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The 14th International Symposium on Very High Energy Cosmic Ray Interactions (ISVHECRI 2006), co-sponsored by the IUPAP, the Chinese Academy of Sciences, the National Natural Science Foundation of China and the China Center of Advanced Science and Technology was held at Weihai, China, during August 15-22, 2006 (http://isvhecri2006.ihep.ac.cn/). The symposium provides an important interface between cosmic ray physics and high energy physics, bringing in the latest results obtained or expected from the experiments at the high energy accelerators like the Fermilab Tevatron and the CERN Large Hadron Collider, relevant to cosmic ray studies. The proceedings of the Symposium have been published as a special volume of Nuclear Physics B, Conference Proceedings 175-176, January 2008.

Another meeting of interest for the cosmic ray community and C4 members, organized in 2006, was the 20th European Cosmic Ray Symposium, held in Lisbon, Portugal, during September 5-8, 2006. The proceedings of the symposium are available online at http://www.lip.pt/events/2006/ecrs/talks/.

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