

Digital Twins for Nuclear and Particle Physics NP-Twins 2025

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## Welcome to Messina!



by St. Ignatius of Loyola, and was the first university managed by Jesuits

It is organized in 12 departments offering more than 80 Graduate and Undergraduate Degrees, ove 20 Master's Degrees and 13 PhD

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was founded in 1548

offering more than 80 Graduate and Undergraduate Degrees, over 20 Master's Degrees and 13 PhD Programs. The University counts more than 23k students distributed in the 4 campus facilities spread across the city.







The «Accademia Peloritana dei Pericolanti» was by a group of Messina citizens in 1729.

It aimed to improve knowledge of Science, Literature and Fine Arts in the population

Since the second half of 1800, the activities of the academia are joined with the university ones

Today the activities are organized in four «classes»



Exposition on women's voting rights in Italy throughout stamp collections

October 7, 2025, 10:30am Aula Cannizzaro







| 14:00 | Welcome and introduction  |                            |
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|       | Aula Accademia Peloritana, Università di Messina                    | 14:00 - 14:10              |
|       | Al for real time data processing                                    | Fabio Rossi 🥝              |
|       | Aula Accademia Peloritana, Università di Messina                    | 14:10 - 14:40              |
|       | Reconstruction algorithms for the LHC                               | Jan Stark 🥝                |
| 15:00 | Aula Accademia Peloritana, Università di Messina                    | 14:40 - 15:10              |
|       | Blending Neural Networks with Kernel Methods for Efficient Learning | Shuo Huang                 |
|       | Aula Accademia Peloritana, Università di Messina                    | 15:10 - 15:40              |
|       | Coffee Break  |                            |
| 16:00 | Aula Accademia Peloritana, Università di Messina                    | 15:40 - 16:10              |
|       | Variable Rate Neural Compression for Sparse Detector Data           | Yi Huang                   |
|       | Aula Accademia Peloritana, Università di Messina                    | 16:10 - 16:40              |
|       | ALICE PID 1   | Lukasz Graczykowski et al. |
|       | Aula Accademia Peloritana, Università di Messina                    | 16:40 - 16:55              |
| 17:00 | ALICE PID 2   | Mytkowski Marek            |
|       | Aula Accademia Peloritana, Università di Messina                    | 16:55 - 17:10              |

The format includes contributions from experts in Physics and Data Science according to five tracks:

- 1. Data reconstruction;
- 2. Data analyses;
- 3. Physics extraction;
- 4. Physics interpretation;
- 5. Al tools.

| Goodness-of-fit by Neyman-Pearson Testing: The NPLM Method   | Andrea Wulzer et al.   |
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| Aula Accademia Peloritana, Università di Messina   | 09:00 - 09:30  |
| Machine Learning for LHC esperiments   | Francesco Armando Di Bello et al.  |
| Aula Accademia Peloritana, Università di Messina   | 09:30 - 10:00  |
| OO Al for data analysis  | Derek Glazier et al.   |
| Aula Accademia Peloritana, Università di Messina   | 10:00 - 10:30  |
| Coffee break   |  |
| Aula Accademia Peloritana, Università di Messina   | 10:30 - 11:00  |
| 00 Renormalization Group for Signal Analysis   | Dr Riccardo Finotello et al.   |
| Aula Accademia Peloritana, Università di Messina   | 11:00 - 11:30  |
| A(I)DAPT   | Tommaso Vittorini  |
| Aula Accademia Peloritana, Università di Messina   | 11:30 - 12:00  |
| 00 Diffusion models for physics extraction   | Giorgio Foti   |
| Aula Accademia Peloritana, Università di Messina   | 12:00 - 12:30  |
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| 09:00 | Machine learning for cosmology   | Marco Raveri            |
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|       | Aula Accademia Peloritana, Università di Messina                                 | 09:00 - 09:30           |
|       | From cross sections to scattering amplitudes using ML with built-in physics      | Gloria Montana et al.   |
|       | Aula Accademia Peloritana, Università di Messina                                 | 09:30 - 10:00           |
| 10:00 | Al applications to pion scattering   | Wyatt Smith et al.      |
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| 11:00 | Al tools in HEP  | Federica Legger         |
|       | Aula Accademia Peloritana, Università di Messina                                 | 11:00 - 11:30           |
|       | Modern Machine Learning for Monte Carlo Event Generators                         | Ramon Winterhalder      |
|       | Aula Accademia Peloritana, Università di Messina                                 | 11:30 - 12:00           |
| 12:00 | Generative Al for Inverse Problems in Nuclear and Particle Physics               | Yaohang Li              |
|       | Aula Accademia Peloritana, Università di Messina                                 | 12:00 - 12:30           |
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| 14:00 | PIKS: universal physics-informed learning with kernels                           | Joachim Bona-Pellissier |
|       | Aula Accademia Peloritana, Università di Messina                                 | 14:00 - 14:30           |
|       | Online data reduction for the dual-radiator RICH detector in the ePIC experiment | Cristian Rossi          |
|       | Aula Accademia Peloritana, Università di Messina                                 | 14:30 - 15:00           |
| 15:00 | Report on EU AI strategy: The AI Continent                                       | Fosca Giannotti         |
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| 16:00 | Physics with Large Language and Reasoning models: an overview                    | Nesar Chamachandra      |
|       | Aula Accademia Peloritana, Università di Messina                                 | 16:00 - 16:30           |
|       | Al for Data Center Cooling and Resource Allocation in LHCb                       | Pierfrancesco Cifra     |
|       | Aula Accademia Paloritana Università di Messina                                  | 16:30 - 17:00           |

Social dinner: Tomorrow (Tuesday) 8pm Place TBD

If you interested, sign on the sheet behind you at the coffee break

