UEC Government Relations Subcommittee Report

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DC Trip Updates

- Waiting on finalized budget from FRA
- Informational material preparation meetings on hold until P5 report
- Requested meeting with Jackie to plan trip participant travel
- Will attend <u>HEPAP meeting</u> on Dec 7–8
- Others should plan to attend:
 - o FNAL town hall on P5 plan: Dec 11 (register now!)
 - o USLUA annual meeting at FNAL: Dec 12–15
- Preliminary considerations for trip dates:
 - o Week of March 4: ALICE week
 - No other LHC collaboration or DUNE meetings in March
 - o Week of March 11: DOE comparative reviews
 - o Week of March 18 seems opportune, pending more specific guidance

Backup

DC Trip Overview

- Details on last year's trip and proposals for this year: <u>UEC-2023-09-26.pdf</u>
- Summary:
 - o 2023: 40 participants
 - o 2024: aim for ~77 participants (to meet w/ every Congressional office)
 - 40 from FNAL/UEC
 - 10–15 from USLUA
 - 6–12 from SLUO
 - 2–3 from BNL, maybe a few from LBNL
 - o Budget scenarios: (also including \$2–3K for printing, shipping)
 - \$1400/person $\rightarrow 57 K total budget
 - \$1000/person → \$43K total budget