

# **XFEL Science: From current Highlights to future Capabilities**

**Annual meeting of the GDRi XFEL-Science**

**11 – 12 December 2017**

**Monday, 11 December 2017:**    *Moissan Auditorium of the ENSCP  
Campus Curie, 11 Rue Pierre et Marie Curie, 75005 Paris*

9:30 – 10:00 Registration and Coffee

## **Workshop Introduction**

10:00 – 10:10 *Welcome and Introduction*  
Jan Luning (XFEL-Science coordinator / LCPMR, Paris)

## **Session I**

10:10 – 10:55 *European XFEL: First Experiments and Next Steps towards Full Operation*  
Michael Meyer (European XFEL, Hamburg)

## **Session II      Instrumentation Projects**

10:55 – 11:10   
Emmanuelle Lacaze (INP@CNRS, Paris)

11:10 – 12:30 *Presentation and Discussion of Instrumentation Projects in France*  
Workshop participants

12:30 – 14:00 *Poster Session & Buffet Lunch*

## **Session III**

14:00 – 14:45 *FLASH: Current Highlights and Upcoming Developments*  
Elke Ploenjes-Palm (DESY, Hamburg)

14:45 – 15:10 *Time-resolved serial crystallography at XFELs to watch proteins at work*  
Martin Weik (IBS, Grenoble)

15:10 – 15:35 *Structural and spectroscopic studies of Photosystem II and model complexes at XFELs*  
Benedikt Lassalle (Synchrotron SOLEIL, Gif-sur-Yvette)

15:35 – 16:00 Coffee Break

## **Session IV**

16:00 – 16:45 *Frontier Research at FERMI and Upcoming Developments*  
Filippo Bencivenga (FERMI@ELETTRA, Trieste)

16:45 – 17:05 *X-ray switching with visible transient grating*  
Valentin Besse (Université du Maine, Le Mans)

17:05 – 17:30 *Ultrafast evolution and transient phases of a prototype out-of-equilibrium  
Mott–Hubbard material*  
Niloufar Nilforoushan (LPS, Orsay)

## **Session V      GDRi XFEL-Science**

17:30 – 19:00 *Annual plenary meeting of the GDRi XFEL-Science*

19:30              *Dinner*

**Tuesday, 12 December 2017**

**CHARPAK Auditorium of the UPMC  
Campus Jussieu, 4 Place Jussieu**

8:45 – 9:00 Registration and Coffee

**Session VI**

- 9:00 – 9:25 *Probing dynamics with X-ray scattering and absorption*  
Marco Cammarata (Institut de Physique de Rennes, Rennes)
- 9:25 – 9:50 *Fast & Ferrous: Understanding the emergence of functions in photoactive molecular materials by decoupling electronic and structural dynamics*  
Eric Collet (Institut de Physique de Rennes, Rennes)
- 9:50 – 10:10 *Dynamical fluctuations at Sn adatoms on the prototypical Ge(111)R3xR3 surface: CELIA and FLASH experiments*  
Guy Le Lay (PIIM, Marseille)

10:10 – 10:40 *Coffee break*

**Session VII**

- 10:40 – 11:05 *Highlights from recent femtosecond pump-probe gas-phase experiments at LCLS, SACLA, FLASH and FERMI*  
Marc Simon (LCPMR, Paris)
- 11:05 – 11:30 *Photochemical reaction dynamics of Ru<sub>3</sub>(CO)<sub>12</sub> studied by picosecond and femtosecond X-ray solution scattering at ESRF and LCLS*  
Qingyu Kong (Synchrotron SOLEIL, Gif-sur-Yvette)
- 11:30 – 11:55 *Towards experimental photoinduced dynamics within isolated proteins and DNA strands*  
Jean-Christophe Pouilly (CIMAP, Caen)

12:00 – 13:45 *Lunch & Coffee*

**Session VIII**

- 13:45 – 14:10 *fs-XANES to unravel the phase transition dynamics from solid to warm dense matter*  
Noémie Jourdain (CELIA, Bordeaux)
- 14:10 – 14:35 *Probing Ultrafast Magnetization Dynamics with fs-short X-ray Pulses*  
Boris Vodungbo (LCPMR, Paris)
- 14:35 – 15:00 *Concluding Discussion and Workshop Closure*