

# **TOPICAL DAY**

# Imaging and Image Analysis XIV

Monday, 15 May 2023, from 8:30 to 16:50 Empa, Überlandstrasse 129, Dübendorf

Online registration: www.empa-akademie.ch/imaging



# Topics

Imaging by a multitude of modalities from electron, atomic force & optical microscopy, X-ray & neutron imaging, ultrasonic and focused ion beam techniques and more, as well as different methods and techniques used for performing image analysis.

#### **Target audience**

Scientists, Ph.D.'s and post-docs working with different imaging techniques and image analysis methods. Anyone who is interested in learning about the latest developments in imaging and image analyses.

### Objectives

The series of Empa Topical Days on Imaging and Image Analysis, an event of the **Research Focus Area "Health and Performance"**, offers scientists, both from the ETH domain and from other public/private institutions, a broad platform for keeping abreast of the latest developments and for sharing experience in the fields of imaging/image analysis.

In this **14<sup>th</sup> edition**, we are very excited to be back with an in-person event after being three years online and offering an unprecedentedly broad scope of different imaging techniques involving and equally range of different **applications from material to life and medical sciences** and the corresponding image analyzes techniques.

#### **Imaging and Image Analysis**

This edition of the Topical Days on Imaging and Image Analysis, will present an unprecedentedly broad range of different methods, techniques and applications for **material**, **life and medical science problems**. It entails different **multi-dimensional** and **multi-modal** imaging methodologies ranging from microscopy by visible **light**, X-rays, neutrons, electrons, to chemical imaging by focused ion beams mass spectrometry and imaging by ultra sound and their combinations. Along with new imaging methods and the increasing availability of multi-dimensional imaging capabilities, new challenges open up for the downstream **image analysis** objectives and tasks. The invited speakers will show recent developments in these fields and tools available for the imaging community as well.

The program is organized to have a balanced distribution of talks of external speakers and talks highlighting Empa internal imaging research.

# **General Information**

Location	Empa, Überlandstrasse 129, Dübendorf
	Empa-Akademie
Costs	The event is sponsored by Empa
	and is free of charge.
Registration	www.empa-akademie.ch/imaging
Deadline	7 May 2023
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## Program

08:30 Welcome & opening remarks Robert Zboray Center for X-ray Analytics, Swiss Federal Laboratories for Materials Science and Technology (Empa), Dübendorf (Switzerland)

#### MORNING SESSION

08:40 Using nanoCT to study structure-property relationships in functional metamaterials Jakob Schwiedrzik

> Laboratory for Mechanics of Materials and Nanostructures, Swiss Federal Laboratories for Materials Science and Technology (Empa), Dübendorf (Switzerland)

09:20 Fundamentals of refractive index microscopy and its application Sung Sik Lee ScopeM: Scientific Center for Optical and Electron Microscopy, Swiss Federal Institute of Technology,

ETH Zürich (Switzerland)

09:40 Neutron imaging techniques for additive manufacturing characterization Florencia Malamud Applied Materials Group, Laboratory for Neutron Scattering and Imaging, Paul Scherrer Institute, Villigen (Switzerland)

#### 10:20 Coffee break

10:40 Development of a micro-CT scanner for virtual autopsy of fetuses and imaging of fetal development
Wolf Schweitzer<sup>1</sup>, Sabino Guglielmini<sup>2</sup> & Robert Zboray<sup>3</sup>
<sup>1</sup>Zurich Institute of Forensic Medicine, University of Zürich,
<sup>2</sup>Department for Neonatology, University Hospital Zürich and University of Zurich,
<sup>3</sup>Center for X-ray Analytics, Swiss Federal Laboratories for Materials Science and Technology (Empa), Dübendorf

(Switzerland)

11:20 Advanced Transmission Electron Microscopy for Materials Research

Marta Rossell Electron Microscopy Center, Swiss Federal Laboratories for Materials Science and Technology (Empa), Dübendorf (Switzerland)

12:00 Lunch break

# AFTERNOON SESSION

- 13:00 Protein imaging for understanding Alzheimer's disease biology Peter Nirmalraj Department Material meets Life, Swiss Federal Laboratories for Materials Science and Technology (Empa), Dübendorf (Switzerland)
- 13:40 EPFL Center for Imaging: Development of Common Software Tools for the Imaging Community Lauréne Donati, Matthieu Simeoni & Edward Ando Center for Imaging, École Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne, EPFL (Switzerland)
- 14:20 Acoustic and Elastic Full-Waveform Inversion for Medical Ultrasound Ines Ulrich & Patrik Marty Institute of Geophysics, Swiss Federal Institute of Technology, ETH Zürich (Switzerland)
- 15:00 Coffee break
- 15:30 Imaging of Light Elements at the Nanometer Scale using fibTOF Valentine Riedo TOFWERK AG, Thun (Switzerland)
- 16:10 Speckle imaging: directional dark-field and developments towards tensor tomography Ginevra Lautizi University of Trieste (Italy) & Laboratory for Macromolecules and Bioimaging, Paul Scherrer Institute (Switzerland)
- 16:50 Closing