

SQM 2019 Closing

The 18th International Conference on
Strangeness in Quark Matter (SQM 2019)
10 -15 June 2019, Bari (Italy)



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Outline

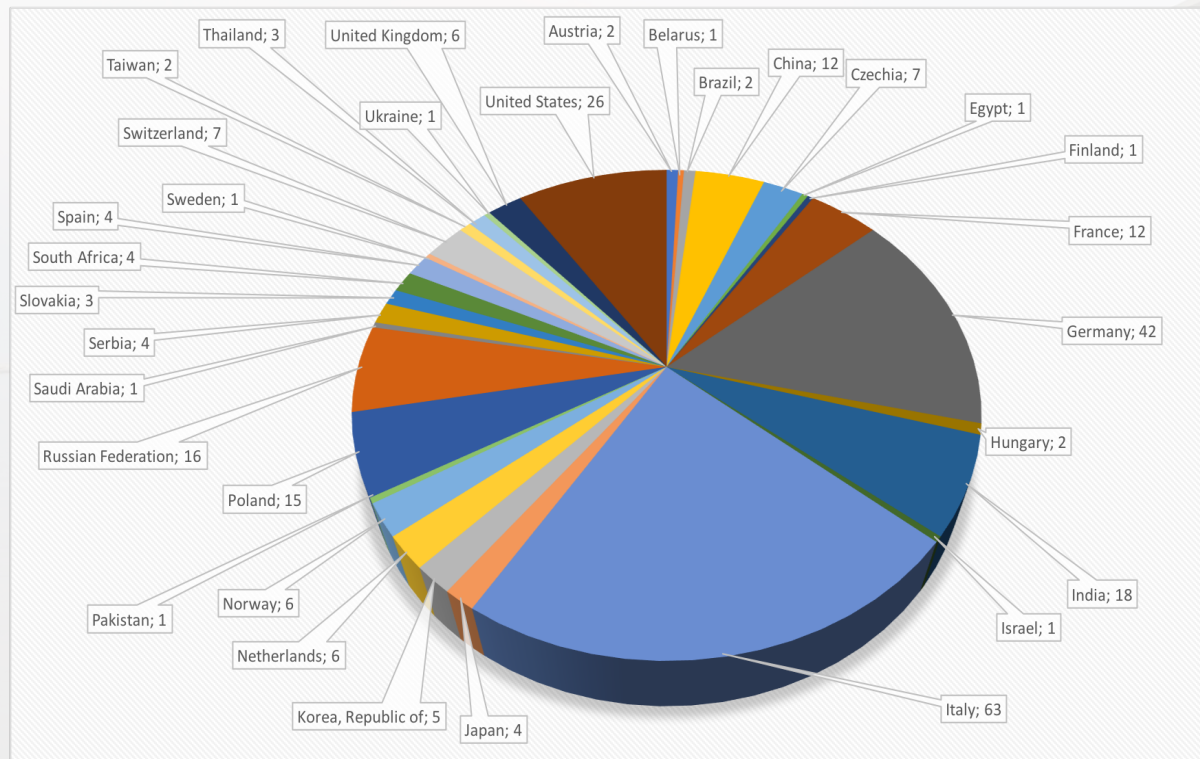
- SQM 2019 statistics
- IAC meeting: next conference but one
- Thanks



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SQM2019: statistics

- **270 participants (279 registered)**

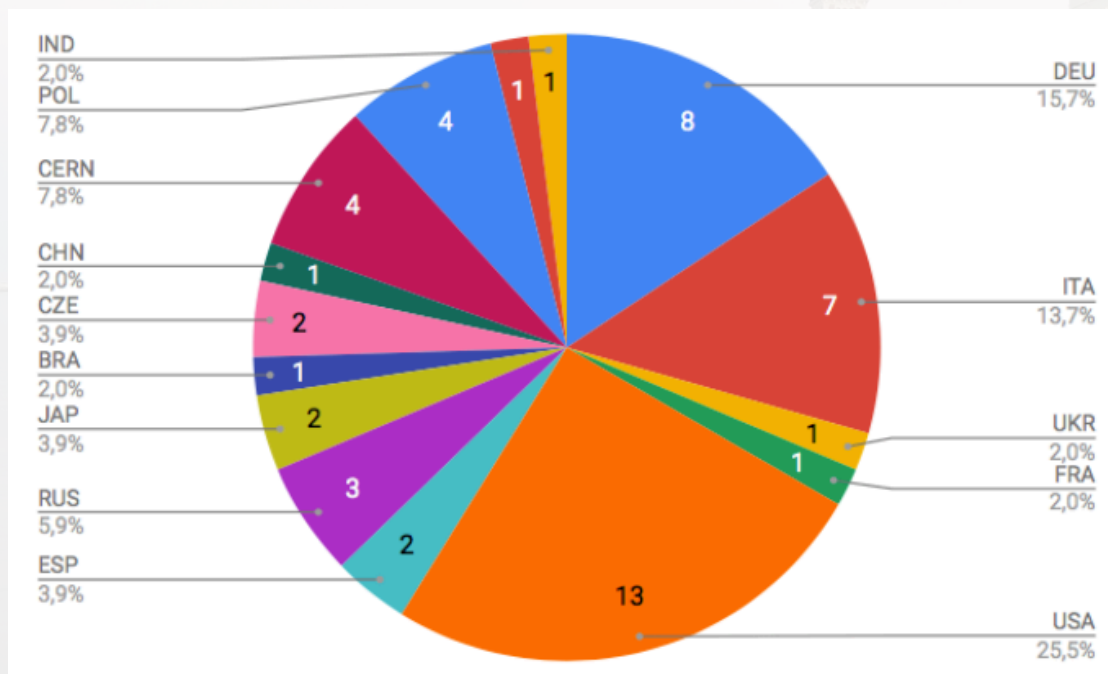


- **Largest participation ever reached!**
- **32 Countries** represented
- Gender balance: **25% female**
- **56 students** supported

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SQM2019: scientific programme

- plenary sessions:
 - **50 talks** + Black Holes (Rezzolla) + Diversity (Jona)

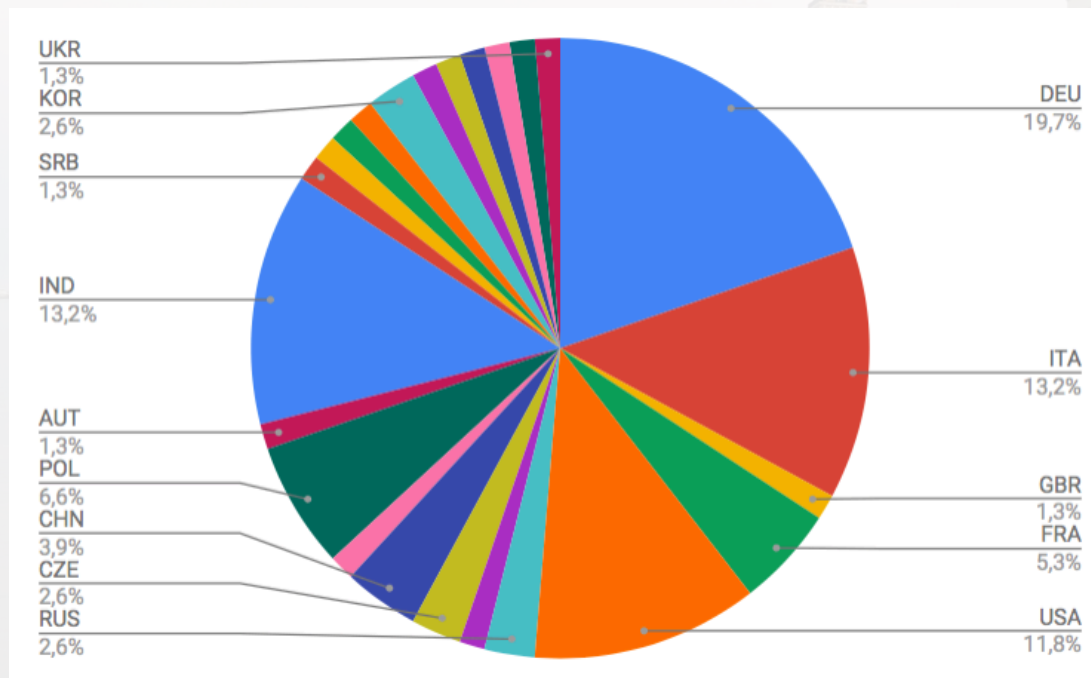


- Country balance:
 - 64% EU**
 - 28% USA (+ BRA)**
 - 8% ASIA**
- Gender balance:
 - 26% female**

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SQM2019: scientific programme

- parallel (and poster) sessions:
 - **76 talks** (and ~60 posters shown)



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 - 60% EU**
 - 31% ASIA**
 - 8% USA**
 - 1% AFRICA**

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IAC meeting:

- status of SQM2021 prep (Busan)
- decided that SQM2023 will be held in Strasbourg



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Thanks to:

- speakers and poster presenters
- students assigned to the sessions
- all of you participants



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**SQM 2019:
the Sunny (in Quark Matter) conference ...**



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**Highest temperatures:
Strangeness Organizers behave strange ...**



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- the IAC
- supporting Institutions and Sponsors
- staff at Villa Romanazzi



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Special thanks to:

- friends and colleagues of the LOC
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A right team allows to face any challenges ...



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**The SQM 2019 LOC dream team ...
... THANKS YOU!**

