

CONCLUSION

I have been impressed by this group on several occasions during these two weeks and I have just picked out three meetings that have made a major impact on me. The first one is not directly coupled to the projects but showed social skills and a wish to collaborate in groups, something that is important everywhere but especially at Cern.

Meeting 1

I was a little ill at ease sitting at Arlanda waiting to meet 14 complete strangers forming the group of students that would start our journey from Stockholm to Cern. However, everyone tuned in when Marcus and Sigfrid led the name game making us all if not friends, a friendly bunch entering the plane.

Meeting 2

The day after the arrival, Kerstin and I were sitting at a table with some worries about what the students would think of the projects and eagerly waiting for the students to come and tell us about their first half-day of work. It so happened that Malin and Oscar were the first to appear and within minutes my worries were gone. She said that the project involved programming in C++ , hardware, she did not understand for the moment but she expressed enthusiasm for the job, sure of their capability to understand it and totally confident of solving it! After this soothing information, a dozen students arrived saying more or less the same thing about their projects.

Meeting 3

It has just finished here and now!

Being an experimental physicist myself, there have been some presentations that I can understand and be impressed by and

there are others that I don't understand but where I have been impressed by the students' understanding of it.

Therefore we have a win-win situation.
All of them have impressed me!