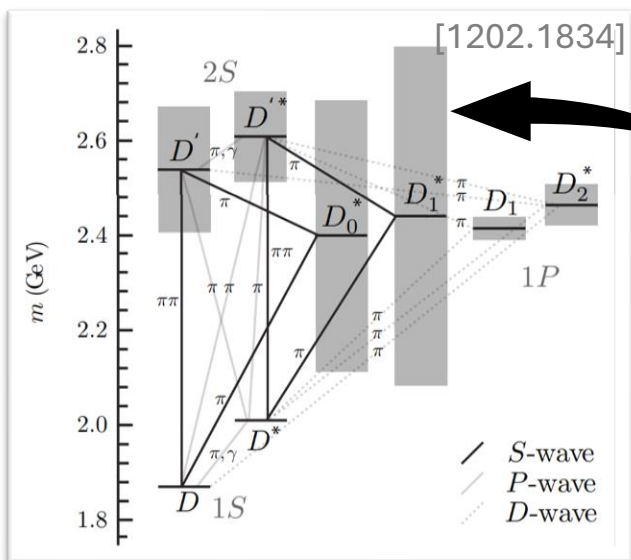


# Emmy Noether Group: Unravelling the $D^{**}$

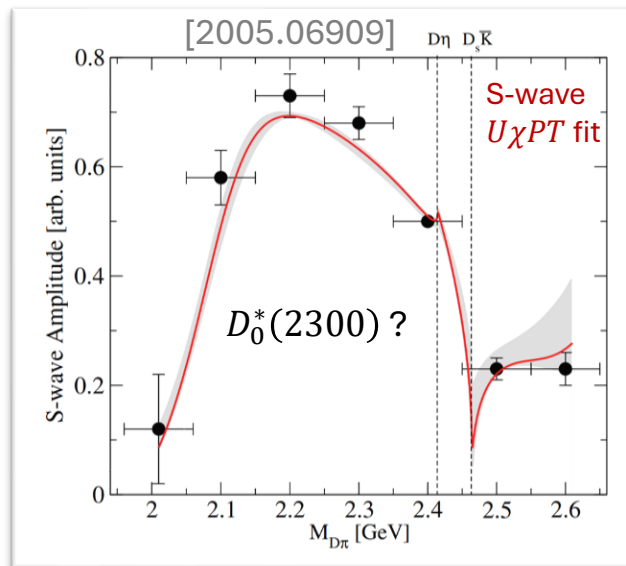
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# Unravelling the $D^{**}$

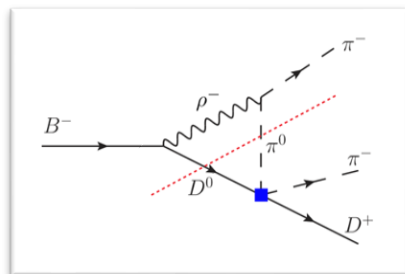


What is the nature of these broad states?

Absence of  $B \rightarrow D\rho \rightarrow D\pi\pi$  reduces the model dependence in extraction of the phase-motion

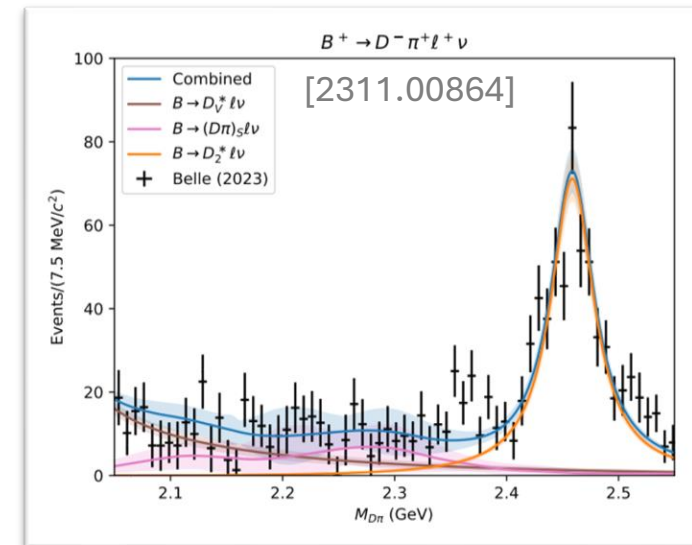
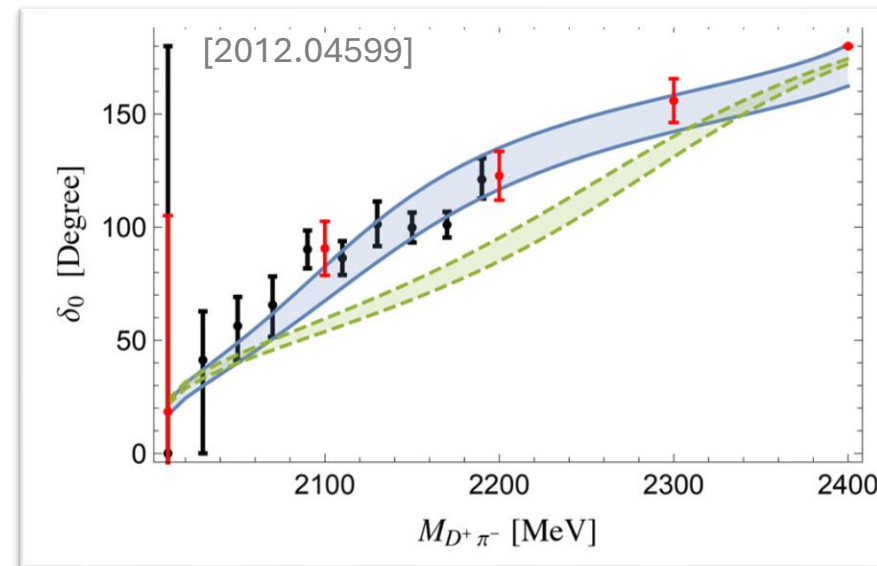


Is this bump structure a Breit-Wigner resonance or something more exotic, e.g., a two-pole structure?



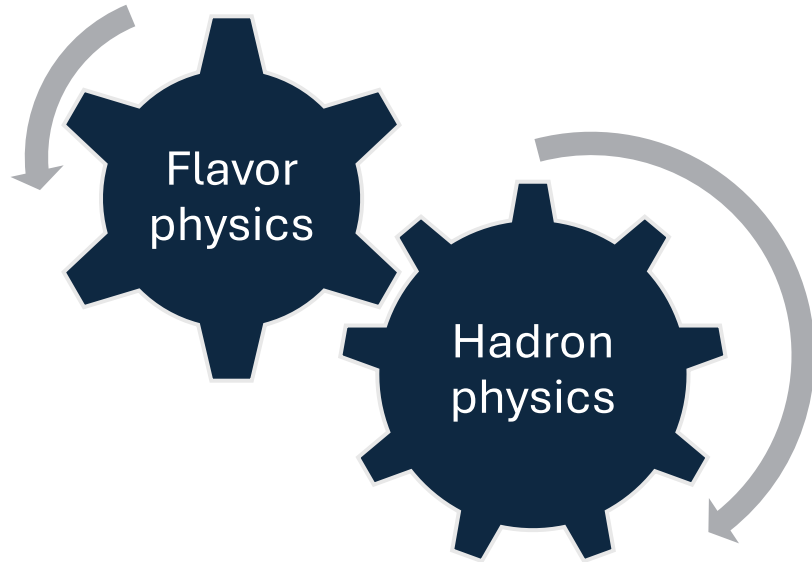
Understanding the (S-wave)  $D^{(*)}\pi$  spectrum is crucial for semileptonic analyses ( $D^{**}$  and gap modelling)

Phase-motion of **Breit-Wigner** vs two-pole structure from  $U\chi PT$



# Unravelling the $D^{**}$

Semileptonic  $B \rightarrow D^{(*)}\pi\ell\nu$



Dalitz Analyses  $B \rightarrow D^{(*)}\pi\pi$

To unravel the nature of the  $D^{**}$  we combine knowledge from hadron physics and flavor physics...

... and use it to tackle the open questions of  $|V_{cb}|$  and  $R(D^{(*)})$ , where  $B \rightarrow D^{**}\ell\nu$  decays remain an open problem.

# Unravelling the $D^{**}$ - Together

**Dalitz Analyses  $B \rightarrow D^{(*)}\pi\pi$**



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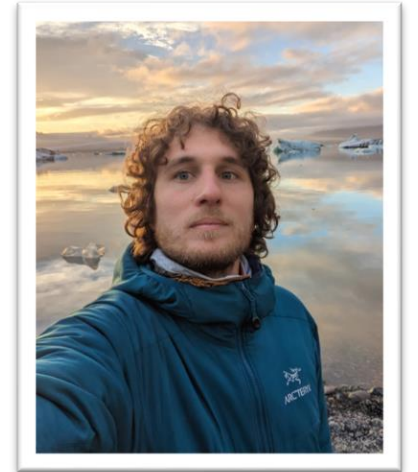


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**Semileptonic  $B \rightarrow D^{(*)}\pi\ell\nu$**



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