The Heavy Flavour Averaging Group

• Following tradition, the Heavy Flavour Averaging Group met during the CKM workshop

- finalising the update of our biennial preprint ...
- ... which should be on arXiv in the next few weeks

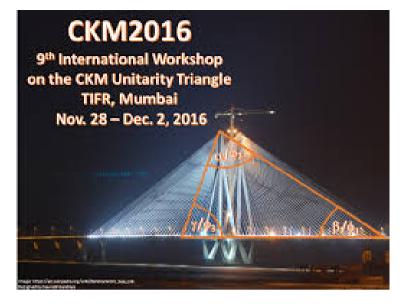


• We also discussed one important issue that we want to make the community aware of

The Heavy Flavour Averaging Group

http://www.slac.stanford.edu/xorg/hfag/

- Since our formation in 2002, we have used the acronym "HFAG"
- Concerns have been raised that this acronym may be offensive &/or exclusionary to some members of our community
- We established a panel to investigate this issue
 - the panel carried out a broad survey of views and reported at the meeting
 - short written report from the panel will be available on our webpages soon
- Outcome of discussion
 - unanimous agreement to change the group's name/acronym
 - possible new name/acronym (favourites among many options considered):
 - Heavy Flavour Averaging Group (HFIAv)
 - Heavy Flavour Averaging Network (HFAN)
 - aim to converge within the next weeks and transition during 2017
- Feedback welcome (by email, please)









CKM2016 closing







Standing Advisory Committee for the CKM series

- Charged to guarantee continuity of the Workshop and also to discuss future orientations
- Members (among those who created the workshop and/or organised one (...and still active in the field))
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 - Monica Pepe-Altarelli (CERN)
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 - Christoph Schwanda (Vienna)

+ Gagan Mohanty (TIFR)
+ Jim Libby (Chennai) (ex-officio as CKM2016 hosts)

Please feel free to contact any member of this committee with feedback on the workshop, suggestions for future iterations & proposals to host CKM2020

History of CKM workshops

- 9th: TIFR, Mumbai, India, 28 Nov 2 Dec 2016
- 8th: Vienna University of Technology, Austria, 8-12 Sep 2014
- 7th: University of Cincinnati, USA, 28 Sep 2 Oct 2012
- 6th: University of Warwick, UK, 6-10 Sep 2010
- 5th: Rome, Italy, 9-13 Sep 2008
- 4th: Nagoya University, Japan, 12-16 Dec 2006
- 3rd : University of California, San Diego, USA, 15-18 Mar 2005
- 2nd: University of Durham, UK, 5-9 Apr 2003
- 1st: CERN, 13-16 Feb 2002

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