

# 7 TeV Media Event - U.S.

FNAL held media briefing one month prior on U.S. contributions.

At least 19 universities & 3 Labs issued press releases,

which led to a number of local news items.

*Symmetry Breaking* reposted article to Slashdot.

BNL & FNAL sent press releases to Slashdot.

Media across the country covered event—TV, radio, print, Web.

Content was used by hundreds of U.S. outlets.

Webcast was shown in more than a dozen universities & Labs.

12 universities & labs tweeted.

USLHC website & blogs received 10,000 hits on March 30.

Launched new “Teachers & Students home on USLHC website.

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## Teachers and Students

This is the dawn of an exciting age of new discovery in the study of elementary particles and their interactions. The current theoretical framework of the fundamental nature of matter, known as the Standard Model, explains much, but leaves many unanswered questions. What is dark matter? What happened to antimatter? Are there extra dimensions of spacetime? Are there new symmetries of nature? Are there new, as yet unobserved, forces? What is responsible for mass? The Large Hadron Collider (LHC), a huge scientific instrument at CERN, will provide the highest-energy particle collisions produced in a laboratory to six experiments that hold the potential to answer these questions.

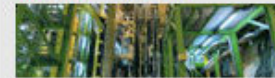


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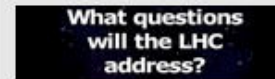
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