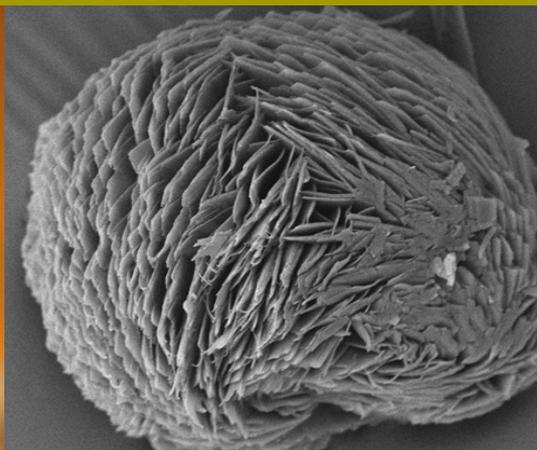
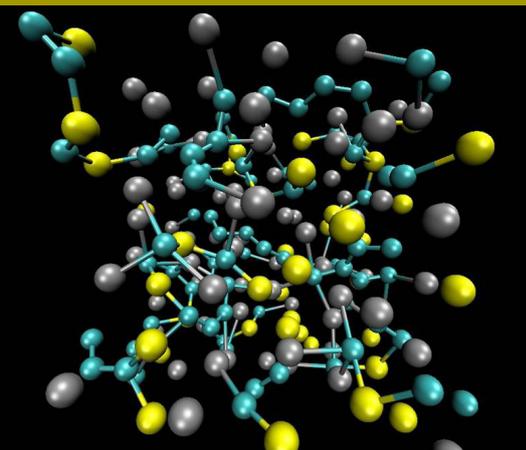


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Location: van der Nootska Palatset, Swedenborgssalen

Language: English

Participation: Free of charge. Number of participants is limited to 150.

Registration: Register before March 15 on web page:

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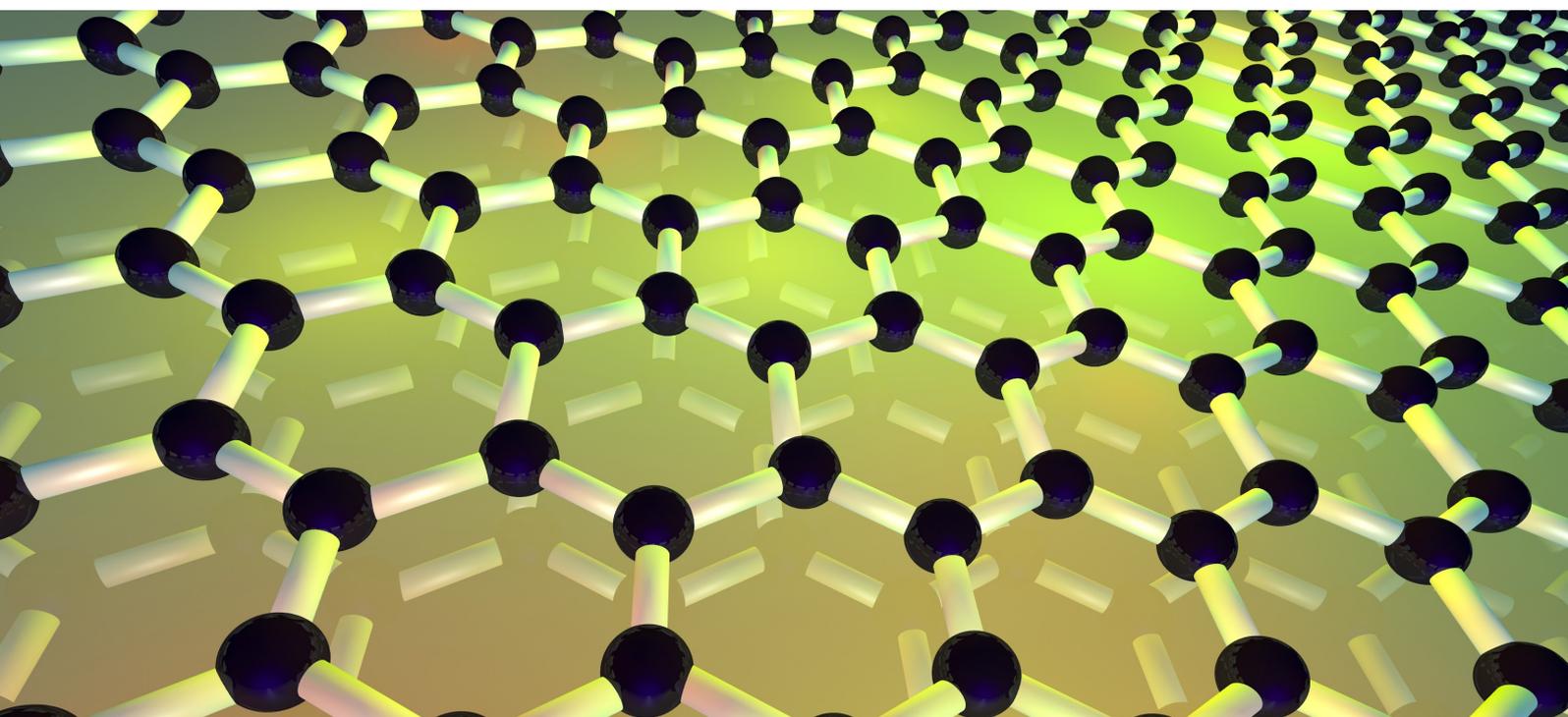
Conference dinner: 7 pm at van der Nootska Palatset

Accommodation: Hotels in Stockholm can be found on hotels.com

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- 09.00–09.20 **Introduction**
The Swedish Foundation for Strategic Research 2012 and onwards,
 Prof. Lars Rask, Executive Director SSF
- Overview of the Materials Science Programme – Functional surfaces and layers & Light Materials,*
 Dr Anna Hultin Stigenberg, Sandvik, Chairman of SSF's programme committee in materials science
- 09.20–10.00 **Industrial perspective on research in materials science**
Progress through research or research through progress - a perspective based on experience from Sandvik,
 Prof. Jan-Olof Nilsson, Sandvik
- From lab to fab,*
 Giovanni Fili, CEO NLAB Solar AB
- 10.00–10.30 **Coffee**
- 10.30–12.00 **International Research in Materials Science**
 Chair: Prof. Jan-Olof Nilsson, Sandvik
- Corrosion, electrochemistry and surface chemistry of metals,* Prof. Dieter Landolt, EPFL (École polytechnique fédérale de Lausanne), Switzerland
- Ink-jet printing for surface manufacturing,*
 Prof. Ian Hutchings, University of Cambridge, UK
- Functional coatings by thermal spraying,*
 Prof. Erja Turunen, VTT (Technical Research Centre of Finland)
- Tailoring (Bio)Interfaces by Polymer Grafting: From Responsive Function to (Nano)Mechanical Properties,*
 Prof. Holger Schönherr, University of Siegen, Germany
- 12.00–13.00 **Lunch**
- 13.00–14.20 **Session 1**
 Chair Prof. Holger Schönherr, University of Siegen, Germany
- Structural batteries for future electrical vehicles,*
 Prof. Leif Asp, Swerea SICOMP
- Functional electromagnetic metamaterials for optical sensing,* Prof. Mikael Käll, Chalmers
- Paper-based composites for energy storage and bioanalysis,* Prof. Leif Nyholm, Uppsala University
- Catalysts designed for demanding environments,*
 Prof. Magnus Skoglundh, Chalmers
- 14.20–14.50 **Coffee**
- 14:50–17:00 **Session 2**
 Chair Prof. Erja Turunen, VTT (Technical Research Centre of Finland)

Light metals for the car industry,
 Prof. Lars-Gunnar Johansson, Chalmers

Microstructure, Corrosion and Friction Control,
 Prof. Per Claesson, KTH

New insights in and coatings for formation of protective tribofilms with low-friction properties,
 Prof. Staffan Jacobsson, Uppsala University

Favorable decomposition gives tomorrow's hard coatings,
 Prof. Magnus Odén, Linköping University

17:00–18.30 **Poster session**

19.00 **Conference dinner**

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- 8.30–10.00 **Session 3**
 Chair: Prof. Dieter Landolt, EPFL (École polytechnique fédérale de Lausanne), Switzerland
- Zeolite membranes for effective production of biofuels,*
 Prof. Jonas Hedlund, Luleå University of Technology
- Multi-functional pore arrays in silicon,*
 Prof. Jan Linnros, KTH
- Electroactive components from polymer nanocomposites and polymers for smart applications,*
 Prof. Mikael Rigdahl, Chalmers
- 10.00–10.30 **Coffee**
- 10.30–11.45 **Session 4**
 Chair: Prof. Ian Hutchings, University of Cambridge, UK
- Superhydrophobic surfaces produced by sustainable technology,* Prof. Charlotta Turner, Lund University
- Functional nano-structured surfaces by controlled particle deposition,* Prof. Håkan Wennerström, Lund University
- 11.45 – 12.45 **Lunch**
- 12.45 – 14.30 **Can applications be the driving force for research of excellence?**
 Moderator:
 Prof. Anders Flodström
- Panel:**
 Prof. Helene Andersson Svahn,
 KTH, Chair of the Young Academy of Sweden
 Prof. Börje Johansson, Uppsala University
 Ulf Holmgren, Chief Strategy Officer, Industrial Technologies, VINNOVA (Swedish Governmental Agency for Innovation Systems)
 Ulf Wahlberg, VP Industry and Research Relations, Ericsson
- 14.30–14.45 **Summary**
 Dr. Anna Hultin Stigenberg

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