report**

Speaker

Davide Costanzo

14:30–14:55

Accelerating Discovery: How Google's AI is Shaping the Future of High Energy Physics Research

15:05
15:30
17:00

Speakers
Teresa Stephenson, Thomas Sweetman

GridPP55: AI For HEP (and LHCONE)
Session

15:30-15:50 Distributed GPU resources on GridPP
Speaker
Albert Gyorgy Borbely

15:55-16:15 "GridPP as a baseline AI infrastructure for science"
Speakers
Dr Brij Kishor Jashal, Dr Brij Kishor Jashal

16:20-16:40 LHCONE for Tier-2s
Speakers
Matthew Doidge, Dr Matthew Steven Doidge

16:40-17:00 JISC update
Speaker
Tim Chown

Friday 24 April

09:00

GridPP55: Storage and Services

Session

09:00–09:20 **Tier-2 Storage**

Speaker

Samuel Cadellin Skipsey

09:20–09:40 **Storage Developments @ RAL Tier-1**

Speakers

George Patargias, Thomas Byrne

09:40–09:50 **Accounting: Current Landscape and Future Plans**

Speakers

Deniza Chekrygina, Mr Greg Corbett

09:50–10:00 **Identify Management**

Speaker

Mr Greg Corbett

10:00–10:10 **Software Distribution**

Speaker

Matthias Mayer

10:10–10:20 **Data Transfer Services**

Speaker

Rose Cooper

10:30

10:55

GridPP55: Closing Session - QMUL + Sustainability

Session

10:55–11:15 **Sustainability @ QMUL**

Speakers

Dr Daniel Traynor, Dr Sudha Ahuja

11:20–11:40 **NetDRIVE**

Speaker

Alex Owen

11:45–12:15 **QMUL DC TOUR**

12:45