

Monday Morning January 6 2020

7:00 **Continental breakfast**

Plenary Session Olga Kocharovskaya, Chair

7:30 **Marlan Scully**, *Texas A&M University*, “A Brief History of Quantum Laser Theory”

8:00 **Donna Strickland**, *University of Waterloo*, “From Nonlinear Optics to High-Intensity Laser Physics”

8:30 **Chris Monroe**, *Institute for Quantum Information and Computer Science and University of Maryland*, “Quantum Control of Atomic-Like Systems with Light”

Laser/PQE History

Ultrafast Technology and Applications

Optical Control and Entanglement

Modern Problems

of Quantum Systems

in Quantum Electrodynamics

Marlan Scully, Chair

Donna Strickland, Chair

Chris Monroe, Chair

Haken Türeci, Chair

9:10 **Murray Sargent III**, *Microsoft*, “Growing up with Laser Theory”

Franz Kärtner, *DESY and Universität Hamburg*, “Terahertz Generation and Acceleration”

Ania Jayich, *TBA*, “TBA”

Shanhui Fan, *Stanford University*, “Thermal supercurrent in non-reciprocal near field electromagnetic heat transfer”

9:30 **Douglas Stone**, *Yale University*, “Aspects of Laser Theory in the 21st Century”

Matthew Weidman, *Ludwig Maximilian University and Max-Planck Institute for Quantum Optics*, “Towards Petahertz Electronics”

Benjamin Bloom, *Atom Computing, Inc.*, “Alkaline Earth Atom Arrays”

Alejandro Rodriguez, *Princeton University*, “Scattering bounds on spontaneous emission and Casimir–Polder forces in nanostructured media”

9:50 **Anatoly Svidzinsky**, *Texas A&M University*, “Master equation analysis of fluctuations in an interacting Bose gas”

Jiahui Peng, *Huazhong University of Science of Technology*, “Study of build-up dynamics of passive mode-locked lasers”

James Chou, *NIST*, “Coherent Control, High-Resolution Spectroscopy of a Single Molecular Ion, and Entanglement”

Nicholas Roch, *Université Grenoble Alpes*, “Observation of many-body zero-point fluctuations in superconducting circuits”

10:10 **Frank Wise**, *Cornell University*, “Spatiotemporal Mode-Locking”

Aart Verhoef, *Texas A&M University*, “Ultrafast fiber laser technology for high-field physics and high-speed nonlinear imaging”

Julio Gea-Banacloche, *NSF and University of Arkansas*, “AMO and Quantum Information Programs at The National Science Foundation”

Hakan Türeci, *Princeton University*, “Quantum Electrodynamics with non-Hermitian Modes”

10:30 — Break —

Plenary Session Linda Young, Chair

10:50 **Naomi Halas**, *Rice University*, “Nanomaterials and Light for Sustainability and Societal Impact”

11:20 **Olga Kocharovskaya**, *Texas A&M University*, “Quantum Optics with X-rays: Dynamical Control of Resonant Interaction”

Plasmon-Enhanced Chemistry

Quantum Optics with X-rays I

Third-Order Parametric

Fundamentals of quantum mechanics

Down-Conversion

Naomi Halas, Chair

Olga Kocharovskaya, Chair

Maria Chekhova, Chair

Hichem Eleuch, Chair

12:00 **Steve Cronin**, *University of Southern California*, “Ultrafast Dynamics of Hot Electrons in Photocatalytic Nanostructures: Distinguishing the Influence on Interband and Plasmon Resonances”

Linda Young, *Argonne National Laboratory and The University of Chicago*, “Resonant propagation of x-rays from the linear to nonlinear regimes”

Maria Chekhova, *Max-Planck Institute for the Science of Light*, “Towards third-order parametric down-conversion in optical fibers”

Leon Cohen, *City University of New York*, “Quantum Methods Applied to Classical Systems”

12:20 **Jiming Bao**, *University of Houston*, “Production of long-chain hydrocarbons through CO₂ photothermal reduction using cobalt nanocrystals”

Adriana Pálffy, *Max-Planck-Institut für Kernphysik*, “Nuclear transitions for quantum control and metrology”

Benoît Boulanger, *Institute Néel*, “Triple photons”

Shi-Yao Zhu, *Zhejiang University*, “Generation of multicomponent atomic Schrödinger cat states of up to 20 qubits”

12:40 **Emiliano Cortés**, *Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität*, “Plasmonic chemical hot-spots”

Yuri Shvyd’ko, *Argonne National Laboratory*, “Cavity-Based X-ray Free-Electron Lasers: Recent Developments”

Christopher Wilson, *University of Waterloo*, “Observation of Three-Photon Spontaneous Parametric Downconversion in a Superconducting Parametric Cavity”

Godfrey Gumbs, *Hunter College of the City University of New York*, “Many Many-Body effects on the optical absorption properties of α - \mathcal{T}_3 materials interacting with light”

Monday Evening January 6 2020

Plenary Session Alexey Belyanin, Chair

- 19:00 **Vladimir Shalaev**, *Purdue University*, “Plasmonic Metamaterials Meet Quantum”
19:30 **Da-Wei Wang**, *Zhejiang University*, “Topological phases of quantized light”
20:00 **Gennady Shvets**, *Cornell University*, “Time-Varying Metamaterials: A New Paradigm in Nonlinear and Active Photonics”

Flat Optics

Vladimir Shalaev, Chair

- 20:50 **Jelena Vuckovic**, *Stanford University*, “Inverse Design of large-scale practical photonic circuits”
21:10 **Bob Boyd**, *University of Ottawa*, “Functionalized metasurfaces on an epsilon-near-zero platform”
21:30 **Noah Rubin**, *Harvard University*, “Matrix Fourier optics and compact full-Stokes polarization imaging with metasurfaces”
21:50 **Andrei Faraon**, *California Institute of Technology*, “Metaoptics: from 2D and 3D”
22:10 **Patrice Genevet**, *Université Côte d’Azur*, “Applications and integration of semiconductor-based Metasurfaces”

Topological Quantum Optics

Da-Wei Wang, Chair

- Oded Zilberberg**, *ETH Zurich*, “Dimensional reduction, topological pumps, and topological quasicrystals”
Han Cai, *Zhejiang University*, “Manipulate the Localization Length of Flatband in Thermal Vapor”
Edo Walks, *University of Maryland*, “Topological photonics with quantum light and synthetic gauge fields”
Zheng-Wei Zhou, *University of Science and Technology of China*, “Simulating and manipulating topological physics in photonics synthetic dimensions”
Gediminas Juzeliunas, *Vilnius University*, “Geometric phases and spin-orbit coupling for periodically driven systems”

Designer Metamaterials and Metasurfaces for Nonlinear Optics

Gennady Shvets, Chair

- Pierre Berini**, *University of Ottawa*, “Plasmonic heptamer-arranged nano-hole arrays”
Ritesh Agarwal, *TBA*, “TBA”
Augustine Urbas, *Air Force Research Laboratory*, “Controlling nonlinear generation via multipolar interference”
Natalia Lichinitser, *TBA*, “TBA”
Hayk Harutyunyan, *Emory University*, “Nonlinear Chiral Response of Plasmonic Hybrid Metasurfaces”

Plasmon-Enhanced Processes

Naomi Halas, Chair

- Prineha Narang**, *Harvard University*, “Cavity Control of Transformations in Quantum Matter”
Shunping Zhang, *Wuhan University*, “Nonlinear Nanophotonics based on Surface Plasmon Polaritons”
Alessandro Alabastri, *Rice University*, “Nanoscale heating for macroscale challenges: light harvesting for water desalination”
Teri Odom, *Northwestern University*, “Conformal Quantum Emitters Coupled to Plasmonic Lattices”
Hongxing Xu, *Wuhan University*, “Ultra-sensing optical spectroscopy of plasmonic nanocavity”

Tuesday Morning January 7 2020

7:00 **Continental breakfast**

Plenary Session Weng Chow, Chair

7:30 **Peter Nordlander**, *Rice University*, “Plasmon-induced hot carrier generation, relaxation, and applications”

8:00 **Amnon Yariv**, *TBA*, “TBA”

8:30 **Ernst Rasel**, *TBA*, “TBA”

Active Nanophotonics

Peter Nordlander, Chair

Applied Laser Physics

Peter Reithmaier, Chair

Atom Optics and Interferometry I

Ernst Rasel, Chair

Epsilon-Zero Optics

Howard Lee, Chair

9:10 **Arseniy Kuznetsov**, *Institute of Materials Research and Engineering in Singapore*, “Active and tunable dielectric metaoptics”

Johann Peter Reithmaier, *University of Kassel*, “Ultra-Narrow Linewidth of Quantum Dot Distributed Feedback Lasers”

Arnaud Landragin, *Universite PSL and Sorbonne Universite*, “Accurate rotation rate measurements with a cold atom Interferometer”

Eric Mazur, *Harvard University*, “Extreme optics with zero index metamaterials”

9:30 **Koray Aydin**, *Northwestern University*, “Emerging Anisotropic 2D Layered Materials for Photonics, Plasmonics and Polaritonics”

Gadi Eisenstein, *Russel Berrie Nanotechnology Institute*, “Resonant and non-resonant tunneling injection in quantum dot gain media”

Grant Biedermann, *University of Oklahoma*, “Growing complexity in quantum metrology with neutral atom spins”

Andrea Di Falco, *University of St. Andrews*, “Conformable and nonlinear epsilon near zero metamaterials”

9:50 **Jason Valentine**, *Vanderbilt University*, “Compound Metaoptics For Image Processing”

John Bowers, *University of California Santa Barbara*, “Narrow Linewidth Widely Tunable Semiconductor Lasers on Si”

Lucia Hackermuller, *TBA*, “TBA”

Yuanmu Yang, *Tsinghua University*, “Nonlinear Up- and Down-Conversion Using Epsilon-near-zero Materials”

10:10 **Alejandro Manjavacas**, *University of New Mexico*, “Analysis of the near and far field produced by plasmonic arrays”

Kent Choquette, *University of Illinois*, “Control of Complex Coupling in Micro-cavity Laser Arrays”

Jeffrey Lee, *Naval Postgraduate School*, “Progress toward a magnetically sensitive atom interferometer”

Howard Lee, *Baylor University and Texas A&M University*, “Epsilon-near-zero Optics in Planar and Optical Fiber Platform”

10:30

— Break —

Plenary Session Mark Saffman, Chair

10:50 **Peter Zoller**, *University of Innsbruck and Austrian Academy of Sciences*, “Cross-Platform Verification of Intermediate Scale Quantum Devices”

11:20 **Warwick Bowen**, *University of Queensland*, “Superfluid thin-film optomechanics: Coherent vortex dynamics, cooling and Brillouin lasing”

Programmable Quantum Simulators and Quantum Sensors

Peter Zoller, Chair

Strongly-Interacting Superfluids

Warwick Bowen, Chair

Quantum Optics with X-rays II

Jörg Evers, Chair

Quantum and Spin Photonics

Zubin Jacob, Chair

12:00 **Adam Kaufman**, *JILA*, “Atom arrays of ultracold strontium: new tools for many-body physics and metrology”

Jack Harris, *Yale University*, “Single-phonon quantum optomechanics experiments in a superfluid-filled cavity”

David Reis, *Stanford PULSE Institute*, “Nonequilibrium lattice dynamics measurements”

Andrew Weiner, *Purdue University*, “Frequency Bin Photonic Entanglement: Characterization and Control”

12:20 **Hannes Pichler**, *Caltech*, “Quantum Algorithms with Rydberg atom arrays”

John Davis, *University of Alberta*, “Can a superfluid break translational symmetry?”

Christian Ott, *Max-Planck-Institut für Kernphysik*, “Strongly driving resonant transitions with intense XUV pulses”

Zubin Jacob, *Purdue University*, “Spin-1 Maxwellian Phases of Matter”

12:40 **Mark Saffman**, *University of Wisconsin-Madison*, “Quantum computing in 2D atomic arrays”

David Schuster, *TBA*, “TBA”

Davide Bleiner, *Swiss Federal Laboratories for Materials & Technology and University of Zurich*, “Table-top two-color soft X-ray laser by means of Ni-like plasmas”

Hong Tang, *Yale University*, “Integrated photon sources and detectors on $\chi(2)$ waveguide platform”

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Plenary Session Ron Folman, Chair

- 19:00 **Ralf Röhlsberger**, *BESY*, “When X-rays go Quantum: From Cavity QED to Quantum Imaging”
19:30 **Nikolay Zheludev**, *University of Southampton and Nanyang Technological University*, “Optical super-resolution beyond $\lambda/100$ through artificial intelligence”
20:00 **Dana Anderson**, *ColdQuanta, Inc. and University of Colorado*, “Coherent Matterwave Emission from an Atomtronic Transistor Oscillator”

X-ray and Nuclear Quantum Optics

Ralf Röhlsberger, Chair

Artificial Intelligence and Nanophotonics

Nikolay Zheludev, Chair

Atomtronics

Dana Anderson/Barry Garraway, Chair

Quantum Photonics

Peter Nordlander, Chair

- 20:50 **Jörg Evers**, *Max Planck Institute for Nuclear Physics*, “Towards fast adaptive resonant X-ray optics”
21:10 **Lars Bocklage**, *DESY*, “X-ray quantum phase control with transient magnons”
21:30 **Christina Bömer**, *European X-ray Free Electron Laser*, “Systematic Investigation of X-rays Quantum Frequency Conversion into Visible and Ultraviolet Photons”
21:50 **Joachim von Zanthier**, *University of Erlangen*, “Quantum imaging with incoherently scattered light from Free-Electron Lasers”
22:10 **Bernhard Adams**, *Quantum Optics Applied Research*, “Hanbury Brown–Twiss Astronomy with Ultrafast Imaging Photon Detectors to Measure the Hubble Constant”
- Alexandra Boltasseva**, *Purdue University*, “Advancing Photonic Device Design with Machine Learning”
Daniel Brunner, *CNRS and FEMTO-ST*, “Towards scalable Photonic Neural Networks”
Claudio Conti, *National Research Council and University Sapeinza*, “Wave complexity and computation”
Junsuk Rho, *Pohang University of Science and Technology*, “Nanophotonics and deep-learning”
Nader Engheta, *Univeristy of Pennsylvania*, “Photonic Mathematics with Metasstructures and Mach-Zehnder Interferometers (MZIs)”
- Mark Edwards**, *Georgia Southern University*, “Mechanism for smooth flow production in atom circuits by stirring”
Malcolm Boshier, *Los Alamos National Laboratory*, “Atomtronic Rotation Sensors”
Ron Folman, *Ben-Gurion University of the Negev*, “A T^3 Stern-Gerlach matter-wave interferometer on the atom chip”
Barry Garraway, *University of Sussex*, “Dressing ultra-cold atoms for circuits, shells and lattices”
John Howell, *Hebrew University of Jerusalem*, “Towards a White Hole: An Optics Approach to Radiative Cooling”
- Jennifer Dionne**, *TBA*, “TBA”
Tigran Shahbazyan, *Jackson State University*, “Transition to strong coupling regime for quantum emitters coupled to a plasmonic resonator”
Stephen Gray, *Argonne National Laboratory*, “Energy Propagation in Strongly Coupled Quantum Dot/Lattice Plasmon Systems”
Javier Aizpurua, *San Sebastian (CSIC-UPV/EHU) and DIPC*, “Sub-femtosecond Electron Transport in a Nanoscale Gap”
Henry Everitt, *U.S. Army Combat Capabilities Development Command Aviation and Missile Center and Duke University*, “Widely tunable compact terahertz gas lasers”

Wednesday Morning January 8 2020

7:00 **Continental breakfast**

Plenary Session George Welch, Chair

7:30 **William Unruh**, *University of BC and Texas A&M University*, “Time Gravity and Quantum Mechanics”

8:00 **Alexei Sokolov**, *Texas A&M University*, “Applications of molecular coherence — from stand-off detection to nano-sensing — from ultrafast physics to biophotonics”

8:30 **Yoshihisa Yamamoto**, *NTT Research*, “Quantum Neural Network — connecting Quantum and Brain with Optics”

Molecular Coherence Phenomena

2-D Materials

Architectures and Materials for Photonic Networks

Atom Optics and Interferometry II

Deniz Yavuz, Chair

Alexandra Boltasseva, Chair

Yoshi Yamamoto, Chair

Frank Narducci, Chair

9:10 **Masayuki Katsuragawa**, *University of Electro-Communications*, “Designing nonlinear optical processes: Attractive rout to high resolution laser spectroscopy in the vacuum ultraviolet region”

Susanne Yelin, *University of Connecticut and Harvard*, “Quantum-level applications of 2D dipole arrays”

Helmut Katzgraber, *Microsoft*, “Quantum-driven classical optimization”

Frank Narducci, *Naval Postgraduate School*, “Asymmetry and coherence in continuous-beam atom interferometers”

9:30 **Benjamin Strycker**, *BRIC and Texas A&M University*, “Stimulated Raman Backscattering Amplification in Plasmas and Gases”

Alexey Belyanin, *Texas A&M University*, “Optical Hall effect and extreme anisotropy of surface polaritons in Weyl semimetals”

Ryan Hamerly, *MIT*, “Towards Large-Scale Photonic Accelerators for Deep Learning”

Mark Havey, *Old Dominion University*, “Raman Scattering and Atom Counting in Cold Rubidium Gas”

9:50 **Fetah Benabid**, *Université de Limoges*, “In-fiber gas-phase nanostructuring and dispersion control for non-classical light sources”

Dimitri Voronine, *University of South Florida*, “Quantum Biosensing with 2D Materials”

Marty Fejer, *Stanford University*, “Ultrabroadband Nonlinear Optics in Nanophotonic Periodically Poled Lithium Niobate Waveguides”

Zhifan Zhou, *Ben-Gurion University of the Negev*, “An experimental test of the geodesic rule proposition for the non-cyclic geometric phase”

10:10 **Volker Deckert**, *Leibniz Institute of Photonic Technology*, “Plasmon Enhanced Probe Spectroscopies Structural Investigation of Nanoscale Objects”

Jha Pankaj, *California Institute of Technology*, “Building a Quantum Hardware with Color Centers in Atomically Thin Crystals”

Matthew Pelton, *University of Maryland*, “Coupled Quantum-Dot/Plasmonic Nanoparticle Assembles for Low-Power Optical Nonlinearities”

Michael Manicchia, *Naval Postgraduate School*, “Dual continuous cold atom beam accelerometer/gyroscope”

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— Break —

Plenary Session Virgil Sanders, Chair

10:50 **Marlan Scully**, *TAMU, Baylor, Princeton*, “Presentation of the 2020 Willis E. Lamb Award for Laser Science and Quantum Optics”

11:20 **Mikhail Lukin**, *Harvard University*, “New frontier of quantum science and engineering”

Quantum Physics

Quantum Optics with X-rays III

Nonlinear optics and optical frequency combs in microresonators

Novel Optics

Mikhail Lukin, Chair

David Reis, Chair

Tobias Kippenberg, Chair

Volker Deckert, Chair

12:00 **Luiz Davidovich**, *Federal University of Rio de Janeiro*, “Quantum Metrology of Open Systems: Exact solutions”

Barry Walker, *University of Delaware*, “Ultrafast K-shell Hole Creation from Strong and Ultrastrong Laser REscattering: optimized Wavelength and Intensity Yields for Lithium to Uranium”

Tobias Kippenberg, *EPFL*, “Photonic-chip based soliton microcombs”

Jian Zi, *Fudan University*, “Bound states in-the-continuum in periodic photonic systems: observations and polarization-state manipulations”

12:20 **János Bergou**, *Hunter College of the City University of New York*, “90 years after the Bohr-Einstein debate: Complementarity revisited”

Wen-Te Liao, *National Central University*, “Control and production of nuclear excitations, from free space to a cladding x-ray waveguide”

Xinhao Li, *Massachusetts Institute of Technology*, “Modeling Colloidal-Quantum-Dot Plasmonic Laser as Excitable Spike Neuron”

Zhenrong Zhang, *Baylor University*, “Nano-focusing of light with optical fiber-plasmonic hybrid probe”

12:40 **Giacomo Torlai**, *TBA*, “Enhancing quantum simulators with neural networks”

Uwe Thumm, *Kansas State University*, “Ro-vibrational dynamics and stabilization of laser-excited O_2^+ ”

Takasumi Tanabe, *Keio University*, “Generation of clustered comb with dispersion controlled high-Q crystalline whispering gallery mode microcavity fabricated with mechanical machining”

Eugeniy Mikhailov, *William & Mary University*, “Tuning laser frequency response from low to high with dispersion”

Wednesday Evening January 8 2020

Plenary Session Václav Špička, Chair

19:00 **Mercedeh Khajavikhan**, TBA, “TBA”

19:30 **Hui Cao**, Yale University, “Physics and Application of Complex Lasers”

20:00 **Jorge Rocca**, Colorado State University, “Relativistic nanophotonics: creating extreme plasma conditions and fields with ultrafast lasers”

Physics of Semiconductor Nanolasers

Mercedeh Khajavikhan, Chair

Physics and Applications of Complex Lasers

Hui Cao, Chair

Ultra-Intense Laser/Matter Int + X-ray Lasers

Jorge Rocca, Chair

Harris Fest: Current Research by Steve's Former Students

Alexei Sokolov, Chair

20:50 **Markus Lindemann**, Rhur-University Bochum, “Ultrafast Spin-Lasers”

Ortwin Hess, Imperial College London and Trinity College Dublin, “Spatio-Temporal Near-Field and Multi-Mode Dynamics of Large-Area and Disordered Semiconductor Lasers”

Matthias Fuchs, University of Nebraska–Lincoln, “Enhanced performance and controllability of compact laser-driven high-brightness X-ray sources”

Andy Kung, National Tsing Hua University, “Single-cycle pulses — from molecular modulation to multi-plate pulse compression”

21:10 **Hui Deng**, University of Michigan, “Coherent Light-Matter Interactions in 2D Semiconductors”

Marc Sciamanna, CentraleSupélec, “Collective dynamics of semiconductor laser modes”

Felicie Albert, TBA, “TBA”

Deniz Yavuz, University of Wisconsin, “Toward Continuous-Wave Molecular Modulation Using Glass Microresonators”

21:30 **Alejandro Yacomotti**, Université Paris, “Towards few photon bifurcations in coupled nanolasers”

Fan-Yi Lin, National Tsing Hua University, “Generations of chaos-modulated pulses for 3D pulsed chaos lidars”

Carmen Menoni, Colorado State University, “Optical interference coatings for high performance peta-watt class lasers”

Danielle Braje, MIT Lincoln Laboratory, “Solid State Magnetometers Designed for Deployability”

21:50 **Stephan Reitzenstein**, Technische Universität Berlin, “Micropillar Lasers with Site-controlled Quantum Dots as Active Medium”

Delphine Wolfersberger, Centrale-Supélec, “Emerging applications from photorefractive nonlinear photonics”

Cameron Geddes, Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory, “Compact ultrafast accelerators and photon sources using laser-plasma acceleration”

Shengwang Du, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology, “Narrow-band Biphotons: Generation, Manipulation, and Applications”

22:10 **Weng Chow**, Sandia National Laboratories, “Mode locking in a single-section semiconductor laser: theory and experiment”

Simon Mahler, Weizmann Institute of Science, “Solving combinatorial problems with coupled lasers”

Bedros Afeyan, Polymath Research Inc., “Challenges in the Nonlinear Optics of High Energy Density Plasmas: Memory and Self-Organization, Control, Inverse Problems and Machine Learning”

Sharon Schwartz, Bar Ilan University, “Observation of strong nonlinear interactions in parametric downconversion of X-rays into ultraviolet radiation”

Thursday Morning January 9 2020

7:00 **Continental breakfast**

Plenary Session Frank Narducci, Chair

7:30 **Gershon Kurizki**, *Weizmann Institute of Science*, “Machines Powered by Heat and Information: Is Quantumness an Advantage?”

8:00 **Federico Capasso**, *Harvard University*, “Multifunctional Flat Optics: High Performance Components to Cameras”

8:30 **Wolfgang Schleich**, *Universität Ulm*, “Hawking radiation and the logarithmic phase singularity”

Quantum Thermodynamic Machines

MetaQuantum

Atom Optics and Interferometry III

Rydberg Physics with Applications to Quantum Information Science
Svetlana Malinovskaya, Chair

Gershon Kurizki, Chair

Federico Capasso, Chair

Wolfgang Schleich, Chair

9:10 **Özgür Müstecaplıoğlu**, *Koç University*, “Quantum Fules for Quantum Machines”

Mark Brongersma, *TBA*, “TBA”

Robert Thompson, *TBA*, “TBA”

Svetlana Malinovskaya, *Stevens Institute of Technology*, “Chirped pulse entanglement of Rydberg atoms”

9:30 **Nir Bar-Gill**, *Hebrew University*, “Enhanced polarization transfer and many-body dynamics in spin ensembles in diamond”

Xingjie Ni, *Pennsylvania State University*, “Nonreciprocal Light Propagation with a Time-Varying Metasurface”

Naceur Gaaloul, *Leibniz University of Hanover*, “Atom optics experiments in space with the Cold Atom Laboratory facility”

Alexey Gorshkov, *NIST/University of Maryland*, “Nondestructive cooling of an atomic quantum register via state-insensitive Rydberg Interactions”

9:50 **Fred Jendrzejewski**, *Universität Heidelberg*, “Quantized refrigerator for an atomic cloud”

Marko Lončar, *Harvard University*, “Photonic and Phononic Interfaces for Diamond Spin Qubits”

Jason Williams, *California Institute of Technology*, “Maturing Space-Based Precision Metrology with Atom Interferometer Studies Aboard the ISS”

Irina Novikova, *William & Mary University*, “Optical Quantum States Control via Four-wave Mixing in Rb vapor”

10:10 **Eilon Poem**, *Weizmann Institute of Science*, “Experimental demonstration of quantum effects in the operation of microscopic heat engines”

Andrea Alu, *TBA*, “TBA”

Matthias Meister, *Ulm University*, “The Space Atom Laser: An isotropic source for ultracold atoms aboard the International Space Station”

Robin Côté, *University of Massachusetts Boston*, “Rydberg electrons as a sensitive probe”

10:30 — Break —

Plenary Session Luiz Davidovich, Chair

10:50 **Mark Raizen**, *University of Texas*, “Zooming in on Brownian Motion with Einstein’s Speed Demon”

11:20 **Chao-Yang Lu**, *University of Science and Technology of China*, “Scalable photonic quantum technologies”

Measurement of Physical Forces on the Nanoscale

Photonic Quantum Computing

Open Systems

Optical Resonators: Physics and Applications

Mark Raizen, Chair

Chao-Yang Lu, Chair

Yuri Rostovtsev, Chair

Lan Yang, Chair

12:00 **Paulo Maia Neto**, *Universidade Federal do Rio de Janeiro*, “Probing the screening of the Casimir interaction with optical tweezers”

Richard Warburton, *TBA*, “TBA”

Václav Špička, *Academy of Sciences of the Czech Republic*, “Dynamics of open systems and quantum transport theory”

Frank Vollmer, *University of Exeter*, “Single-Molecule Sensing: Light waves meet molecular machines”

12:20 **Giorgio Gratta**, *Stanford University*, “Measuring gravity at short distances and other fun tricks with levitated microspheres”

Glenn Solomon, *TBA*, “TBA”

Peter Keefe, *University of Detroit Mercy*, “Thermodynamics of Mesoscopic Superconductors”

Tal Carmon, *TBA*, “TBA”

12:40 **Jeremy Munday**, *University of California*, “Casimir forces and torques”

Li-Ping Yang, *Purdue University*, “Single-Photon Detection Using Quantum Phase Transitions”

Roland Allen, *Texas A&M University*, “An ideal dark matter scenario and the experimental evidence supporting it”

Lan Yang, *Washington University*, “Explore Chiral Modes at Exceptional Points in Whispering-Gallery-Mode Resonators”

19:00 **Mete Atature**, *TBA*, “TBA”

19:30 **Ren-Bao Liu**, *The Chinese University of Hong-Kong*, “Quantum Sensing, sensing quantum”

20:00 **Ron Folman**, *Ben-Gurion University of the Negev*, “TBA”

Semiconductor Quantum Optics

Mete Atature, Chair

Diamond Quantum Sensing

Ren-Bao Liu, Chair

Quantum Informatics

Ron Folman, Chair

Atom Optics and Interferometry IV

Wolfgang Schleich, Chair

20:50 **Janik Wolters**, *German Aerospace Center*, “Vapor Cell memories for single photons”

21:10 **Florian Katsch**, *Technische Universität Berlin*, “Theory of ultrafast excitonic dynamics in TMDCs: Exciton scattering induced dephasing and pump-probe spectroscopy”

21:30 **Marcelo Davanco**, *NIST*, “Heterogeneous integrated silicon photonic circuits with deterministically fabricated single quantum dot single-photon sources”

21:50 **Frank Jahnke**, *University of Bremen*, “Quantum-dot-like states and excited-carrier effects in atomically thin transition metal dichalcogenide semiconductors”

22:10 **Yue Luo**, *Harvard University*, “Plasmonic cavity enhanced single photon emission from low-dimensional materials”

Quan Li, *The Chinese University of Hong Kong*, “Measuring soft matters using nanodiamond based orientation sensing”

Peter Maurer, *The University of Chicago*, “Diamond quantum nanosensors for probing complex biological processes”

Jean-Francois Roch, *TBA*, “TBA”

Philip Hemmer, *Texas A&M University*, “Color-center engineering in diamond”

David Simpson, *University of Melbourne*, “Bio-Sensing and imaging with diamond quantum probes”

Peter Drummond, *Swinburne University of Technology*, “Dynamics of cat-states and quantum tunneling in quantum circuits”

Vanderlei Bagnato, *University of São Paulo*, “Turbulent BEC: Demonstration of Nonthermal States and Universal Scaling Properties”

Vladimir Malinovsky, *US Army Research Laboratory*, “Universal pulse shapes of beam splitter and mirror for arbitrary large area atom interferometer”

Alexey Akimov, *Texas A&M University*, “Toward quantum simulation with Thulium atom”

Barnabas Kim, *Texas A&M University*, “Correlation inside Canonical Ensemble through the investigation on Ideal Bose Gas”

Lisa Wörner, *University of Bremen*, “Quantum Gases Aboard the ISS-the BECCAL Project”

Denys Bondar, *Tulane University*, “When is it easier for a quantum particle to tunnel through than to fly above a barrier?”

Gary Rozenman, *Tel-Aviv University*, “Black Hole Physics, Kennard Phase and Surface Gravity Water Waves”

Paulo Nussenzweig, *Universidade de São Paulo*, “Challenging conventional wisdom with Optical Parametric Oscillators”

Philippe Bouyer, *CNRS-IOGS*, “Atom interferometry for advanced geodesy and gravitational wave observation”

Friday Morning January 10 2020

7:00 **Continental breakfast**

Plenary Session Peter Keefe, Chair

7:30 **Paul Corkum**, *University of Ottawa*, “Combining vector beams and coherent control to generate large THz magnetic field transients”

8:00 **Leonid Butov**, *University of California at San Diego*, “Condensation of indirect excitons”

8:30 **Franco Nori**, *RIKEN and University of Michigan*, “Quantum Nonlinear Optics without Photons, how to excite two or more atoms simultaneously with a single photon, and other unusual properties of ultra-strongly-coupled QED systems.”

Controlling Light to Control Materials

Paul Corkum, Chair

Exciton Condensation

Leonid Butov, Chair

Quantum Superpositions

Franco Nori, Chair

Photon Physics

Vladimir Malinovsky, Chair

9:10 **Peter Hommelhoff**, *Universität Erlangen*, “Ultrafast physics in graphene and across graphene-SiC interface”

Peter Abbamonte, *University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign*, “Suppression of the exciton Bose condensate in TiSe_2Cu_x by electron doping”

Margaret Reid, *Swinburne University of Technology*, “Macroscopic realism, time and the Q-function model of reality”

Andrei Afanasev, *George Washington University*, “Angular Momentum and Polarization Transfer from Twisted Light to Atoms”

9:30 **Shima Mirzaeimoghader**, *University of Central Florida*, “Symmetry and High Harmonic Generation from Crystalline Solids”

Jie Shan, *Cornell University*, “Interlayer exciton condensation in atomic double layers”

John Reintjes, *KeyW Corp*, “Temporal Resolution in Photon Correlations”

Hichem Eleuch, *Abu Dhabi University*, “Harmonic-Like Potentials: New Classes of Potentials with Exact Energies and Eigenfunctions”

9:50 **Guilio Vampa**, *SLAC National Accelerator Laboratory*, “Beating absorption in solid-state high harmonics”

Luis Jauregui, *University of California at Irvine*, “Interlayer Excitons and Magneto-Exciton Condensation in van der Waals Heterostructures”

Byoung Ham, *Gwangju Institute of Science and Technology*, “Understanding of quantum superposition for unconditional security in classical key distribution”

Edward Fry, *Texas A&M University*, “High Sensitivity Optical Absorption Studies”

10:10 **Ravi Bhardwaj**, *University of Ottawa*, “Spatially controlled nanostructuring of silicon with light”

Philippe St-Jean, *Université Paris-Saclay*, “Measuring topological invariants in polaritonic lattices”

Sergey Polyakov, *NIST*, “Energy efficient classical communication via a quantum-measurement-inspired protocol”

Fu-li Li, *Xi'an Jiaotong University*, “Efficient tomography of orbital angular momentum states of photons”

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— Break —

Plenary Session Bob Boyd, Chair

10:50 **Girish Agarwal**, *Texas A&M University*, “Magnons: New Platform for Quantum Optics and Quantum Information Science”

11:20 **Harry Atwater**, *California Institute of Technology*, “Laser Lightsails”

Macroscopic Magnon Systems

Girish Agarwal, Chair

Radiation Pressure Manipulation and Propulsion

Harry Atwater, Chair

Novel Detection Systems

Fu-li Li, Chair

Quantum Sensors for Fundamental Physics

Kater Murch, Chair

12:00 **Can-Ming Hu**, *University of Manitoba*, “Unidirectional Invisibility in Cavity Magnonics”

Grover Swartzlander, *Rochester Institute of Technology*, “Radiation Pressure and Beam Riding with a Space Variant Grating”

Yuri Rostovtsev, *University of North Texas*, “A novel resonant single frequency molecular detection with high sensitivity and selectivity for gas mixtures”

Shimon Kolkowitz, *University of Wisconsin – Madison*, “Searching for new physics with differential optical lattice clock comparisons”

12:20 **Yasunobu Nakamura**, *University of Tokyo and RIKEN Center for Emergent Matter Science*, “Quantum magnonics in a millimeter-scale ferromagnetic sphere”

Kevin Webb, *Purdue University*, “Enhanced Optical Force with Nanostructured Material”

Narangerel Altangerel, *Texas A&M University*, “Applied Raman spectroscopy: Analyzing animal characteristics by their feces”

Igor Pikovski, *Stockholm University and Stevens Institute of Technology*, “Quantum optics in the presence of time dilation”

12:40 **Michael E. Tobar**, *University of Western Australia*, “Implementations of Cavity-Magnon Polariton Systems: from Ultra Strong Coupling to Applications in Precision Measurement and Fundamental Physics”

Mikhail Kats, *University of Wisconsin-Madison*, “Engineering of optical forces and thermoregulation of laser sails for light spacecraft”

Zhedong Zhang, *Texas A&M University*, “Quantum cooperativity in Living Matter”

Andrew Jayich, *UC Santa Barbara*, “Radium: a platform for precision measurement”

Friday Evening January 10 2020

Plenary Session Marlan Scully, Chair

19:00 **Vanderlei Bagnato**, *University of São Paulo*, “Microbiological control with photodynamic action: new hope against resistant bacterias”

19:30 **Vladislav Yakovlev**, "from Quantum Physics To Quantum Chemistry and Quantum Biology

20:00 **Shaul Mukamel**, *TBA*, “TBA”

Quantum mechanics in curved and living platforms

William Unruh, Chair

Non-Classical Biophysics and Imaging

Vladislav Yakovlev, Chair

Quantum Molecular Physics

Shaul Mukamel, Chair

Coherent and Enhanced AMO

Anatoly Svidzinsky, Chair

20:50 **Jonathan Ben-Benjamin**, *Texas A&M University*, "The Unruh and Moore effects, and equivalence between accelerating frames"

Leonid Krivitsky, *Institute of Materials Research and Engineering*, “Infrared metrology with visible light”

Konstantin Dorfman, *East China Normal University*, “Four-wave mixing spectroscopy with squeezed light”

Christian Bressler, *European XFEL*, “Femtosecond X-Ray Experiments at European XFEL”

Wei Xiong, *UC San Diego*, “Ultrafast Nonlinear Dynamics and Coupling between Molecular Polaritons in Different Cavities”

Zhenhuan Yi, *Texas A&M University*, “Enhancing Coherent Anti-Stokes scattering with IR”

Yogesh Patil, *TBA*, “Measuring the Topological Structure Around a Triple Exceptional Point”

21:10 **Arash Azizi**, *Texas A&M University*, “TBA”

21:30 **Tuguldur Begzjav**, *Texas A&M University*, “TBA”

Joel Bixler, *TBA*, “TBA”

21:50 **TBA**, *TBA*, “TBA”

Wolfgang Losert, *TBA*, “TBA”

22:10 **TBA**, *TBA*, “TBA”

Dmitry Kurouski, *Texas A&M University*, “Observation of Hot-Carrier Driven Chemical Reaction by TERS”

Pavel Polynkin, *The University of Arizona*, “Spectral interference in short-wave and mid-wave infrared laser filaments in gases”

Luca Argenti, *University of Florida*, “Circular Holographic Ionization-Phase Meter”

Arvinder Sandhu, *University of Arizona*, “Probing electronic couplings with XUV transient spectroscopy”

Zhe He, *Texas A&M University*, “Tip enhanced chemical mapping of DNA/RNA at single-molecule resolution”

Mariia Shutova, *Texas A&M University*, “Nanoantennas for chiral single-molecule spectroscopy”

Kai Wang, *Texas A&M University*, “Studies of Atomic Hydrogen Superfluorescence in Flames Using Femtosecond Pump-Probe Spectroscopy”