



**Venue: IIT Powai, Victor Menezes Convention Centre (VMCC), Lecture Hall No. 21, IInd floor.**

**Thursday 7 January**

11:00	Registration, Tea and Coffee	
11:45	<b>Welcome and Introductions</b> Sanat Kumar <i>Chair, Scientific Committee</i>	
12:10	<b>Outline of Discussion Format</b> <i>Publishing Editors</i>	
12:15	<b>Introductory Lecture</b> <u>Steve Granick</u> <i>IBS Center for Soft and Living Matter, Korea, and University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, USA</i>	
13:00	Discussion	
13:15	Lunch at VMCC, IInd Floor foyer	
	<b>Session 1: Synthesis of Nanoparticle Assemblies</b> Session Chair: Sanat Kumar	
14:00	<b>Tailoring structure formation and mechanical properties of particle brush solids via homopolymer addition</b> Michael Schmitt, Chin Ming Hui, Zachary Urbach, Jiajun Yan, Krzysztof Matyjaszewski and <u>Michael R. Bockstaller</u> <i>Carnegie Mellon University</i>	<b>Paper 7907</b>
14:05	<b>Soft-shear induced phase-separated nanoparticle string-structures in polymer thin films</b> Ren Zhang, Bongjoon Lee, Michael R. Bockstaller, Abdullah M. Al-Enizi, Ahmed Elzatahry, Brian C. Berry and <u>Alamgir Karim</u> <i>University of Akron</i>	<b>Paper 8775</b>
14:10	<b>Microtubule targeted therapeutics loaded polymeric assembled nanospheres for potentiation of antineoplastic activity</b> <u>Radhika Poojari</u> , Rohit Srivastava and Dulal Panda <i>Indian Institute of Technology Bombay</i>	<b>Paper 8473</b>
14:15	Discussion	
15:30	Afternoon Tea	
	<b>Session 1 resumes: Synthesis of Nanoparticle Assemblies</b> Session Chair: Steve Granick	
16:00	<b>Colloidal assembly by ice templating</b> <u>Guruswamy Kumaraswamy</u> , Bipul Biswas and Chandan K. Choudhury <i>CSIR-National Chemical Laboratory, Pune</i>	<b>Paper 7906</b>
16:05	<b>Highly stable noble metal nanoparticles dispersible</b>	<b>Paper</b>

	<b>in biocompatible solvents: synthesis of cationic phosphonium gold nanoparticles in water and DMSO</b> <u>Yon Ju-Nam</u> , Wanisa Abdussalam-Mohammed and Jesus J. Ojeda <i>Swansea University</i>	<b>8584</b>
16:10	<b>Large-scale dynamic assembly of metal nanostructures in plasmofluidic field</b> Partha Pratim Patra, Rohit Chikkaraddy, Sreeja Thampi, Ravi P. N. Tripathi and <u>G. V. Pavan Kumar</u> <i>IISER Pune</i>	<b>Paper 8599</b>
16:15	<b>2D-patterning of self-assembled silver nanoisland films</b> <u>Semen Chervinskii</u> , Igor Reduto, Alexander Kamenskii, Ivan S. Mukhin and Andrey A. Lipovskii <i>University of Eastern Finland</i>	<b>Paper 8579</b>
16:20	Discussion	
18:00	Poster Session – Even numbers	
19:00	Poster session – Odd numbers	
20:00	Dinner at VMCC, lind Floor foyer	

### Friday 8 January

	<b>Session 2: Modeling and Theory</b> Session Chair: Charu Chakravarty	
09:00	<b>Dewetting dynamics of a gold film on graphene: implications for nanoparticle formation</b> Sadanandam Namsani and <u>Jayant K. Singh</u> <i>Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur</i>	<b>Paper 7908</b>
09:05	<b>Chiral self-assembly of helical particles</b> Hima Bindu Kolli, Giorgio Cinacchi, Alberta Ferrarini and <u>Achille Giacometti</u> <i>Università Ca' Foscari di Venezia</i>	<b>Paper 8490</b>
09:10	<b>Enhancement of nucleation of protein crystals on nano-wrinkled surfaces</b> Praveen K. Bommineni and <u>Sudeep Punnathanam</u> <i>Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore</i>	<b>Paper 8547</b>
09:15	<b>Analyzing a fractal gel of charged oblate nanoparticles in a suspension using time-resolved rheometry and DLVO theory</b> Shweta Jatav and <u>Yogesh M. Joshi</u> <i>Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur</i>	<b>Paper 8570</b>
09:20	Discussion	
11:00	Morning Tea	
	<b>Session 2 resumes: Modeling and Theory</b> Session Chair: Nicholas Kotov	
11:30	<b>Effect of co-ordination number on the nucleation behaviour in many-component self-assembly</b> Aleks Reinhardt, Chon Pan Ho and <u>Daan Frenkel</u> <i>University of Cambridge</i>	<b>Paper 7904</b>
11:35	<b>How do polydisperse repulsive colloids crystallize?</b> <u>Robert Botet</u> , Bernard Cabane, Lucas Goehring, Joaquim Li and Franck Artzner <i>CNRS</i>	<b>Paper 8522</b>

11:40	<b>Magnetic filament brushes: tuning the properties of a magneto-responsive supracolloidal coating</b> <u>Pedro A. Sánchez</u> , Elena S. Pyanzina, Ekaterina V. Novak, Joan J. Cerdà, Tomàs Sintes and Sofia S. Kantorovich <i>University of Vienna</i>	<b>Paper 8800</b>
11:45	<b>Membrane-mediated aggregation of anisotropically curved nanoparticles</b> Alexander D. Olinger, Eric J. Spangler, <u>P. B. Sunil Kumar</u> and Mohamed Laradji <i>Indian Institute of Technology Madras</i>	<b>Paper 8671</b>
11:50	Discussion	
13:30	Lunch at VMCC, IInd Floor	
	<b>Session 3: Nanocomposites</b> Session Chair: Alamgir karim	
14:30	<b>Revealing nanocomposite filler structures by swelling and small-angle X-ray scattering</b> Guilhem P. Baeza, Anne-Caroline Genix, Nathalie Paupy-Peyronnet, Christophe Degrandcourt, <u>Marc Couty</u> and Julian Oberdisse <i>Manufacture Française des Pneumatiques MICHELIN</i>	<b>Paper 7903</b>
14:35	<b>Structural characterization of aqueous solution poly(oligo(ethylene oxide) monomethyl methacrylate)-grafted silica nanoparticles</b> Arnaldo T. Lorenzo, Ramakrishna Ponnampati, Tirtha Chatterjee and <u>Ramanan Krishnamoorti</u> <i>University of Houston</i>	<b>Paper 8610</b>
14:40	<b>Interplay between polymer chain conformation and nanoparticle assembly in model industrial silica/rubber nanocomposites</b> Adrien Bouty, Laurent Petitjean, Julien Chatard, Rachid Matmour, Christophe Degrandcourt, Ralf Schweins, Florian Meneau, Paweł Kwasniewski, François Boué, Marc Couty and <u>Jacques Jestin</u> <i>Laboratoire Léon Brillouin CEA-CNRS</i>	<b>Paper 8683</b>
14:45	Discussion	
16:00	Afternoon tea	
	<b>Session 3 resumes: Nanocomposites</b> Session Chair: BLV Prasad	
16:30	<b>Chiroptical activity of plasmonic silver nanocaps and gas sensing</b> Jun Li and <u>Nicholas A. Kotov</u> <i>University of Michigan</i>	<b>Paper 7905</b>
16:35	<b>Sn<sub>x</sub>Ti<sub>1-x</sub>O<sub>2</sub> solid-solution-nanoparticle embedded mesoporous silica (SBA-15) hybrid as an engineered photocatalyst with enhanced activity</b> N. R. Srinivasan and <u>Rajdip Bandyopadhyaya</u> <i>IIT Bombay</i>	<b>Paper 8623</b>
16:40	Discussion	
17:30	Close of sessions & coach to conference dinner	
18:30	Conference Dinner at Courtyard by Marriott International Airport	

## Saturday 9 January

	<b>Session 4: Applications to Soft Matter</b> Session Chair: Daan Frenkel	
09:00	<b>Dynamics of dissipative self-assembly of particles interacting through oscillatory forces</b> M. Tagliacruzchi and <u>I. Szleifer</u> <i>Northwestern University</i>	<b>Paper 7909</b>
09:05	<b>Nano ellipsoids at the fluid–fluid interface: effect of surface charge on adsorption, buckling and emulsification</b> Venkateshwar Rao Dugyala, Thiriveni G. Anjali, Siliveru Upendar, Ethayaraja Mani and <u>Madivala G. Basavaraj</u> <i>Indian Institute of Technology Madras</i>	<b>Paper 8627</b>
09:10	<b>Transport of nanoparticulate material in self-assembled block copolymer micelle solutions and crystals</b> Vicki A. Cheng and <u>Lynn M. Walker</u> <i>Carnegie Mellon University</i>	<b>Paper 7911</b>
09:15	Discussion	
10:30	Morning Tea	
	<b>Session 4 resumes: Applications to Soft Matter</b> Session Chair: Vinothan manoharan	
11:00	<b>Aggregation and stability of anisotropic charged clay colloids in aqueous medium in the presence of salt</b> Samim Ali and <u>Ranjini Bandyopadhyay</u> <i>Raman Research Institute</i>	<b>Paper 8549</b>
11:05	<b>Designing disordered materials using DNA-coated colloids of bacteriophage fd and gold</b> Z. Ruff, S. H. Nathan, R. R. Unwin, M. Zupkauskas, D. Joshi, G. P. C. Salmond, C. P. Grey and <u>E. Eiser</u> <i>University of Cambridge</i>	<b>Paper 8600</b>
11:10	<b>Modular, polymer-directed nanoparticle assembly for fabricating metamaterials</b> Gurunatha K. Laxminarayana, Matthew Rozin, Stephanie Smith and <u>Andrea R. Tao</u> <i>University of California, San Diego</i>	<b>Paper 7910</b>
11:15	Discussion	
12:30	<b>Concluding remarks</b> <u>Oleg Gang</u> <i>Brookhaven National Laboratory</i>	
13:15	<b>Acknowledgements</b>	
13:30	Lunch at VMCC, IInd Floor foyer	

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