

Come back to CERN to celebrate the launch of the CERN Alumni Network: Thought-provoking talks with inspiring speakers, exclusive visits and networking opportunities as well as an unexpected dining venue are the highlights of the unique "First Alumni Collisions".



DAY1/ Friday 2 February 2018

12:00 - 14:00	Registration – Main Reception Building 33 * and Welcome Coffee Pas Perdus, Main Building
14:00	Welcome from the Director General, Fabiola Gianotti
14:20	A word from the Head of CERN Alumni Relations
14:30 - 15:15	Pierre Darriulat, former CERN Research Director, Professor of Physics at VATLY (Vietnam) <i>"Science without borders"</i>
15:15 - 16:00	Anne Richards, CVO CBE FRSE Chief Executive at M&G Investments <i>"The long-term – how and why scientists, politicians and investors interpret the term so very differently"</i>
16:00 - 16:45	Networking break
16:45 - 17:30	Brian Cox, OBE, FRS, Royal Society Professor for Public Engagement in Science, Professor of Particle Physics at University of Manchester <i>"Astronomy, Cosmology, Particle Physics and the Media"</i>
17:30 - 18:15	André Schneider, CEO Genève Aéroport <i>"Being geographically close to CERN, is Geneva Airport really worlds apart?"</i>
18:15 - 18:20	Closing Remarks - Auditorium
19:00 - 19:30	Departure buses from CERN to point 5 - CMS Cessy FR
From 19:30	Drinks reception in CMS Hall
20:30 - 22:30	Dinner at CMS - Dress code Smart Casual
22:30	Return to CERN

DAY2/ Saturday 3 February 2018

7:00 - 7:30	Early bird CERN Fitness Club class (optional)
8:00 - 8:30	Welcome coffee – Pas Perdus Main Building CERN Meyrin
8:30 - 9:30	Interactive Parallel Sessions Sabrina Gonzalez Pasterski – <i>"That's nice but what have you done lately?"</i> Elina Berglund Scherwitzl – <i>"From physics to fertility?"</i> Maneesh Wadhwa, Pratibha Vikas, Luis del Pozo – <i>"The road from research to finance - a well trodden path for high-energy physicists?"</i> Delia Rodriguez de Llera Gonzalez – <i>"How does mentoring and coaching meet the needs of a diverse community"</i>
9:30 - 10:00	Networking break
10:00 - 10:45	Christer Fuglesang, astronaut and professor at KTH Royal Institute of Technology, Director of KTH Space Center <i>"Why swap the CERN Underground installations for the vast expanse of space?"</i>
10:45 - 11:15	Networking break
11:15 - 12:15	Interactive Parallel Sessions 2 Zebulon Vilakazi, Ketevi Assamagan – <i>"What are the perceived benefits of particle physics research and related investments within the African Continent?"</i> Alejandro Avilés, Michelangelo Giorgi, Omer Khalid, Richard Mudd – <i>"Computer science – The highs and the lows of moving from CERN to the business world"</i> Grace Young – <i>"The role of collaborative science in building a sustainable future for the planet"</i> Pedro Paul Alvarez – <i>"Coping with natural disasters: nimble communication to the rescue"</i> Paolo Berra – <i>"From R&D to entrepreneurship, an angel investor's perspective"</i>
12:30 - 13:00	Closing Speech Director for International Relations - Main auditorium
13:00 - 14:30	Lunch at R1 – a true CERN experience!
14:30 - 18:00	Exclusive thematic visits of CERN Experimental Areas (pre-registration required) – Families welcome

PRACTICAL INFO

Conference fees: offered by CERN

Accommodation:

CERN Hostel: reservation needed by 31 October 2017 – room rates from 27 to 77 CHF/night. No families allowed.

Hotels in the CERN area: Prices and options at <http://cern.ch/go/Clm9>

Dinner at CMS, lunch on Saturday, coffee breaks: offered by CERN

More info and book your place at <http://cern.ch/go/XJ67>

We reserve the right to make modifications to the schedule. For the latest version please consult: <http://cern.ch/go/XJ67>

Toutes les séances sont en anglais mais les sessions plénières seront interprétées en français

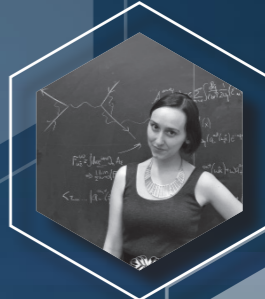
DAY3/ Sunday 4 February 2018 >

CERN Ski Club Outing ❄️





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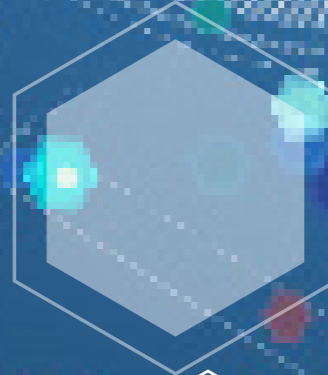
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