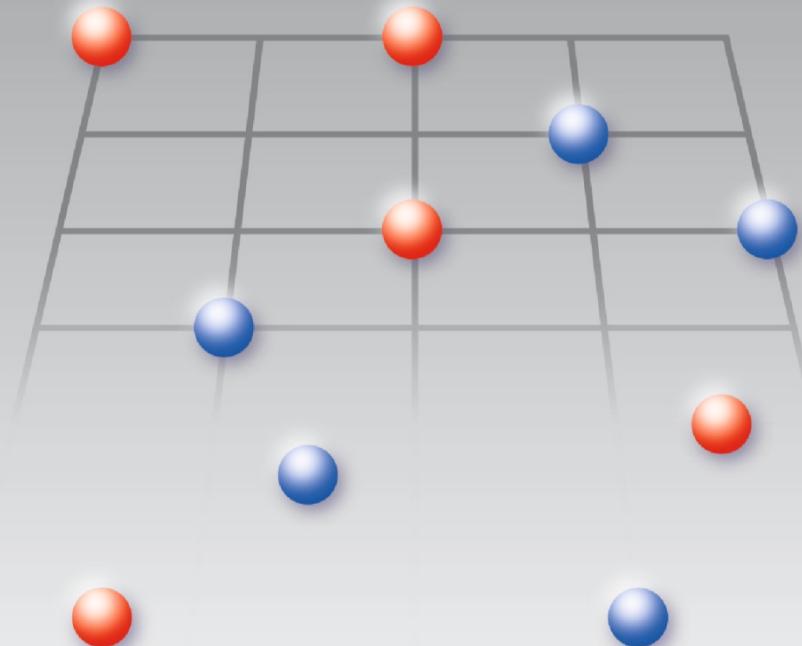


Condensed Matter Systems with Variable Many-Body Interactions



Funding Proposal 1.7.2015 – 30.6.2019
Frankfurt - Kaiserslautern - Mainz

Programme

9.35 – 10.10

Scientific concept and structure of SFB/TR 49

Michael Lang

Young researchers – Integrated Graduate School (MGK)

Sebastian Eggert

Discussion

10.10 – 10.50

Materials design – synthesis and modelling

Herwig Ott, Rene Gerritsma, Cornelius Krellner*

Discussion

10.50 – 11.10

Coffee break

11.10 – 11.50

Cooperative phenomena

*Michael Fleischhauer, Roser Valentí**

Discussion

11.50 – 12.25

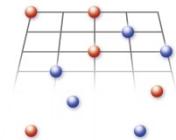
Excitations and interactions

Burkard Hillebrands, Gerd Schönhense

Discussion

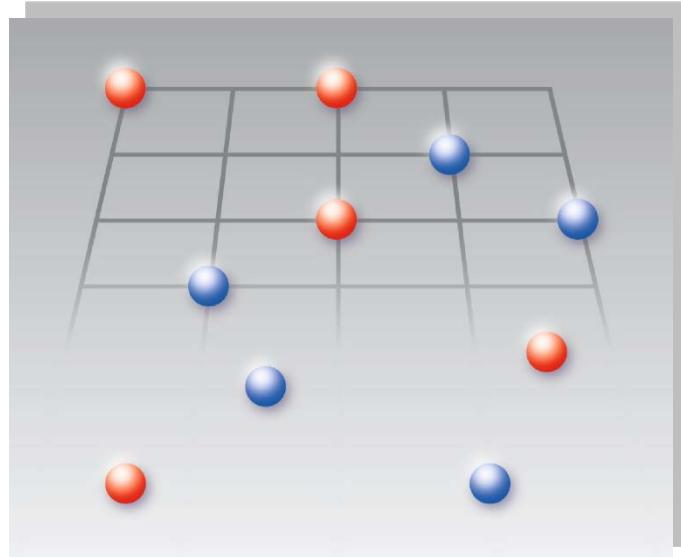
***New aspects from young researchers**

(Kateryna Foyevtsova, Rene Gerritsma)

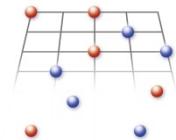


Many-Body Systems with Variable Interactions

- Electrons in narrow-band metals
- Magnetic excitations in spin systems
- Cold atoms/ions in traps



$$\gamma = \frac{\text{Interaction Energy}}{\text{Kinetic Energy}}$$



Scientific Concept – Topics

Mott transition & anomalous states nearby

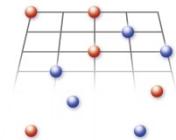
- Spin liquids
- Charge order
- Neutral-ionic transition
- Unconventional superconductivity
- Multiferroicity
- Effects of inhomogeneities

Cooperative phenomena

- Bose-Einstein condensation
- Dimensionality-driven phenomena
- Berezinskii-Kosterlitz-Thouless scenario
- (Quantum)-criticality
- Quantum magnetism – effects of frustration

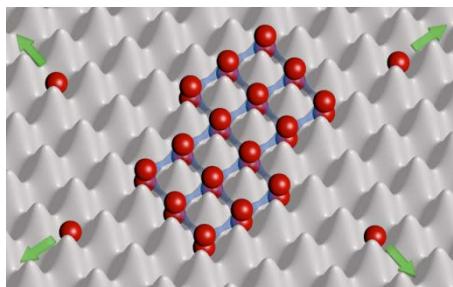
Dynamics of coherence and correlations

- Dynamical response @ strong correlations
- Condensation dynamics
- Non-equilibrium phenomena

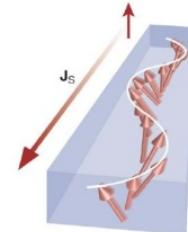


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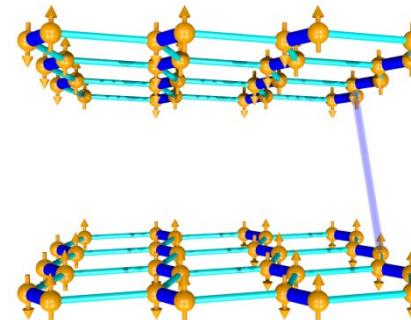
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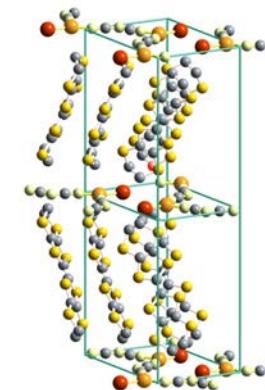
ultracold atoms/ions



magnon gases



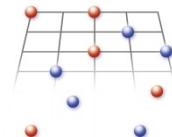
quantum spin systems



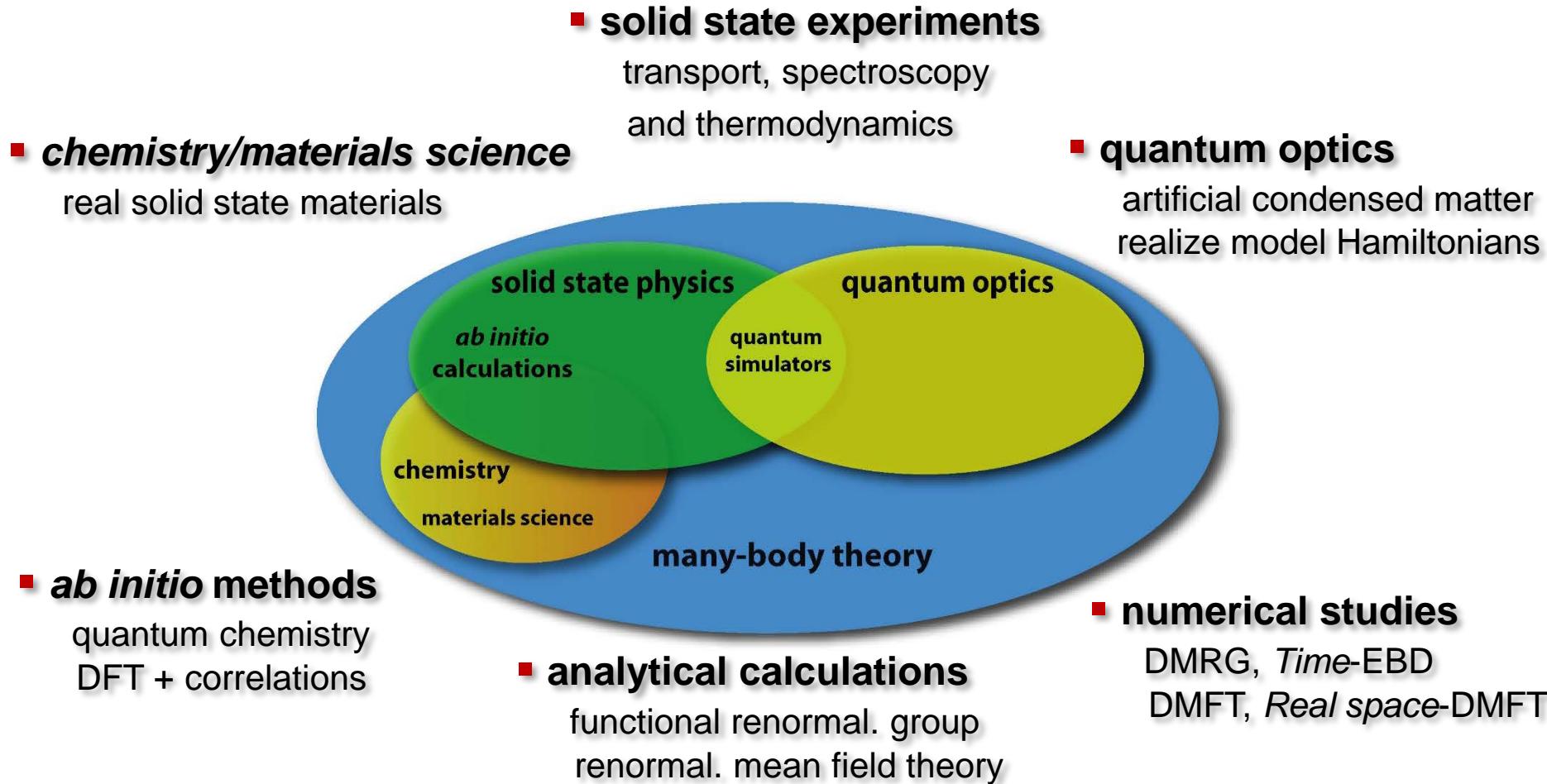
charge-transfer salts

■ high degree of controllability & tunability

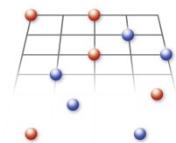
⇒ progress in tailoring model systems: spin-spin interactions, frustration effects, non-equilibrium dynamics, **spin-lattice** ...



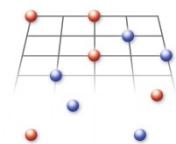
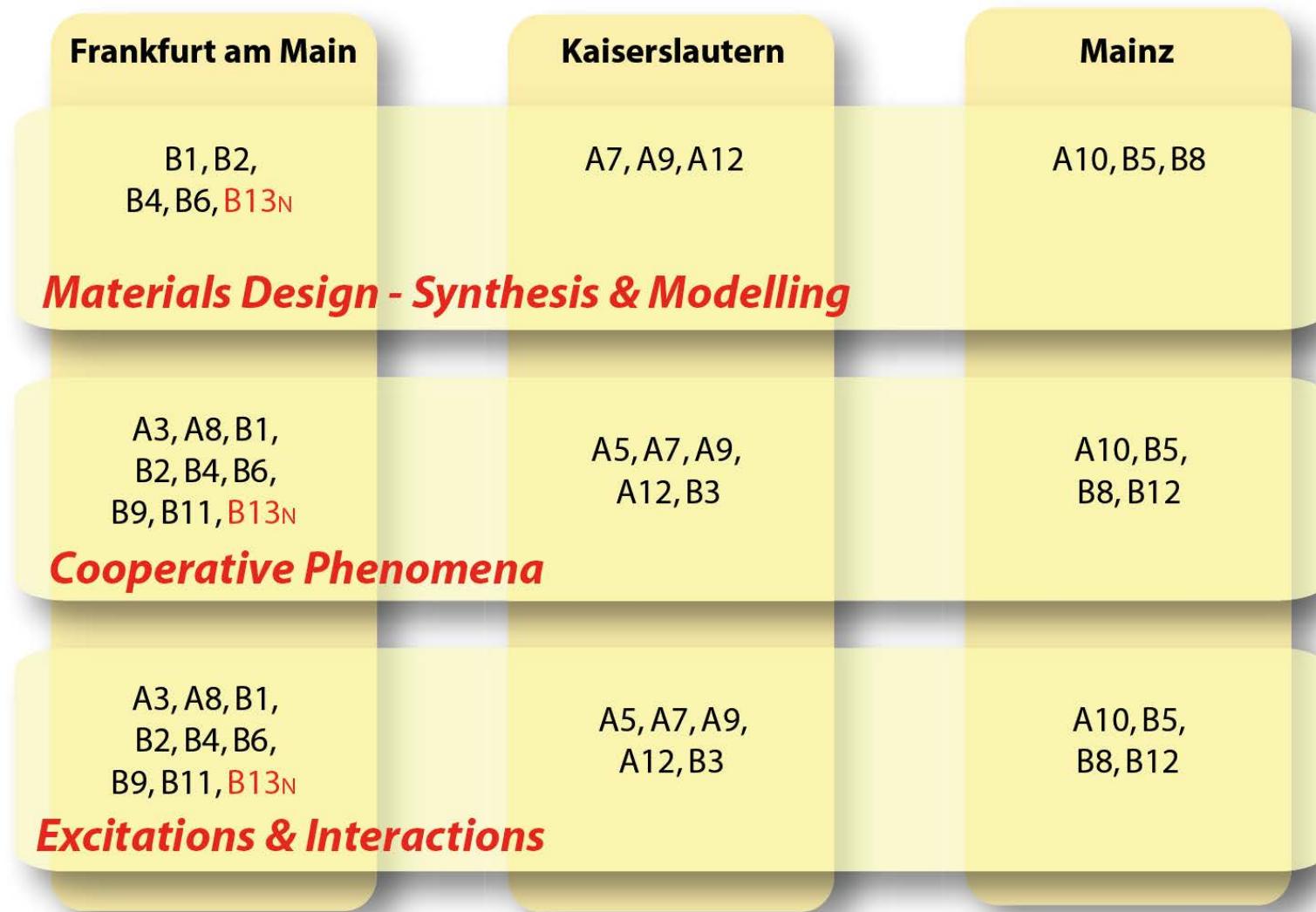
Interdisciplinary approach



novel techniques ⇒ talks „Fields of Research“



Structure within the SFB/TR 49 – “Fields of Research“



Project Areas – Formal Sectioning

A: Model-Based Systems

B: Solid State Real Materials

2011-2015

10 experimental projects

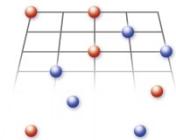
8 theoretical projects

2 experimental / theoretical projects

20 scientific projects

1 graduate school project (MGK)

1 central project



Personnel developments (2011-2015)

New appointments (\Leftrightarrow SFB/TR 49):

- 2011 **A. Widera** (Kaiserslautern);
ultracold atomic gases, polaron physics

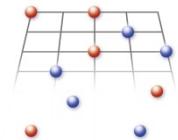


joined the SFB/TR49 in 2012 with A12 (transferred DFG project)

- 2012 **C. Krellner** (Frankfurt);
materials development & single crystal growth,
(successor of W. Aßmus, retired in 2012)



joined the SFB/TR49 in 2012 as associate member,
now Co-PI in B4 (Ritter, Krellner)



Personnel developments (2011-2015)

Young researchers as new PIs

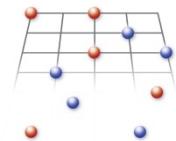
2014 **Rene Gerritsma** (Mainz);
mixtures of ultracold atoms and ions

Co-PI in project A10 (Gerritsma, Schmidt-Kaler)



2015 **Kateryna Foyevtsova** (Vancouver, Frankfurt);
ab initio Quantum Monte Carlo & perturbation theory,

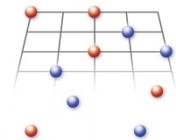
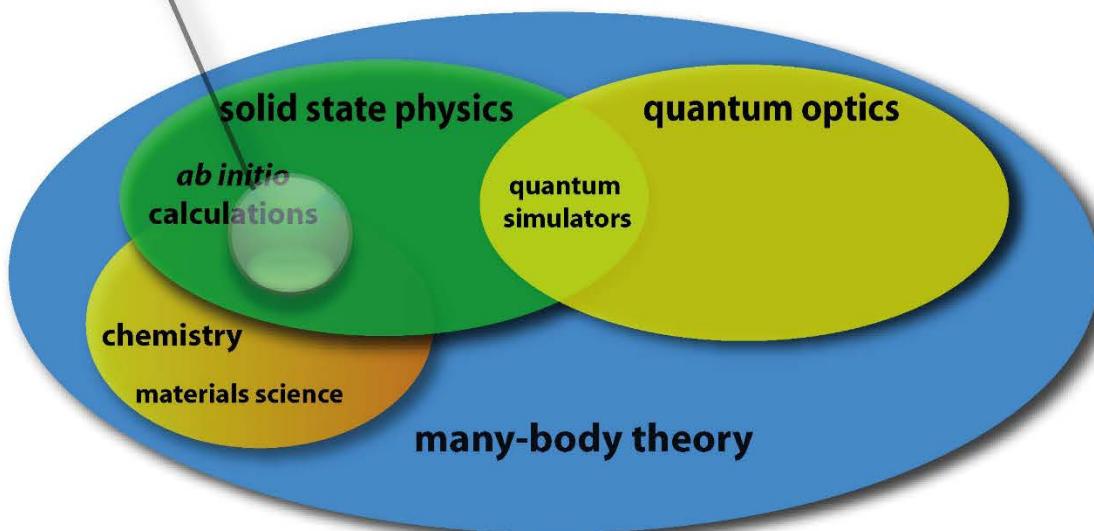
Co-PI in **new project B13_N** (Foyevtsova, Valentí)



New activities (2015-2019)

Kateryna Foyevtsova, Roser Valentí
B13_N

„Investigations of spin systems via *ab initio* Quantum Monte Carlo and perturbation theory“

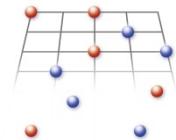
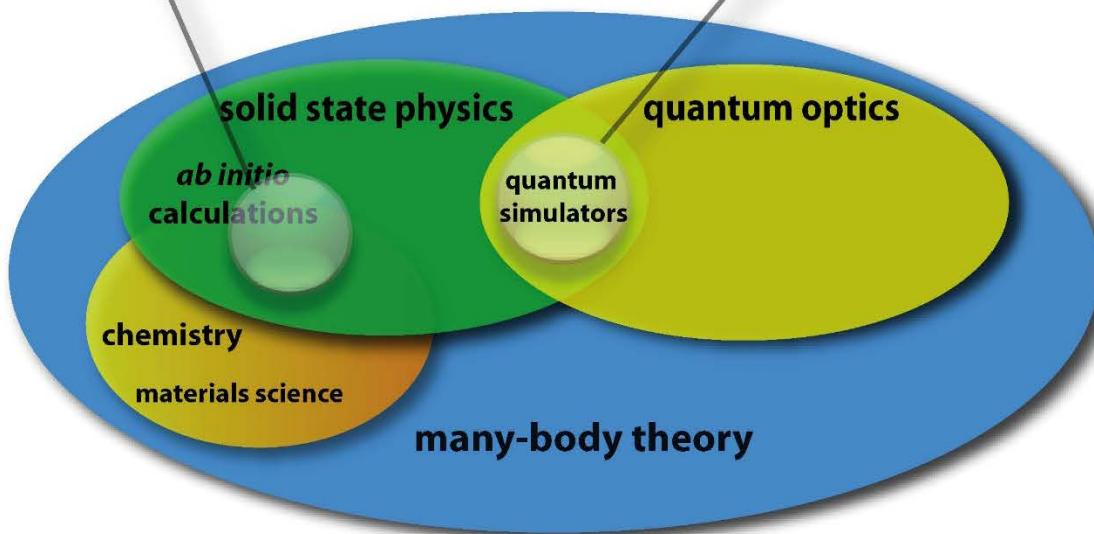


New activities (2015-2019)

Kateryna Foyevtsova, Roser Valentí
B13N

„Investigations of spin systems via *ab initio* Quantum Monte Carlo and perturbation theory“

Rene Gerritsma in
A10 (Gerritsma, Schmidt-Kaler):
„Use of mixtures of ultracold atoms/ions
for simulating electron-phonon coupling“



Project Area A: Model-Based Systems

ultracold
atomic/ionic gases

A3 *W. Hofstetter*



A5 *M. Fleischhauer, S. Eggert*



A9 *H. Ott*



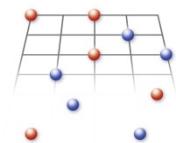
A10 *R. Gerritsma, F. Schmidt-Kaler,*

A12 *A. Widera*



A7 *B. Hillebrands, O. Serha*

A8 *P. Kopietz*



Project Area B: Solid State Real Materials

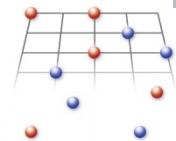
quantum spin systems

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|------------------------|----------------------------------|
| B1 | <i>B. Wolf, M. Lang</i> |
| B2 | <i>R. Valenti</i> |
| B3 | <i>S. Eggert</i> |
| B4 | <i>F. Ritter, C. Krellner</i> |
| B5 | <i>M. Baumgarten</i> |
| <i>B13_N</i> | <i>K. Foyevtsova, R. Valentí</i> |

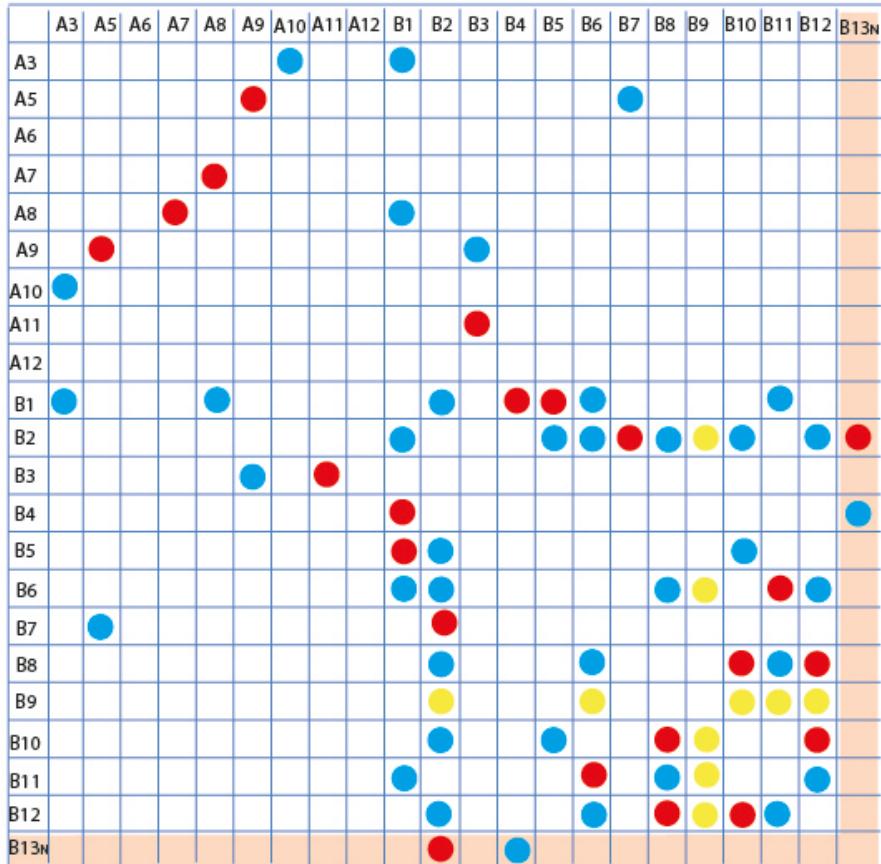


charge-transfer salts

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| B6 | <i>M. Lang</i> |
| B8 | <i>G. Schönhense</i> |
| B9 | <i>M. Huth</i> |
| B11 | <i>J. Müller</i> |
| B12 | <i>H.J. Elmers</i> |



Collaboration within the SFB/TR49



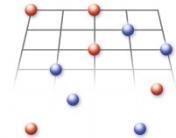
2011 - 2015

(2007 – 2011)

- 45 joint publications
(2-4 groups)

joint publication

- 1
- > 1
- arXiv



Joint publications



ARTICLE

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Evidence of a field-induced Berezinskii-Kosterlitz-Thouless scenario in a two-dimensional spin-dimer system

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B1 B2 B5

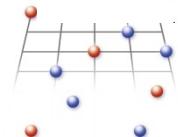


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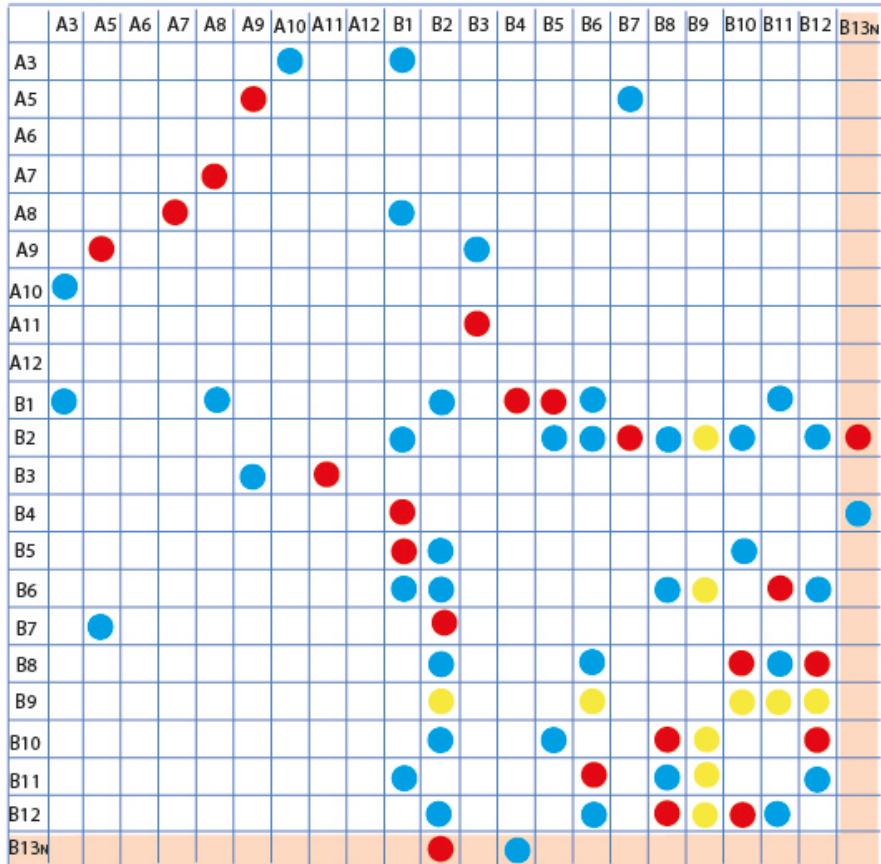
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B2 B8 B10_E B12

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2011 - 2015

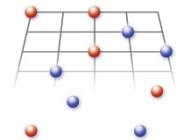
(2007 – 2011)

- 45 joint publications (27)
- out of >180 publications (130)
- 41 in “high-impact” journals (35)

Nature family (6), PNAS (2),
JACS (6), PRL (23), APL (4)

joint publication

- 1
- > 1
- arXiv



Guests - Seminars - Conferences

- 35 guests (typ. stays 1 – 3 weeks)
- 69 SFB colloquia rotating between the 3 locations + 53 SFB seminars

- **2nd International Symposium 2014 on**

*“Novel States in Correlated Condensed Matter –
From Model Systems to Real Materials”*

27 external invited speakers
> 110 participants



April 8-10, Königstein (Taunus)

- **Co-organization of international conferences (9) by SFB/TR49 members:**

- WE-Heraeus-Seminar 2013: “*Quantum Many-Body-Dynamics in Open Systems*”

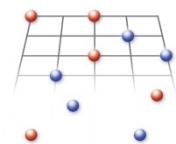
M. Fleischhauer, A. Widera, J. Sirker

- NewSpin3 Conference 2013: “*Spin phenomena: From Model Systems to Complex Matter*”

H. Ott, W. Hofstetter

- ISCOM 2015: “*11th International Symposium on Crystalline Organic Metals, Superconductors and Magnets*”

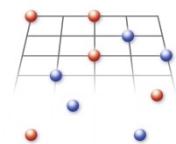
M. Lang, J. Müller, R. Valentí



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Outreach

- participation in public activities
 - popular lectures
 - Kinder-Uni, Physics Olympiad schools, ...
 - public events
 - Science summer, Physics on Saturday morning,
 - Night of Science, Schülerinnentag, ...
- internships for high school students (age of 15 -17)
 - Schülercampus – Wissenschaft entdecken!
- articles in research magazines
 - Goethe Deine Forscher, Natur und Geist,*
 - Unispektrum, ...*



Changes in projects

Projects ceased

A6(E) [Nils Blümer](#)

A11(E) [Jesko Sirker](#) (Prof. position at Univ. Manitoba, Canada)

B7(E) [Claudius Gros](#)

B10(E) [Klaus Müllen](#) (retirement in 2016) and [Martin Baumgarten](#)

Changes in project leadership

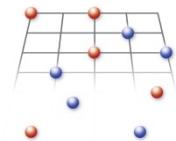
B2 ([Jeschke](#), Valenti) ⇒ B2 (Valenti)

B5 ([Wagner](#), Baumgarten) ⇒ B5 (Baumgarten)

B6 ([de Souza](#), Lang) ⇒ B6 (Lang)

B8 ([Aeschlimann](#), Schönhense) ⇒ B8 (Schönhense)

⇒ key aspects will be continued in other projects



Funding Proposal 2015-2019

11 experimental projects

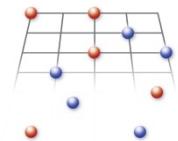
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Funding Proposal 2015-2019 – new aspects

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Dynamics of coherence and correlations

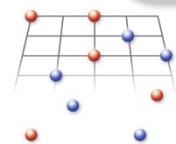
- Dynamical response @ strong correlations
- Condensation dynamics
- Non-equilibrium phenomena

2007-2011: formation of collective states, thermodynamic properties

2011-2015: dynamical aspects, effects of inhomogeneities and frustration

Advances in controlling & treating relevant parameters (\Leftrightarrow model systems)

2015-2019: coupling to lattice degrees of freedom: polaron physics, novel phenomena at QCP, multiferroic effects, ...



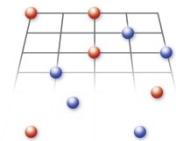
Gender equality - Compatibility of family and scientific career

Measures at the participating universities

- Service centers:
 - gender & diversity controlling, dual career-service, family service;
 - Training programmes: gender & diversity trainings for leadership positions, junior researchers,...
- Mentoring, training & coaching
 - “MentorinnenNetzwerk“, “SciMento“, “ProProfessur“,
- Gender and Diversity competence: awareness training for leading personnel
- Special offers:
 - Day-care facilities, family-friendly infrastructure
 - baby nursing, changing facilities, ...



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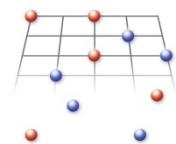


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Gender equality - Compatibility of family and scientific career

Special measures by the SFB/TR 49

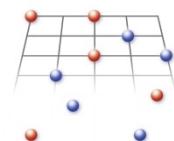
- Job announcements using suitable networks & mailing lists; encouraging qualified women to apply
 - Active participation in special events: “Girlsday“, “Physikerinnentagung“, ...
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- Dual-career service for young researchers (2 couples employed)
 - Additional flexible support: day-care service on evening hours/weekends during conference travels, ...
 - Discussion forum (↔ SFB colloquium) : Meeting with female senior scientists



Gender equality - Compatibility of family and scientific career

Female next-generation scientists within the SFB/TR 49

	percentage of women (2007-2015)	physics throughout Germany
PhD students	19-25%	20%
Postdocs	20-22%	17%
	(2007-2011) (2011-2015) (2015-2019)	
Female PIs	Roser Valentí Claudia Felser	Roser Valentí Roser Valentí Kateryna Foyevtsova



SFB/TR49 ⇔ Structures at the Universities

The SFB/TR49

- matches **priority research areas** at the participating Universities
- has strongly influenced **personnel developments**

FFM: Prof. Müller, 2009; Prof. Krellner, 2012;

KL: Prof. Ott, 2009; JProf Sirker, 2009; Prof. Widera, 2012;

MZ: Prof. Schmidt-Kaler, 2010;

- interacts with local Research Centers

OPTIMAS - Optics and Materials Science (KL)

CINEMA – Centre for INnovative & EMerging Materials (MZ)

- is supported by **additional infrastructure**

He-liquefier (FFM), Nanostructuring facilities (KL), access to high-performance computers, ...

- has significantly strengthened **education of young scientists**

