



Introduction and news

CLICdp General Meeting, 6 April 2020

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Welcome



Hoping everyone and your
close ones are staying well,
and doing fine at home



CLIC Week



Thanks to all who connected to the remote sessions on Vertex & Tracker R&D:

<https://indico.cern.ch/event/850899/sessions/324375/#20200310>

and on Physics Analysis:

<https://indico.cern.ch/event/850899/sessions/324373/#20200312>

CERN was still open then, and between online and the room >30 at each



CLICdp Working Groups



Times are not normal, and [personal opinion...] if people succeed in continuing to work well, it's a bonus rather than an expectation.

To help: CLICdp Working Group meetings continue:

CLICdp Physics Analysis:

<https://indico.cern.ch/category/3222/>

CLICdp Vertex & Tracking:

<https://indico.cern.ch/category/8575/>

(5 weeks of DESY testbeam had been planned for this year; one of which has already taken place)



Novel Accelerator Techniques



Novel Accelerator Techniques session from Wednesday of CLIC Week rescheduled as a CLIC Project Meeting:

Wed 29th April, 0900-1300

<https://indico.cern.ch/event/904102/>

Including talks from Roberto Franceschini, Philipp Roloff, Daniel Schulte, Nadia Pastrone
→ of wide interest to all



US workshop



US virtual mini-workshop on future e^+e^- colliders

Wed 22nd April, 1600-1930 (CERN-time)

<https://indico.cern.ch/event/896263/>

– motivation of organisers is to bring the e^+e^- communities together, and get the US more involved – driven by science not by politics around collider options



CLIC meetings later in year



Rescheduled CLIC Week under discussion.

For now please keep 1–2 September available for 'normal' CLICdp workshop



European Strategy Update



CERN Council met on 19th March, including ESU discussion. Strategy document continues to be confidential and Budapest meeting on 25th May will not going ahead as planned:

<https://cerncourier.com/a/european-strategy-update-postponed/>

LCC/LCB are being disbanded, and a replacement structure, to prepare for an ILC preparation phase (!), is being put in place, to be hosted by KEK. But suspect that any ILC news from Japan will also be delayed.



Nature Physics



Related to European Strategy: focus issue of Nature Physics expected to be published today (not online as of 15h...) including very nice CLIC article



Next General Meeting



Next CLICdp General Meeting planned for:
Monday 11th May, 16h

Please send any suggestions for this “remote” time