# Nonlinear Dynamics of Nanosystems

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#### Aims:

Systems operating on the scale of several nanometers provide new challenges regarding their dynamical properties. Especially nonlinear dynamical processes are of fundamental importance for the functionality of nanosystems. Although a thorough comprehension is essential for the future development of technical applications, there is still a lack of understanding of these processes.



The goal of this symposium is therefore to work out the qualitative changes that occur when dynamical systems are scaled down to nanosize. The focus of the symposium will be especially on the effects on the nonlinear dynamical behaviour of scaling, stochasticity and quantum mechanics. The aim is to elaborate new guiding principles and nonlinear dynamics scenarios, which are valid for quite different types of nanoscopic systems. The symposium aims at bringing together researchers working in different fields of nanoscience and dynamical systems.

# Main topics:

Scaling laws and classical dynamics on the nanoscale Stochasticity and nonlinear motion on the nanoscale Quantum effects and nonlinearity on the nanoscale

### Confirmed invited speakers:

J. S. Aldridge (Pasadena), J. Bürki (Tucson), A. N. Cleland (Santa Barbara), T. Emig (Paris), D. Erickson (Ithaca), D. J. Evans (Canberra), P. Gaspard (Brussels), P. C. Hammel (Columbus), S. Kohler (Augsburg), J. Krug (Cologne), R. Lifshitz (Tel Aviv), I. Mezic (Santa Barbara), M. R. Paul (Blacksburg), A. Raman (West Lafayette), M. L. Roukes (Pasadena), S. E. Russek (Boulder), E. Schöll (Berlin), M. I. Stockman (Atlanta), D. Tomanek (East Lansing / Regensburg), V. Vogel (Zurich)

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