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ITALIAN PRESIDENT SERGIO MATTARELLA VISITS CERN

On 10 June, the Italian President Sergio Mattarella visited CERN. President Mattarella was welcomed by the CERN General Director, the Italian Fabiola Gianotti, the INFN President Fernando Ferroni and the Italian delegation, which included, among others, the INFN Executive Board, the Nobel Prize winner Carlo Rubbia and Professor Antonino Zichichi, President of the Tera Ugo Amaldi Foundation. At the end of the underground visit, President Mattarella met the Italians working at CERN at the Globe. Of the more than twelve thousand people who animate CERN, the Italian community has almost two thousand, many of whom have held or still hold positions of great responsibility in major research projects: to name a few, in addition to the General Director Gianotti, coordination of large experiments with Federico Antinori, Roberto Carlin and Giovanni Passaleva of the ALICE, CMS and LHCb collaborations, respectively, and the management assigned to Lucio Rossi of the future High Luminosity LHC project, which will be the most important in this field of research for the next decade. ■