







## **Special Schottky Seminar**

Tuesday, October 25, 2022 2:30-3:30 pm WSI, Seminar room S 101

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## "Tip-enhanced and pico-cavity nanoimaging of quantum dynamics at elementary length and time scales"

Any realistic operation of quantum technologies will require counteracting the effects of dissipation and dephasing. In particular the wide range of solid-state systems are subject to many coupled internal degrees of freedom, structural heterogeneities, and coupling to the environment leading to the premature loss of coherence. Understanding and ultimately controlling the coupled quantum dynamics requires imaging the elementary excitations on their natural time and length scales. To achieve this goal, we developed different modalities of spatio-temporal optical nano-imaging. In corresponding ultrafast movies, we resolve the fundamental quantum dynamics down to the few-femtosecond regime with nanometer spatial resolution to resolve competing electron and phononic processes in perovskites, molecular, and 2D materials. I will then extend the discussion to new forms of photon-matter hybrid states that emerge from confining light on the nano- to atomic scale, with imaging in tip-enhanced strong coupling of single emitters, to new regimes of nonlocal and quantum nonlinear nano-optics. On the fundamental level, this work will deepen the understanding of what limits coherence in any many-body solid-state environment - a universal question underlying all solid-state quantum technologies.

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