

## 4M/IWMF 2016 Conference

11<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Multi-Material Micro Manufacture (4M2016) co-organised with 10<sup>th</sup> International Workshop on Microfactories (IWMF2016)

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## Scope

In today's market, miniaturised and microsystems-based products represent key value-adding elements for many industrial sectors and thus are an important contributor to a sustainable economy. Following the silicon-based microelectronics revolution of the late twentieth century, a number of micro and nano manufacturing technologies have been developed and implemented into process chains for the fabrication of Micro Electro Mechanical Systems (MEMS). Especially, these technology developments have targeted niche markets and as a consequence, a number of MEMS devices are now being effectively exploited commercially. To address the continuing trend for product miniaturisation and the constantly growing demand for novel products enabled by Micro and Nano Technologies (MNTs) the 4M Conference series has, since 2005, been bringing together researchers and industrialists engaged in multi-disciplinary research and development of micro and nano manufacturing platforms and their various existing and emerging application areas.



**4M2016** will once again create a forum for the presentation of, and discussions about, the latest advances in manufacturing capabilities to meet the demands for:

- **Product miniaturisation** through innovative integration and development of knowledge-based technologies and production concepts (especially micro and nano) for the processing of non-silicon materials;
- **Prediction of product and process performance** to reduce/manage the risk during product development and production, and to reduce time to market for the next generation of microsystems-based products;
- **Future product platforms** to meet the requirements of the next generation of microsystems-based products, and of more stringent regulations and environmental legislation; and
- **Production scale-up** to ensure effective and efficient transfer of product and technology ideas from laboratories to serial production.

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## Themes

Papers are invited that present original research and development in processes and process chains for multi-material micro and nano manufacture, in particular but not limited to:

- **Components:** fabrication and assembly technologies
- **Systems:** novel product and system designs
- **Process modelling and simulation**
- **Process characterisation** including process chains
- **Metrology:** inspection and characterisation methods
- **Novel materials:** characterisation and processing
- **Micro and Nano Additive Manufacturing Technologies**

In addition, contributions to the International Workshop on Microfactories (IWMF2016) on the following topics are invited:

- **Micro and Desktop Factory Concepts, Systems, Components and Modules**

- **Standardization in Micro Manufacturing and Micro Factories**
- **High Precision Production of 3D Micro-parts**
- **Micro-assembly and Micro-handling**

These topics represent the intended content of the 4M/IWMF 2016 thematic sessions, to which the authors are invited to submit papers. The Conference will also feature invited special sessions focussed on the latest technology and application advances achieved in major EC-funded and national programmes. The follow special session has already been agreed:

- **High throughput Integrated technologies for multi-material functional Micro Components** (EU FP7 HINMICO project)
- **Micro Technologies for Hearing-Aid Systems**
- **Micro Manufacturing of Terahertz Technology Devices**

### **Invited Speakers:**

**Ole Sigmund**, Technical University of Denmark, Denmark

**Placid Ferreira**, University of Illinois, USA

**Helmut Schift**, Paul Scherrer Institute, Switzerland

### **Joint 4M/IWMF Programme Committee:**

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Jun Ni, University of Michigan, USA

Hitoshi Ohmori, Riken, Japan

Yuichi Okazaki, AIST, Japan

Simon Park, University of Calgary, Canada

Hyung-Wook Park, UNIST, Korea

Jong-Kweon Park, KIMM, Korea

Duc-Truong Pham, University of Birmingham, UK

Svetan Ratchev, University of Nottingham, UK

Stephane Regnier, Universite Marie-Curie, France

Steffen Scholz, KIT, Germany

Lars Mattsson, KTH, Sweden

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Seung-Kook Ro, KIMM, Korea

Mitchell Tseng, Hong Kong Univ. of Sc. and Tech.

Reijo Tuokko, Tampere Univ. of Tech., Finland

Min-Yang Yang, KAIST, Korea

Quan Zhou, Aalto University, Finland

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### Submission of Full Papers

- Submission site opens: **1<sup>st</sup> of January 2016** **Deadline: 25<sup>th</sup> March 2016**
- Submission site: <http://conference.4m-association.org/openconf.php>

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### Paper Review

To ensure a high-quality Conference all papers will be reviewed by fellow authors under the leadership of the Session Chairs.

### Oral and Poster presentation

Submitted papers may be selected for oral or poster presentation. All oral and poster presentations will be included in the Conference Proceedings.

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### Important Dates:

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| ○ Submission <b>site will open:</b>                | <b>1<sup>st</sup> of January 2016</b> |
| ○ Submission <b>deadline for full papers:</b>      | <b>25<sup>th</sup> of March 2016</b>  |
| ○ Feedback from the peer review to authors:        | 16 <sup>th</sup> May 2016             |
| ○ Submission deadline of revised final paper:      | 3 <sup>rd</sup> June 2016             |
| ○ Notification of acceptance in Final Publication: | 24 <sup>th</sup> June 2016            |
| ○ Authors Final Registration:                      | 8 <sup>th</sup> July 2016             |
| ○ Public Final Registration:                       | 31 <sup>st</sup> August 2016          |

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### Proceedings:

All final papers accepted for presentation may be included in the 4M2016 Proceedings to be published by Research Publishing Services. Selected papers may be considered for publication in Special Issues.

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