

Saturday 7th May :

Participants arrival (transfer to hotel, restaurant)

Sunday 8th May :

Morning :

- 9.00 : Welcome – Pr. Helmer Fjellvåg, Pr. Matt Rosseinsky
- 9.10 : Thomas Palstra - Groningen
 ”The origin of ferroelectricity in RMO_3 ”
- 9.30 : Graeme Blake - Groningen
 “Phase separation and structural disorder in RVO_3 ”
- 9.50 : Marcin Sikora - Zaragoza/Cracow
 “How to study 3d electronic structure of transition metals using hard X-rays? “

Coffee 10.10

- 10.40 Lecture : Frode Tyholdt - Oslo, invited speaker.
 “Sol-gel synthesis / Spin-coating”
- 11.40 : Jan Michalik - Zaragoza
 Recent progress in Zaragoza

Lunch : 12.00

Afternoon :

- 13.00 Lecture : Ola Nielsen - Oslo, invited speaker.
 “Thin films synthesis by ALCVD”
- 14.00 Lecture : Marie-Hélène Sage - Groningen, invited speaker.
 “Crystal Growth “

Coffee 15.00

- 15.30 : Nicolas Créon - Oslo
 Recent progress in Oslo
- 16.20 : Mathieu Allix - Liverpool
 Recent progress in Liverpool
- 16.40 : Ponniah Ravindran - Oslo, invited speaker.
 “Magnetic and ferroelectric properties of BiFeO_3 ” (20-30 min.)
- 17.10 : Vidya Ravindran - Oslo, invited speaker.
 “Density functional studies on mixed-valent chromium and iron compounds”

Dinner : 19.00

Monday 9th May :

Morning :

- 9.00 : Lecture : Pavel Karen - Oslo, invited speaker.
“Nonstoichiometry in oxides and its control”
- 10.00 : R. Ruiz-Bustos - Oxford
Recent progress in Oxford

Coffee 10.20

- 10.50 : D. Rybicki – Prague
“ ^{55}Mn NMR study of $\text{La}_{0.75}\text{Sr}_{0.25}\text{MnO}_3$ nanoparticles”
- 11.10 : Ales Strejc – Caen
“Specific heat of $\text{Pr}_{1-x}\text{Ca}_x\text{MnO}_3$ ($0.5 \leq x \leq 1$)”
- 11.30 : Natalia Bellido – Caen
“Dielectric measurements under magnetic field; what can we extract and study of YMnO_3 ”

Lunch : 12.00

Afternoon :

- 14.00 Lecture : Poul Norby- Oslo, invited speaker.
“Hydrothermal synthesis”
- 15.00 : Jan Michalik - Zaragoza
Recent progress in Zaragoza
- 15.20 : K. Knizek - Prague
“ LnCoO_3 perovskite”

Coffee 15.40

- 16.00 : Coordinators discussion

Dinner : 19.00

Tuesday 10th May :

Departure