

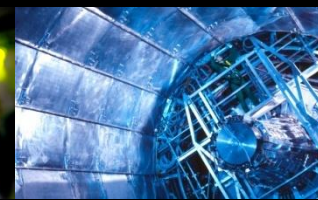
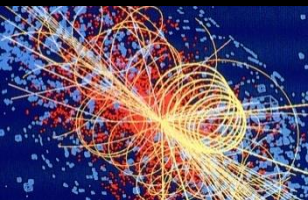
Next WLCG Workshop

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We thought it was all settled...

- Was going to be weekend before CHEP in Sofia
 - 21st-22nd April 2018
- Organisers forced to postpone CHEP until July
- This would be 13 months after last workshop
 - Too long
- So we need to make new arrangements

New possibilities

- At HEP Software Foundation Workshop in Annecy two weeks ago
 - Agreed closer links would be useful
 - Proposal is to co-locate workshops with an overlapping day
 - WLCG Monday-Wednesday
 - HSF Wednesday-Friday
 - Some wiggle room on details

Call for proposals

- We need a date, venue and host
 - Week of April 23rd a strong candidate
 - Not too many other meetings scheduled yet – since it had been set aside for CHEP
 - Other (earlier) weeks may be possible
 - Probably in Europe
 - Numbers will be ~100-150 for WLCG & 70-100 for HSF with more for overlap
 - Contact myself or Ian Bird to volunteer of if you have suggestions

Provisional offers

- Naples (who offered last time)
- Bari
- There is a slight wrinkle that Weds April 25th is a holiday in Italy so week of 23rd would have to use a hotel – leading to greater expense.

Discussion

- Dates
- Venue preferences/suggestions

Questions?