Collaborative Workshop on

Modulation & Nanostructuring :: in Layered Materials

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- D. Mihailović (Ljubljana)
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Local committee

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The scope of the collaborative workshop is to gather people with background in physics of low-dimensional materials in order to push forward promising research topics that would eventually result in joint grant applications. Paradigm that pushed the idea of the workshop is to unify expertise and know-how of both theoreticians and experimentalists in different fields (transport, ESR, neutron scattering, NMR,...), strengthened with sample-production experts and links. The format of the meeting makes a mix of short presentations of participating laboratories, groups and research, and round-table discussions focused on selected topics. The topics themselves are loosely defined, but however we would target the following: the physics in various homogenous low-dimensional/layered crystalline materials, spontaneous nano-structuring in otherwise homogenous systems, and artificial nanopatterned materials.

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