



Academic Year 2023/2024

Title: International School on Plasmonics and Nano-optics

Lecturers: L. Andreani, M. Celebrano, R. Sapienza, international speakers

**Duration:** 24 hours frontal lectures + 8 hours projects by topic and

discussion + 4 hours poster sessions

**CFU**: 5

**Period:** 3-7 June 2024

Content: The school will take place at Villa Grumello (Como, Italy) in the

framework of the Lake Como School of Advanced Studies.

The school will bring together doctoral students, early-stage researchers and renowned academics working in various fields of light-matter interaction at the nanoscale. Frontal lectures, which will cover both fundamentals and applied aspect of Plasmonics and Nano-optics, will be complemented by scientific seminars introducing the latest discoveries in the field. The participants will also be involved in active learning tasks, which will encourage interaction with lecturers and multidisciplinary collaborations.

Topics: Principles of nano-optics and plasmonics; nanofabrication and experimental characterization techniques; quantum nano-optics; nonlinear optics and plasmonics; ultrafast techniques; applications to enhanced spectroscopy and sensing.

Confirmed international lecturers:

Prof. Lukas Novotny (ETH Zurich, Switzerland);

Prof. Javier Aizpurua (University of the Basque Country, San

Sebastian, Spain);

Prof. Laura Lechuga (ICN2-CSIC, Spain);

Prof. Maxim Shcherbakov (University of California, Irvine).

A list of additional local lecturers and seminars will be announced

soon.

**Notes** If a final exam will be given, the school can count as a PhD

exam.