

Dear Madam/Sir,

We are annually organizing a single-molecule biophysics conference with about 200 attendees from all over the world, including about 30 renowned scientists as invited speakers, in Linz, Austria. The next and **XXV. Annual Linz Winter Workshop** will be held **January 30th – February 2nd, 2026**, and focuses on biological single-molecule research, nano-science, nano-medicine, cell-science, and bio-nanotechnology (see the Link of the XXIV. Workshop from 2025 <https://www.jku.at/institut-fuer-biophysik/veranstaltungen/linz-winterworkshop/>).

It is the aim of this workshop to provide a common platform for industry and academia.

We would like to invite your company as sponsor for our next conference (**January 30th – February 2nd, 2026**).

The techniques presented will include:

atomic force microscopy	optical spectroscopy
fluorescence microscopy	nano-mechanics
optical/magnetic tweezers	nano-fabrication methods
dynamic force spectroscopy	ultra-sensitive sensing

Important dates:

August 20th, 2025: Conference web page of the XXV. Annual Linz Winter Workshop goes live for registration and abstract submission of attendees.

December 1st, 2025: Registration and abstract submission deadline for attendees.

Conference program outline 2026:

Friday, January 30th, 7.00 pm: Get together & Registration.

Saturday, January 31st: Talks & Poster Sessions, Evening: City Tour & Conference Dinner.

Sunday, February 1st: Talks & Poster Sessions, Evening: Excursion & Reception.

Monday, February 2nd: Talks continued until 6 pm.

Invited Speakers 2026:

Ando, Toshio (Univ. Kanazawa)	Blank, Kerstin (Johannes Kepler Univ. Linz)
Dague, Etienne (CNRS Toulouse)	Das, Dibyendu Kumar (IIT Kanpur)
De Yoreo, James (PNN, Univ. Washington)	Diaspro, Alberto (Univ. Genova)
Doktycz, Mitchell (Oak Ridge Natl. Lab)	Garcia-Parajo, Maria (ICFO Barcelona)
Jungmann, Ralf (MPG Martinsried)	Kellermayer, Miklos (Sемmelweis Univ.)
Kole, Maarten (NIN Amsterdam)	Lamb, Don (LMU Munich)
Lesniewska, Eric (Univ. Burgundy)	Miles, Mervyn (Univ. Bristol)
Milhiet, Pierre-Emanuel (Univ. Montpellier)	Milles, Sigrid (FMP Berlin)
Patil, Shiva (IISER Pune)	Perez, Ruben (Univ. Auto. Madrid)
Pyne, Alice (Univ. Sheffield)	Rakshit, Sabyasachi (IISER Mohali)
Rico, Felix (Univ. Aix-Marseille)	Scheuring, Simon (Cornell Univ.)
Schmidt, Thomas (Univ. Leiden)	Seidel, Claus (Univ. Düsseldorf)
Serdar Niyazi Sariciftc (Johannes Kepler Univ. Linz)	Spillane, Katelyn (Imp. Coll. London)
Voitschowsky, Kislou (Univ. Durham)	Wong, Richard (Univ. Kanazawa)

We would like to ask you whether you want to participate as exhibitor/sponsor and offer the following packages:

1. Presentation of company logo as sponsor on conference home page and abstract book: € 1000.-
2. One-page insert in the conference book. Presentation of company logo as sponsor on conference home page and abstract book: € 1,300.-
3. Distribution of your company promotion material included into the registration package for each attendee. One-page insert in the conference book. Presentation of company logo as sponsor on conference home page and abstract book: € 1,700.-
4. Bronze Sponsor. Free conference attendance of one person of your company (includes coffee breaks and lunches, conference meals and social events, but not accommodation). One slot for a poster presentation in the poster session. Distribution of your company promotion material included into the registration package for each attendee. One-page insert in the conference book. Presentation of company logo as sponsor on conference home page and abstract book: € 2,500.-
5. Silver Sponsor. Table in exhibition space. Free conference attendance of one person of your company (includes coffee breaks and lunches, conference meals and social events, but not accommodation). One-page insert in the conference book. Presentation of company logo as sponsor on conference home page and abstract book: € 3,700.-
6. Gold Sponsor. Table in exhibition space. Free conference attendance of one person of your company (includes coffee breaks and lunches, conference meals and social events, but not accommodation). Slot for a 15 min scientific talk during the conference. One-page insert in the conference book. Presentation of company logo as sponsor on conference home page and abstract book: € 5,000.-
7. Platinum Sponsor. Demo booth in exhibition space. Free conference attendance of one person of your company (includes coffee breaks and lunches, conference meals and social events, but not accommodation). Slot for a 15 min scientific talk during the conference. One-page insert in the conference book. Presentation of company logo as sponsor on conference home page and abstract book: € 6,000.-

Please let us know your decision at your earliest possible convenience, if possible by September 15th, 2025, so that we can put up your company logo timely on our conference home page.

For additional information and registration please contact Peter Hinterdorfer (peter.hinterdorfer@jku.at, +43(732)2468-7631) or Luisa Möthrath (luisa.moethrath@jku.at, +43(732)2468-7630).

We are looking forward to seeing you as sponsor of the XXV. Annual Linz Winter Workshop (January 30th – February 2nd, 2026).

Sincerely,
Peter Hinterdorfer, Gerhard Schütz, Yoo Jin Oh
Conference Chairs