



# **Detector Development for Particle Physics and medicine**

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# Experimental particle and astro-particle physics

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Prof. Garutti,  
Prof. Haller,  
Prof. Schleper

## The research field:

Basic research of the  
fundamental laws of nature  
@ CMS experiment (CERN)  
@ future ILC experiments

strong collaboration with DESY CMS and FLC groups

## Additional groups:

Caren Hagner, Neutrino physics  
Dieter Horns, Astro-particle physics

DESY groups on LHC, FLC, ALPS  
SFB „Particles, Strings and the Early Universe“

# Particle Physics & Detector Development

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## My topics:

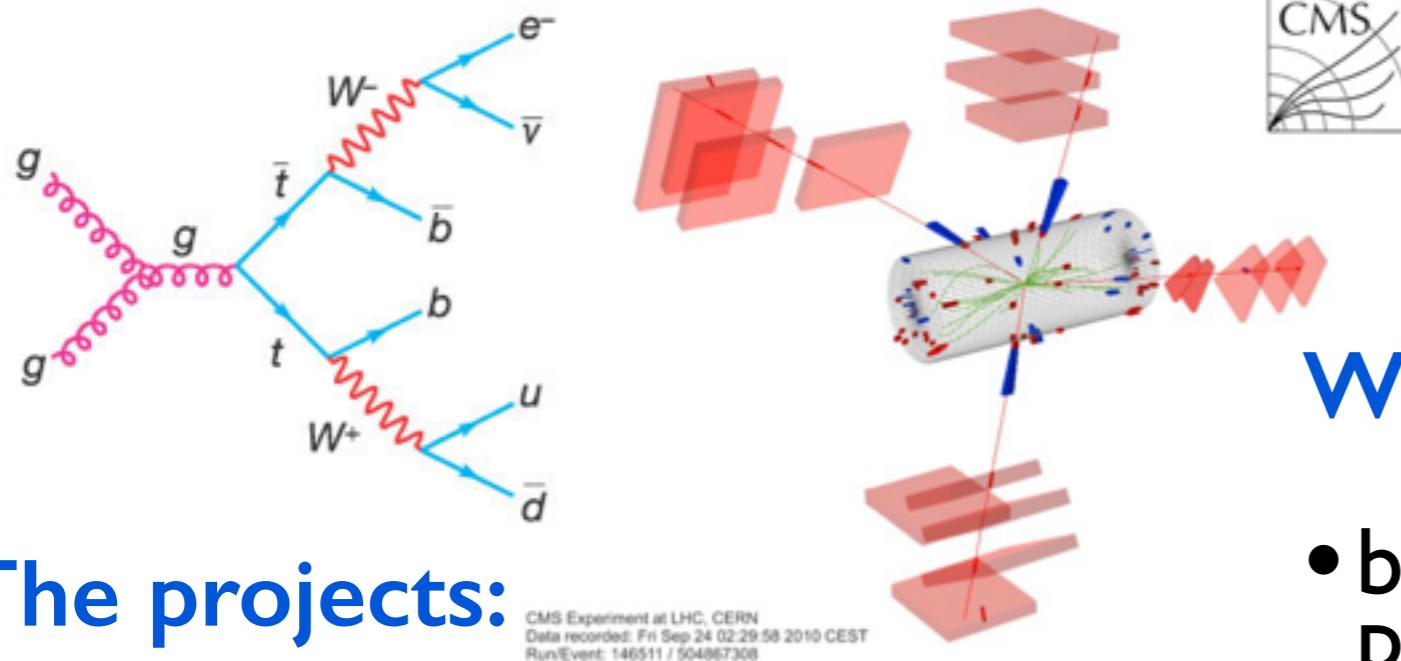
- development of detectors for **high energy physics**
- development of detectors for **medical** applications
- fundamental research on **silicon** detectors

**More info:** <http://wwwiexp.desy.de/groups/pd/>

# Higgs, top and SUSY physics with CMS

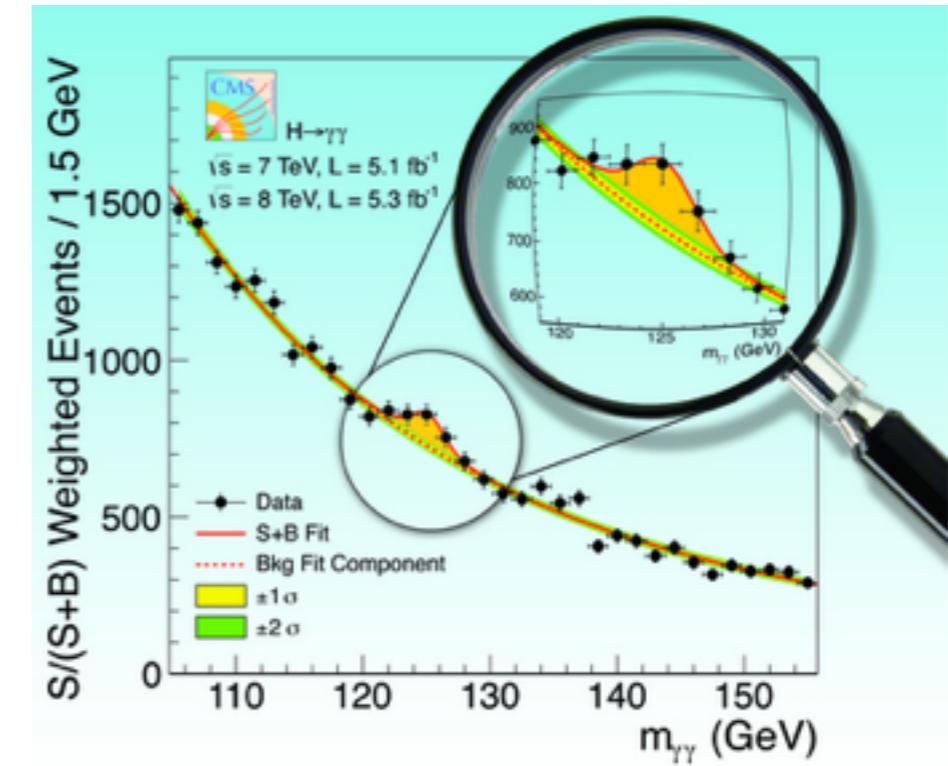
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- Study of the top quark & Higgs boson
- Searches for Supersymmetry



## The projects:

- data analysis in the CMS experiment
- statistical interpretation of the results, comparison to theory

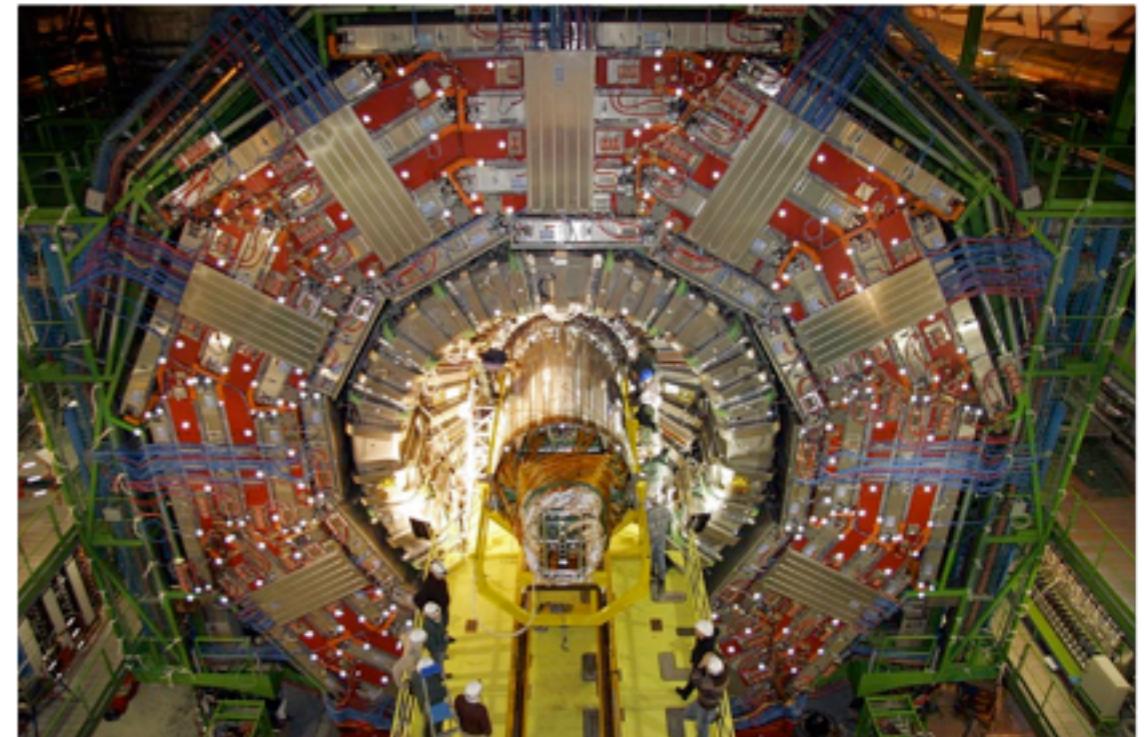
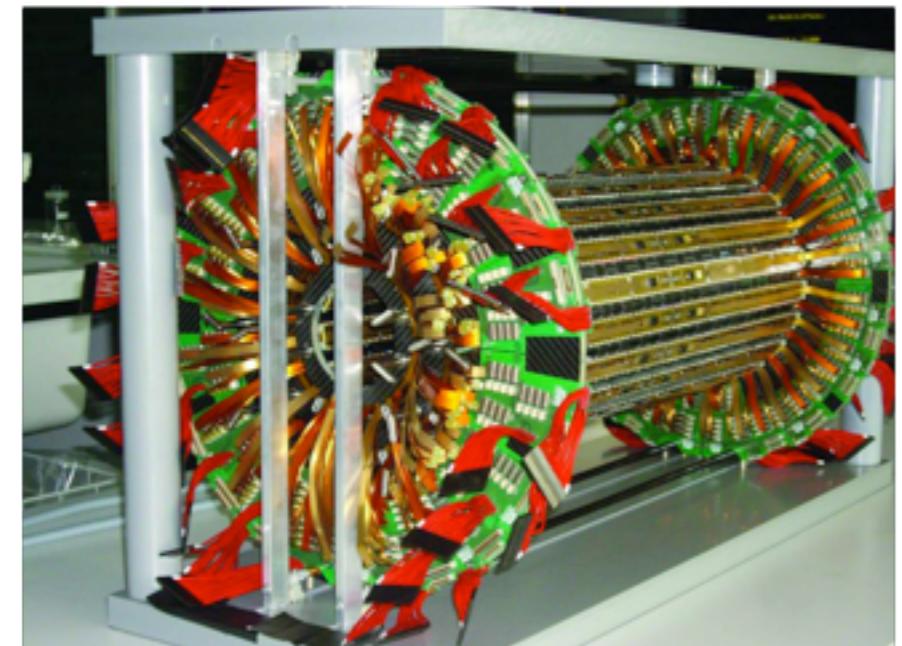


## What you learn:

- basic of LHC physics and particle detection
- data analysis techniques
- Object oriented programming
- work in an international team

# Detectors for HEP: CMS

Construction and commissioning  
of CMS upgrade pixel detector



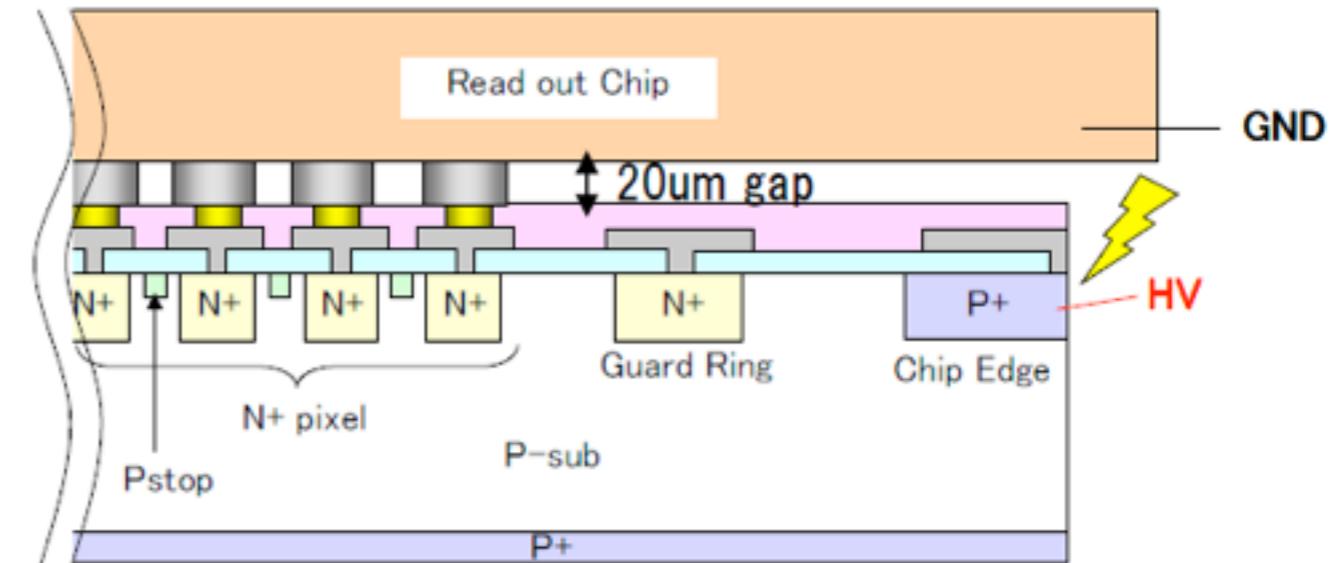
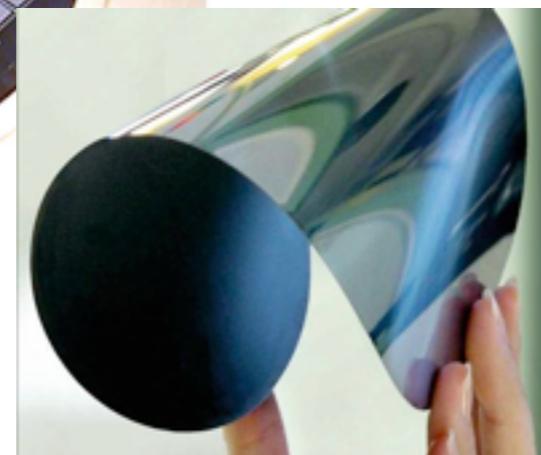
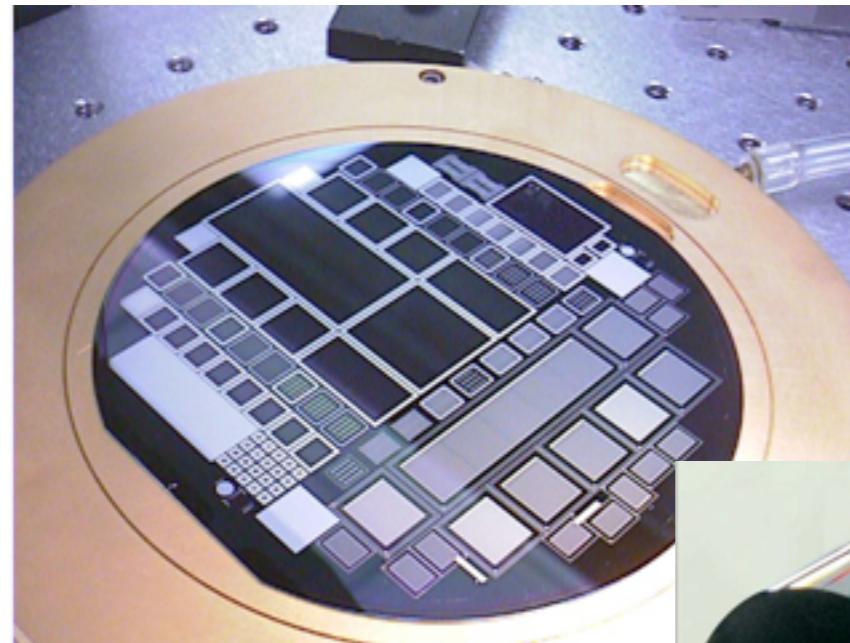
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## The projects:

- module calibration with X-rays
- pixel sensor design
- characterization at test beam
- silicon pixel detectors
- Si simulation & meas. techniques
- modern readout electronics
- work in international collab.

# Fundamental research on silicon detectors

Frontier technology in detection of charged particles



## What you learn:

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### The projects:

- pixel sensor design
- radiation hard material / design

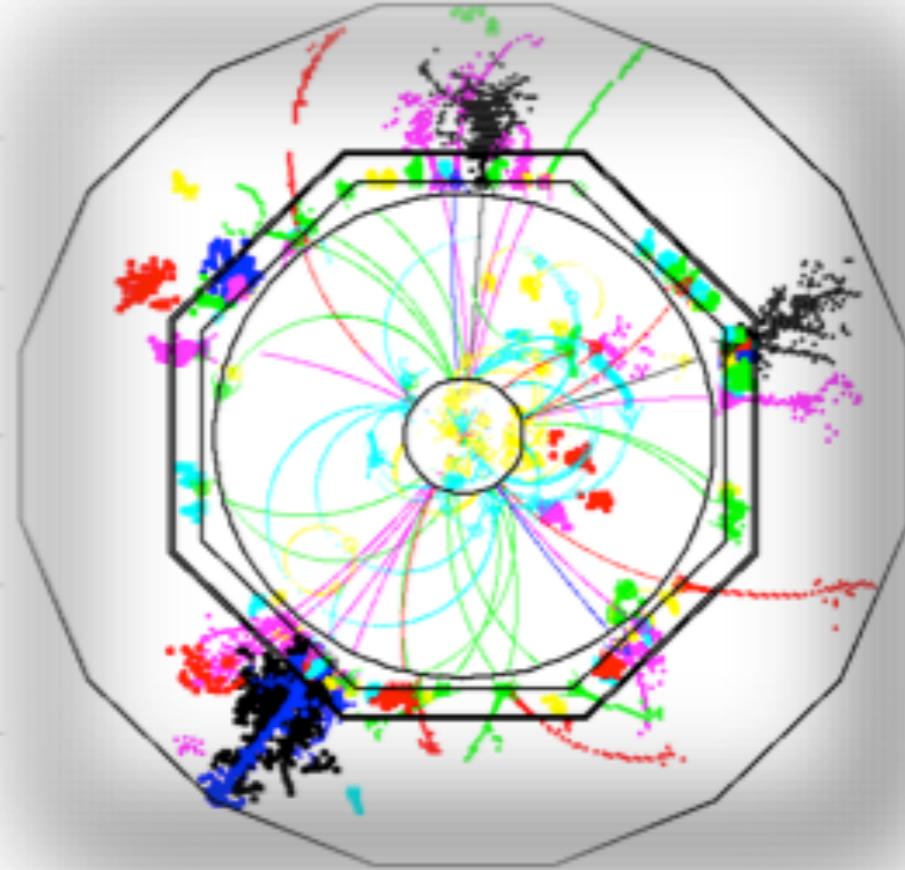
- Si simulation & meas. techniques
- HH: unique competence in rad. hard studies

# Detectors for HEP: ILC

Prototype detectors for the ILC

More info: [www-flc.desy.de](http://www-flc.desy.de)

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## What you learn:

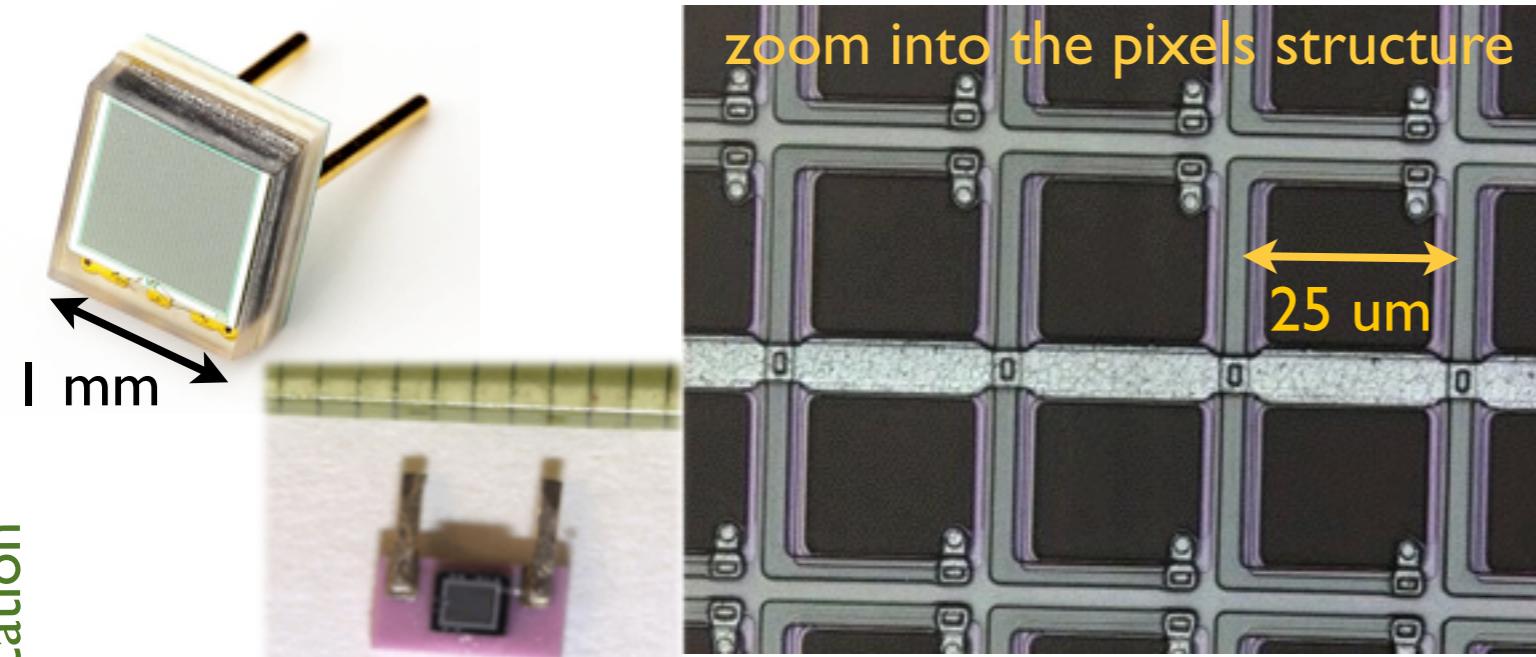
- commission prototype detectors
- technology frontier in large det. sys.
- modern readout electronics
- work in international collab.

## The projects:

- hadronic calorimeter
- time projection chamber

# Fundamental research on silicon detectors

## Frontier technology in detection of photons



Applications in HEP,  
photon science, astro-  
particle, medical  
detectors, home land  
security

### Silicon PhotoMultiplier

#### The projects:

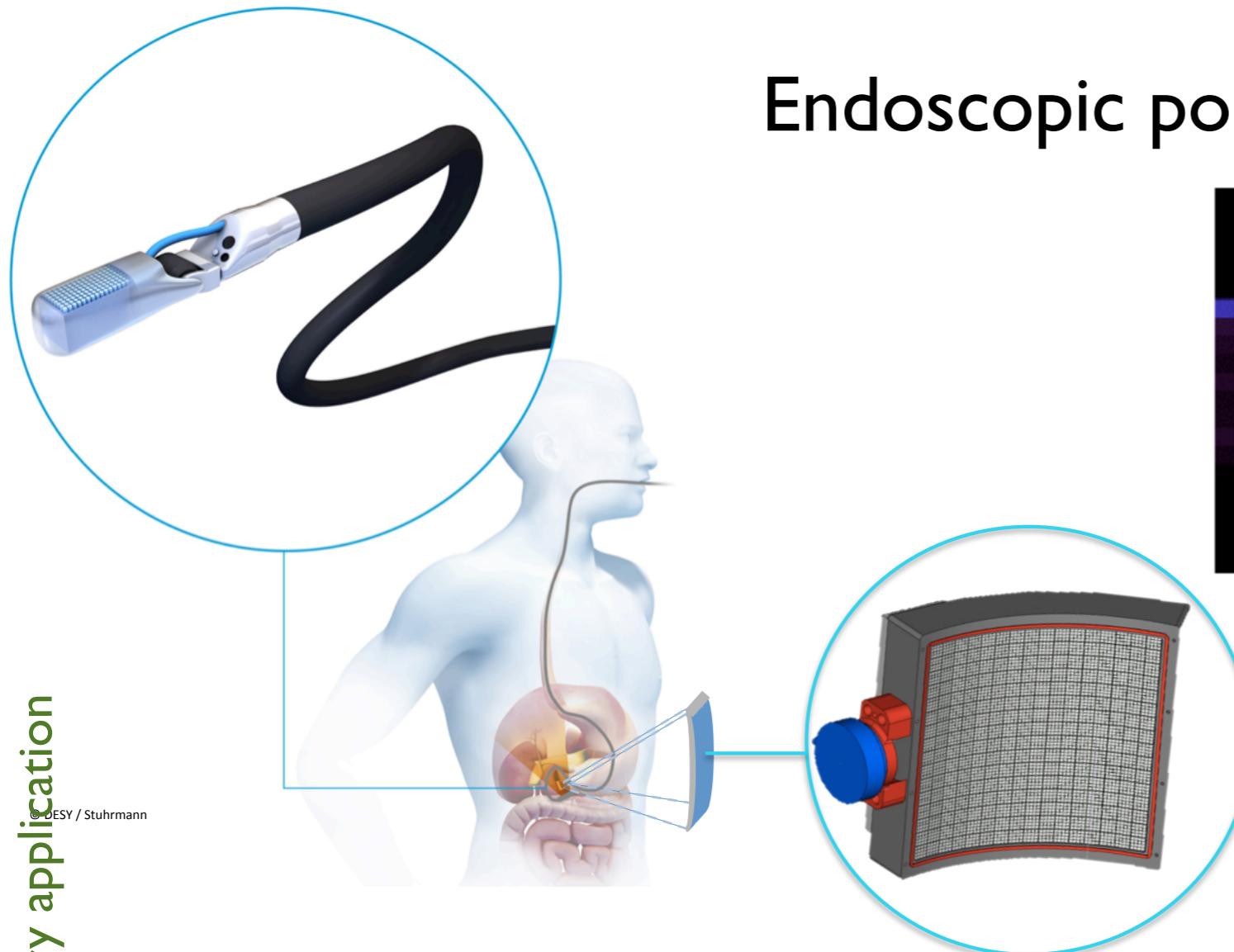
- meas. and simulations
- radiation hard design

#### What you learn:

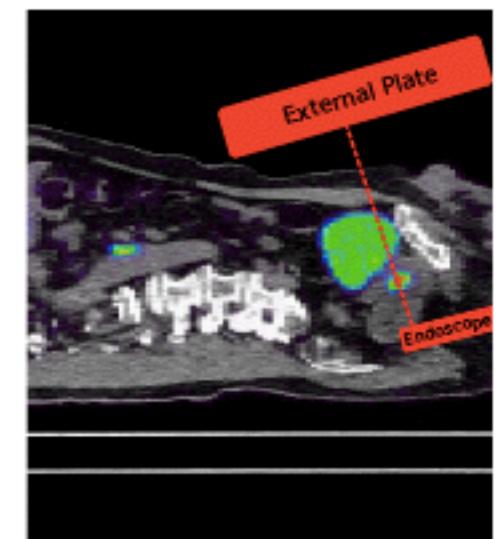
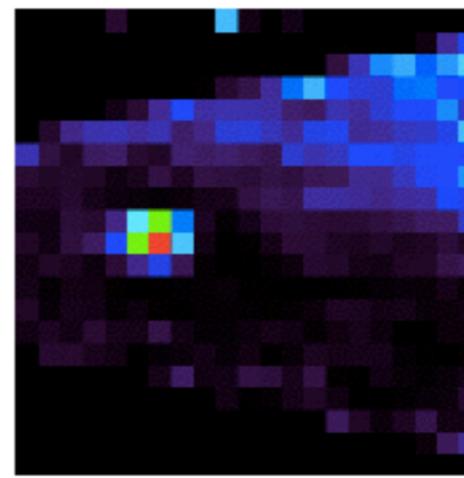
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# Detectors for medicine: PET



## Endoscopic positron emission tomography



## The projects:

- commissioning of PET det.
- image reconstruction

## What you learn:

- Image reconstruction techniques
- work in interdisciplinary environ.

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# Some interesting numbers

## Group statistics:

- 16 bachelors in 4 years
- average note 1.7
- most works end up in publications

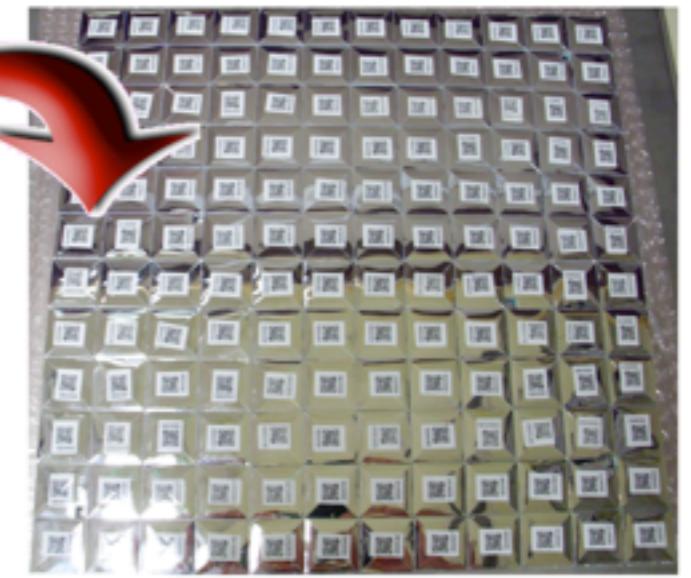
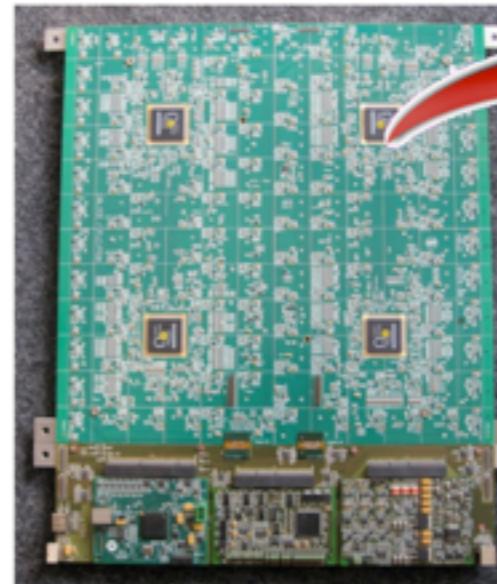
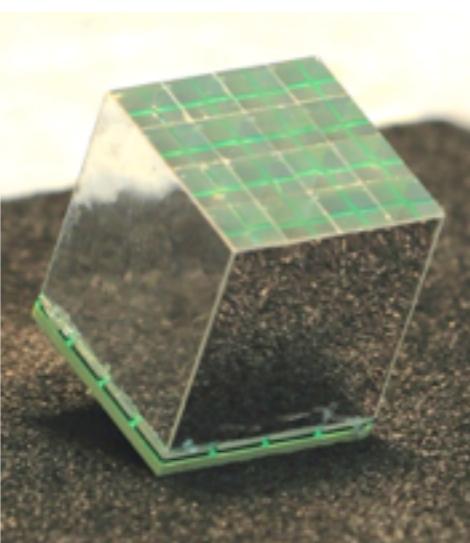
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## Group size:

- 5 seniors, 5 post-docs, 5 PhDs,  
2 master students



# Conclusion



Building detectors is fun !  
Understanding them even more !!!

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