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# The EPICS Summer School 2024

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In August 2024, a team of Beamline Controls Engineers at the Synchrotron Light Source BESSY II was running the EPICS Summer School 2024, a two-week event for young engineers, computer scientists, and physicists to introduce them to the world of control systems at big science machines.

Presentations, training, guided tours of facilities, and a hands-on group project helped the trainees understand particle accelerator control systems and develop essential skills in collaboration, problem-solving, and teamwork.

The organizers plan to make this a regular event and will try to establish a collaboration between institutes to share organization and hosting.

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