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On behalf of the Australian Microscopy and Microanalysis Society, it is our pleasure to invite you to the 19th International Microscopy Congress (IMC19), to be held from 9-14 September 2018 in Sydney, Australia.

## Your benefits in joining us:

- Be part of an outstanding scientific program led by world-renowned plenary speakers
- Network and share experiences and ideas with over 2000 colleagues and peers from across the globe
- Keep up to date with the latest advancements and developments in microscopy and visit our interactive trade exhibition
- Experience the stunning new International Convention Centre right in the heart of Sydney

## PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

IMC19 represents a forum for sharing and contesting the latest ideas and technologies in the world of microscopy. The 2018 program will be truly transformational, featuring the world's thought leaders and rising stars.

The scientific program will include world-renowned plenary and invited speakers, young scientists showcasing their research, digital posters and Pre-Congress workshops. The program will encompass four main streams:

- LIFE SCIENCES
- PHYSICAL SCIENCES
- INSTRUMENTATION & TECHNIQUES
- FRONTIER ISSUES

## NOBEL PRIZE WINNER DAN SHECHTMAN

Pull up a chair at IMC19 to hear from Nobel Prize winning (Chemistry 2011) plenary speaker Professor Dan Shechtman.

Dan is just one of the world class plenary speakers taking centre stage at IMC19.

More speakers are to be announced shortly so make sure you **express your interest** at [imc19.com](http://imc19.com) to receive regular updates!



## PRE-CONGRESS WORKSHOPS

Pre-Congress workshops are being planned at several universities within Sydney and surrounding areas.

Workshops will encompass areas of:

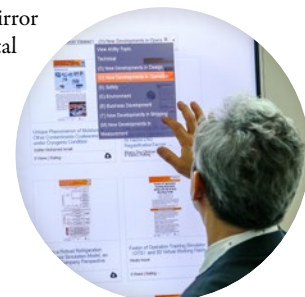
- Electron microscopy
- Optical microscopy
- Sample preparation
- Correlative microscopy
- Atom probe microscopy
- Data visualisation and analysis

## INTRODUCING DIGITAL POSTERS

The world of scientific publishing is undergoing a renaissance in terms of rigour, reproducibility and access to data.

This year at IMC19, we have decided to mirror this philosophy and introduce digital posters to showcase scientific research.

- Opportunity to present a mini-oral presentation within the program.
- Access posters digitally on your phone, tablet or laptop, anytime anywhere during the Congress.
- Allows presenters to include interactive and real-time data.



Download our Program at a Glance at:  
[imc19.com/program](http://imc19.com/program)

## REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Registration and accommodation bookings will open from **1 November 2017**.  
Take advantage of our **Early Bird rates** if you register by **10 May 2018**.

| REGISTRATION FEES <i>(Please note all fees are in AUD)</i>      |        |
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| AMMS/IFSM Affiliated Member Early Bird Registration Fee         | \$795  |
| AMMS/IFSM Affiliated Member Standard Registration Fee           | \$995  |
| AMMS/IFSM Affiliated Member Onsite Registration Fee             | \$1195 |
| Non-Member Early Bird Registration Fee                          | \$995  |
| Non-Member Standard Registration Fee                            | \$1195 |
| Non-Member Onsite Registration Fee                              | \$1395 |
| AMMS/IFSM Affiliated Student Member Early Bird Registration Fee | \$475  |
| AMMS/IFSM Affiliated Student Member Standard Registration Fee   | \$575  |
| Non-Member Student Early Bird Registration Fee                  | \$575  |
| Non-Member Student Standard Registration Fee                    | \$675  |

Visit [imc19.com/registration](http://imc19.com/registration) to find out more.

## IFSM YOUNG SCIENTISTS ASSEMBLY

The IFSM Young Scientists Assembly will take place on Saturday 8 September 2018.  
This program is open to all early career researchers who completed their Ph.D. within five years from the date of the Congress.

- Places are limited - applications open from **1 November 2017**.

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## TRAVEL GRANTS

Travel grant applications will open on 1 November 2017 to Australian and New Zealand based members of the Australian Microscopy and Microanalysis Society (AMMS). Grants will be offered to postgraduate students, junior technical staff, and early career researchers.

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## VISIT SYDNEY – A WORLD CLASS DESTINATION

Sydney is renowned for its stunning harbour setting and dining scenes. Whilst at IMC19 explore the iconic Opera House and Harbour Bridge and experience a myriad of other unique Australian experiences.

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## ABSTRACT SUBMISSIONS OPEN 1 NOVEMBER 2017



## KEY DATES

- **1 November 2017** – Abstract Submissions Open
- **1 November 2017** – Registration Opens
- **1 February 2018** – Abstract Submission Deadline
- **10 May 2018** – Early Bird Registration Closes
- **10 May 2018** – Author Registration Deadline

## SOCIAL PROGRAM

### Welcome Reception

**Sunday 9 September** 1800 - 2000

Trade Exhibition,  
International Convention Centre, Sydney

### Gala Dinner


**Thursday 13 September** 1900 - 2300

Doltone House, Darling Island Wharf, Sydney

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