INTERNATIONAL MASTERCLASSES HANDS ON PARTICLE PHYSICS

IMC18 Report
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hands on particle physics

New in IMC18: Sofia





- CMS Masterclass
- 69 students from whole country
- Selected from 112 applicants
- 5 students helped as mentors, had already experience with the measurements from the **CERN Internship program** last year

'The students were excited about their work and results, they really enjoyed it. We all are very happy with the first CERN Masterclass in Bulgaria."



New in IMC18: Vilnius

- CMS Masterclass
- 2 institutes: Vilnius Gediminas Technical University + Vilnius University
- Pupils from Lithuanian High Schools

"Both the CERN event and the excursion (research laboratories of the Physical Science and Technology Centre) were very successful actions."







New in IMC18: Doha





Ilham Al-Qaradawi, Professor of Physics, Qatar University and President of Qatar Physics Society

CMS Masterclass

"Students enjoyed it very much. I particularly enjoyed the video conference, and I think it made a big difference to the event particularly to the students; the only disadvantage is being a bit late for them."



New in IMC18: Mostar





University of Mostar - Faculty of Mechanical Engineering, Computing and Electrical Engineering

- CMS Masterclass
- Facilitated by Nikola Godinovic, Split (Croatia)
- Antonija Bosnjak kindly accepted to act as the contact person for Bosnia and Herzegovina
- Antonija also kindly accepted to host the future participants at MC in the computer lab at her university



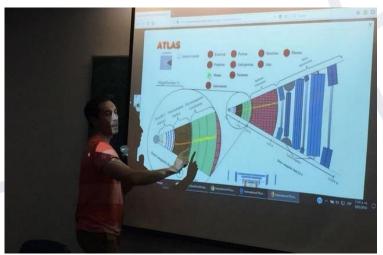
New in IMC18: Lima and Trujillo







- ATLAS Masterclasses in Lima and Trujillo
- Alejandro de la Puente (TRIUMF) + Estefania Coluccio travelled to Lima
- AP was supported by IPPOG funds (travel)





New in IMC18: Tehran



- 2 CMS Masterclasses
- No VC, due to different time zone
- Facilitated by Fatemeh Elahi (Postdoc) and Mohsen Khakzad (Researcher), both IPM-Institute for Research in Fundamental Sciences in Tehran







New in IMC18: Indore





Acropolis Institute of Technology and Research, Indore

- ATLAS Masterclass
- Faciltitated by Ravjeet Kour, lecturer in UK (ONcampus Coventry)
- No VC (time zone...)

"During my recent visit to India, I gave few presentations on the masterclasses and we had quite an interest to participate in the next round."

New in IMC18: Montevideo





Universidad de la República, Montevideo, Uruguay

- ATLAS Masterclass
- VC with Fermilab (Spanish!) on April 27
- Contact: Dr. Gabriel González Sprinberg, Profesor Titular, Inst. de Física





International Masterclasses 2018



15.2. - 28.3.2018

+ extra dates w. Fermilab

52 countries involved

+ 3 countries without VC



Coord.: QuarkNet / TU Dresden

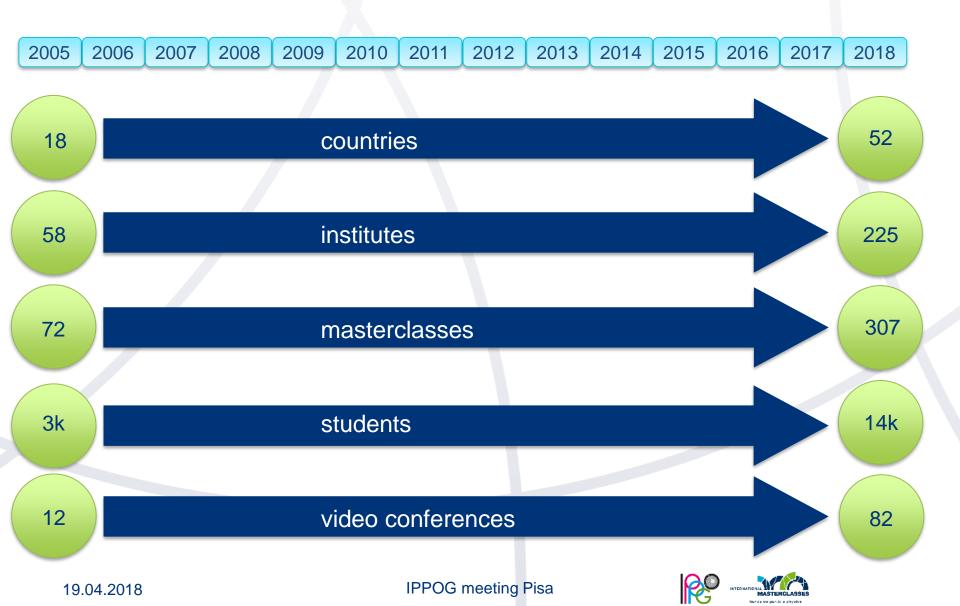
- 48 institutes (43)
- 50 Masterclasses (50)
 - 31 CMS (35)
 - 19 ATLAS (15)

- 177 institutes (173)
- 257 Masterclasses (264)
 - 35 ATLAS W (45)
 - 104 ATLAS Z (93)
 - 58 CMS (52)
 - 39 LHCb (45)
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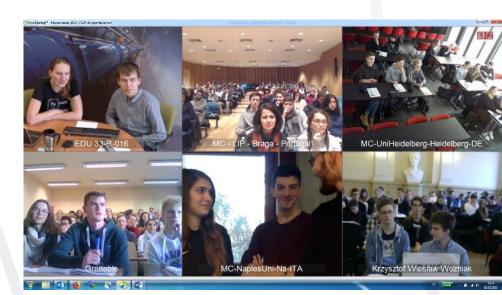
Statistics International Masterclasses



Videoconference

- 61 videoconf. with CERN (57),
 50 moderators
- 18 with Fermilab (24),
 18 moderators
- 1 with TRIUMF (1)
- Lack of moderators this year
 unconventional solutions











Discussion of Physics Results

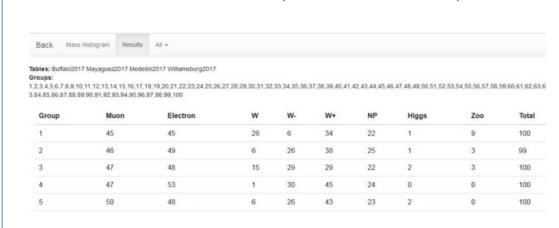
- For ATLAS and CMS: 5 "scenarios"
- Each scenario: combination of plot/table and relevant question for students
- Examples on next slide
 - >streamline the discussion of measurements
 - →help moderators to go through the results and the physics discussion in an efficient way
 - help students to prepare for the discussion
- Included in moderators' training and wiki
- Institutes informed via circular



Example for ATLAS Z

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Example for CMS



. Share with students: Combined Results (Overall e/nu and W+/W- results)

- Question 4: What do you expect the ratio of electron events to muon events to be? Is your result
 consistent with this?
- . Question 5: What is the ratio of W+ to W- bosons? What does this ratio tell us about protons?





Some key factors for success

- Stable measurements
- Well prepared institutes
 - (bi)weekly circulars http://physicsmasterclasses.org/index.php?cat=local_organisation&page=organisation
 - Orientation for Fermilab institutes
 - Question time for all measurements
 - Manual for videoconference
 http://www.physicsmasterclasses.org/downloads/manual_local_organizers_2018_02_06.pdf
- WG videoconference (Ina Carli, K. Leney, Marzena, Kate, Uta)
 - Training for moderators (2 h) https://indico.cern.ch/event/696223/
 - twiki, manual
 - Rooms at CERN
- Vidyo team / Marek Domaracky + videoconference team at Fermilab
 - Room 31-S-27
 - Vidyo support at every session
- Maureen
 - Room 33-R-16
 - Shirts for moderators



Website – slightly reorganized



Institutes and Physicists

Intl. Day of Women

and Girls in Science

Schedule



here for media coverage.

research centres for one day in order to unravel the mysteries of particle phy insight in topics and methods of basic research at the fundaments of matter and

measurements on real data from particle physics experiments themselves. At the

research collaboration, the participants join in a video conference for discussi

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Communication

Circulars

- 2017: biweekly on Fridays
- 2018: weekly on Fridays

Twitter

- @physicsIMC
- #LHCIMC18
- Team: Nicolas, Kate, Ken, Uta
- Schedule (Nov April)
- Encourage institutes to tweet with specific tips (circular)
- Press release
 - Template for institutes



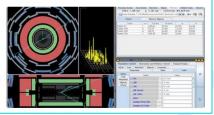




Twitter impressions

Top Tweet earned 5,685 impressions

Looking for decays of Z bosons and searching for the #Higgs. High school students at @UU_University, @HumboldtUni + @desy Zeuthen, Univerzita Mateja Bela in Banska Bystrica, @unizar, and @UniOslo. #LHCIMC18 pic.twitter.com/I2VOFngmLD





for the: #WomenScienceDay Leonora
Vesterbacka: PhD student at @ETH_en
Zürich, based at @CERN, Searching for
Supersymmetric particles at the
@CMSexperiment detector! moderator at
the International masterclasses for high
school girls goo.gl/1JK3yT @physicsIMC
#CHatCERN pic.twitter.com/j2F9z0bRWy



Top media Tweet earned 4,559 impressions

@Fermilab-connected masterclasses have begun! Yesterday, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil and Quincy, Illinois. More today! pic.twitter.com/ZWZeOJCN7Q







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New followers 53

FEB 2018 SUMMARY

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Tweet impressions

Mentions

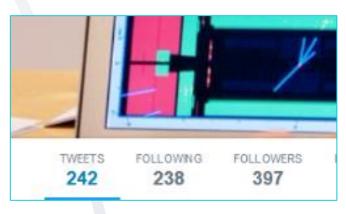
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Social media



2016



April 2017



April 2018





Int. Day of Women and Girls in Science

- UN: Feb 11th, since 2016

 www.un.org/en/events/women-and-girls-in-science-day/
- To support and promote the access of women and girls to science education and research activities
- MCs for girls on Feb 12th (Mon)

http://physicsmasterclasses.org/index.php?cat=women_in_science

- 8 institutes participating
- ~ 250 students (not only girls)
- Female lecturers and tutors (as much as possible)
- 2 videoconferences with female moderators





Ana Godinho (head of ECO) gave a welcoming address

VC 1

Moderators Stefanie and Rosa (ATLAS)

Some institutes invited girls + boys



5 institutes with ATLAS W path

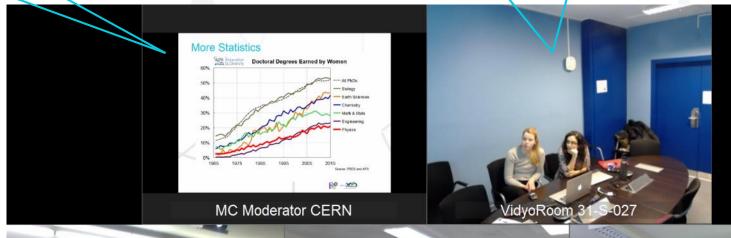




Short presentation about situation of women in physics

VC 2

Moderators Leonora (CMS) and Marianna (LHCb)



3 institutes with ATLAS, CMS, and LHCb measurement







MC-IFAE-Barcelona-Spain

World Wide Data Day



- 14th November 2017 (2nd December 2016)
- The numbers:
 - Participating groups 34 (21)
 - Students 445 (354)
 - Moderators 14 (8)
- http://tiny.cc/w2d2-17



- Students measure theta and phi for dimuon events
- Data analysis at school, physics discussion in VC
- Report: http://tiny.cc/94lrsy
- Not widely advertised outside IPPOG
- Measurement will be used in Chile, Africa in 2018
- Development of measurement expected in 2018

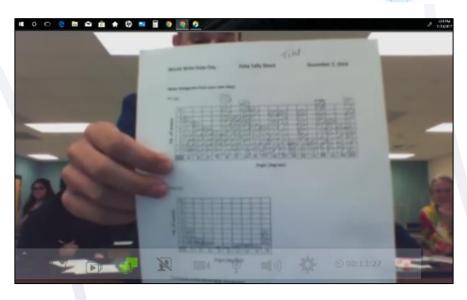


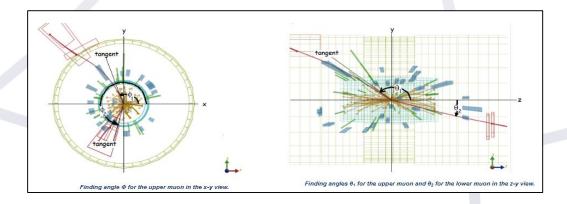


World Wide Data Day









Clockwise, from top-left:

- Students in Herouville-St. Claire, France
- Student in Colorado shows group plots
- CMS event





Discussion

