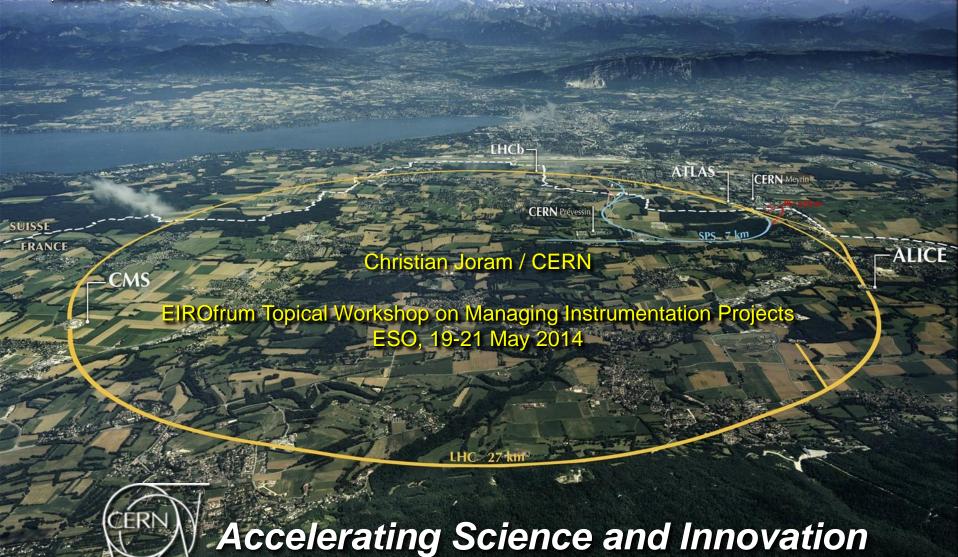
# 5-minutes tour of CERN

(based on official CERN slides)





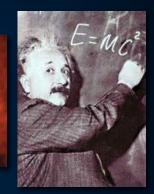
## The Mission of CERN

Research

Push back the frontiers of knowledge

E.g. the secrets of the Big Bang Sw within the first moments of the chip

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Develop new technology accelerators and

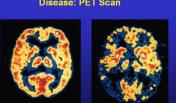
uniting people

Information technology

Medicine - diagnosis and therapResearch

CERN









Train scientists and engineers of tomorrow

Unite people from different countries and cultures



# CERN was founded 1954: 12 European States

"Science for Peace"

Today: 21 Member States

- ~ 2300 staff
- ~ 1600 other paid personnel
- ~ 10500 users

Budget (2014) ~1000 MCHF



Candidate for Accession: Romania

Associate Member in Pre-Stage to Membership: Serbia

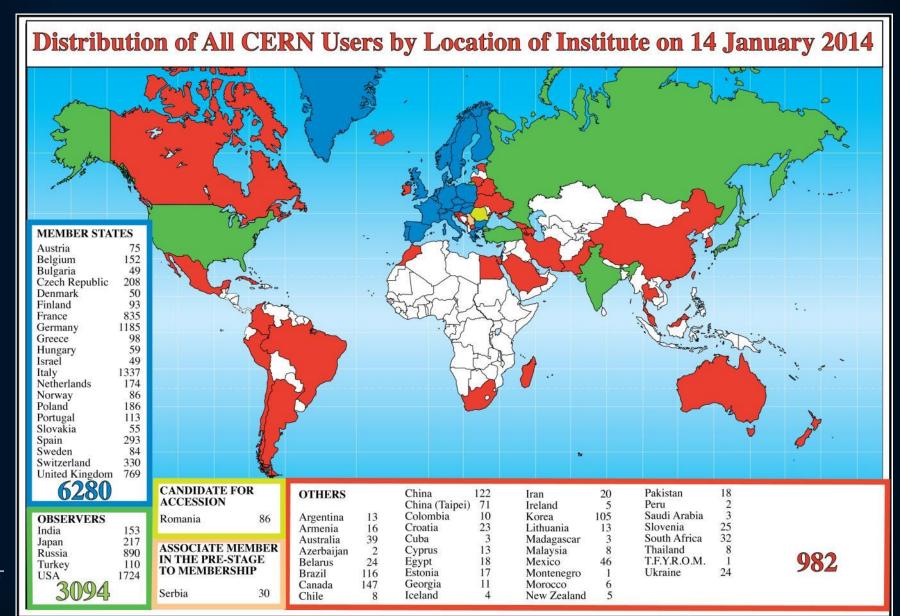
Applicant States for Membership or Associate Membership:

Brazil, Cyprus, Pakistan, Russia, Slovenia, Turkey, Ukraine

Observers to Council: India, Japan, Russia, Turkey, United States of America; European Commission and UNESCO

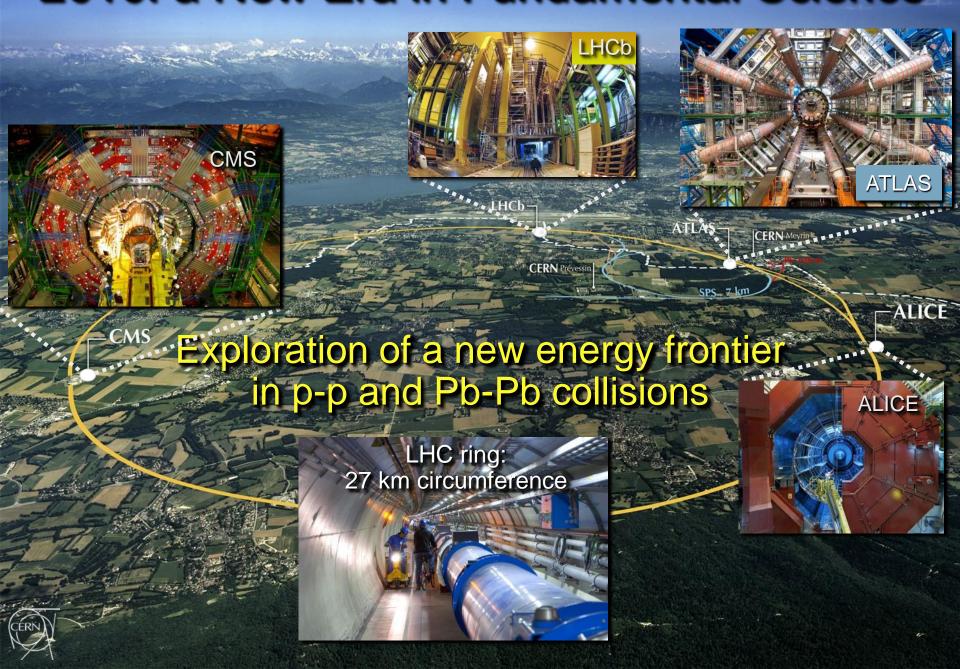


### Science is getting more and more global





## 2010: a New Era in Fundamental Science









## **CERN: Particle Physics and Innovation**

Research

 Interfacing between fundamental science and key technological developments



CERN Technologies and Innovation



Accelerating particle beams

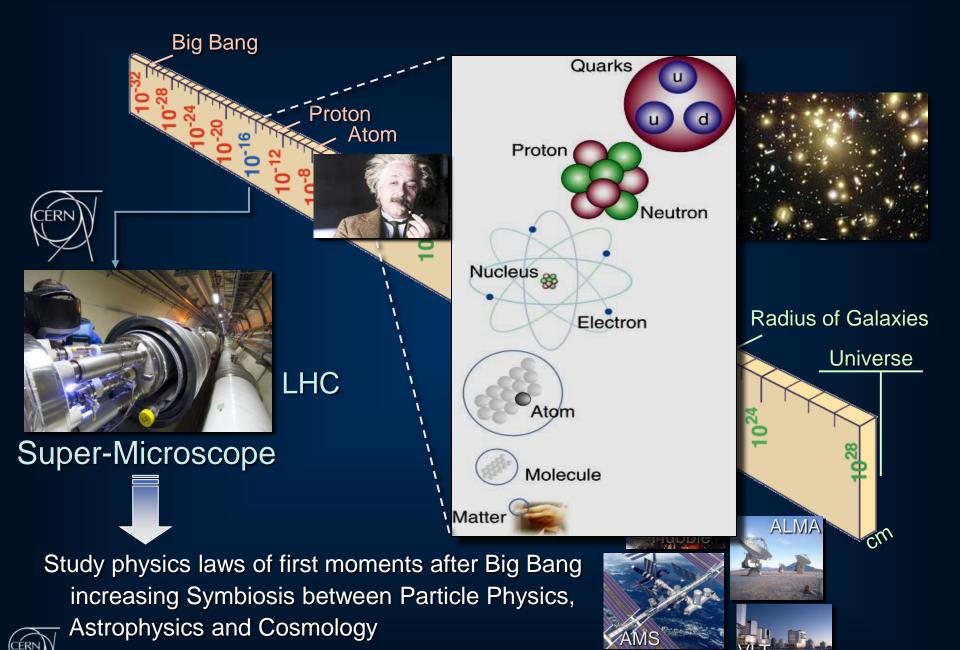


Detecting particles



Large-scale computing (Grid)







The Nobel Prize in Physics 2013 was awarded jointly to François Englert and Peter W. Higgs "for the theoretical discovery of a mechanism that contributes to our understanding of the origin of mass of subatomic particles, and which recently was confirmed through the discovery of the predicted fundamental particle, by the ATLAS and CMS experiments at CERN's Large Hadron Collider".



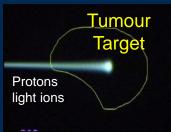
### Medical Application as an Example of Particle Physics Spin-off

Combining Physics, ICT, Biology and Medicine to fight cancer

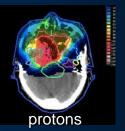


Accelerating particle beams ~30'000 accelerators worldwide ~17'000 used for medicine

### Hadron Therapy

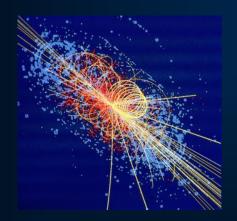






Leadership in Ion Beam Therapy now in Europe and Japan

>100'000 patients treated worldwide (45 facilities)
>50'000 patients treated in Europe (14 facilities)



Detecting particles

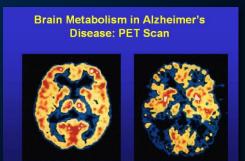


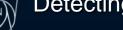
Clinical trial in Portugal, France and Italy for new breast imaging system (ClearPEM)



#### PET Scanner







### **CERN Education Activities**

#### Scientists at CERN

Academic Training Programme







### Young Researchers

CERN School of High Energy Physics CERN School of Computing CERN Accelerator School



### **Physics Students**

Summer Students
Programme

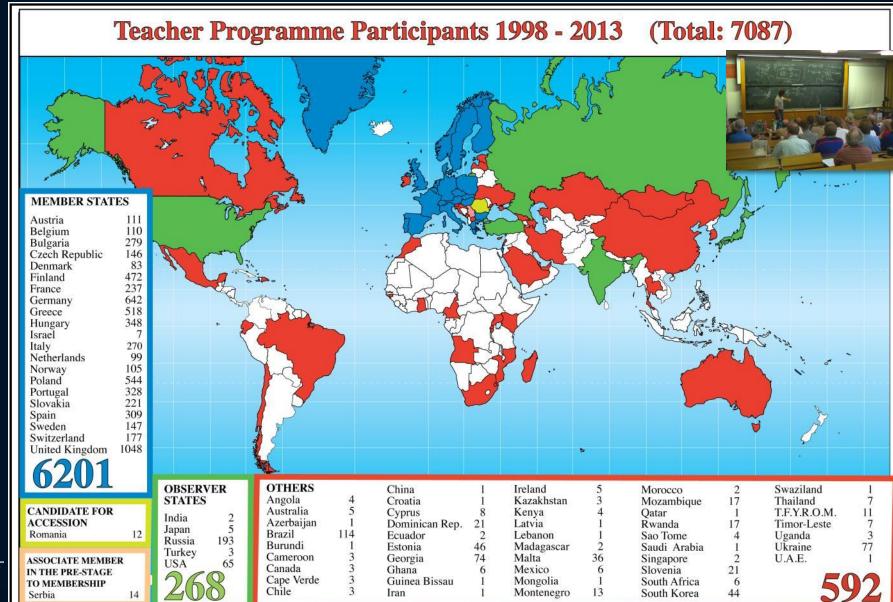


#### **CERN Teacher Schools**

International and National Programmes



# CERN Teacher Programme





## Summer Students 2013

