

## Hands-on Summer School: Electronic Structure Theory for Materials and (Bio)molecules

**Monday July 21, 2014**

- 8:00 *First Principles - Overview*
- 8:00–9:00 *Check-in/Breakfast (hosted by IPAM)*
- 9:00–9:30 *Welcome and Opening Remarks*
- 9:30–10:30 **Matthias Scheffler** (Fritz-Haber-Institut der Max-Planck-Gesellschaft)  
*Overview: Electronic Structure Theory for the Ground State*
- 11:00–12:00 **Kieron Burke** (University of California, Irvine (UCI))  
*Electronic Structure Beyond the Ground State*
- 12:00–1:30 *Lunch (on your own)*
- 1:30–2:30 **Eric Cancès** (École Nationale des Ponts-et-Chaussées)  
*Mathematical Foundations of DFT*
- 2:45–3:45 **John Perdew** (Temple University)  
*Climbing the Ladder of Density Functional Approximations*
- 4:00–5:00 *Poster Parade*
- 5:00–6:30 *Poster Session and Welcome Gathering*
- 7:00–8:30 *Dinner*



## Tuesday July 22, 2014

- 8:00 *The Basics of DFT*
- 8:00–9:00 *Check-in/Breakfast (hosted by IPAM)*
- 9:00–10:00 **Christian Ratsch** (Institute for Pure and Applied Mathematics)  
*Electronic Structure Theory for Periodic Systems: The Concepts*
- 10:15–11:15 **Volker Blum** (Duke University)  
*Practical Implementations: The Nuts and Bolts of DFT (Part I)*
- 11:30–12:30 **Bjoern Lange** (Duke University)  
*Practical Implementations: The Nuts and Bolts of DFT (Part II)*
- 12:30–2:00 *Lunch (on your own)*
- 2:00–2:30 **Lydia Nemeč** (Fritz-Haber-Institut der Max-Planck-Gesellschaft)  
*Introduction to Hands-on Exercise 1: Basics of Electronic Structure Theory; Tutorial Leader: Oliver Hofmann*
- 2:30–6:00 **Oliver Hofmann** (Fritz-Haber-Institut der Max-Planck-Gesellschaft)  
*Hands-on Exercise 1: Basics of Electronic Structure Theory; Tutorial Leader: Oliver Hofmann*
- 6:30–8:00 *Dinner*
- 8:00–10:00 *Additional computer time with tutors on hand*

## Wednesday July 23, 2014

- 8:00 *Periodic Systems*
- 8:00–9:00 *Check-in/Breakfast (hosted by IPAM)*
- 9:00–10:00 **Alexandre Tkatchenko** (Fritz-Haber-Institut der Max-Planck-Gesellschaft)  
*Van der Waals Interactions in Molecules and Materials*
- 10:15–11:15 **Anderson Janotti** (University of California, Santa Barbara (UC Santa Barbara))  
*The Plane-Wave Pseudopotential Approach*
- 11:30–12:30 **David Singh** (Oak Ridge National Laboratory)  
*The (Linearized) Augmented Plane Wave Method*
- 12:30–2:00 *Lunch (on your own)*
- 2:00–2:30 **Lydia Nemeč** (Fritz-Haber-Institut der Max-Planck-Gesellschaft)  
*Introduction to Hands-On Exercise 2: Periodic Systems; Tutorial Leader: Bjoern Bieniek*
- 2:30–6:00 **Bjoern Bieniek** (Fritz-Haber-Institut der Max-Planck-Gesellschaft)  
*Hands-On Exercise 2: Periodic Systems; Tutorial Leader: Bjoern Bieniek*
- 6:30–8:00 *Dinner*
- 8:00–10:00 *Additional computer time with tutors on hand*

## Thursday July 24, 2014

- 8:00 *Beyond LDA and GGA and Molecular Dynamics*
- 8:00–9:00 *Check-in/Breakfast (hosted by IPAM)*
- 9:00–10:00 **Ken Jordan** (University of Pittsburgh)  
*Quantum Chemistry Approaches to the Electron Correlation Problem*
- 10:15–11:15 **Adrienn Ruzsinszky** (Temple University)  
*Beyond Conventional Functionals in DFT*
- 11:30–12:30 **Luca Ghiringhelli** (Fritz-Haber-Institut der Max-Planck-Gesellschaft)  
*Statistical Mechanics and Molecular Dynamics*
- 12:30–2:00 *Lunch (on your own)*
- 2:00–2:30 **Jan Hermann** (Fritz-Haber-Institut der Max-Planck-Gesellschaft)  
*Introduction to Hands-On Exercise 3: Van der Waals; Tutorial Leader: Alex Tkatchenko*
- 2:30–6:00 **Alexandre Tkatchenko** (Fritz-Haber-Institut der Max-Planck-Gesellschaft)  
*Hands-On Exercise 3: Van der Waals; Tutorial Leader: Alex Tkatchenko*
- 6:30–8:00 *Dinner*
- 8:00–10:00 *Additional computer time with tutors on hand*

## Friday July 25, 2014

- 8:00 *Molecular Dynamics and NQE*
- 8:00–9:00 *Check-in/Breakfast (hosted by IPAM)*
- 9:00–10:00 **Luca Ghiringhelli** (Fritz-Haber-Institut der Max-Planck-Gesellschaft)  
*Search for Minimum Energy Paths: Nudged Elastic Band and Beyond*
- 10:15–11:15 **Mauro Maggioni** (Duke University)  
*Geometric methods for the learning fast simulators of high-dimensional dynamical systems, and global reaction coordinates*
- 11:30–12:30 **Mariana Rossi** (University of Oxford)  
*Quantum nuclei: (ab initio) path integral molecular dynamics for static and dynamic observables*
- 12:30–2:00 *Lunch (on your own)*
- 2:00–2:30 **Mariana Rossi** (University of Oxford)  
*Introduction to Hands-On Exercise 4: Molecular Dynamics; Tutorial Leader: Mariana Rossi and Luca Ghiringhelli*
- 2:30–6:00 **Luca Ghiringhelli** (Fritz-Haber-Institut der Max-Planck-Gesellschaft)  
*Hands-On Exercise 4: Molecular Dynamics; Tutorial Leader: Mariana Rossi and Luca Ghiringhelli*
- 6:30–8:00 *Dinner*
- 8:00–10:00 *Additional computer time with tutors on hand*

## Saturday July 26, 2014

- 9:00–2:00 *Tutorial Session*
- 2:00–8:00 *Conference Social*

## Sunday July 27, 2014

- 10:00–4:00 *Tutorial Session*

## Monday July 28, 2014

- 8:00 *Frontier Methods for Ground States and Excited States*
- 8:00–9:00 *Check-in/Breakfast (hosted by IPAM)*
- 9:00–10:00 **Patrick Rinke** (Fritz-Haber-Institut der Max-Planck-Gesellschaft)  
*Excited-state properties*
- 10:15–11:15 **Xinguo Ren** (University of Science and Technology of China)  
*Making GW, the Random Phase Approximation and Beyond Work with Localized Orbitals*
- 11:30–12:30 **Steven G. Louie** (University of California, Berkeley (UC Berkeley))  
*Neutral Excitations and the Bethe-Salpeter Approach*
- 12:30–2:00 *Lunch (on your own)*
- 2:00–2:30 **Arvid Ihrig** (Fritz-Haber-Institut der Max-Planck-Gesellschaft)  
*Introduction to Hands-On Exercise 5: Theoretical Spectroscopy; Tutorial Leader: Patrick Rinke*
- 2:30–6:00 **Patrick Rinke** (Fritz-Haber-Institut der Max-Planck-Gesellschaft)  
*Hands-On Exercise 5: Theoretical Spectroscopy; Tutorial Leader: Patrick Rinke*
- 6:30–8:00 *Dinner*
- 8:00–10:00 *Additional computer time with tutors on hand*

## Tuesday July 29, 2014

- 8:00 *Spectroscopies and Transport*
- 8:00–9:00 *Check-in/Breakfast (hosted by IPAM)*
- 9:00–10:00 **Ferdinand Evers** (Karlsruhe Institute of Technology (KIT))  
*Molecular Transport*
- 10:15–11:15 **John Rehr** (University of Washington)  
*Theory and Interpretation of Core-level Spectroscopies*
- 11:30–12:30 **Christian Carbogno** (Fritz-Haber-Institut der Max-Planck-Gesellschaft)  
*Phonons and Thermal Transport*
- 12:30–2:00 *Lunch (on your own)*
- 2:00–2:30 **Christian Carbogno** (Fritz-Haber-Institut der Max-Planck-Gesellschaft)  
*Introduction to Hands-On Exercise 6: Phonons, Lattice Expansion, and Band-gap Renormalization;*  
*Tutorial Leader: Christian Carbogno*
- 2:30–6:00 **Christian Carbogno** (Fritz-Haber-Institut der Max-Planck-Gesellschaft)  
*Hands-On Exercise 6: Phonons, Lattice Expansion, and Band-gap Renormalization; Tutorial Leader:*  
*Christian Carbogno*
- 6:30–8:00 *Dinner*
- 8:00–10:00 *Additional computer time with tutors on hand*

## Wednesday July 30, 2014

- 8:00 *Kinetics*
- 8:00–9:00 *Check-in/Breakfast (hosted by IPAM)*
- 9:00–10:00 **Peter Kratzer** (Universität Duisburg-Essen)  
*Kinetic Monte Carlo Modelling of Semiconductor Growth*
- 10:15–11:15 **Daniel Berger** (Technical University Munich (TUM))  
*Embedded-Cluster Calculations in a Numeric Atomic Orbital Density-Functional Theory Framework*
- 11:30–12:30 **Baron Peters** (University of California, Santa Barbara (UC Santa Barbara))  
*Transition path sampling and quantitative mechanistic hypothesis testing*
- 12:30–2:00 *Lunch (on your own)*
- 2:00–2:30 **Noa Marom** (Tulane University)  
*Introduction to Hands-On Exercise 7: Structure search and excited states in clusters; Tutorial Leader: Noa Marom*
- 2:30–6:00 **Noa Marom** (Tulane University)  
*Hands-On Exercise 7: Structure search and excited states in clusters; Tutorial Leader: Noa Marom*
- 6:30–8:00 *Dinner*
- 8:00–10:00 *Additional computer time with tutors on hand*

## Thursday July 31, 2014

- 8:00 *Multiscale & Big Data*
- 8:00–9:00 *Check-in/Breakfast (hosted by IPAM)*
- 9:00–10:00 **Stan Osher** (University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA))  
*What Sparsity and  $l_1$  Optimization Can Do For You*
- 10:15–11:15 **Gus Hart** (Brigham Young University)  
*Multiscale modeling with cluster expansion*
- 11:30–12:30 **Matthias Rupp** (Universität Basel)  
*Machine Learning Models*
- 12:30–2:00 *Lunch (on your own)*
- 2:00–2:30 **Gus Hart** (Brigham Young University)  
*Introduction to Hands-On Exercise 8: Multiscale Models; Tutorial Leader: Gus Hart*
- 2:30–6:00 **Gus Hart** (Brigham Young University)  
*Hands-On Exercise 8: Multiscale Models; Tutorial Leader: Gus Hart*
- 6:30–8:00 *Dinner*
- 8:00–10:00 *Additional computer time with tutors on hand*

## Friday August 1, 2014

- 8:00 *Multiscale & Big Data*
- 8:00–9:00 *Check-in/Breakfast (hosted by IPAM)*
- 9:00–10:00 **Carlos Garcia-Cervera** (University of California, Santa Barbara (UC Santa Barbara))  
*Multiscale Modeling*
- 10:15–11:15 **Sadasivan Shankar** (Intel Corporation)  
*DFT for Materials Design – Back to the Future*
- 11:30–12:30 **Rampi Ramprasad** (University of Connecticut)  
*The Materials Genome*

