



# FCC-hh Beam-Beam and Collective Effects at the **EPFL**

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# EPFL-LPAP and CERN

- More than **10 years of productive and exiting collaboration** on several subjects in accelerator physics, with special emphasis on beam-beam and collective effects for **LHC, LHeC and HL-LHC** ... **24 PhD thesis, 6 Master thesis and several stage periods at CERN and outside** (PSI, BNL, SLAC...)
- Consolidated **experience in beam-beam and collective effects**: LHC studies and commissioning, LHeC Conceptual Design Study and HL-LHC Project partner for Task. 2.5 Beam-beam studies (3 post-doc fellows & 4 PhD)
- **Infrastructures** : **High Power Computing** center (1 member in steering committee) and support to CERN **LHC@HOME BOIC** system (1 LPAP scientific collaborator)
- All beam-beam simulations already possible only using EPFL infrastructure (CERN doesn't have this capability)
- **Hands-on LHC machine development studies** (BE/ABP and OP) and follow up of accelerator R&D with external collaborators (BNL e-lenses, LBNL, KEK& Fermilab beam-beam simulations)

**Present collaboration on LHC and HL-LHC.  
Hands-on machine experience is fundamental!**

# Proposed contributions:

## Experimental Insertion Region Design (WP3)

### Beam-beam studies for FCC-hh:

- IR set-up (crossing angle operation, bunch spacing...)
- Dynamic aperture studies (WP2 and WP3 arc and IR optics)
- Beam-beam and radiation damping
- Coherent beam-beam
- Noise on colliding beams
- Orbit, chromatic, tune effects for train operation
- Leveling scenarios and beam-beam (Experiments)
- Mitigating techniques (e-lenses, wire compensators, crab cavities)
- Define possible operational scenarios (parameter space exploration)

### Collective effects:

- Interplay of beam-beam and machine impedance (WP2 impedance model)
- Stability of colliding beams with transverse feedback

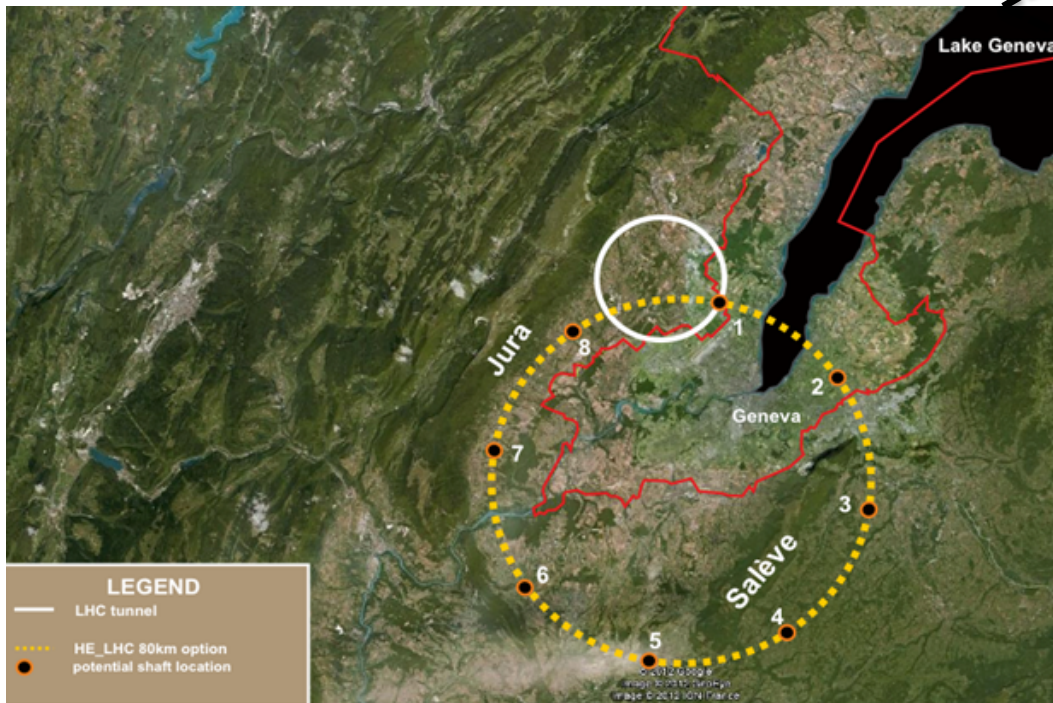
**Keep beam-beam effects under control, define IR operation, set parameters to avoid luminosity deterioration and instabilities**

# Conclusions

**Let's continue this synergetic collaboration...**

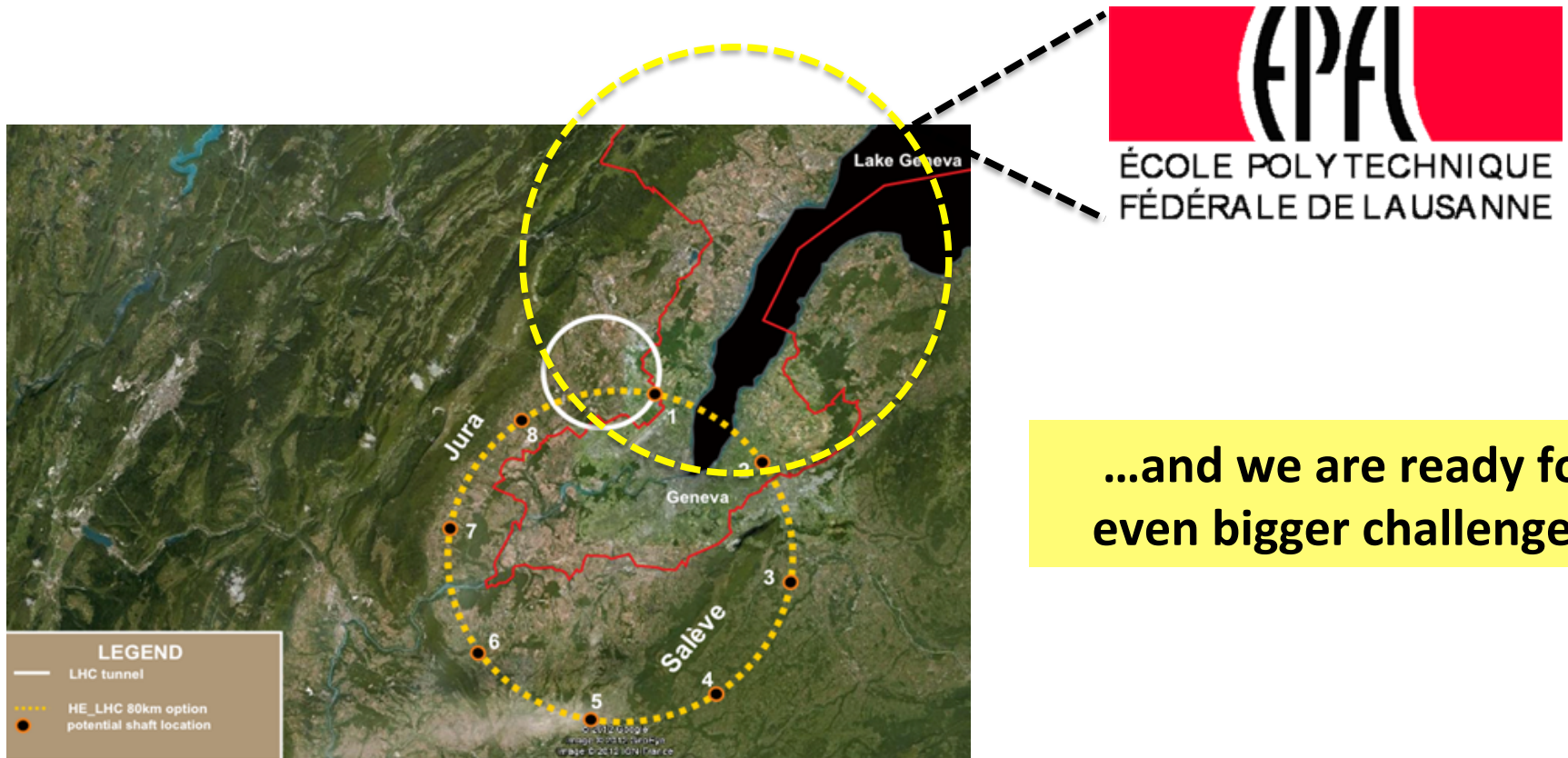
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