

Welcome to the
CERN Workshop on

“Flavour in the era of the LHC”

Goals

- Explore the synergy and complementarity of the searches/studies of BSM phenomena at the LHC and at the “flavour factories”
- **Outline** and **document** the goals and needs of an experimental programme for flavour physics in the years of the LHC running

Format:

- Kickoff Workshop: Nov 7-10 2005
- 3 WG meetings during the year:
 - Febr 6-8 2006
 - May 25-27 2006
 - Oct 2006
- Closing Meeting: Dec 2006 or Jan 2007

Outcome:

Yellow Report: one chapter per WG, edited by the conveners and authored by all participants who contributed

First draft available by the October WG meeting, report to be finalised and presented at the Closing Winter meeting

Guidelines for the WGs

- Ideally, 50/50 talks/discussion
- Use this first meeting to identify main themes for your report, and identify potential contributors
- If necessary, spawn subgroup activities on specific topics
- **To the speakers:**

avoid just telling us about your last paper, try hard to interpret the spirit of the Workshop, and put your work in the overall framework
- **To all participants:**

do your best to follow the activities of more than one WG, and make your expertise available to all WGs

Practical details

- **Laptop registration:** open your browser and follow instructions. Use as local contact:

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- **WG sessions:** locations are indicated on the Agenda page. Please monitor again tomorrow; last-hour changes are possible depending on the flow of participants
- Please **sign up** on the WG sheets posted outside the Auditorium
- Speakers: please **upload your talks** on the web agenda page, follow instructions mailed by conveners
- This is EasyCERN, the no-frills lab: no conference fees, no hassles, but no free food either