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Microscopy Society of America Announces the Class of 2022 Fellows

Three to be inducted at the Microscopy & Microanalysis 2022 meeting held this August in Portland, Oregon.

RESTON, Virginia – April 17, 2022 – The Microscopy Society of America (MSA) will induct three members of the Society as the Class of 2022 Fellows. The honor will be conferred on August 3, 2022, during the Microscopy & Microanalysis 2022 (M&M 2022) meeting. The MSA Fellow designation annually recognizes senior distinguished members of the Society who have made significant contributions to the advancement of the field of microscopy and microanalysis through a combination of scientific achievement and service to the scientific community.

Members of the MSA Class of 2022 Fellows are:

- **Miaofang Chi**, *Oak Ridge National Laboratory* - “For sustained and outstanding contributions to advancing microscopy methods for the study of a broad range of energy materials.”
- **Cynthia S. Goldsmith**, *Centers for Disease Control & Prevention* - “For her long term commitment to improve public health and safety through her viral diagnosis and pathology electron microscopy research and her services to the microscopy community through teaching and training peers both locally and nationally.”
- **Stig Helveg**, *Technical University of Denmark (DTU)* - “For pioneering electron microscopy of materials under reactive gas environments and at atomic resolution, leading to ground breaking insights into gas-surface interactions in catalysis and nanomaterials.”

The Microscopy Society of America was founded as the Electron Microscope Society of America in 1942, a time of rapid development for an instrument that promised, for the first time, better resolving power than that of the traditional light microscope. The Society adopted its current name on the occasion of its 50th

anniversary, to reflect the diversity of microscopy techniques represented by its membership. Today, a variety of microscopes are capable of imaging individual atoms, and providing chemical information to identify what kind of atom is being imaged, while a variety of microscopes of lower resolving power continue to play an enabling role in understanding the world around us at a microscopic scale. The Microscopy Society of America champions all forms of microscopy and the development of new imaging technologies through its annual meeting, its publications, and its educational outreach.

[Microscopy & Microanalysis](#) (M&M) is the annual meeting of the Microscopy Society of America and the Microanalysis Society (MAS). M&M 2022 will be held July 31–August 4 in Portland, Oregon.

The Microscopy Society of America is an affiliate society of the American Institute of Physics (AIP) and the American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS).

For promotional purposes, photographs of individual Fellows and their citations can be found on the MSA website:

<http://www.microscopy.org/awards/listoffellows.cfm>

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