



100th meeting of the DESY Physics Research Committee.

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- ▶ **Ulrich Husemann and Ties Behnke (DESY)**
Introduction and welcome
- ▶ **Albrecht Wagner (DESY)**
From the PETRA Research Committee to the Physics Review Committee
- ▶ **Joachim Mnich (CERN)**
From HERA to the LHC
- ▶ **Phil Burrows (Oxford)**
The modern PRC



We are celebrating the 100th session of the PRC! Today the acronym “PRC” stands for “Physics Research Committee” - but the committee has come a long way: It was in fact founded in the 1970s as the “PETRA Research Committee”, at a time when the PETRA e^+e^- machine was envisaged as the next high-energy particle collider. At this colloquium, previous DESY directors and PRC chairs - Albrecht Wagner, Joachim Mnich and Phil Burrows (U Oxford) - will give you an entertaining overview of the history of the committee and, with that, of particle physics at DESY during the past 5 decades.

