Dear Colleague,

The deadline for registration and abstract submission of the XXII. Annual Linz Winter Workshop in Linz, Austria (held from January 31st until February 3rd, 2020) has been extended to **December 15th**, 2019.

The workshop will focus on biological single molecule research and nano-science, and include force and optical microscopy/spectroscopy techniques. It is the aim to provide a common platform for industry and academia.

List of confirmed participating companies:

Bruker, Nanosurf, NT-MDT, Cytosurge, Polypure, Oxford Instruments, NanoAndMore, Lumicks, Recendt, Postech, Lumicks;

Program:

Friday, January 31st, 7.00 pm: Get together and Registration.

Saturday, February 1st: Talks and Poster Sessions, Evening: City Tour & Dinner.

Sunday, February 2nd: Talks and Poster Sessions, Evening: Conference Reception.

Monday, February 3rd: Talks continued until 6 pm.

We will also arrange a skiing day in the Austrian alps on January 31st, and a Winter School for young scientists and new-comers from January 28th until January 30th.

Confirmed Speakers:

Plenary Speaker:

Hermann Gaub (LMU, Munich)

List of confirmed invited speakers:

David Alsteens (UCLouvain) Eric Lesniewska (Univ. Burgundy, Dijon)

Toshio Ando (Univ. Kanazawa) Hongbin Li (UBC Vancouver)
Dario Anselmetti (Univ. Bielefeld) Mervyn Miles (Univ. Bristol)

Mitchell Doktyzc (ORNL)

Yves Dufrene (UCLouvain)

Ulrike Endesfelder (MPI Marburg)

Georg Fantner (EPFL, Lausanne)

Laura Finzi (Emory Univ.)

Matthias Rief (Tech. Univ. Munich)

Simon Schouring (Cornell Univ.)

Marco Fritzsche (Univ. Oxford)
Ricardo Garcia (CSIC, Madrid)
Gabriel Gomila (IBEC, Barcelona)
Rainer Hillenbrand (NANOGUNE)
Stefan Jakobs (Univ. Göttingen)
Simon Scheuring (Cornell Univ.)
Ulrich Schmid (TU Vienna)
Thomas Schmidt (Univ. Leiden)
Wesley Wong (Harvard Univ.)
Stefan Jakobs (Univ. Göttingen)
Sebastian Wood (Natl. Phys. Lab., UK)

Alexander Jesacher (MedUniv. Innsbruck)

Liming Ying (Imp. Coll. London)

We would very much look forward to your coming. Further information and registration is available at https://www.jku.at/institut-fuer-biophysik/veranstaltungen/linz-winterworkshop/

Sincerely yours, Peter Hinterdorfer & Gerhard Schütz Conference Chairs