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Upcoming events etc

2nd DESY-FH Future Collider Day: Nov. 11th, 2024.

ESPPU@Germany:

- "Non-collider Physics", 22-24 November.24, Bad Honnef
- "Collider Physics", 27-29 November 24 at DESY, Hamburg
- "Concluding workshop", 19-22 January 25 at Bad Honnef

• ECFA:

• "3rd ECFA workshop on e+e- Higgs, Electroweak and Top Factories", 9-11 October 24, Paris (registration will close on Sept. 24, so hurry up if you are interested and haven't registered yet).

Muon Collider:

International Muon Collider Collaboration week @ DESY, May 12-16, 2025

• FCC:

- New FCC group in EP department @ CERN: several staffs, fellows, students; budget to host visiting scientists; additional staffs and positions to be opened in 2025
- 8th FCC Physics workshop, Jan. 13-16,2025, CERN (registration will open soon, no registration fees)

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European Union Competitiveness Report

- 400-page report made public by Mario Draghi on Monday 9 September 2024:
 - Handed to Ursula von der Leyen (European Commission president) for subsequent action
 - Urges the EU to invest 800 billion euros annually [with specific guidance] to close the economic gap between the US and China (consistently seen as a threat throughout the report)
 - CERN mentioned 19 times in the report (and FCC 3 times, unlike any other big scientific facility)!

"Refinancing CERN and ensuring its continued global leadership in frontier research should be regarded as a top EU priority."

"One of CERN's most promising current projects, with significant scientific potential, is the construction of the Future Circular Collider (FCC): a 90-km ring designed initially for an electron collider and later for a hadron collider."