

# Science Gateway

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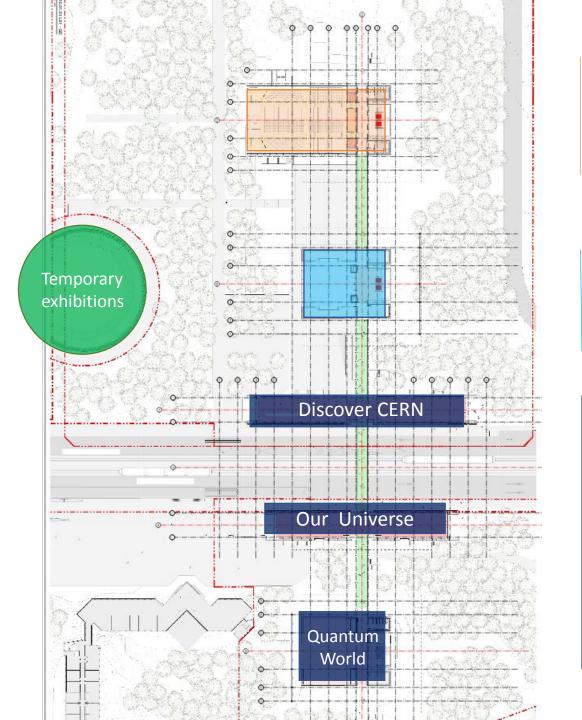
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## The building

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Start of guided tours Temporary exhibitions



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## Science Gateway's mission

Inspire

Inspire more young students to **pursue a career in science**. Empower the next generation of adults to **make sense of the science that shapes their lives**.

Educate

Enable a diverse audience across all sectors of the public to **engage with** the science, the discoveries and the technologies at CERN.

Engage

Convey the importance and relevance of fundamental science in bringing nations together through **peaceful collaboration and driving innovation**.

Treasure

Enable interaction with the people working at CERN, the science and the discoveries, in keeping with the spirit of openness that pervades this publicly funded laboratory

Conserve and display the heritage of big science, the objects and stories that transmit the tremendous human endeavour in a tangible way.

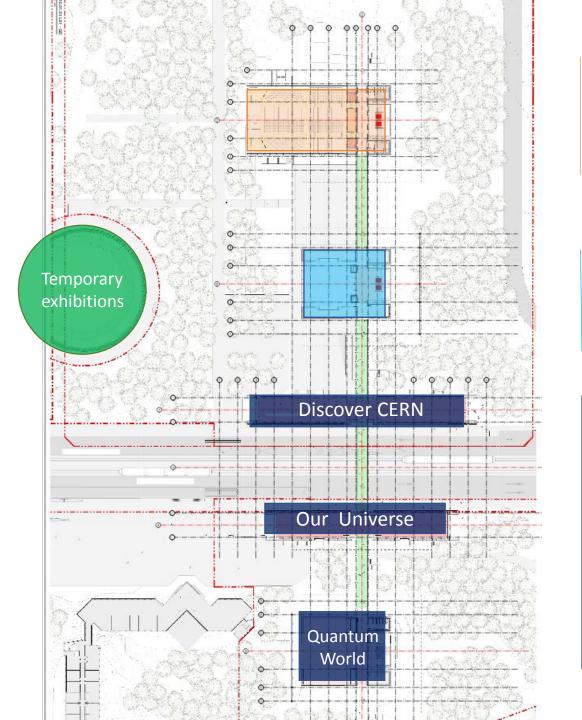
Collaborate

**Build ties across Member States and beyond**, sharing content and encouraging co-creation with other museums, science centres and education networks.

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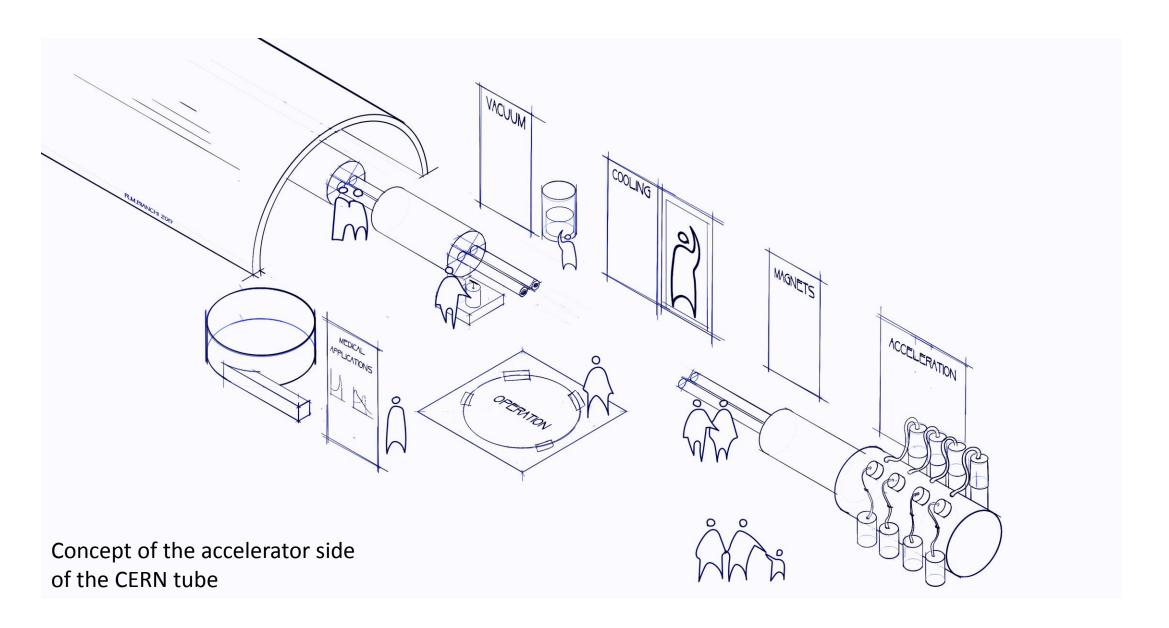
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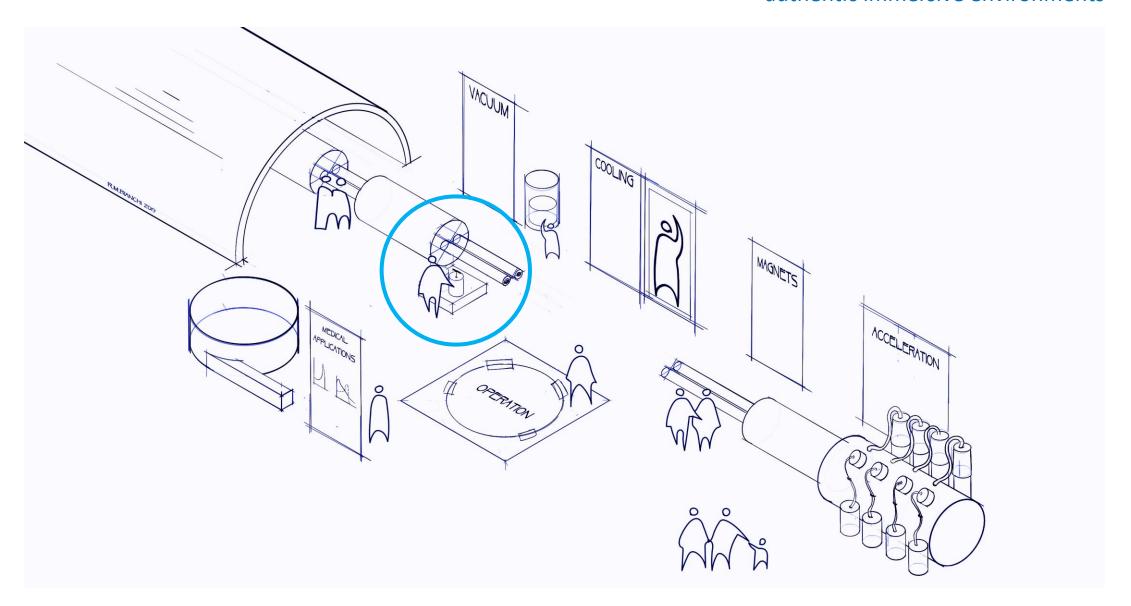
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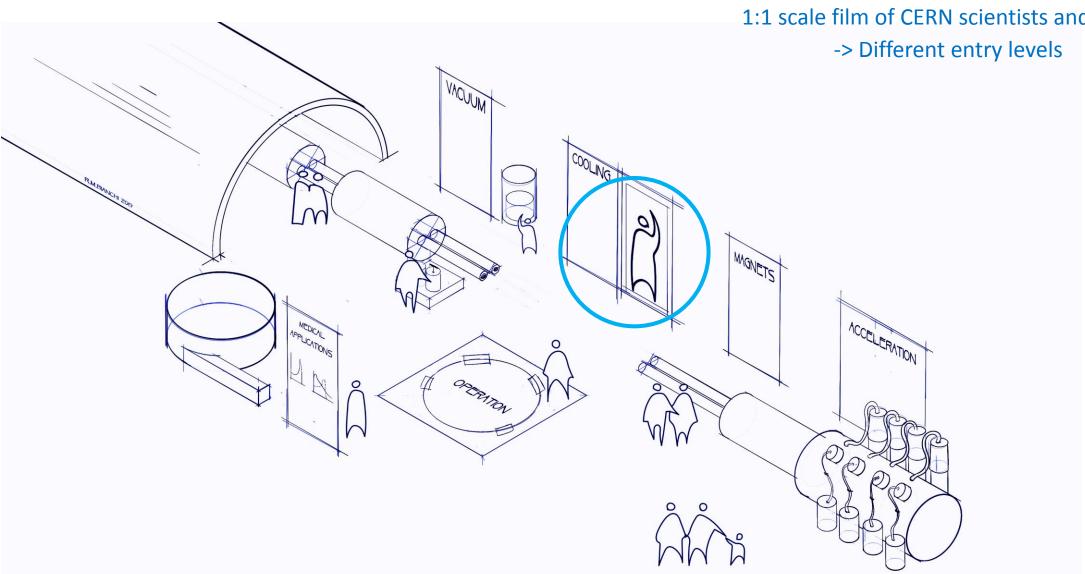
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## The exhibitions: overall approach



## Hands-on experimentation embedded in authentic immersive environments





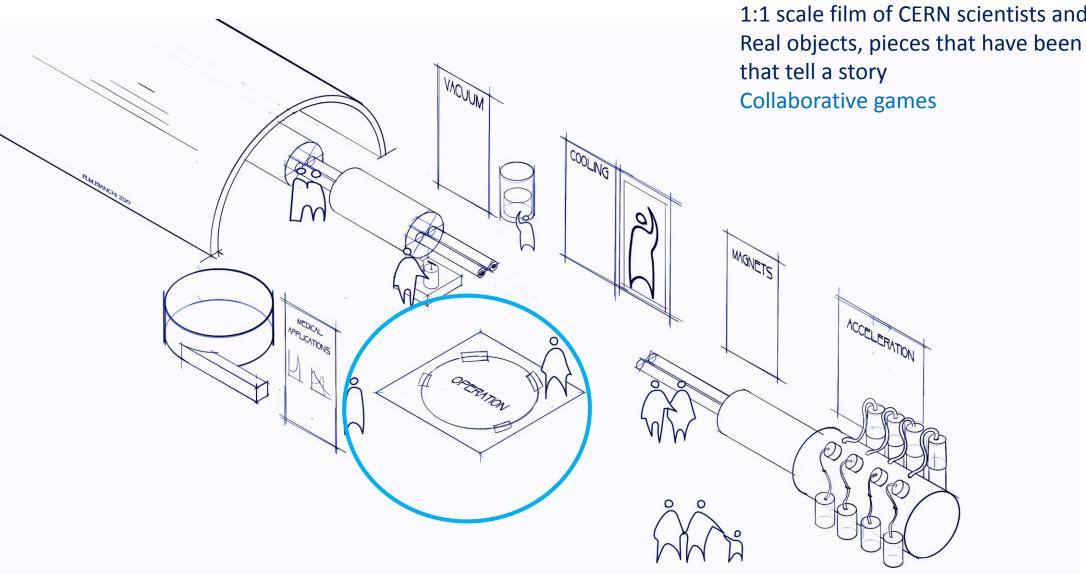
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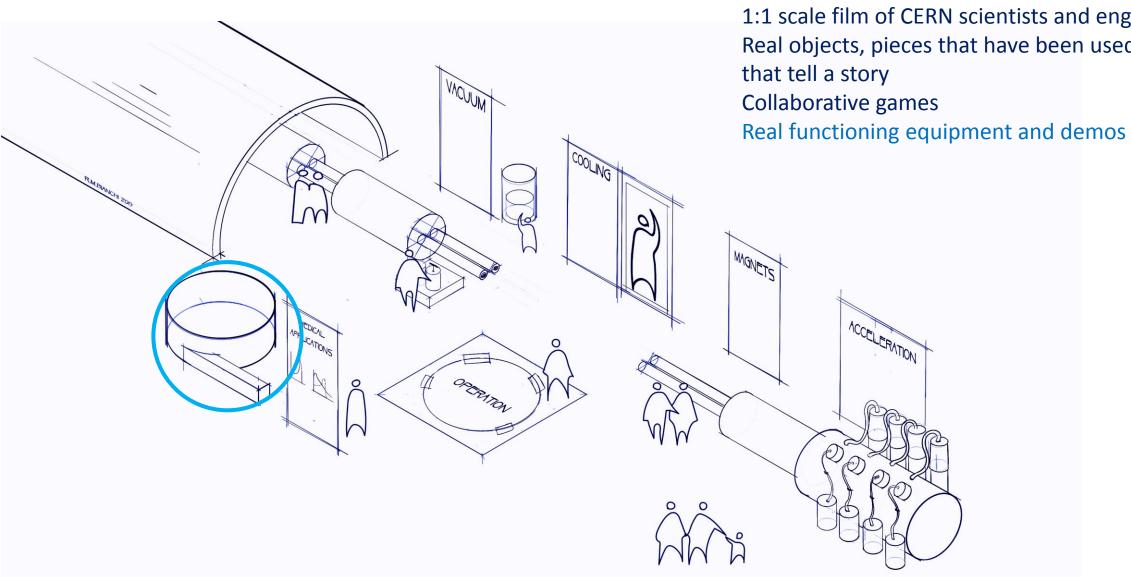
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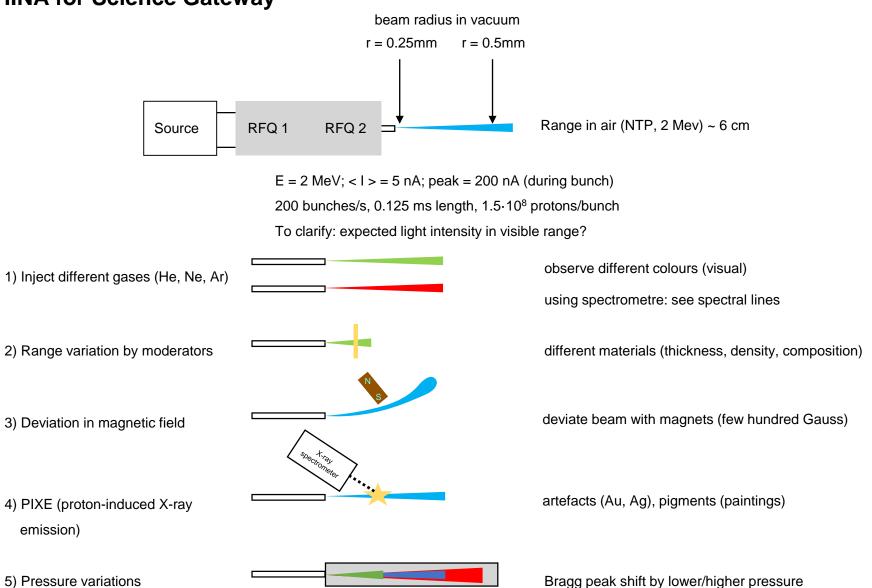


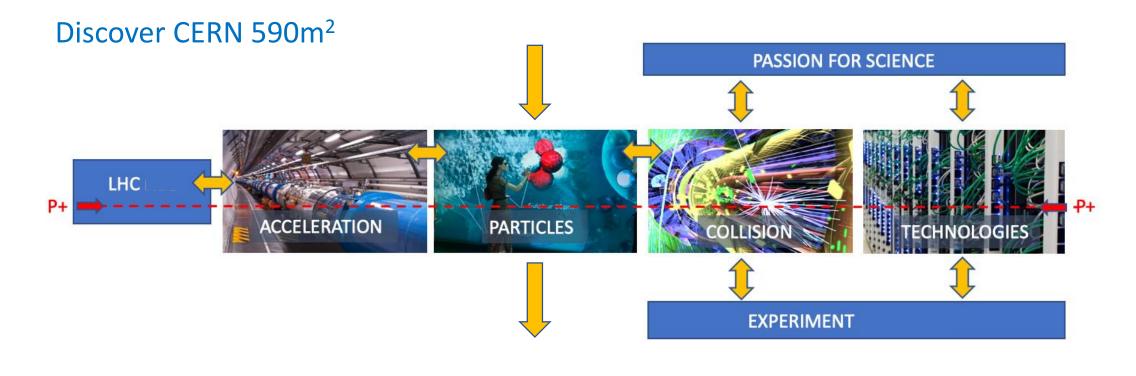
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#### **MACHINA** for Science Gateway

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Hands-on experimentation Authentic environments with real objects Contemplative Immersive AV

Real objects Human stories Experimentation

#### Our Universe 450m<sup>2</sup>

Visitor flow from PARTICLES



BACK TO THE BIG BANG







Past <



> future

225m<sup>2</sup>

How did the universe evolve to become what we see today?
A journey back in time to the Big Bang, passing through the different epochs with a particular focus on CERN stories.

Hands-on experimentation in immersive scenography

Visitor flow towards
Quantum World

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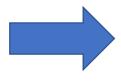
Discover the big mysteries that govern the future of our universe and how we explore them at CERN.

An art-led exhibition space, accompanied by the story of the dialogue between the artists and the scientists at the forefront of exploration at CERN.

Art-led space

### Quantum World 450m<sup>2</sup>

A playful immersive experience that allows visitors to directly experience the wonder and strangeness of quantum effects, scaled up to our macro world.



#### Accompanied by:

- Explanations and illustrations (with hands-on experimentation & inquiry based learning)
- The context at CERN and also elsewhere (biology, computing)
- Real set-ups