12th Topical Seminar on Innovative Particle and Radiation Detectors 7 - 10 June 2008 Siena, Italy IPRD10













Welcome to Siena

on behalf of the organizing committee

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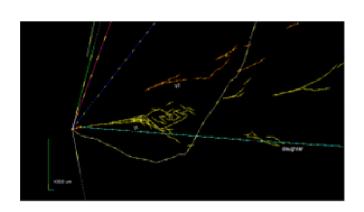
- the Dir. of the Phys. Dept., Prof. A. Scribano, would have liked to welcome you personally today, but he is absent on an official trip he wishes us a successful and fruitful meeting → PSM will represent him
- thanks to our sponsors: INFN, Univ. of Siena, Univ. of Bologna, SIF, CAEN, Hamamatsu

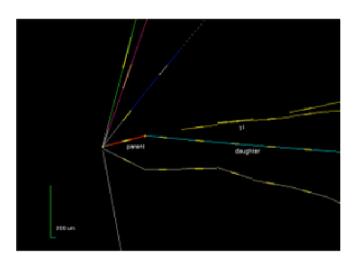




2010 edition (HEPP only)

- LHC at CERN: first physics at 3.5+3.5
 TeV, since a couple of months
- OPERA (CERN → Gran Sasso) : first
 V_μ→V_T





Historical notes

- San Miniato Topical Seminars started in 1984, then in 2000 were moved to Pontignano and in 2001 to Siena – there are several series: detectors, physics results and computing – IPRD08 is the 12th in a series & the 22nd overall
- The origin of kaos is in the title of a novel by Luigi Pirandello, NP (born in Caos near Girgenti), which later became a movie (1984) directed by Fratelli Taviani, who were born in San Miniato

IPRD10 Programme

- highlights
 - Mon 7 19h Welcome party in "Il Refugio"
 - Tue 8 18h30-20h30 Poster session with Wine&Cheese in "II Refugio"
 - Wed 9 20h Conference dinner (in Alla Speranza Piazza del Campo)
- the rest is all talks
 - all **plenary** sessions in AuditoriumSC
 - parallel sessions in ASC and AulaMeetingSC
- but there are coffee/lunch/tea breaks

Presentations

- please give your talk to Marco/Maria Chiara well ahead of presenting it, i.e. before the beginning of the session, either in .pdf or in .ppt or in .pptx, as Flash Drive (USB pen) or upload it yourself in the correct folder – later it will be linked or posted on the conference Web page
- please stay within your time allocation, which INCLUDES discussions

Proceedings

- to be published in Nuclear Physics B (Proc. Suppl.) – examples and templates are posted on the Conference Web page
- 5 pages maximum for 30', 25' talks
- 3 pages maximum for 20' talks
- 3 pages for 15' talks and posters
- if you have valid reasons not to comply with the page limit OR you do not plan to write up your contribution please inform kaos@bo.infn.it
- deadline for manuscripts 31 July 2010

Wireless

- there are 7-8 access points (main entrance, auditorium ...), but you may be able to connect elsewhere (in absence of thick walls) -
- unisi Wireless / silver
- Username: innovati.r
- Password: 52825b81

Last

 when registering, please check your data and do not forget to give the secretaries your email and s-mail addresses (the former is needed for remainders, the latter is needed for the copy of the proceedings)

- enjoy the conference
- ... and do not forget the town which is just beautiful and an unique tourist's paradise with perfectly vertical towers