

Strategy meetings

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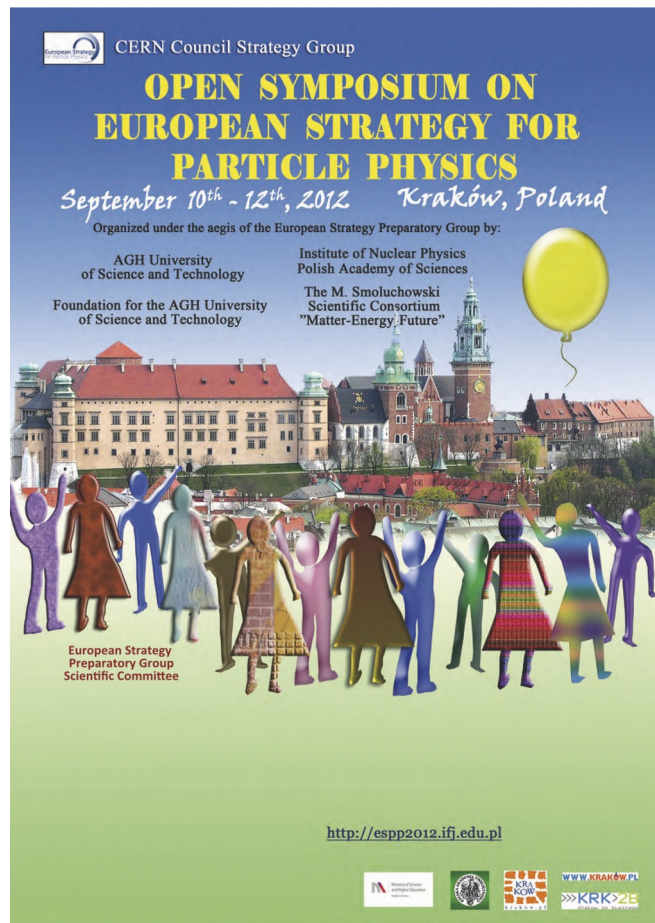
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Dear Delegates,

As set out in the proposed detailed plan for the organisation of the update of the European Strategy for Particle Physics (CERN/SPC/1099 - CERN/3340), two important milestones of the update process are the “Open Symposium”, which is to be held in the second half of May 2019, and the “Strategy Drafting Session” of the European Strategy Group (ESG), which is scheduled for the second half of January 2020.



Last time in Krakow, POLAND



- ~500 participants
- Topics
 - Physics at High Energy Frontier and Flavour Physics
 - Strong Interaction Physics
 - Astroparticle Physics, Gravitation and Cosmology
 - Physics of Neutrinos
 - Accelerator Science and Technology
 - Instrumentation, Computing and General Infrastructure
 - Particle Physics Theory
 - Status of Other Regions and Closing Discussion

This time in Uppsala, SWEDEN?



- University building booked 13-17/5, 2019
- Organisation to prepare a bid ready to go
- Financing not ready but positive indications
- Organisation needs support from Swedish particle physics community (steering group, personnel during the symposium etc)