What is the Connection with IdeaLab?

- CERN will host the successful EU-bids (Striking/ATLAS, Frontier/CMS) in IdeaLab (B3179)
- The costs of preparing, submitting and administrating successful bids is covered by CERN
- IdeaLab offers the EU-projects work space; rapid prototyping facilities; meeting areas
- IdeaLab runs MSc student projects (e.g. CBI) that will interact with the EU projects to develop new ideas/prototypes

What is the IPR Approach of IdeaLab@CERN?

- Collaboration is conducted in an Open Innovation -environment, meaning:
    - All research papers and publications will be made publicly available (but can be delayed if deemed necessary)
    - Students, both master and PhD-level can use/refer to the results of their assigned projects (e.g. as an example in their CV portfolio)
    - CERN or the experiments will not patent foreground coming out of EC-funded projects (within IdeaLab framework)
    - CERN will not sign any NDA's within EC-funded projects

- The industrial partners of the project consortiums are free to patent results coming from these projects as long as following conditions are met:
    - CERN/experiments can freely use the technology developed for its own research purposes
    - Companies can agree on patent ownership and of taking care of the costs claiming it (usually defined in the EC Consortium Agreement prior to project commencement)