

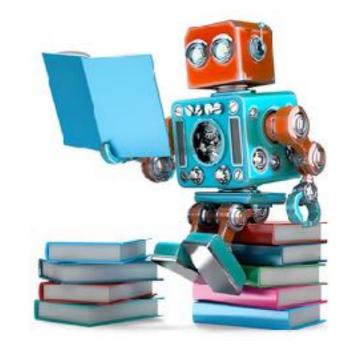
### Software Update

Maurik Holtrop, HPS Collaboration Meeting

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### Software Presentations This Meeting

- Software session:
  - Machine learning, tridents with MC truth Kyle McCarty
  - Update on MC Takashi Maruyama
  - Beam Position and Tilt Bradley Yale
- Tracking session:
  - Tracking update Norman Graf
  - SVT alignment, 2016 Alessandra Filippi
  - Track top-bottom asymmetry Miriam Diamond
  - Update on Kalman filter (rem.) Robert Johnson



## Bug hunting & Open issues.

- Lots of bugs hunted, rabbit holes descended, and some things fixed:
  - Trying to speed up Tracking
    - Miriam found many bugs: Sectoring issue in tracking, Track state at ECal incorrect, \* Extrapolate to tilted plane with field map, ...
  - Cleanup of Tuple Maker
    - \* Remove the parts of the code that did calculations. Tuple Maker should only convert the LCIO files to ROOT Tuples.
    - Bugs were fixed in this process.
    - To Do: Make tuples from the ROOT DST instead of a text file dump from LCIO files. \*
  - Reconstruction getting stuck
    - Reconstruction would crash or get stuck. Several bugs were found: Matrix Singularity, \* Large dPhi Exception, Tracks going backwards.
  - We need to continue vigilance in validating our code and finding bugs.
- Open issues on GitHub:
  - Most open issues now are enhancements.
  - New potential bug: truth information from SLIC incorrect (?)

### Code Enhancements

#### Enhancements:

- MC Truth
  - New readout code for ECAL Kyle
  - Detailed MC truth for SVT Matt Solt
    - Were needed for propagating truth information to output, which in turn is needed for Machine Learning.

#### Merging Pulser data with MC - Kyle

- This is a lot trickier than first suggested method. Issue still not resolved.
- Needs to be finished.

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### New Initiatives

#### hps-sim - Jeremy

- An improvement on slic, but we need to validate it to move this into production.
- Could help with Slic related issues, i.e. MC particle truth.
- Cleaner code and interface. Can do event filtering.
- Kalman Filter (See Robert Johnson's talk)
- Add L0 layer to simulation and readout/reconstruction. -Matt Solt
- Add Hodoscope to sim, and readout/reconstruction. -Rafo/ Kyle

### GitHub / SLACK

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#### Email list still works too!

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### To-Do

Fix bugs!

Continue to follow each unexpected / odd behavior to the end.

Document!

Continue to improve documentation.

Really important for new people joining.

#### Finish up:

Complete code for merging Pulser data with MC.

### To-Do, too, for 4.5 GeV Run.

#### \* Hodoscope:

Hodoscope included in trigger and trigger monitor, fully add to readout and recon.

**\*** SVT:

- Updates for L0 in readout / recon
- \* Start generating and analyzing MC @ 4.5 GeV
  - New detector model with hodoscope and L0. (Improve the detector model?)
  - Re-run trigger optimizations.

#### Monitoring code:

- Validate SVT, ECAL, Trigger
- Add Hodoscope
- "Prime" the calibration database for 4.5GeV data.
- Check calibration codes for use in new run.
- Revisit DQM
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### Transitioning again...

- Moving from "just get it to work" to get everything working really well.
  - Continue ironing out the bugs / anomalies.
  - Document what we do, document procedures.
  - \* Do the enhancements that are really needed.
  - Work on making things (more) robust.
  - Start smoothing, simplifying, think of ease of use. Helps eliminate human error/confusion.
- We need to be able to calibrate quickly, "cook" quickly, and get to data analysis quickly.
- New people need to get to being productive quickly.
- There is a lot to do here!

# People Power Needed

# Big issue ahead: Continuity

- Our current group of graduate student experts has graduated, is about to graduate, or is working to graduate soon. (Sho, Omar, Holly, Sebouh, Ani, Miram, Kyle, Bradley).
- Postdocs, staff, are in similar situations, moving on or looking to move on. (Miriam, Jeremy)
- The "2019 run" will be more demanding!
- New students, postdocs, staff, are needed to take over critical tasks and maintenance of software components...

