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INGENIA: PWR DESIGN AND SIMULATION

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“Impact of recent nuclear data evaluations on energy and non-energy nuclear applications”

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1. What is INGENIA?

- One of the main courses of the “Master in Industrial Engineering Program at UPM”
 - 12 ECTS : 5hours/week – 2 semesters
- Based on the **CDIO** (Conceive Design Implement Operate) initiative, which has been also adopted by other Universities: Delft, Politecnico di Milano, MIT, Stanford...
- INGENIA works on both **technical and transversal skills**.

Divided in three main working Modules



Sustainability
Module

Communication
Module

Technical
Module

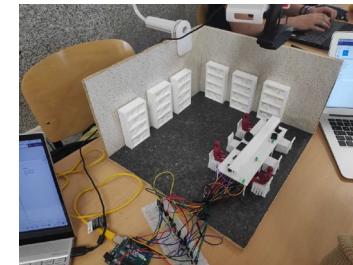
See more information about CDIO at: www.cdio.org

Different Projects

- INGENIA projects at UPM (in total 14):



Design of a walker for people with disabilities



Laser detection technology



Design of Daily-life products



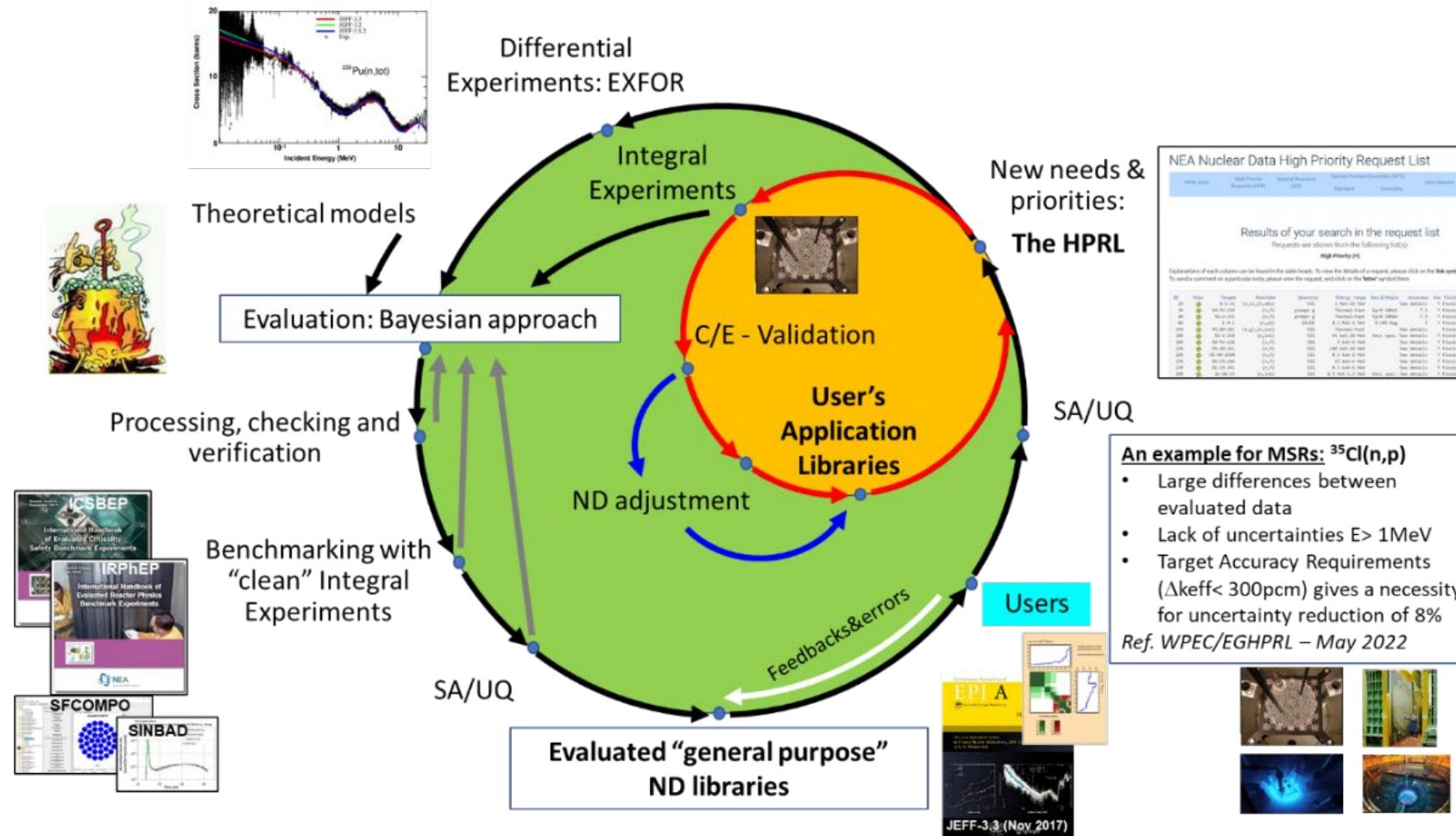
Automotive Engineers

- Other INGENIA projects:

Systems Engineering (to the construction of an intelligent technical system), Acoustic Engineering, Computer-aided Engineering (applied in material design), Thermal-Engine Design, Electric-System Design, Laser and Optics Design, Bioengineering,... , Beer Factory Project,...

2. Lectures Nuclear INGENIA

- Activities associated with nuclear data: **“the nuclear data life cycle”**



2. Lectures

- The team (19 students): A **diverse group** with students with various specializations:
 - Energy technologies, Organization, Electrical, Electronics and Automation,...

Theoretical formation

Lectures on:

- Introduction to Simulation and Simulators
- Basic principles of nuclear physics
- Nuclear Data (ENDF, JEFF)
- Processing and Verification of nuclear data
- Benchmarking, Validation
- PWR design and operation: Safety, ...
- Simulation of PWRs: Optimization & Manoeuvres
- SEANAP system
- ...

Codes & databases:

- EXFOR
- Nuclear Data (ND): JEFF-3.3, JEFF 4T2.2
- JANIS: visualization of ND
- DICE: ICSBEP Handbook
- NDAST: Sensitivity/Uncertainty
- NJOY: processing ND
- PREPRO2021
- WLUP: WIMSD5 libraries (JEFF-3.3 and ENDF/B-VIII.0)
- WIMSD5
- SEANAP: Simulation of PWRs
- ...

Some of us with no previous knowledge in nuclear principles



2. Lectures. Courses related

□ EU/H2020- GRE@T-PIONEER Project (<https://great-pioneer.eu/>)

- Gives specialised education and training resources for post-graduate students in reactor physics and safety.

□ E&T on Nuclear Data within the Great-Pioneer Project

- Experimental Data/Theory and Evaluation
- Processing/Verification
- Benchmarking/Validation
- Sensitivity Analysis and Uncertainty Quantification



□ 2nd Course on Nuclear Data :

- September 4-8, 2023. Valencia (Spain) !

□ To follow-up GRE@T-PIONEER activities at:



www.great-pioneer.eu



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2. Guest Lectures

- **Naohiko Otsuka** (February, 2023): Introduction to IAEA Nuclear Data Service and introduction to EXFOR Library-Mother of all libraries.
- **José Herrero** (March, 2023): Presentation on different activities carried out by ENUSA, a leading company in the nuclear and energy sector in Spain.
- **Isabel Parrado** (April, 2023): TECNATOM company representative explained how the simulators used by nuclear power plant operators are designed and work.
- **Arjan Plompen** (February,2023): Head of the Nuclear Data Section explained analysis of nuclear data.



Other Guests:

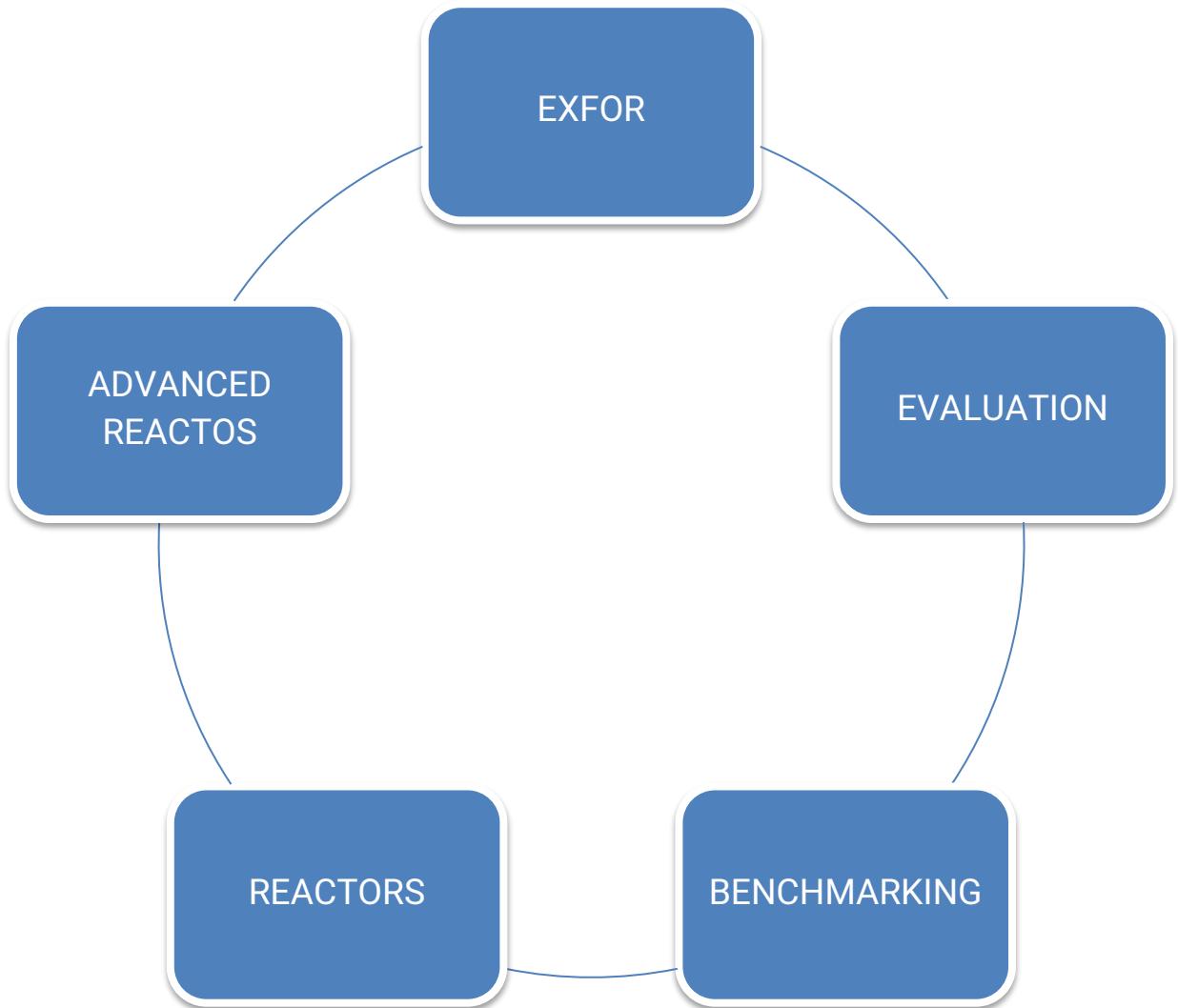
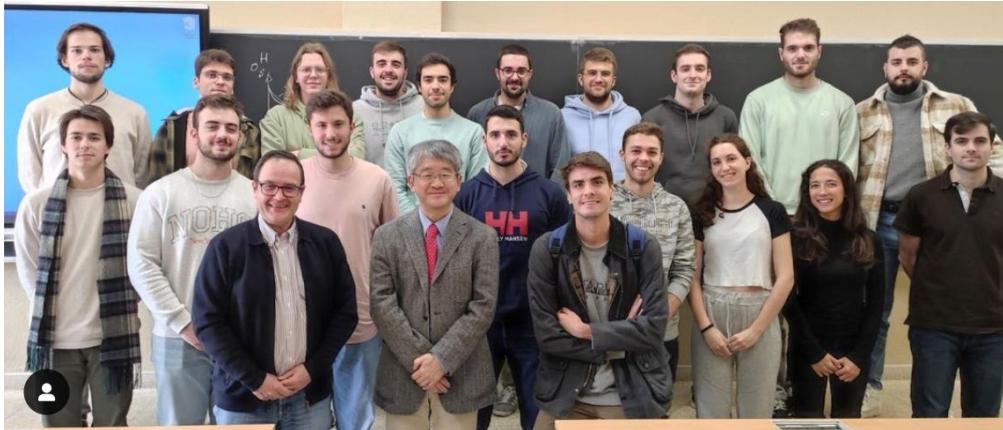
- *Carolina Ahnert*
- *David Piedra*
- ...

Guests from previous years:

- *Luiz Leal*
- *Dennis Neudeker*
- ...

3. Main Activities in our 'INGENIA-NUCLEAR'

- Divided in five groups:





3. Participation in the Nuclear Data Week

- Participation in the **Nuclear Data Week - April 2023**
 - Three students went to Paris to present the groups work during the year



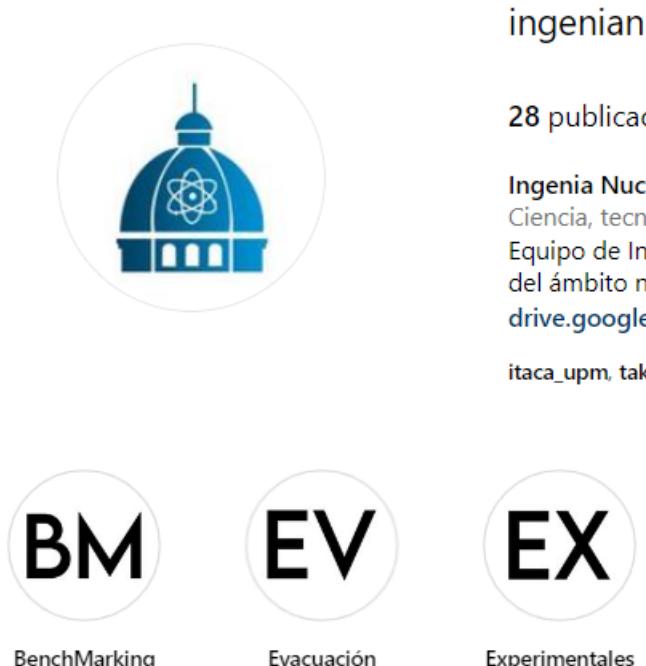
- **M. Astigarraga et al., “Benchmarking and Validation with JEFF-4T2.2”, JEFF Meeting, April 25-28, 2023 JEF/DOC-2239**
- **M. González-Torre et al., “Feedbacks on Processing and Verification for JEFF-4T2.2”, JEFF Meeting, April 25-28, JEF/DOC-2224**

The work carried out during the Ingenia was very well received and was mentioned during the summary of the day.



4. Communication in 'INGENIA-NUCLEAR'

- Another aspect on which the ingenia group has focused has been the diffusion of the activities carried out via instagram.



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