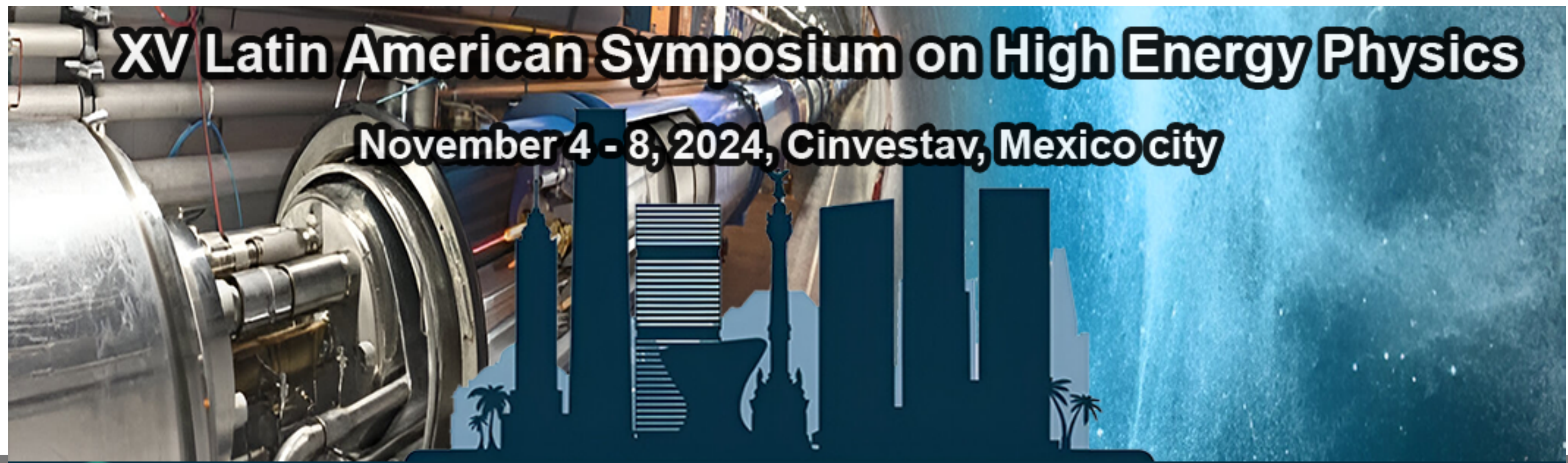


Future Circular Collider

— Physics, Experiment & Detectors —

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The launch of the feasibility study



“An **electron-positron** Higgs factory is the highest-priority next collider. For the longer term, the European particle physics community has the ambition to operate a **proton-proton** collider at the highest achievable energy.”

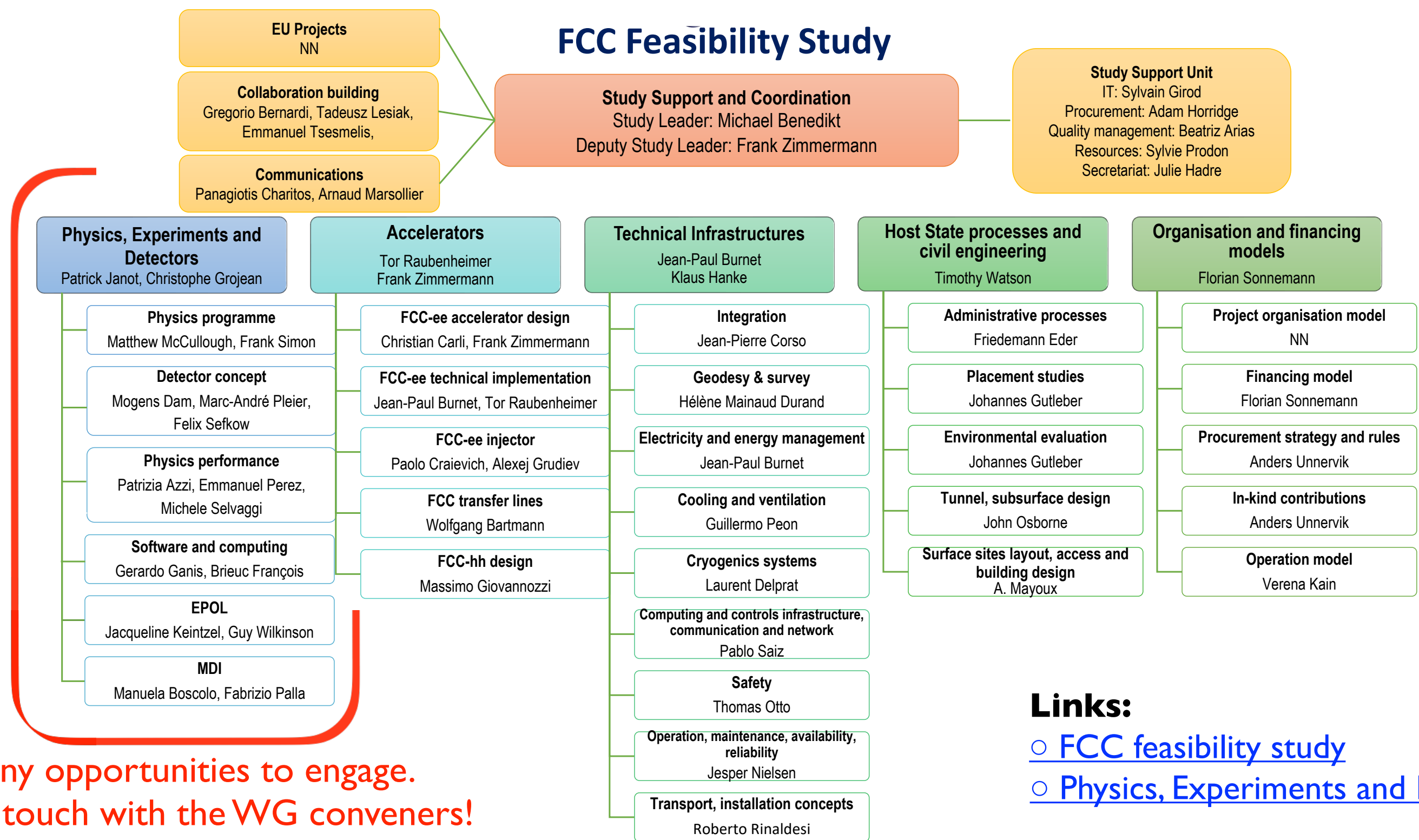
— CERN council approved the Strategy and CERN management implemented it —
FCC Feasibility Study (FS) started in 2021 and will be completed in 2025.

Mid-term review in 2023.

Objectives of FCC feasibility study

- Demonstration of the **geological, technical, environmental and administrative feasibility** of the tunnel and surface areas and optimisation of placement and layout of the ring and related infrastructure.
- Pursuit, together with the Host States, of the preparatory **administrative processes** required for a potential project approval to identify and remove any showstopper.
- Optimisation of the design of the **colliders and their injector chains**, supported by R&D to develop the needed key technologies.
- Elaboration of a **sustainable operational model** for the colliders and experiments in terms of human and financial resource needs, as well as environmental aspects and energy efficiency.
- Development of a **consolidated cost estimate**, as well as the **funding and organisational models** needed to enable the project's technical design completion, implementation and operation.
- **Identification of substantial resources** from outside CERN's budget for the implementation of the first stage of a possible future project (**tunnel and FCC-ee**).
- Consolidation of the **physics case and detector concepts** for both colliders.

FCC Feasibility Organisation Chart



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- FCC Feasibility Study PED deliverables for mid-term report

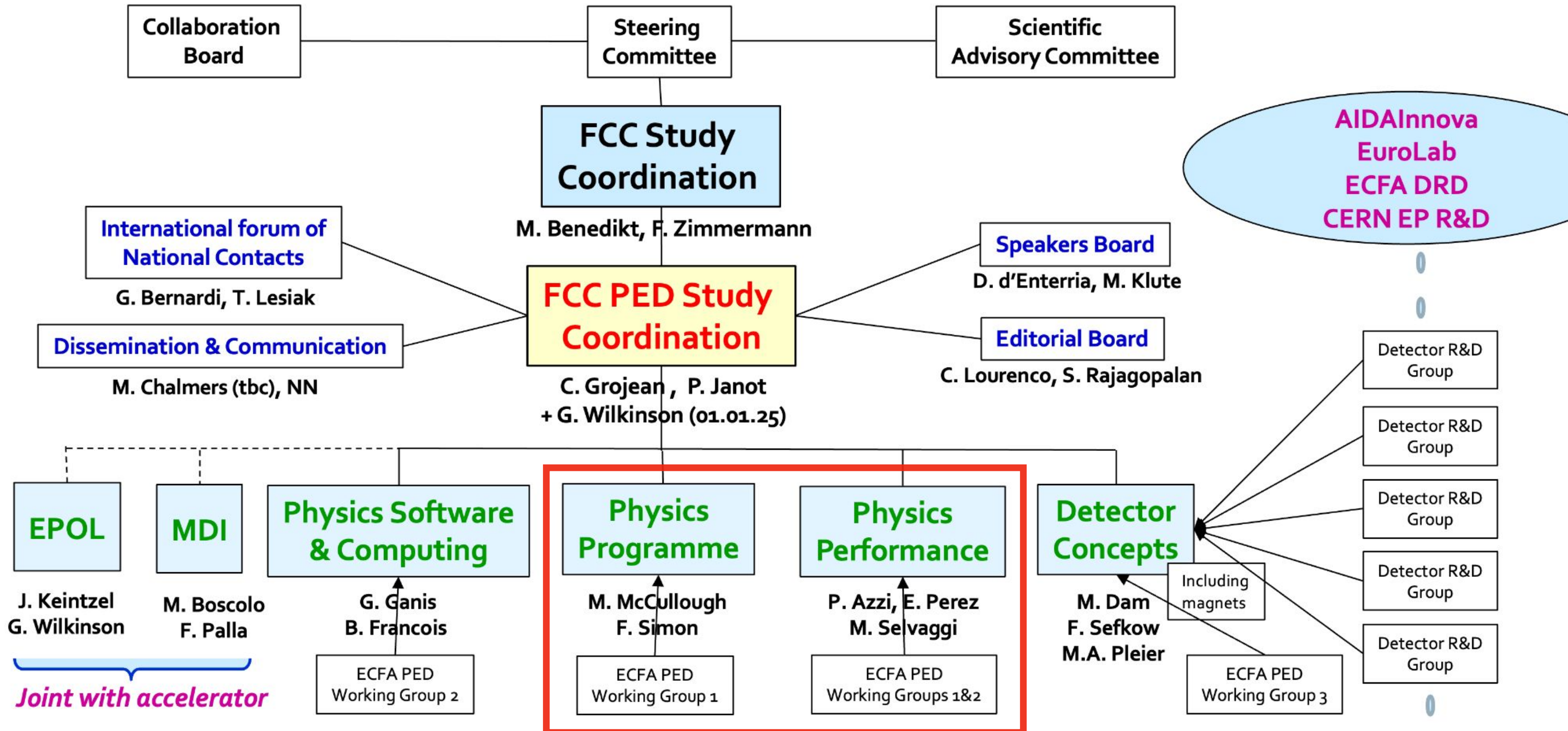
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		8.2. Documentation of the specificities of the FCC-ee and FCC-hh physics cases.	
		8.3 Strategic plans for the improved theoretical calculations.	
		8.4 FCC-ee Detector Requirements.	

- Content of the mid-term PED chapter (60 pages were expected → 110 pages delivered)

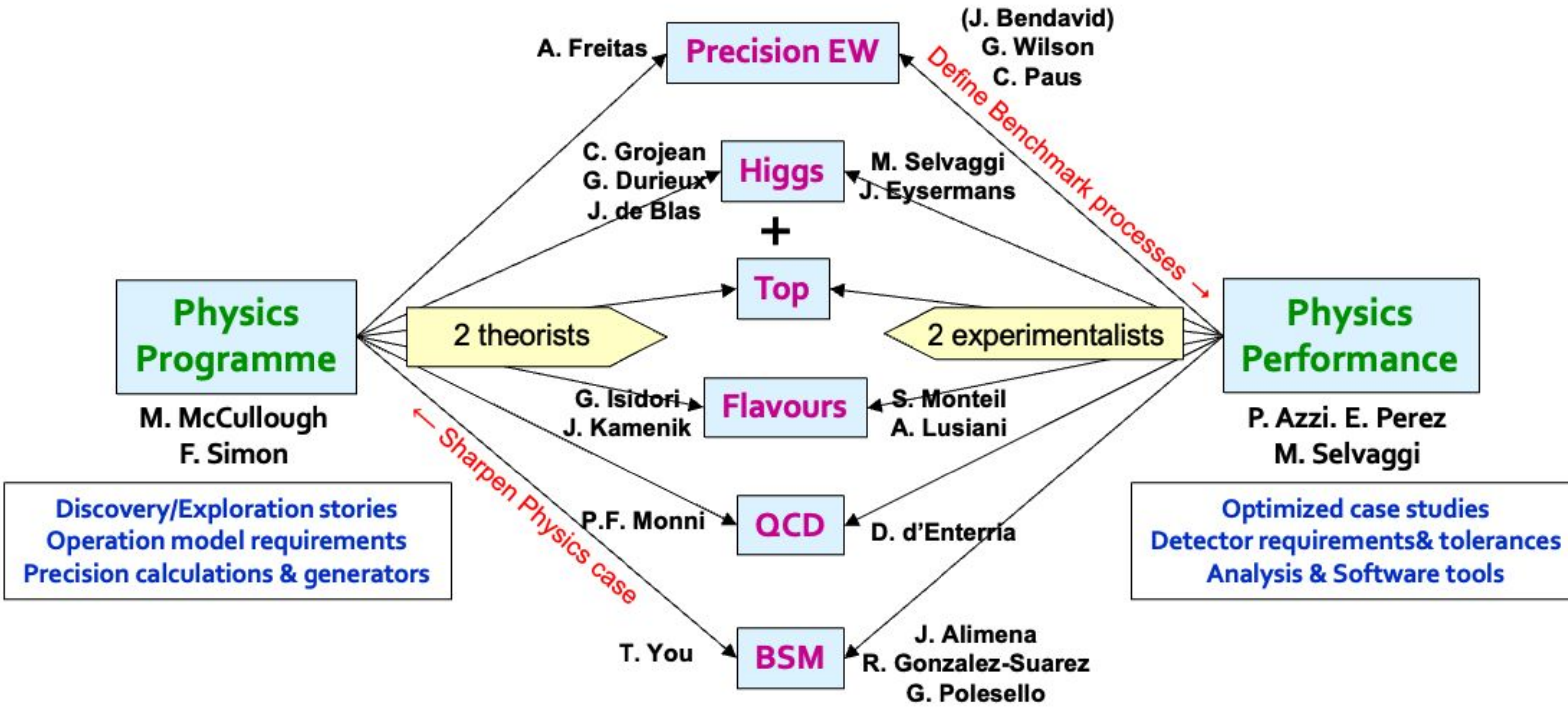
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Physics Programme and Performance



PED activities

Regular meetings organised by each PED WGs (one or twice a month on average):

- [Physics Programme](#)
- [Physics Performance](#)
 - Higgs physics
 - Top-quark physics
 - Flavour physics
 - QCD and gamma-gamma physics
 - BSM physics
 - FCC-hh ESPP 2025
- [Detector Concepts](#)
- [Software and Computing](#)
- [Beam energy calibration, polarisation, monochromatisation](#)

You are welcome to join, to participate, to get engaged.

Example of work ahead of us

- Development of a common software and the estimate of the computing needs
- Evaluation of the physics performance and requirements for detectors
- Conceptualisation of detectors capable of delivering these requirements
- Mitigation of the interaction region constraints on detectors and vice versa
- Design of methods and tools for centre-of-mass energy calibration, beam polarisation, and monochromatization
- Understanding and optimisation of the physics programme
- Exploration of the physics opportunities (incl. synergies FCC-ee/FCC-hh and incl. physics opportunities beyond colliders).
- Development of the theoretical tools and observables needed to meet the measurement targets

FCC-ee Run Plan

LEP1 data accumulated in **every 2 mn**. Exciting & diverse programme with different priorities every few years.
(order of the different stages still subject to discussion/optimisation)

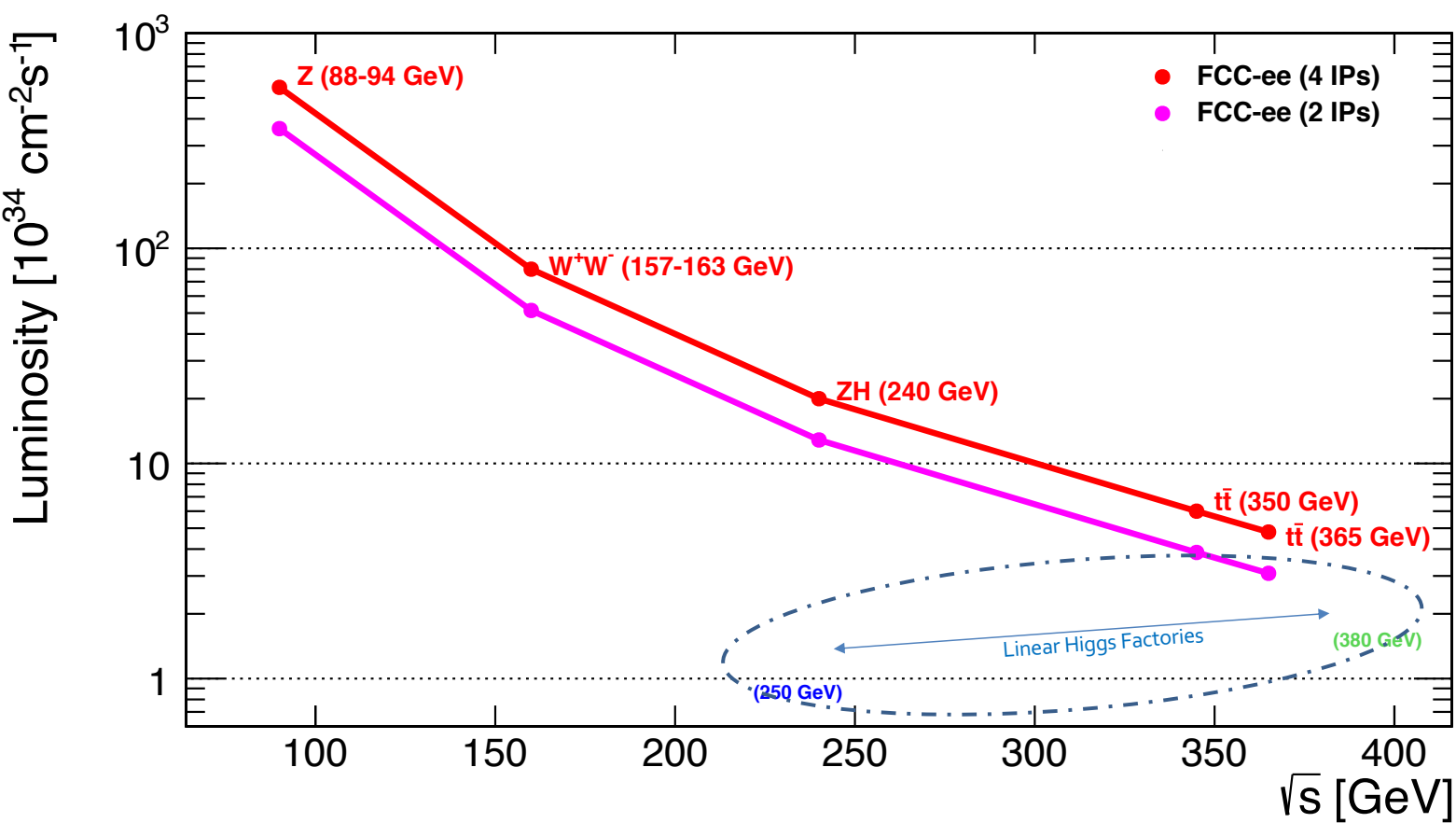
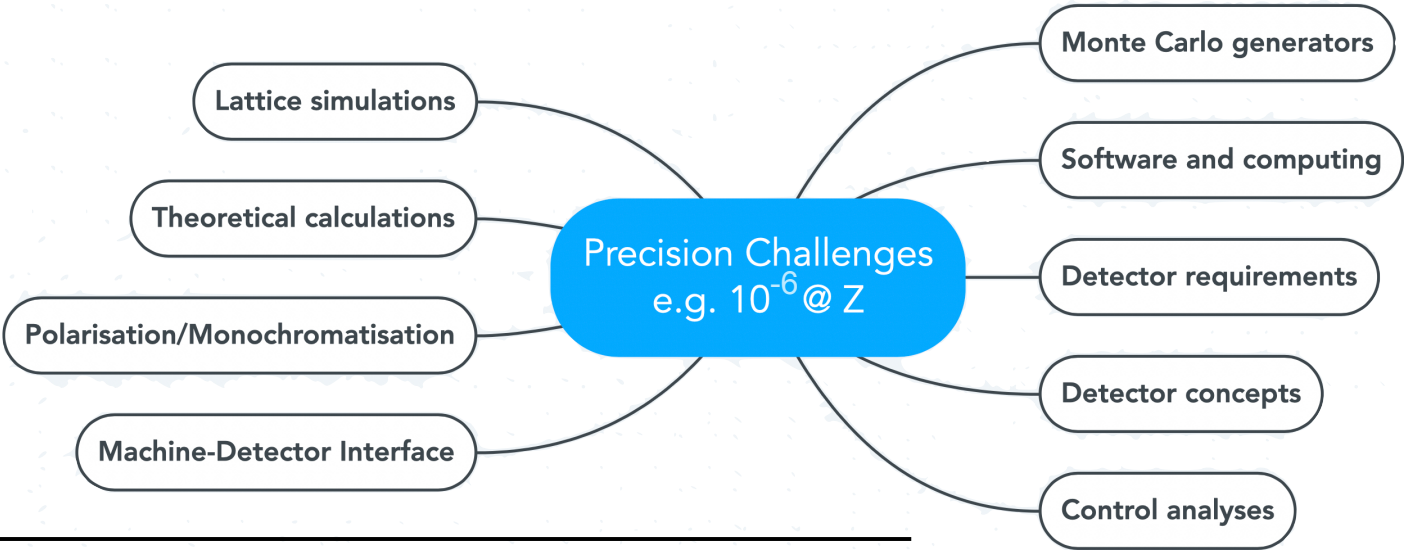


Fig. to be updated: new optics design (May 2024) gives 50% more lumi @ 240 GeV.

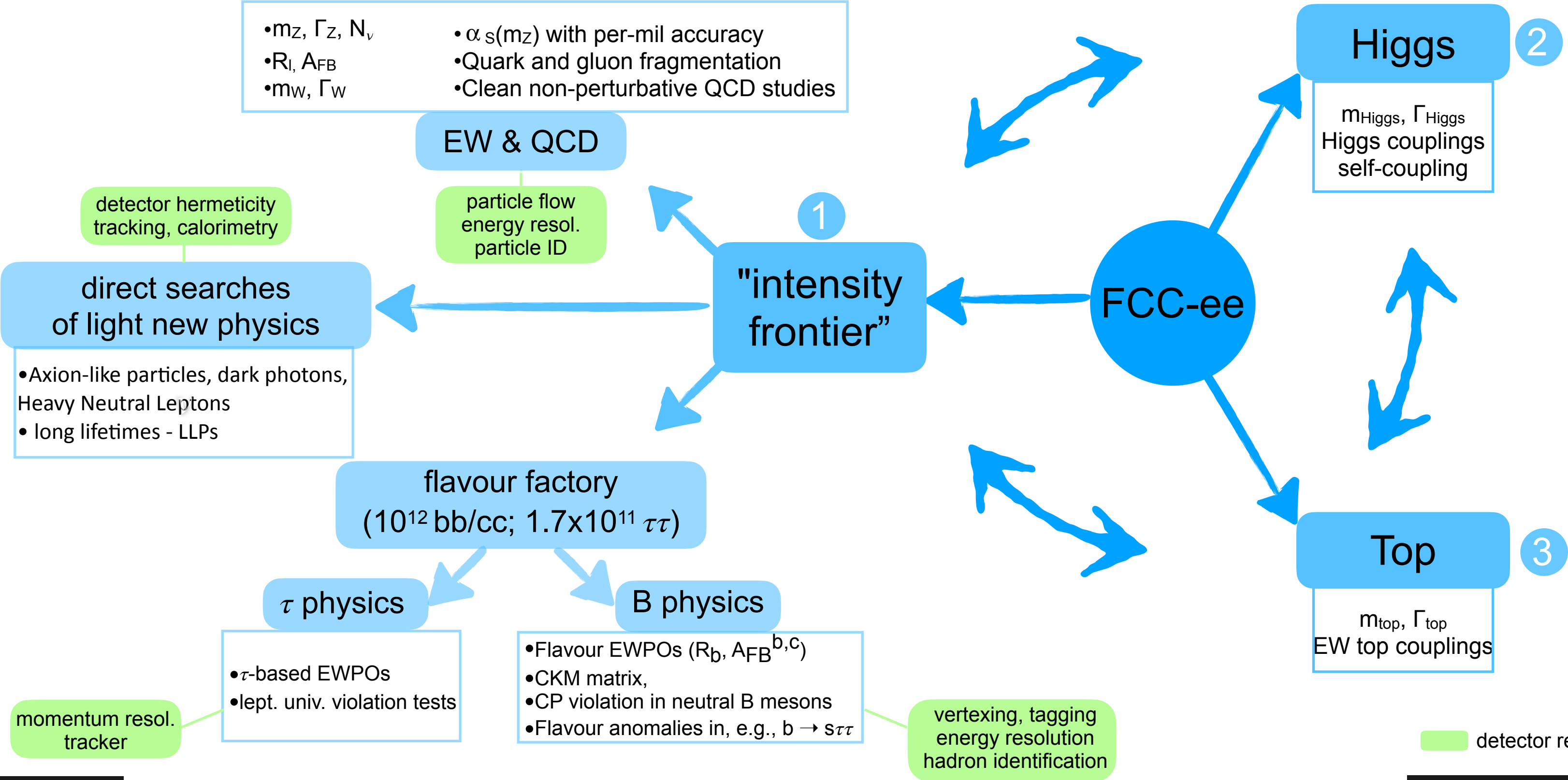
Working point	Z, years 1-2	Z, later	WW, years 1-2	WW, later	ZH	t $\bar{t}$	
$\sqrt{s}$ (GeV)	88, 91, 94		157, 163		240	340–350	365
Lumi/IP ($10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$)	70	140	10	20	5.0	0.75	1.20
Lumi/year (ab^{-1})	34	68	4.8	9.6	2.4	0.36	0.58
Run time (year)	2	2	2	–	3	1	4
Number of events	6×10^{12} Z		2.4×10^8 WW		1.45×10^6 ZH	1.9×10^6 t $\bar{t}$	
					+ 45k WW $\rightarrow$ H	+330k ZH +80k WW $\rightarrow$ H	

— Superb statistics achieved in only 15 years —

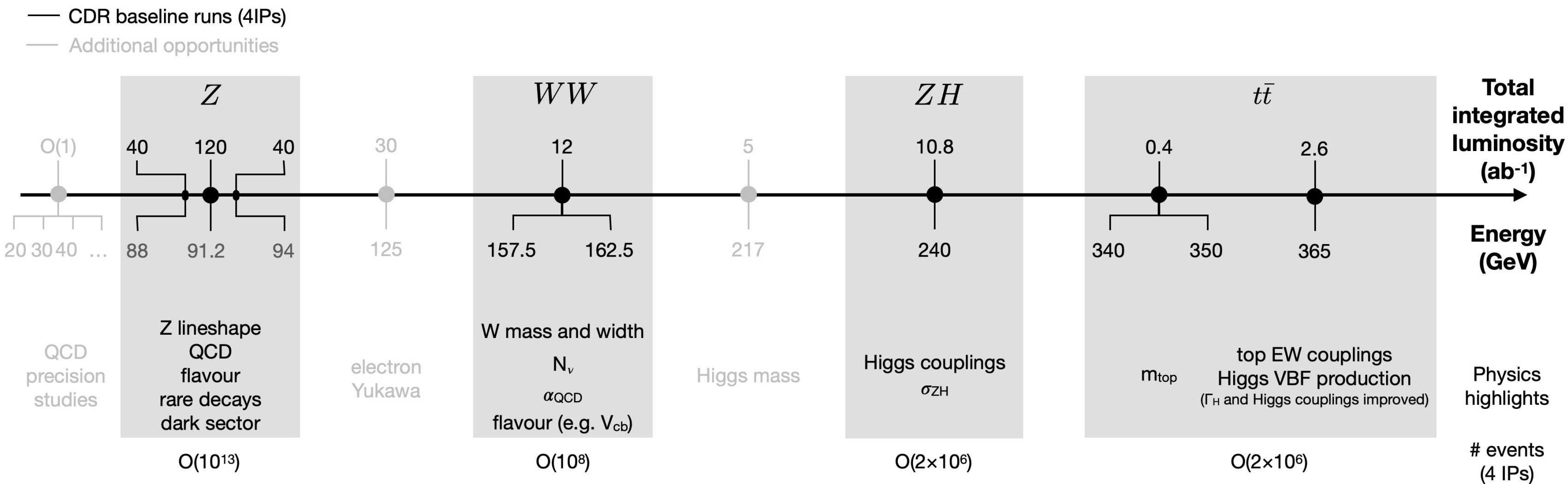
in each detector:
 **10^5 Z/sec, 10^4 W/hour,
1500 Higgs/day, 1500 top/day**



FCC-ee Physics Programme



Collider Programme (and beyond)



- **Opportunities** beyond the baseline plan ($\sqrt{s}$ below Z, 125GeV, 217GeV; larger integrated lumi...)
- **Opportunities** to exploit FCC facility differently (to be studied more carefully):
 - using the electrons from the injectors for beam-dump experiments,
 - extracting electron beams from the booster,
 - reusing the synchrotron radiation photons.