Nanophysics, nanotechnology and materials science

Nanotechnology exploits material properties which are markedly different from the behavior observed on macroscopic as well as on molecular scales.

In the 10-100 nm submicron regime new phenomena emerge opening new routes to the design and fabrication of devices with novel functionalities as well as to the engineering of individual material parameters.

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Ongoing ERC projects in the field of quantum-electronics and spin-dynamics:

Cooper pairs as a source of entanglement (CooPerEnt: 2011-2016)

Spin dynamics and transport at the quantum edge in low dimensional nanomaterials (SYLO: 2010-2015)



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Cooper pairs as a source of entanglement (CooPerEnt: 2011-2016)

Szabolcs Csonka



Nature (2009) doi:10.1038/nature08432

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Cooper pair splitter realized in a two-quantum-dot Y-junction

L. Hofstetter¹*, S. Csonka^{1,2}*, J. Nygård³ & C. Schönenberger¹

Entanglement and non-locality are spectacular fundamentals of quantum mechanics and basic resources of future quantumcomputation algorithms.







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Cooper pairs as a source of entanglement (CooPerEnt: 2011-2016)



In order to preserve quantum coherence the thermal fluctuation has to be suppressed, which requires low temperature environment. Our laboratory is equipped with several cryogenic equipments to allow transport measurements in the temperature range of 300K-18mK.

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Spin dynamics and transport at the quantum edge in low dimensional nanomaterials (SYLO: 2010-2015)

Nature Scientific Reports (2014) doi:10.1038/srep03233

Ferenc Simon





OPEN A unified theory of spin-relaxation due to SUBJECT AREAS: SPINIFICALS SPINI

Péter Boross^{1,2}, Balázs Dóra^{1,3}, Annamária Kiss^{1,4} & Ferenc Simon¹

A promising route to maintain the exponential growth capability of the information technology is to turn the electron spins as information carriers rather than their charge.





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István Kézsmárki Magneto-optical Spectroscopy 2014-2019



Robert Gyurcsányi Chemical Nanosensors 2013-2018



Gábor Takács Statistical Field Theory 2012-2017



Gergely Zaránd

Exotic Quantum Phase 2011-2016



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Magneto-optical Spectroscopy (2014-2019) István Kézsmárki



Smart materials, like *multiferroics*, *magnetoelectric metamaterials* and *magnetic nanoparticles* — open new horizons in photonics, optical biosensing and optical diagnostics.

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Chirality of matter shows up via spin excitations





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One-way transparency of four-coloured spin-wave excitations in multiferroic materials

I. Kézsmárki, D. Szaller, S. Bordács, V. Kocsis, Y. Tokunaga, Y. Taguchi, H. Murakawa, Y. Tokura, H. Engelkamp, T. Rőőm & U. Nagel

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Chemical Nanosensors (2013-2018) Robert Gyurcsányi







Active nanostructure materials:

- potentiometric sensors, based on solidstate ion channel
- individual biological ion channels in a solid state environment
- fabrication of thin polymer films with a surface imprint capable of selectively binding proteins.

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Magnetic nanoparticle based optical biosensing



Easy-to-use and cost-effective device for the clinical and in-field malaria diagnosis.

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Nature Scientific Reports doi:10.1038/srep01431 (2013)

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Malaria pigment crystals as magnetic micro-rotors: key for high-sensitivity diagnosis

A. Butykai¹, A. Orbán¹, V. Kocsis¹, D. Szaller¹, S. Bordács¹, E. Tátrai-Szekeres¹, L. F. Kiss², A. Bóta³, B. G. Vértessy^{4,5}, T. Zelles⁶ & I. Kézsmárki¹



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The utilization of the novel achievements in nanotechnology may provide revolutionary solutions for various current economical challenges.



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