



# Newsletter

## November

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#### **Directors Notes**

Please accept my apologies for a delay in the usual newsletter—but good things are worth the wait. This includes the new website which is still in development but absolutely coming soon! Thanks to those who have already provided updated pictures and information for staff profiles and I will also be in touch for updates on all case studies. However may I encourage you to keep sending in the information so that we have as many of you on the website as possible when it launches? If you haven't heard from me and want to be involved then get in touch.

SU2P recently ran an **Industrial Fellowship Scheme** sponsored by two of our industrial partners Kaiam Corporation and M Squared Lasers Ltd. SU2P is delighted that Kaiam have managed to find a wonderful 'fellow' and details of who that is will be announced very soon. The scheme will run again in 2017 so look out for news of this in the new year.

SU2P are busy organising several events for the coming year details of which are in the newsletter. These include the following -

- ◆ Joint OSA/SU2P International Incubator
- ◆ SU2P Networking Event at Photonics West
- ◆ SU2P/Stanford visit during Photonics West
- ◆ SU2P workshops
- ◆ SU2P Symposium

If you have any ideas for workshops or other types of events you would like to see SU2P run, then please let me know.

Also remember that there are **open calls** for SU2P Staff Exchanges and Pilot Projects so get in touch if you have an idea or are interested in either activity.

For any information or queries contact me direct.

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#### **SU2P Industrial Fellowship**

**Award by Kaiam Corporation**

**—announcement coming soon**

#### **Looking ahead**

##### **SU2P at Photonics West 2017**

Following the success of our networking event during PW this year SU2P will run the event again in 2017. The networking event will be linked to a visit to Stanford. Our aim is to further increase awareness of SU2P in California and SF Bay Area, enhance our collaborations with Stanford SPRC and CalTECH and develop new contacts and collaborations with SPRC and local Bay Area industries.

**So if any of the following apply to you then please get in touch NOW**

- ◆ Interested in or Planning on attending **Photonics West** in February 2017
- ◆ Planning to catch up with existing contacts and collaborators at Stanford/CalTECH
- ◆ Wish to develop new contacts with our partners in **Stanford or CalTECH**
- ◆ Would like the opportunity to visit the **Stanford campus** to see the facilities, present your research ideas and meet current/potential collaborators



**OSA Future Microscopy Incubator:  
Merging Adaptive and Computational Imaging**

**Calling ALL Microscopists, Biologists, Biophysicists and those in industry !**

SU2P is pleased to announce its partnership with OSA to bring the first OSA incubator to Scotland as part of the OSA's International Incubator programme.

**Date:** 11-13 December

**Venue:** The Royal Society of Edinburgh, Scotland

**Hosts:** **Tomas Cizmar**, University of Dundee, **Susan Cox**, King's College London, **Brian Patton**, University of Strathclyde

*Further information*

[http://www.osa.org/en-us/meetings/incubator\\_meetings/osa\\_future\\_microscopy\\_incubator\\_merging\\_adaptive/](http://www.osa.org/en-us/meetings/incubator_meetings/osa_future_microscopy_incubator_merging_adaptive/)

This is a small invitation only meeting will bring together scientists from government agencies, academia and industry to explore the future of microscopy. The program aims to tie together the fundamentals that underpin the state of the art in active reconfiguration, real-time feedback and post-acquisition analysis, and thereby identify both the key challenges for the future and the existing areas in which we should be encouraging uptake of technologies by a wider scientific and engineering community.

**A few spaces remain** at this invitation only meeting for interested individuals to apply. Please send a brief letter of interest along with a CV to the hosts at [osaincubator@osa.org](mailto:osaincubator@osa.org).

**SU2P 8th Annual Symposium**  
**April 5&6 2017**  
**Hosted by Heriot Watt University**  
**NEW Speaker Programme—increasing interaction and engagement with delegates**  
**NEW Student Presentations— spotlight on emerging talent**  
**Themed Sessions      Poster Session      Exhibition**  
**Symposium Banquet at Dalmahoy with Guest Speaker**  
**REGISTRATION DETAILS COMING SOON**

**SU2P Pilot Projects and Staff Exchanges—OPEN CALLS**

**SU2P “Pilot” projects** are pilot or proof of principle exercises that have a clear potential for commercial exploitation. The project work will build on existing research programmes and infrastructure.

**The SU2P Staff Exchange** programme is open to any researcher (PDRA or academic staff) employed by the partner institutions and enables researchers, either singly or in combination, to spend between one and six months in a trans-Atlantic partner institution.

If you have an idea for a pilot/development project or a staff exchange involving SU2P industry partners and Stanford colleagues—*ask for more information and apply now*