

Enigmass(+) Plenary Meeting Introduction

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Welcome

- ❑ Welcome to the 4th Enigmass2 plenary meeting... which is also the 1st plenary meeting of the Enigmass+ research federation
- ❑ Thanks to our coordinators who helped organize the meeting
- ❑ Thanks to Dominique, Véronique and Virginie (LAPTh) who helped with practical organization

Admin matters

- ❑ Budget path: ~~ANR~~ → UGA (Idex) → CNRS
 - Enigmass2: $5 \times 558.416 = 2.792.080$ €
- ❑ (This phase of the) Labex scheduled to end on **31/12/2024**
 - 99.5% of budget committed so far
 - Budget must be **spent** (not just committed) by that date
 - Exception: PhDs and postdocs can extend to 2025
 - If you are not going to spend all of the funds allocated to your project, or if there are delays, **we need to know ASAP**
 - Leftovers will be recovered early 2024, so that they can be reallocated

Report on Enigmass2 calls for projects

- PhD & postdocs: 3 calls
 - 2020: 4 postdocs + 1 PhD
 - 2021: 4 postdocs + 1 PhD
 - 2022 : 6 postdocs + 2 PhDs
 - Welcome to our most recent Enigmass2 fellows
 - Rance Solomon, Sihem Sayah and Mateo Fernández-Torreiro
- R&D: 2 calls
 - 2021: 2 major projects + 2 R&D boosters
 - 2022: 6 R&D boosters

Summary of postdoc/PhD/R&D allocations

□ WP1

- Effective Field Theories (N. Berger) postdoc 2020
- Quark-Gluon Plasma with ALICE (G. Conesa Balbastre) PhD 2021
- Large-scale Liquid Argon detector prototype for DUNE (D. Duchesneau) postdoc 2021
- Detector operation and data analysis for LHCb (JF Marchand) postdoc 2021
- Dark QCD with ATLAS (MH Genest) postdoc 2021
- DUNE vertical drift TPC module 0 (J. Collot) PhD 2022
- New phenomena in the dilepton final state at the LHC (T. Berger-Hryn'Ova) postdoc 2022
- Light new physics at the atomic frontier (C. Delaunay) postdoc 2022

□ WP2

- Photons in Auger (C. Bérat) PhD 2020
- Lorentz Invariance with CTA (S. Caroff) PhD 2022
- Cosmic-ray and new physics signatures in the very high-energy sky (F. Calore) postdoc 2022
- Extraction of error signals for gravitational wave detector control (L. Rolland) postdoc 2022

□ WP3

- Etude des amas de galaxies avec LSST (C. Combet) postdoc 2020
- Cluster cosmology with the NIKA2 camera (F. Mayet) postdoc 2020
- Gravitational probes of dark matter (P. Serpico) postdoc 2020
- Axions at the crossroads (C. Smith) postdoc 2021
- Cosmological constraints from galaxy clusters with Rubin (T. Guillemin) postdoc 2022
- Towards high resolution cosmology: the CMB-HRO project (J. Macías Pérez) postdoc 2022

□ WP1

- ALICE FOCAL (R. Guernane)
- MC2O2² (R. Kossakowski)
- Excellency at High Frequency (G. Pignol & O. Bourrion)

□ WP2

- Building an in-vacuum seismically isolated optical bench at LAPP for R&D towards future gravitational wave detectors (L. Rolland)
- Boosting Astro/Cosmo with GPUs (Y. Genolini)
- R&D for the photodiode readout system of GW detectors (M. Was)

□ WP3

- New generation lenses for next decade millimeter cosmology experiments (A. Catalano)
- Gas circulation and purification system for rare events alpha detector (A. Dastgheibi-Fard)
- Directional Dark Photon Dark Matter Exploration at 1 meV (C. Beaufort & D. Santos)

Training: winter/summer schools & master internships

- ❑ ESIPAP 2023 – 10th edition
 - 14 participants to course 1
 - 8 participants to course 2
- ❑ GraSPA 2023 – 10th edition
 - 30 students
- ❑ Les Houches 2023
 - Supported with 7 k€
- ❑ Ecole de Gif 2023
 - Supported with 2 k€
- ❑ Master internships
 - 16 4-month internships in 2023



ENIGMASS NOW HAS A FUTURE...

Fédération de recherche Enigmass+

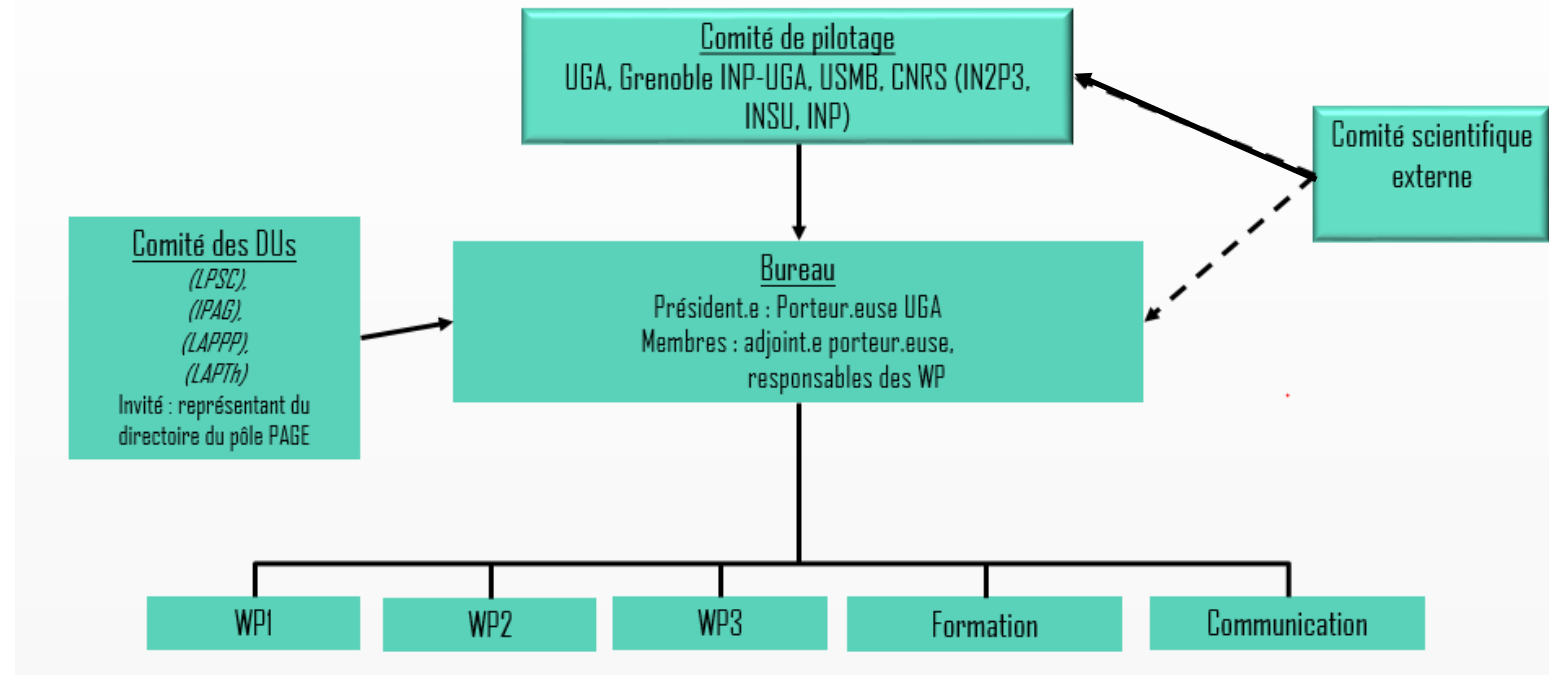
- ❑ The federation is now a reality!
- ❑ Associates LAPP, LAPTh, LPSC and IPAG
 - UGA, USMB, IN2P3, INP, INSU
- ❑ Many expected benefits
 - Stabilise our scientific collaboration
 - Enable the possibility of long-term forward planning
 - Reinforce the regional visibility of our field
 - Provide a co-funding framework for the 2025+ Labex project
- ❑ Founding confirmed by all parties
 - CNRS (01/01/23), USMB (24/01/23) and UGA (16/06/23)
 - Federation hosted at LPSC for administrative purposes
 - Coming next: formal agreement for co-funding to start in 2025
- ❑ First 2-year postdoc fellowship already allocated by IN2P3 in 2023
 - RICOCHET (WP1, J. Lamblin, LPSC)
 - Welcome to our first Enigmass+ fellow, Stefan Zatschler

Future Enigmass+ Labex will be funded

- ❑ Fall 2022
 - UGA declared the possibility for some Labex to continue
 - 8-year projects starting January 2025
 - Public audition of Labex candidates
 - Enigmass included in call for proposals
- ❑ Proposal submitted in February 2023
- ❑ Referee reports received in April 2023
- ❑ Response to referees submitted in May 2023
- ❑ Decision to fund Enigmass+ notified in July 2023
- ❑ Still waiting for budget to be announced (Fall 2023)
 - UGA should commit ≥ 239 k€ / year
 - 320 k€ / year requested to match CNRS + USMB contributions

Enigmas+ governance

- Federation and Labex will have perfectly overlapping governance structures
 - Structure imposed by UGA



- We are preparing to hand over the reins
 - Grenoble: new coordinator to be announced soon
 - Annecy: Thibault Guillemin will take over as deputy coordinator



Enjoy the meeting!