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SQUIRREL – Sensing Quantum Information Correlations
PLASMONANOQUANTA – Frontiers in Plasmonics: Transformation Optics, Quantum and Nonlinear Phenomena
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POLAFLOW – Polariton Condensates: From Fundamental Physics to Quantum Based Devices
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Classical and Quantum Electrodynamics of Light-matter Coupling
Protein-based Electronics
Strongly Correlated Electrons in Quantum Materials and in Far from Equilibrium Nanostructures
Quantum and Nonlinear Phenomena in Plasmonics
NANOQUO – Nanostructures for Quantum Optics
Correlated Electrons in Hybrid Nanostructures: From Transport Properties to Quantum Information Processing
Theoretical Description of Wave Propagation in Magneto-Plasmonic Nanostructures
Self-Assembling Materials: Theory and Simulation
Force-for-Future – Advanced Force Technology for Future Nanomechanics and Nanomedicine
Structure and Dynamics of Complex Fluids and their Interfaces

Category: Job Opportunities

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Postdoctoral Position Available at IFIMAC and FTMC on Classical and Quantum Electrodynamics of light-matter Coupling – Closed
Pre-doctoral Training Program at IFIMAC – Center of Excellence Severo Ochoa 2015 – Closed
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Cooling By Cooper Pair Splitting
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Resonant Tunneling in Protein-based Junctions
Peltier Cooling in Molecular Junctions
Triggering Many Molecular Reactions With a Single Photon
Solving the Mystery of the Strikingly Different Mechanical Response of Nucleic Acids
Enhancing Radiative Heat Transfer With Silicon Metasurfaces
Zero-energy Pinning from Interactions in Majorana Nanowires
Computational Simulation of Photochemical Reactions in DNA
Quantized Thermal Transport in Single-Atom Junctions
Radiative Heat Transfer in Ångström and Nanometer-sized Gaps
A Bright Nanolight for Plasmonic Circuitry
Exploiting Vibrational Strong Coupling to Make an Optical Parametric Oscillator out of a Raman Laser
Intermittent Chaos for Ergodic Light Trapping in a Photonic Fiber Plate
Quench Dynamics in Superconducting Nanojunctions: Formation of Andreev Bound States and Quasiparticle Trapping
When Quantum Light Meets Matter
Suppressing Photochemical Reactions Through Strong Coupling
Attosecond Correlation Dynamics
Uncoupled Dark States Can Inherit Polaritonic Properties
Transformation Optics Approach to Plasmon-Exciton Strong Coupling in Nanocavities
Polaritonic Rabi and Josephson Oscillations
Atomically Resolved Three-dimensional Structures of Electrolyte Aqueous Solutions Near a Solid Surface
The Electric Field of CO Tips and Its Relevance for Atomic Force Microscopy
Solid-state Lasers Go Nano
Quantum Statistics of Bosonic Cascades
Self-Interfering Wave Packets
Enhanced Two-photon Emission from a Dressed Biexciton
Real-space Collapse of a Polariton Condensate
Radiative Heat Transfer In The Extreme Near Field
Nonequilibrium Phase Transition in a Two-Dimensional Driven Open Quantum System
Quantum Interference in a Cooper Pair Splitter Makes Entanglement Production Plausible
Pronounced Photovoltaic Response from Multilayered Transition-Metal Dichalcogenides PN-Junctions
Cavity-Induced Modifications of Molecular Structure in the Strong-Coupling Regime
Polarization Shaping of Poincaré Beams by Polariton Oscillations
Ultraefficient Coupling of a Quantum Emitter to the Tunable Guided Plasmons of a Carbon Nanotube
Exciting Polaritons with Quantum Light
Coupling of Artificial Atoms to V-groove Plasmonic Waveguides
The Environment Does the Trick
Excitons do the Long Jump – published in Physical Review Letters
Direct Observation of Josephson Vortex Cores – published in Nature Physics
Disorder Sets Light Straight – published in Nature Physics News and Views
Ultrafast Control and Rabi Oscillations of Polaritons – published in Physical Review Letters
Long-range Charge Transport in Single G-quadruplex DNA Molecules – published in Nature Nanotechnology
Emitters of N-photon bundles – published in Nature Photonics
Heat Dissipation in Atomic-Scale Junctions – published in Nature

Category: Projects
Condensed Matter Physics Center has been awarded with a “María de Maeztu” Grant

Category: Seminars
Enhanced Surface Tension of Liquid-vapour Interfaces at Mesoscopic Scales
Signatures of Quantum Condensation in a Plasmonic Nanoparticle Array
Capillary Emptying and Wetting Transitions: Why the Tragedy of Spilling a Glass of Beer is Actually a Rare Interfacial Phase Transition
Modelling of Active Plasmonic and Metamaterial Systems in the Time-Domain
Density instabilities in 2D dipolar Fermi gases
Advances in three-dimensional imaging, quantitative mapping and device fabrication by force microscopy
A force generating living polymer: experiments and theory to understand how it works
The influence of defects in the electrical transport properties of metalorganic nanoribbons and in the mechanical properties of suspended graphene flakes
Thermoelectric properties of Chromium Nitride
Continuous Mott transition between a Fermi-liquid and a gapless spin-liquid
Periodically nanostructured graphene
Theory and experiments with quantum fluids of light
The Nobel prize in Physics 2012
Spin-orbit interaction in carbon nanotubes and its utility for proving entanglement of electrons
Structural flexibility mapping by bimodal atomic force microscopy in liquids
A new tool for particle hydrodynamics at different scales
Transport spectroscopy of NS nanowire junctions with Majorana fermions
Ultrafast switching of semiconductor microcavities
Improvement of STM Resolution with H-sensitized Tips
Digital Quantum Simulation with Rydberg Atoms and Ions
Magnetic ground states in transition-metal oxides driven by superexchange interactions
Integrable Richardson-Gaudin models in mesoscopic physics
Non-Abelian gauge fields in twisted bilayer graphene
Dynamical Simulations of Virus Wrapping and Budding
DFT analysis of combined 3D NC-AFM and STM imaging of the Cu(100)-O oxide surface
Understanding nc-AFM contrast on TiO2 and water adsorption on CeO2
Semiconductor nanostructures grown on GaAs nanoholes for quantum optical information technologies
Superradiance Mediated by Graphene Surface Plasmons
Fano interference and infrared phonon activity in bilayer graphene
Quantum Effects in Plasmonic Nanostructures
Electronic transport in defective low dimensional carbon materials: nanotubes and graphene
On the optical properties of graphenes
Quantum Information for Molecular Physics
First-Principles Simulations on PbTiO3/SrTiO3 Superlattices
Towards a microscopic description of the pseudogap phase in cuprate and organic superconductors
Pi-phases and triplet pair correlations in s-wave superfluids as signatures of the FFLO-type states
Magnetoplasmonics: The interplay between magneto-optics and plasmonics
Lens-like particles and their entropy-driven clustering
Josephson current in finite-length nanowire SNS junctions with Majorana fermions
Quantum Optics as Tools to Probe the Spacetime Structure
The impact of electron interactions on one-dimensional helical conductors and Majorana end states
Landau-Zener tunneling of qubits: dynamics, decoherence, and measurement
A new tool for particle hydrodynamics at different scales
DiagMC for the Anderson-Holstein model: Separation of timescales
Quantum transport of cold atoms
Collection and Concentration of Light by Touching Spheres: A Transformation Optics Approach
The Tau-3 lattice, graphene’s big brother: transport and spectral properties
2D nematics in a circular cavity
Entanglement and Quantum Criticality
Molding the flow of Terahertz radiation using plasmonic metamaterials
Spin transport in graphene
Ring-shaped nanomagnets: from quantum effects to spin-cluster qubits
Torsion and anchoring of protein filaments
Density Functional Theory – OpenMX
The glass transition and the universal properties of glasses
PForces and currents in carbon nanostructures
Phase-controlled transport in periodically-driven optical lattices
Phase-controlled transport in periodically-driven optical lattices
Shaping a quantum field with dissipation
Towards quantum plasmonics: plasmon mediated qubit-qubit entanglement
Dynamic response of a Kondo dot in a photonic cavity
Quantum transport of cold atoms
Which is the origin of the resistivity anisotropy in iron superconductors?
Non Linear processes in structured solid state lasers
Huge enhancement of the magnetoresistance in nanoparticle arrays
Resonant Optical Forces on Metallic and Dielectric Nanoparticles
Optical Response of Metallic Nanogaps: From Nanoelectronics to Nanoplasmonics
Coupling between topological insulators: Band topology and quantum spin Hall effect in bilayer graphene
Spin Coherent Phenomena in Quantum Dots Driven by AC Magnetic Fields
Quantum Entanglement in Many Body Systems
Spoof Plasmons: Dominoes, Endoscopes and Invisibility Cloaks
Single Molecule Junctions
Lasers made from self-assembled photonic structures
Microcavity-Mediated coupling of two distant semiconductor quantum dots
Plasmon Quantum Tsunami on C60 observed with highly charged ion energy gain spectroscopy
Organic and inorganic semiconductor interfaces across physics, chemistry and time
The curious magnetic state in undoped iron pnictides
Nuclear magnetism, electron order, spin-filtering, and spin-selective Peierls transitions in interacting one-dimensional conductors
Quantum pumping in graphene
Superconducting molecular quantum dots
Spectroscopy of the Andreev Bound States in a Carbon Nanotube
Persistent currents and quantised vortices in a matter-light superfluid
Noise Correlations and Coherent Coupling in Solid State Qubits
QM/MM Methods: Towards an Efficient and Accurate Description of Biological Photoreceptors and their Reactivity: Rhodopsin-Like Systems as an Example Quantum control of spin qubits in Silicon
Charge and spin transfer statistics of quantum impurity models
Modifications of geometric and electronic properties of surface systems caused by structural defects
Light-matter coupling in photonic crystal structures: from sea-mouse to exciton-polaritons
The effect of the supporting oxide on the activity of vanadia catalysts
Probing the spin of a single atom with tunneling electrons
Many-body physics in arrays of ultracold atoms
Interplay of Coulomb correlations and geometrical frustration in two-dimensional compounds
Intermolecular interaction in DFT: Application to Carbon Nanotubes and Fullerenes
Control and instability of a periodically-driven Bose-Einstein condensate
Three-Dimensional Force Imaging and Quantification with Atomic Resolution
Transport studies of self-assembled InAs quantum dots contacted with superconducting leads
Unusual elastic and inelastic behaviors of carbon nanotubes due to molecular encapsulations: Dynamic force microscopy and spectroscopy studies
Numerical evaluation of four-center molecular integrals for localized orbitals
Dissipative Systems and Non-Equilibrium Bose-Einstein Condensation: from microcavity polaritons to atom lasers
Sculpting Membranes. Mechanisms of Curvature Generation by Proteins
Excitons in Carbon based quasi-1D systems: an ab-initio study of nanotubes and graphene ribbons
Electrical conduction through molecules: Influence of endgroups and sidegroups
Magnetotransport in non-magnetic inhomogeneous media
Cluster-based density functional approach to transport through molecular and atomic contacts
Tunable superfluids in ultracold atomic gases
Molecular simulations in the Era of GPUs
Exciton and Polariton Manipulation Within Semiconductor Microstructures
Toward molecule-machines at the nanoscale
Weak localization-like processes in gapped systems in connection with the realization of a source of entangled pairs of electrons
Theoretical aspects and modelization of low dimensional Molecular Conductors
Adiabatic pumping through quantum dots
Hard Superconductivity in Soft Quantum Films
Adaptive Resolution Molecular Dynamics Scheme
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Looking for Magnetism in Graphene
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An Operational Approach to Quantum Stochastic Thermodynamics
Non-perturbative Cavity QED
Periodic Energy Transport and Entropy in Quantum Electronics
Recent Developments and Applications of Inverse Design in Nanophotonics
The Quantum Design of Photosynthesis for Bio-Inspired Solar-Energy Conversion
Enhancing Quantum Coherence of Organic Molecules with Nanophotonic Structures
Active Colloid at a Fluid Interface
Resolution of Superluminal Signalling in Non-perturbative Cavity Quantum Electrodynamics
Theoretical Challenges in Levitated Nanomechanics: the case of magnon-phonon interaction
Coupling Molecules and Atomic-scale Plasmonic Fields
Robustness of Yu-Shiba-Rusinov Resonances in Presence of a Complex Superconducting Order Parameter
Large Deviations and Quantum Non-equilibrium
Optical Characterization at the Nanoscale
Bubbles, Drops and Vesicles: The Charm of Microfluidics
Superconductors and Quantum Information Preservation in Black Holes
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Polariton Lattices: A Novel Platform for Analogue Simulation
Charge and Energy Noise in ac-driven Conductors and their Detection from Frequency-resolved Potential and Temperature Fluctuations
Velocity Gradient Power Functional Theory for Brownian Dynamics
Computational Study of the Collective Motion of Micro-swimmers
Polymer-theory Insights into Biomolecular Systems
Fabrication of Gold Nano-Crystal Arrays for Molecular Electronics: High Frequency Molecular Rectifiers and π-π Inter Molecular Interaction Energy
Complex Magnetic Structures at Surfaces and Their Imaging with STM from First Principles
Molecular and Biomolecular Electron Transfer Processes: From the Single Molecule to the Cellular Length Scales
Bottom-up Nanoelectronics: Contacting Single Molecules and Nanoparticles
Liquid-vapour Interfaces of Patchy Colloids
Josephson Photonics: Quantum Optics Meets Quantum Electronics
Fractional Spin And Josephson Effect In Time-reversal-invariant Topological Superconductors
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Modelling Organic Condensates From Weak To Strong Coupling
Multi-scale Molecular Dynamics Simulations of Photoactive Molecules Strongly Interacting With Confined Light
Weyl Semimetals in 3D Optical Lattices, and Synthetic Gauge Fields in Strongly Interacting 1D Bose Gases
A Single-photon Fock State Filter in the Solid State
Submolecular AFM Imaging and Spectroscopy on Single Molecules Using KolibriSensorTM and Cantilevers
Spin-orbit Coupling in Photonic Systems: from Optical Spin Hall Effect to Z Topological Insulator Analog
Polaritons in Lattices: A Nonlinear Photonic Emulator of Graphene
Probing Concepts in Single-Molecule Wires: Diodes, Electromechanics, FETs, Spinterface, Photo-switches and... Single-molecule Chemistry?
Spin Pumping And Quantum Anomalous Hall Effect In 2D-based Materials
Non-Covalent van der Waals Interactions at the Nanoscale: A Solved Problem?
Photonics of Excitonic Nanomaterials: Understanding and Controlling the Flow of Energy
Spin Polarization and Molecular Chirality In STM Junctions
Spin States in Molecules from a Quantum Information Perspective
Metal Nonlinearity – Some New Aspects
First Principles Understanding of Liquid Water and its Anomalies
Exfoliation, Hybridization and Chemical Functionalization of 2D Materials
International Year of Light: Two New Kinds of Light
Spin Texture of Sub-Gap Andreev Levels in Semiconductor Quantum Dots
Proximity-coupled to Superconductors
Building Nano-Lenses Based on DNA Origami Structures
Calculating the Conductance of Single Molecule Junctions form First Principles
Spectroscopy and Topological Phases for Organic Excitons
Crystallographic Transitions Coupled to Spin Crossover in Molecular Complexes
The Small Frontier: Imaging Atomic and Molecular Functionality
Quantum Merging: A Physical Mechanism for non-Abelian Matter
Non-equilibrium Transport Theory Compared with Experiments on Single Molecular Junctions
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Thermalization and Cooling of Plasmon-exciton-polaritons: Towards Quantum Condensation
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Imaging the Surface States of a Strongly Correlated Topological Insulator, SmB6
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Meeting at Oxide Interfaces: Superconductivity Between Insulators
Droplets of Quantum Physics or Why Helium is The Superelement
Materials, Energy and Life: Entertaining Aspects of High Magnetic Field Research
Majorana Braiding in Superconductors: How to Operate on a Zen Particle
Exploring Flatland with Cold Atomic Gases
Superconductors: the Magic and the Mystery
Material Design and Strongly Correlated Electron Systems
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Particle Physics On a Chip: the Search for Majorana Fermions
A Chance to Grow: Design, Discovery, Growth and Characterization of Novel Compounds

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