

Free 2-Day Workshop at George Mason University



Nanoscale Mechanical and Electrical Applications on Materials and Biomaterials

February 24-25, 2026
George Mason University

Explore New Advances and Research Trends

Bruker is pleased to co-host a nanoscale characterization workshop with **George Mason University's Institute for Advanced Biomedical Research (IABR)**. This two-day event is an opportunity to learn about atomic force microscopy and nanoindentation technology advances and research trends. A wide range of materials and life sciences examples will be discussed, from polymers and semiconductor materials, to living cells and DNA.

The agenda also includes hands-on demonstrations with Bruker's **Dimension Icon AFM** and **NanoWizard V BioAFM**.

If you have a sample you would like to bring, contact Sezin Sayin (ssayin@gmu.edu) or Jianjun Yao (Jianjun.Yao@bruker.com), or simply describe your sample during registration.

We hope to see you there!

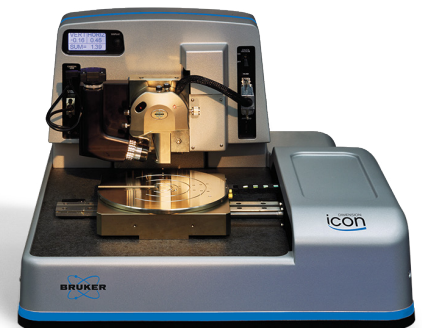


Register to secure your spot!

Scan the QR code or [click here](#) to register.



NanoWizard V BioAFM



Dimension Icon AFM

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Location

George Mason University

Conference Room Location for Lectures and Lunch
Life Sciences and Engineering Building (LSEB), Room 2402
10930 George Mason Circle, Manassas, VA 20110

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Tuesday, February 24

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| 9:00AM | Introduction |
| 9:15AM | Advanced Methods and Recent Developments in AFM: Approaches to Mechanical and Electrical Characterization Presenter: John Thornton, Bruker |
| 10:05AM | Break |
| 10:30AM | Application of Large Area Mapping and High-Resolution Correlative Imaging with AFM for Automated Structural and Nanomechanical Analysis in Tissues, Cells, Biomolecules, and Materials Research Presenter: Yi Wei, Bruker |
| 11:10AM | Recent Developments in Nanomechanical Testing Presenter: Michael Berg, Bruker |
| 12:00PM | Lunch (provided by Bruker) |
| 1:00PM | Hands-on Sessions |
| 4:00PM | End of Day 1 |

Wednesday, February 25

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| 9:00AM | Hands-on Sessions |
| 4:00PM | End of Day 2 |



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