

# WHAT IF WE COULD USE LLM-LIKE MODELS TO DO ANOMALY DETECTION?

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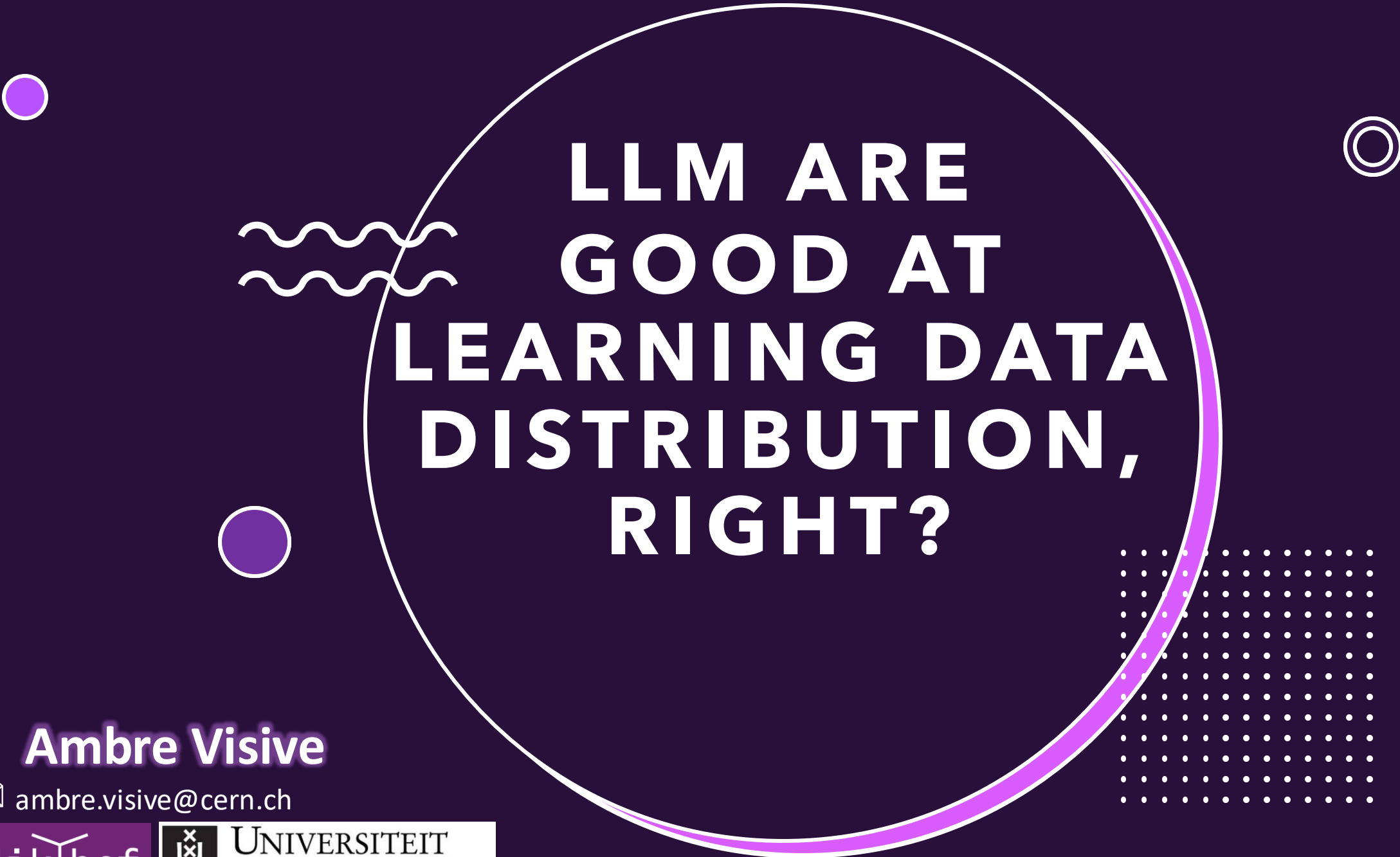
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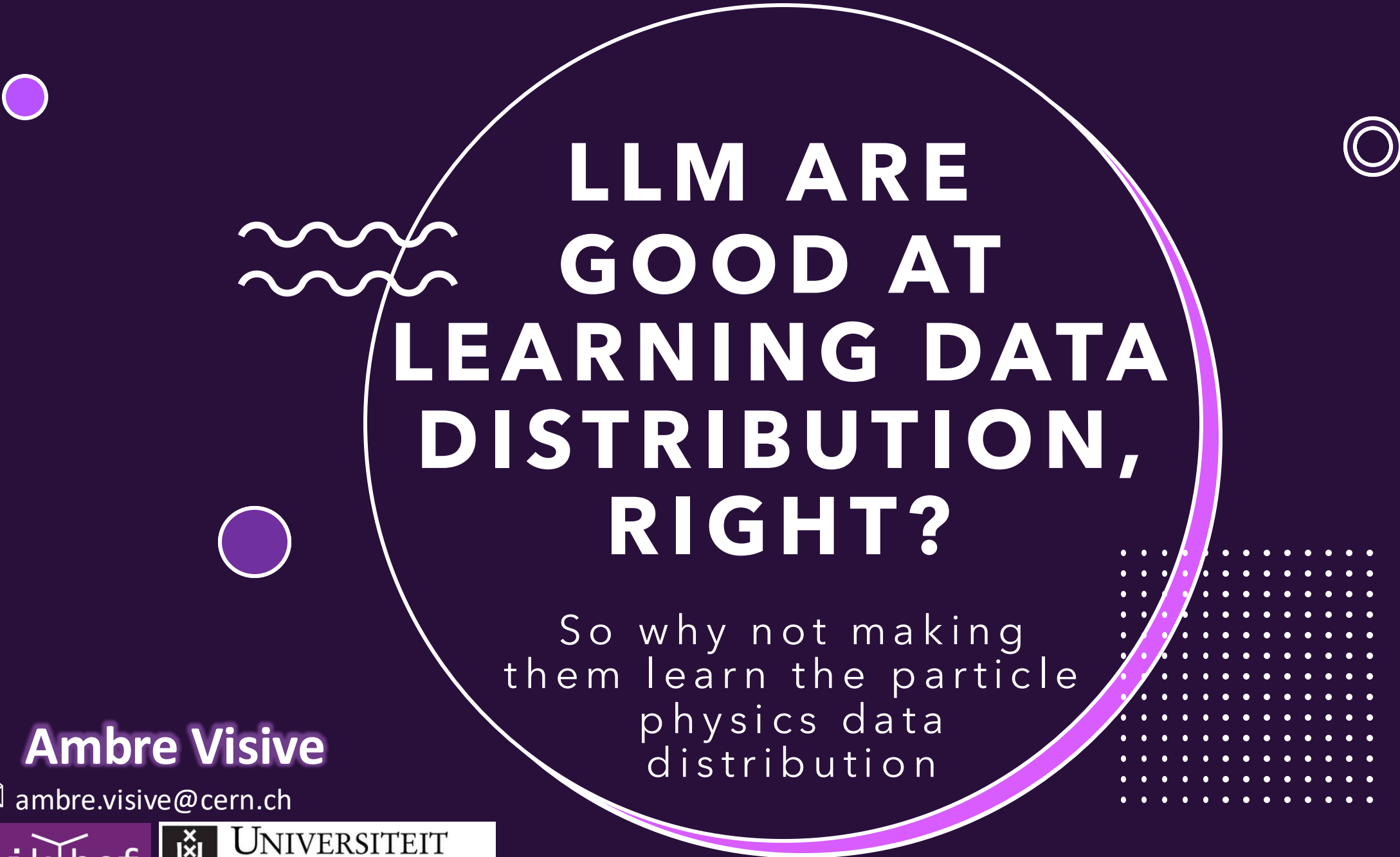
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So why not making  
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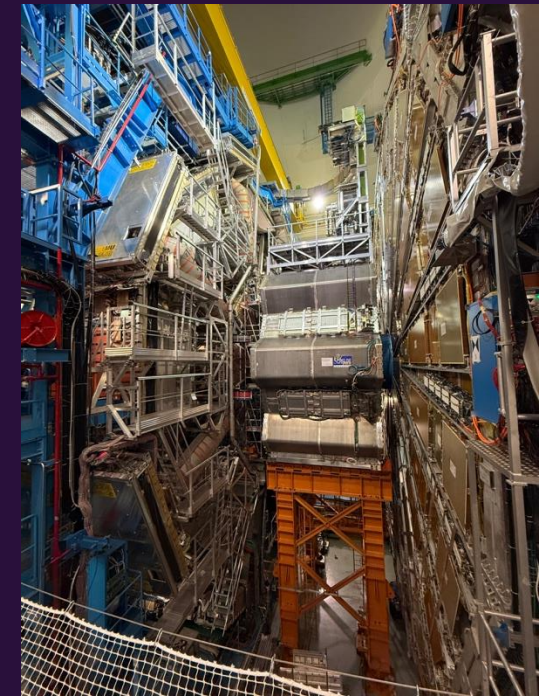
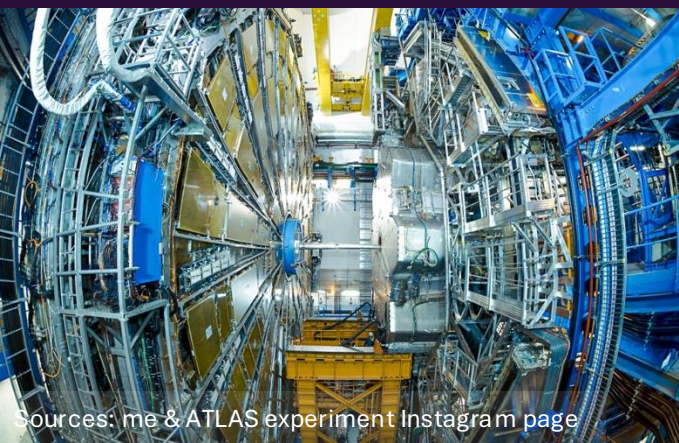
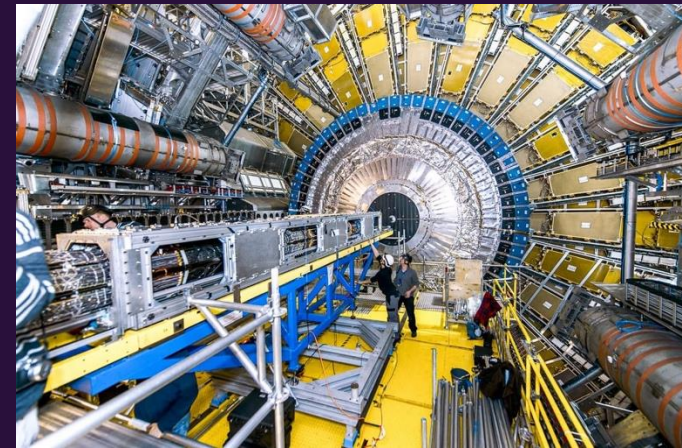
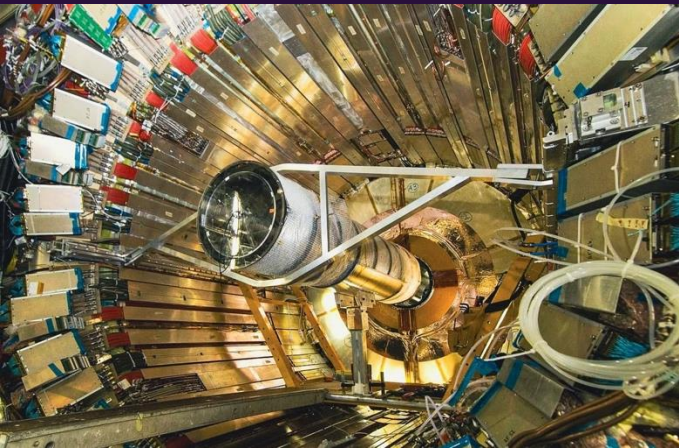
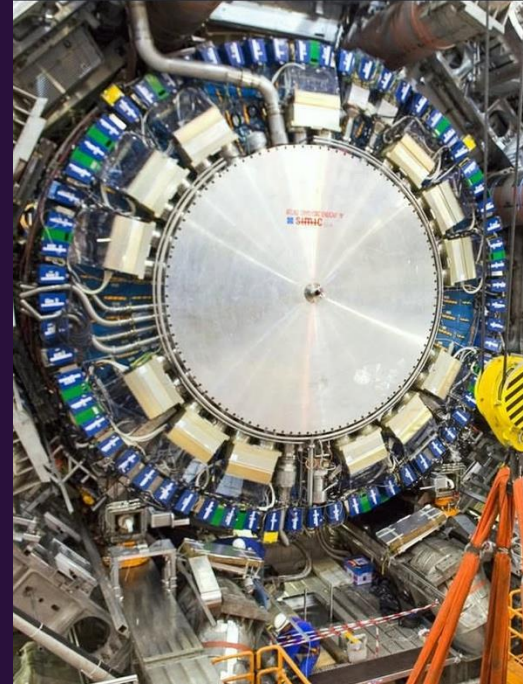
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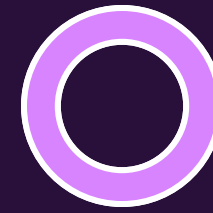
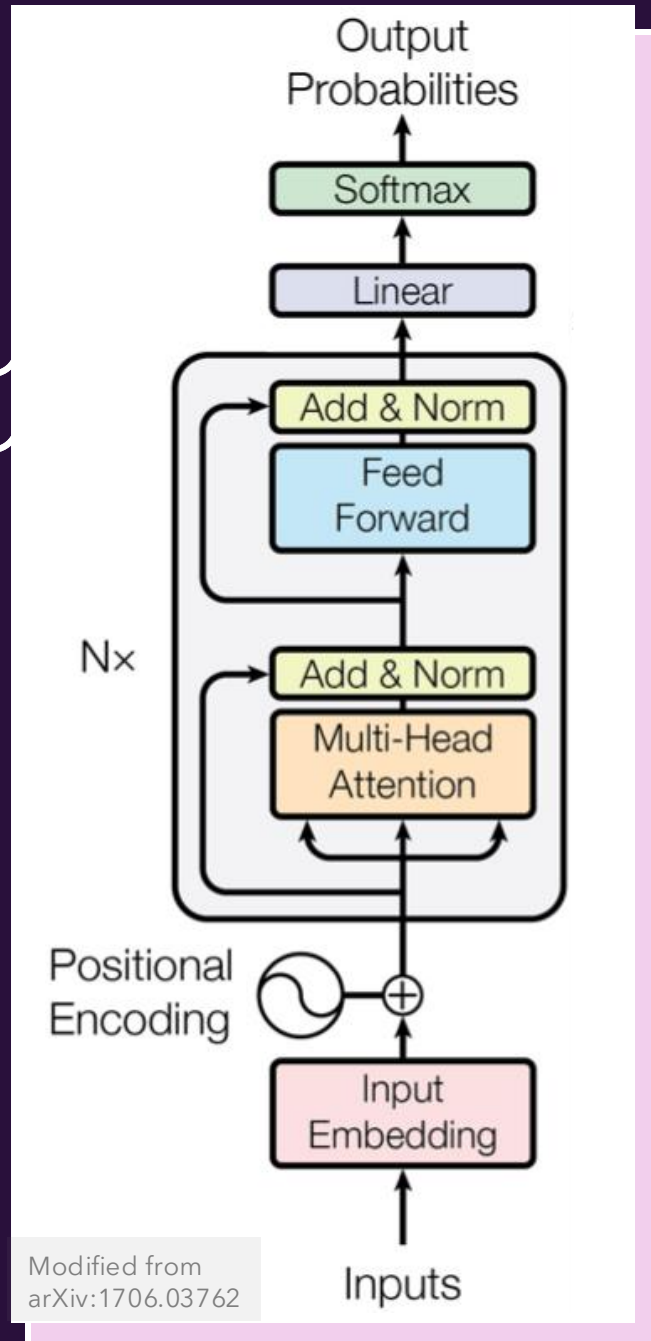
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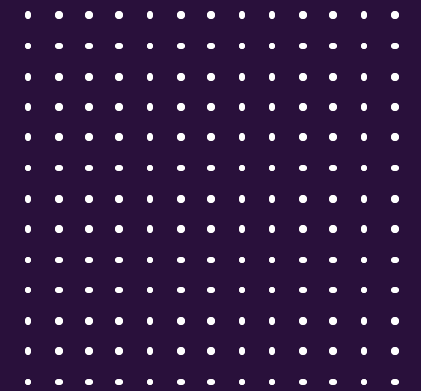
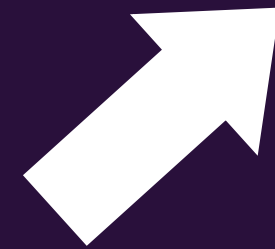
# IDEA:

## Build the encoder part of a simple LLM-like model

Use it to separate background from signal and more generally for anomaly detection



Learn distribution  
of background  
data





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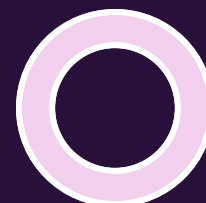
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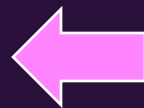
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# SO WHERE IS THE GREAT ARTICLE, RIGHT?



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## Observation of four-top-quark production in the multilepton final state with the ATLAS detector

The ATLAS Collaboration

This paper presents the observation of four-top-quark ( $t\bar{t}t\bar{t}$ ) production in proton-proton collisions at the LHC. The analysis is performed using an integrated luminosity of  $140 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  at a centre-of-mass energy of 13 TeV collected using the ATLAS detector. Events containing two leptons with the same electric charge or at least three leptons (electrons or muons) are selected. Event kinematics are used to separate signal from background through a multivariate discriminant, and dedicated control regions are used to constrain the dominant backgrounds. The observed (expected) significance of the measured  $t\bar{t}t\bar{t}$  signal with respect to the standard

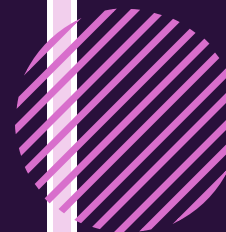
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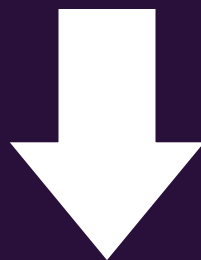
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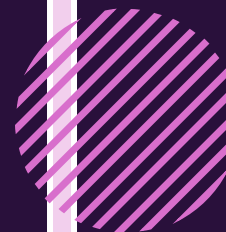
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Have to try and evaluate  
different tokenization strategy



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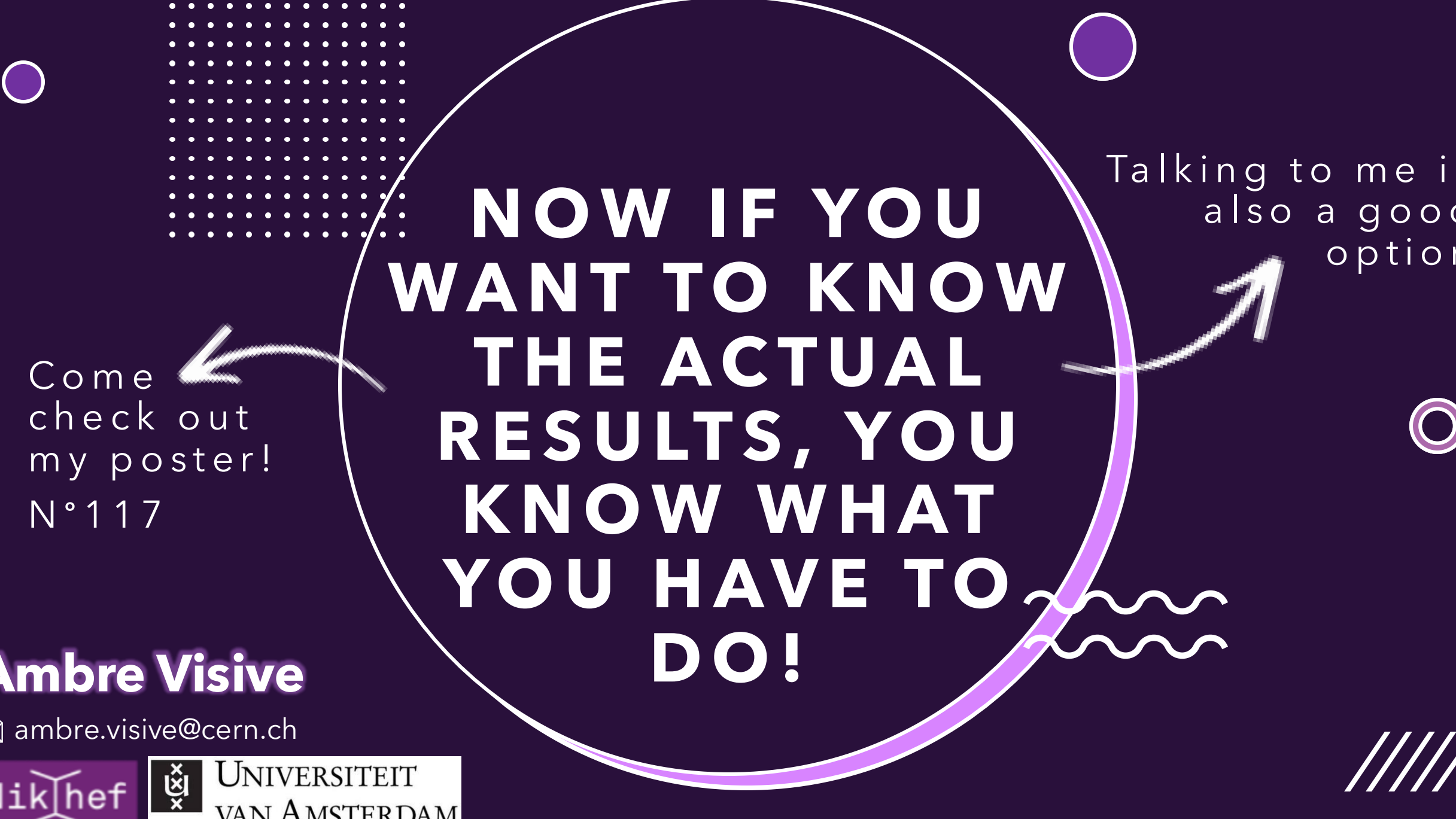
# Tokenization strategies



- 6 different tokenization for 4-VECT  
→ with/without MET, METphi included in the event
- different numbers of bins for MET, METphi
- VQ-VAE

A colleague  
focuses on that  
part.





**NOW IF YOU  
WANT TO KNOW  
THE ACTUAL  
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KNOW WHAT  
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