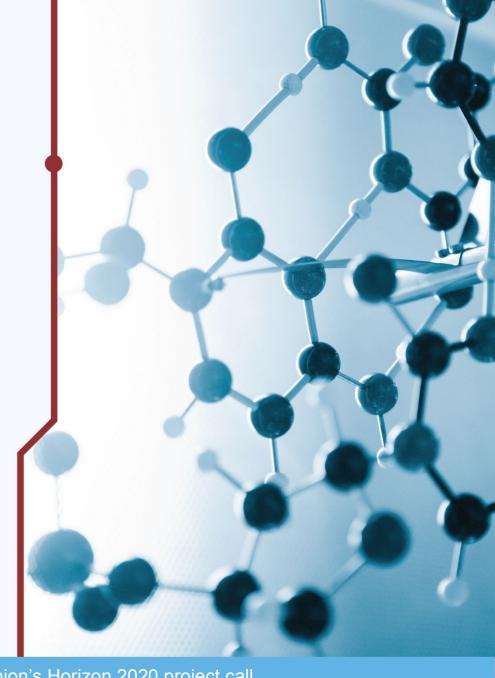


WP5: Search for New Particles at the LHC

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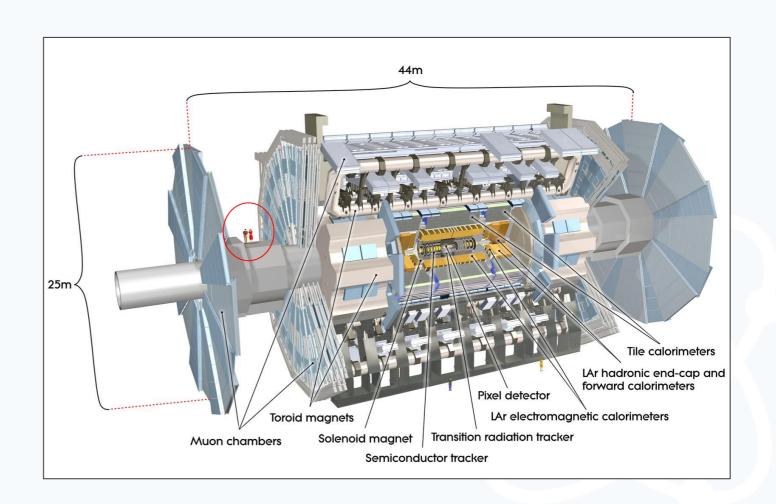
Citizens will become scientists of CERN to discover New Physics with the Large Hadron Collider (LHC).



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Citizen-scientists can contribute to searches for New Physics.

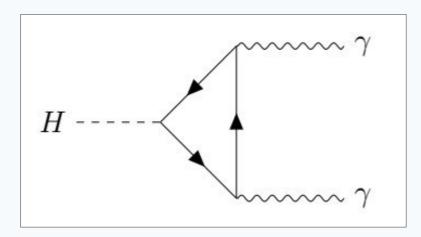
We designed a project for the analysis of collision events recorded with the **ATLAS detector**.



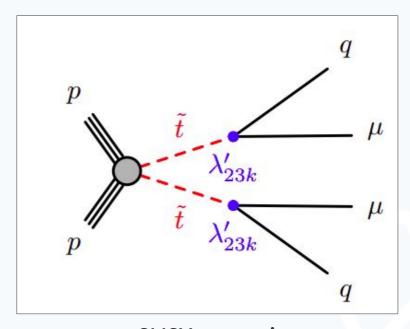


EINFORCE WP5: STRATEGY

Current research topics in ATLAS:



SM H $\rightarrow \gamma \gamma$ studies with converted photon(s)



SUSY scenarios with long-lived particles.

Exploit ATLAS real and simulated data to provide:

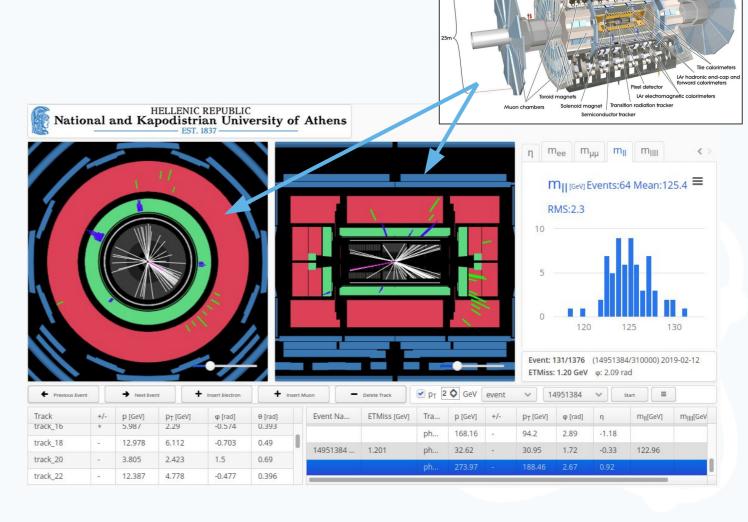
- an exciting and educating experience to citizen-scientists,
- quantitative assessments on their performance.



The project is based on visual (and if possible audio) representation of LHC collisions.

Using:

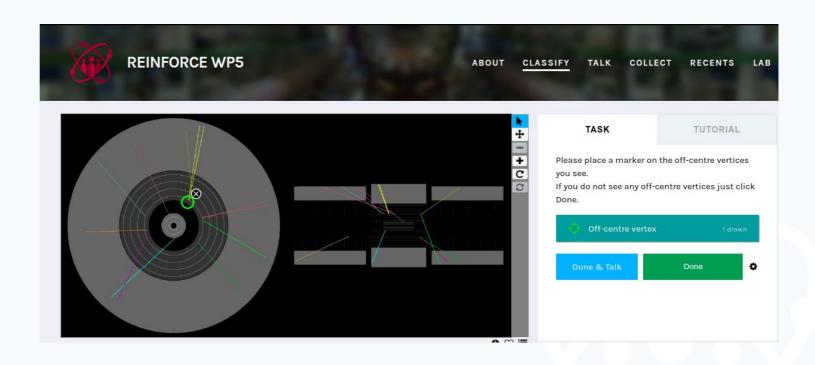
- the capabilities of ZOONIVERSE,
- the interactive data-analysis tool HYPATIA.





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Learn to identify displaced vertices.





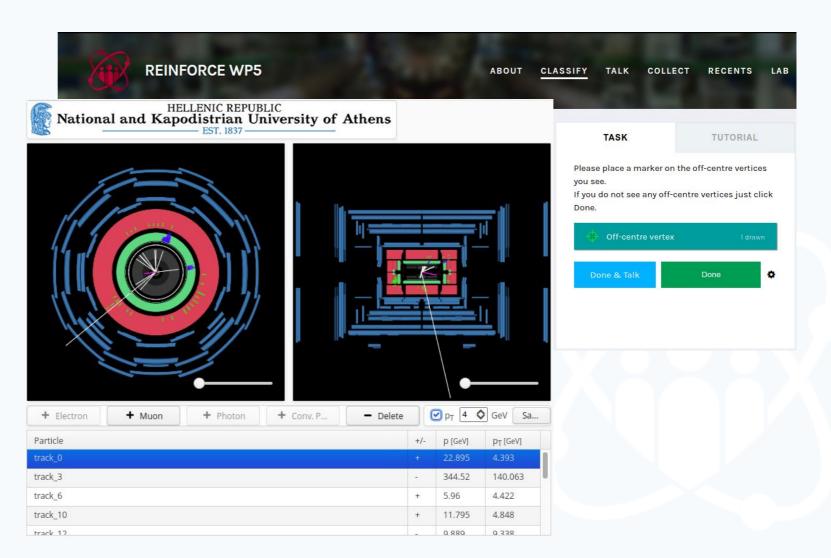
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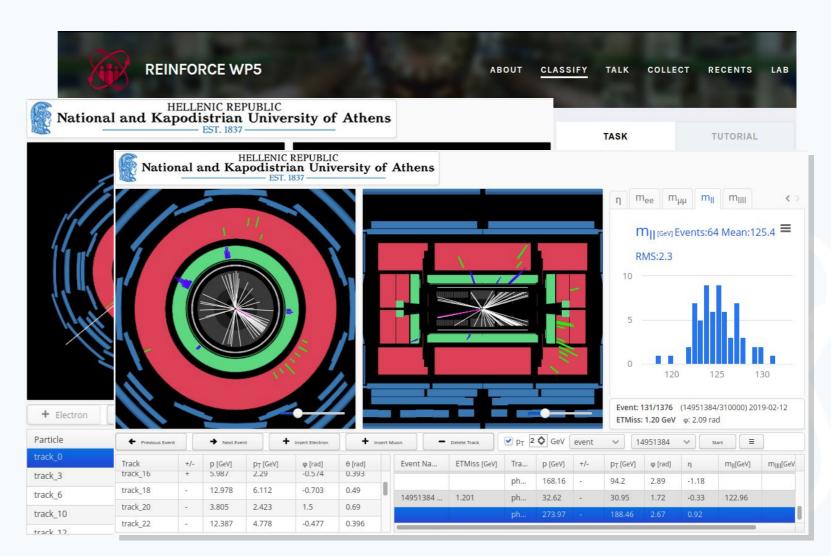
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STAGE 3

Scan a large sample of real data to discover new-physics signatures.



- Real and simulated data samples have been chosen for all stages.
 Presently in the process of getting approval from the ATLAS collaboration to make them public.
- STAGE 1: fully implemented on Zooniverse, presently refining the event selection.
- STAGE 2: HYPATIA and data samples are ready; implementation on Zooniverse will follow.
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