# Theory Perspective

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## Previous Agoras and the Physics Cases

#### PHYSICS AT A HIGGS FACTORY & LINEAR COLLIDERS

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Snowmass Agora on Future Colliders: Linear e<sup>+</sup>e<sup>-</sup> Colliders December 15, 2021



#### **Physics at Muon Colliders**

Nathaniel Craig University of California, Santa Barbara

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#### **Physics at FCC-ee**

#### A great Higgs Factory and MUCH MORE!

Mutatis mutandis, CEPC Physics is potentially the same

Many thanks to the FCC collaboration members for the great efforts and ideas joining Theory, Experiment and Accelerator Physics.

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Alain Blondel FCC-ee Physics

## Physics motivation for future hh-eh colliders

Michele Selvaggi

CERN

## Theory Perspective...





## choosing one collider

## having multiple colliders

## I'd like more energy, more luminosity while maintaining precision at lowest energy scales possible and please do this all without a trigger

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### First lesson... theorists will always over ask



# Then reality sets in (or a parent says no...)

# Then reality sets in budgets...

## FCC-<u>hh</u> cost estimate as part of FCC-integrated project cost estimate

Domain	Cost MCI
Stage 1 - Civil Engineering	5,4
Stage 1 - Technical Infrastructure	2,
Stage 1 - FCC-ee Machine and Injector Complex	4,
Stage 2 - Civil Engineering complement	(
Stage 2 - Technical Infrastructure adaptation	2,
Stage 2 - FCC-hh Machine and Injector complex	13,
TOTAL construction cost for integral FCC project	28,

FUTURE CIRCULAR COLLIDER

Total construction cost FCC-ee (Z, W, H) amounts to 10,500 MCHF & 1,100 MCHF (tt).



# Then reality sets in timelines...

Realistic timeline matched to HL-LHC: Feasibility Study: 2021-2025 If project approved before end of decade  $\rightarrow$  construction can start beginning 2030s □FCC-ee operation ~2045-2060 FCC-hh operation 2070-2090++

F. Gianotti

## And then we arrive here...

## WE'RE GOING TO HAVE A 100 TEV COLLIDER IN OUR LIFETIME RIGHT?



IN OUR LIFETIME RIGHT?

This is above my pay grade, but I'd like to give you a takeaway message that there are different physics potentials cases for all of them that are intriguing





## Complementarity

and very important (energy vs precision etc)

• Accessing different aspects of physics with different machines to get a stronger motivation to continue with R&D on multiple fronts

• Measuring the same physics multiple ways - that's what a lot of the focus is on

**complete picture** - fraught with sociological dangers but I personally think it's a



## choosing just one collider

## having R&D for multiple colliders

Not about greed of theorists, but about physics!

## Covering all physics possibilities is too hard...

#### **Long-Lived Particles** LLP Matrix

Signature	HL-LHC	Higgs factories		High energy hadron colliders	Muon colliders	
Neutral LLP (including Higgs)	<ul> <li>Track-Based Triggers for Exotic Signatures, arXiv:2203.07314</li> <li>The Present and Future Status of Heavy Neutral Leptons, arXiv:2203.08039</li> <li>Recent Progress and Next Steps for the MATHUSLA LLP Detector, arXiv:2203.08126</li> <li>Sensitivity to millicharged particles in future proton-proton collisions at the LHC, arXiv:2104.07151</li> <li>The road ahead for CODEX-b, arXiv:2203.07316</li> <li>The Forward Physics Facility, 2203.05090, 2109.10905</li> <li>Theory, phenomenology, and experimental avenues for dark showers, arxiv: 2203.09503</li> <li>Theory Meets the Lab, arxiv: 2203.10089</li> <li>LHCb future dark-sector sensitivity projections for Snowmass 2021, arxiv: 2203.07048</li> <li>Physics with the Phase-2 ATLAS and CMS Detectors</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Searches for Long-Lived Particles at the Future FCC-ee, arXiv:2203.05502</li> <li>The Future Circular Collider: a Summary for the US 2021 Snowmass Process, arXiv:2203.06520</li> <li>The Present and Future Status of Heavy Neutral Leptons, arXiv:2203.08039</li> <li>Physics potential of timing layers in future collider detectors, arxiv: 2005.05221</li> <li>Sensitivity to decays of long-lived dark photons at the ILC, arxiv: 220.00017</li> </ul>		<ul> <li>The Present and Future Status of Heavy Neutral Leptons, arXiv:2203.08039</li> <li>Physics potential of timing layers in future collider detectors, arxiv: 2005.05221</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Axion-Like Particles at High Ene Muon Colliders, arXiv:2203.0548</li> </ul>	rgy 34
		The Internation Collider, arXin Belle II physic plans for the	Can	we look fo	r LLPs at	
		beyond	0	HL-LHC?		Yes
Disappearing Tracks and	<ul> <li>Track-Based Triggers for Exotic Signatures, arXiv:2203.07314</li> <li>Physics with the Phase-2 ATLAS and CMS Detectors</li> </ul>	The Internatio     Collider arXiv	0	Higgs factory?		Yes
		Collider, arxiv	0	High energy ha	adron machine?	Probably
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		D fu b	Discussion: difficult to project sensitivities at future machines without real detectors / data, but still useful for design studies!			
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## Even one very specific thing like LLPs has an enormous breadth to it

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# One particular example: Higgs as a tool! (P5 once said something about this...)

I like this example since we know the Higgs exists, whereas many other particles I or others theorists have imagined I just really hope exist...

The Higgs discovery generated more questions than answers, that are inextricably connected to our fundamental understanding of the universe



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Circular eter linear eter M collider PP collider





For a vibrant Higgs program we see that circular e+e-, linear e+e-, pp, muon colliders all have access to different fundamental questions concerning the Higgs

In turn from the *theory* perspective it strongly motivates R&D on all directions to enable a vision for a future HEP collider program in the US



## choosing just one collider

## having R&D for multiple colliders

Thanks!

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#### 2σ excess in one year with 2 IP

±15% precion on  $\kappa_e$  in 3 years with 4 IP → Not feasible at ILC or CLIC

### better



Caterina Vernieri

Energy Frontier Workshop  $\cdot N$ 

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FIG. 3. Comparison between different SNR points and a SFOPT in the space of  $\delta_{Zh}$  and  $\delta_{h^3}$ , for the onset of SNR and  $v_c/T_c = 0.6$ . The dashed lines represent projected sensitivities that can be found in [7, 8];  $\delta\sigma_{Zh} = 0.2\%$  and  $\delta h^3 = 5\%$