



# 2018 EIPBN MicroGraph Contest

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**Micrograph Title:**  
**Nano-Turkey**

**Description:**  
Two-photon  
polymerization  
based direct laser  
written 3D Turkey at  
the nanoscale.

**10  $\mu\text{m}$**



**Magnification (3"x4" image): 596X**

**Instrument : DLW: NanoScribe GmbH, SEM: Zeiss ULTRA-55 FEG**

**Submitted by: Dr. Debashis Chanda**

**Affiliation: Univ. of Central Florida  
Florida, North America**

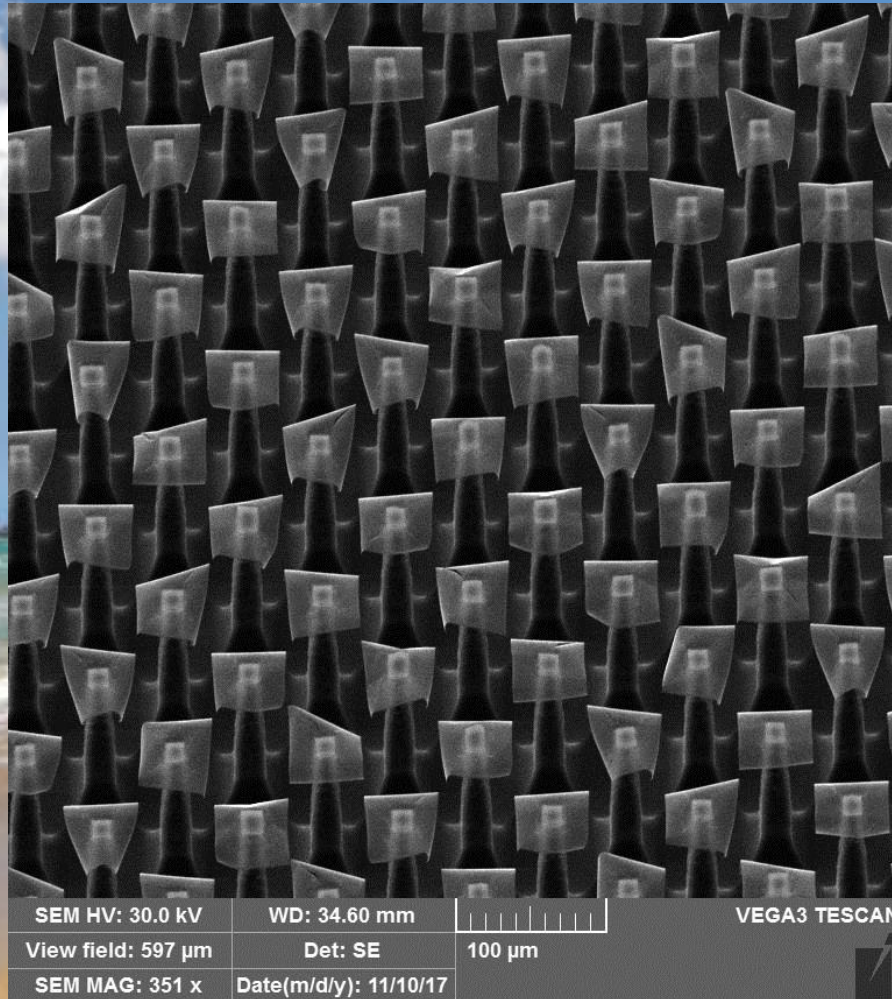


# 2018 EIPBN MicroGraph Contest

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Micrograph Title:  
**Micro-nuns  
praying for  
budget**

Description:  
Cr capped Si pillars  
after RIE etching



Magnification (3"x4" image): 351 X

Submitted by: Dr. Ralu Divan

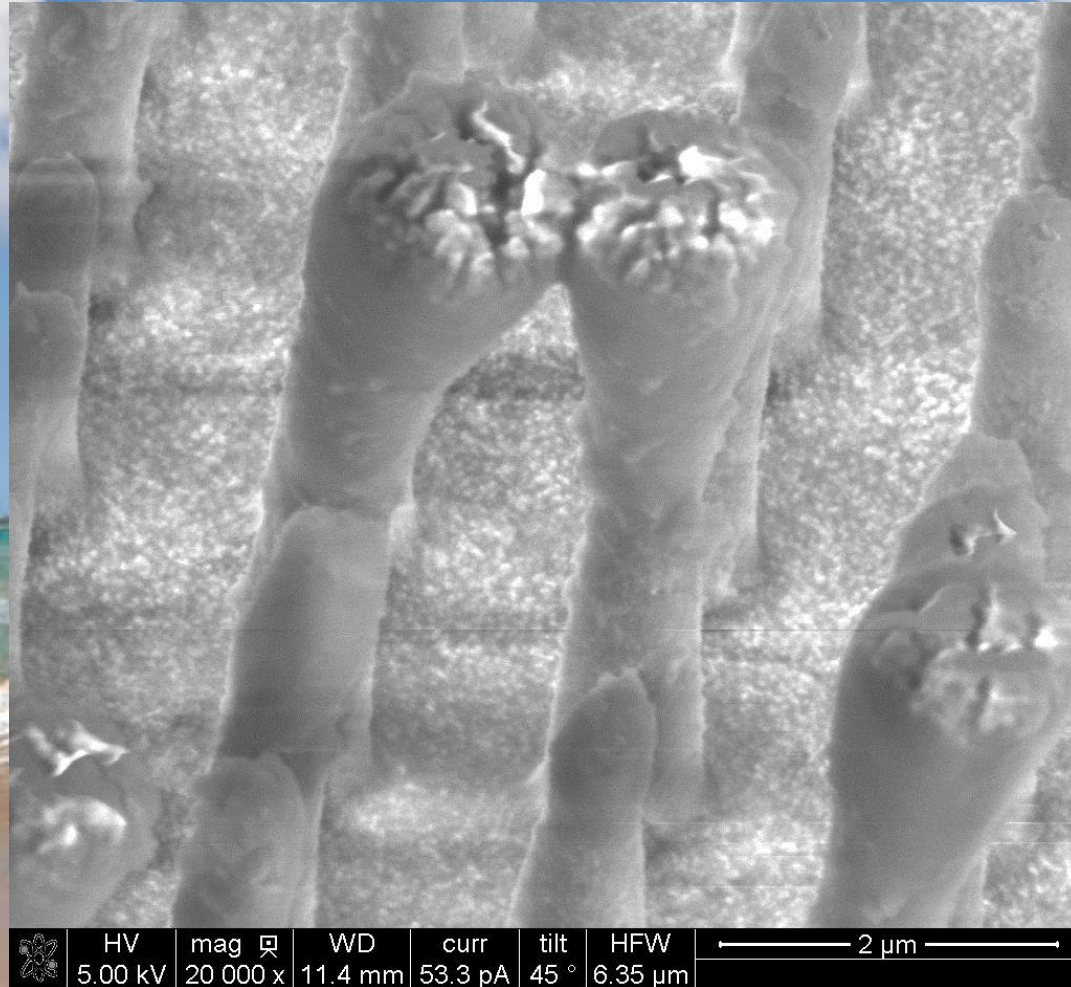
Instrument : VEGA 3 TESCAN

Affiliation: Argonne National Lab.



**Micrograph Title:**  
**Boxing gloves**

**Description:**  
 Magnetic tunable pillars: iron oxide nanoparticles bonded on the chains of Polydimethylsiloxane (PDMS). During RIE etching, two pillars bend toward each other.



**Magnification (3"x4" image): 20 KX**

**Submitted by: Zhiren Luo**

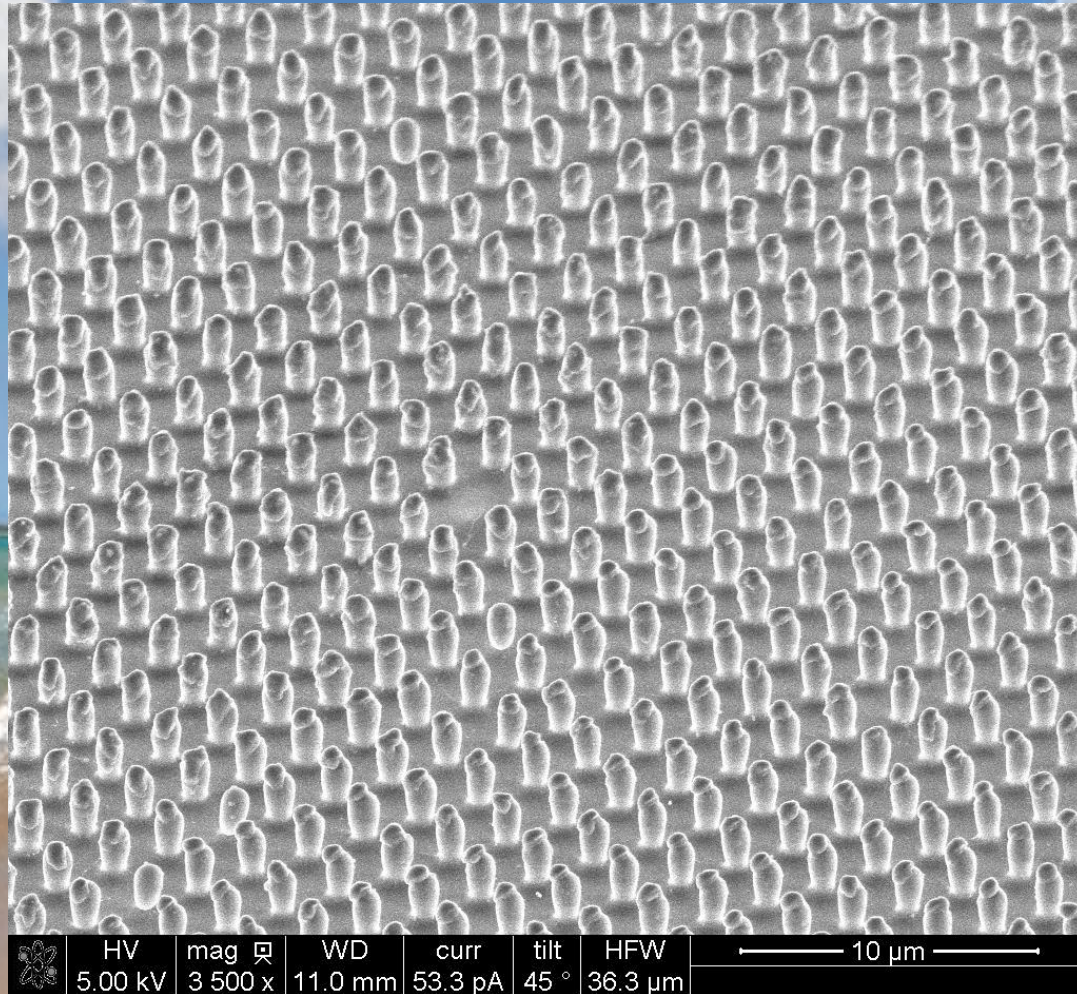
**Instrument : FEI Quanta 3D FEG**

**Affiliation: North Carolina State Univ.  
 Raleigh, NC**



**Micrograph Title:**  
**Worship**

**Description:**  
 Magnetic tunable pillar array with an empty at the center. The Cobalt cap is deposited on the top of Polydimethylsiloxane (PDMS) pillars.



**Magnification (3"x4" image): 3.5 KX**

**Submitted by: Zhiren Luo**

**Instrument : FEI Quanta 3D FEG**

**Affiliation: North Carolina State Univ.  
 Raleigh, NC**





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Micrograph Title:  
Elvis plays the  
trumpet.

Description:  
DIC imaging of a  
particle of schmutz  
on a lightly pitted  
oxide surface



Magnification (3"x4" image): 200X

Submitted by: Steve Hickman

Instrument : Leica Polylite 88

Affiliation: Stratos Genomic



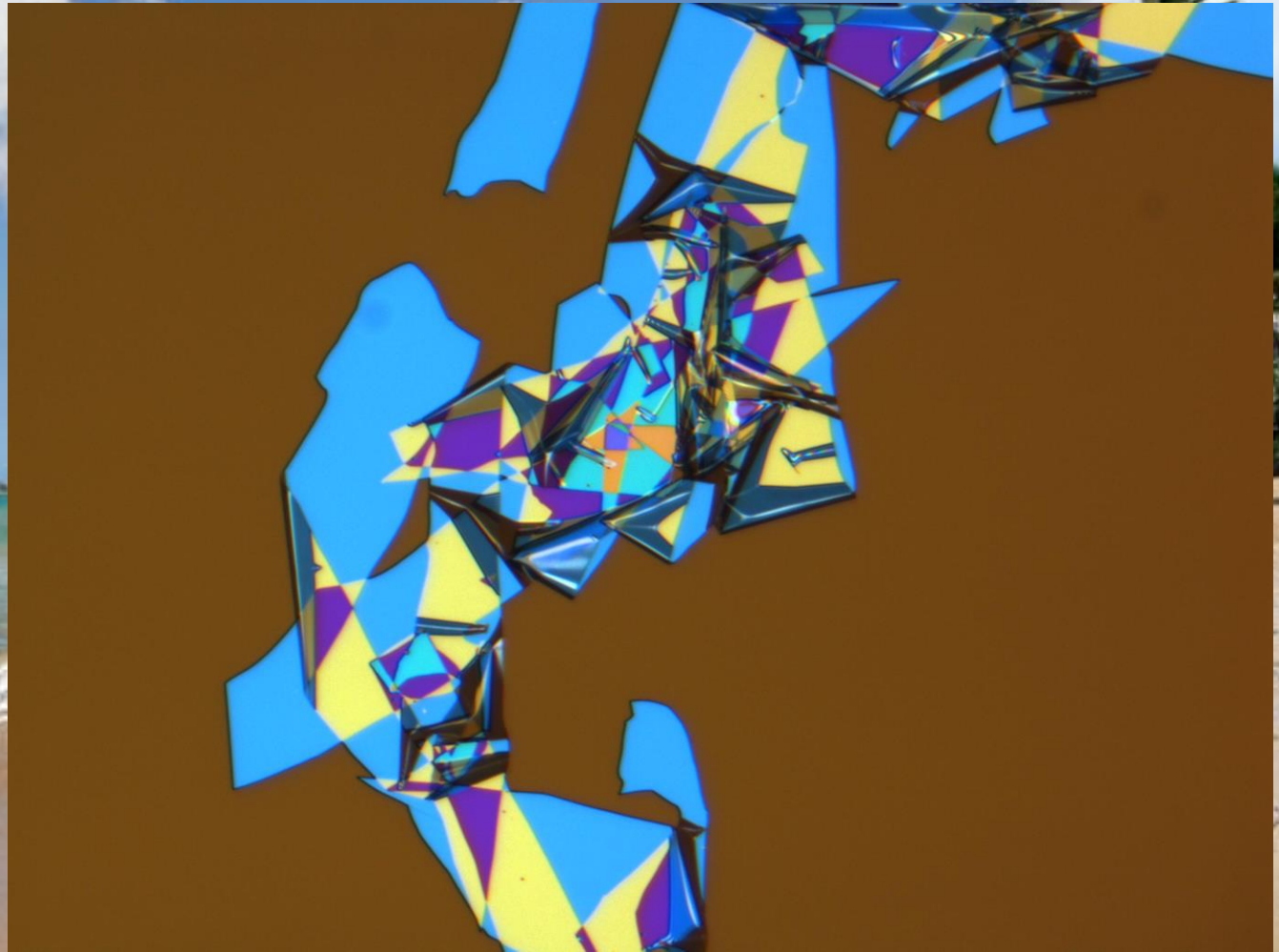


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Micrograph Title:  
What say you  
Sister Wendy?

Description:  
Folded layers of  
50nm thick nitride,  
after a KOH through-  
wafer etch



Magnification (3"x4" image): 250X

Submitted by: Steve Hickman

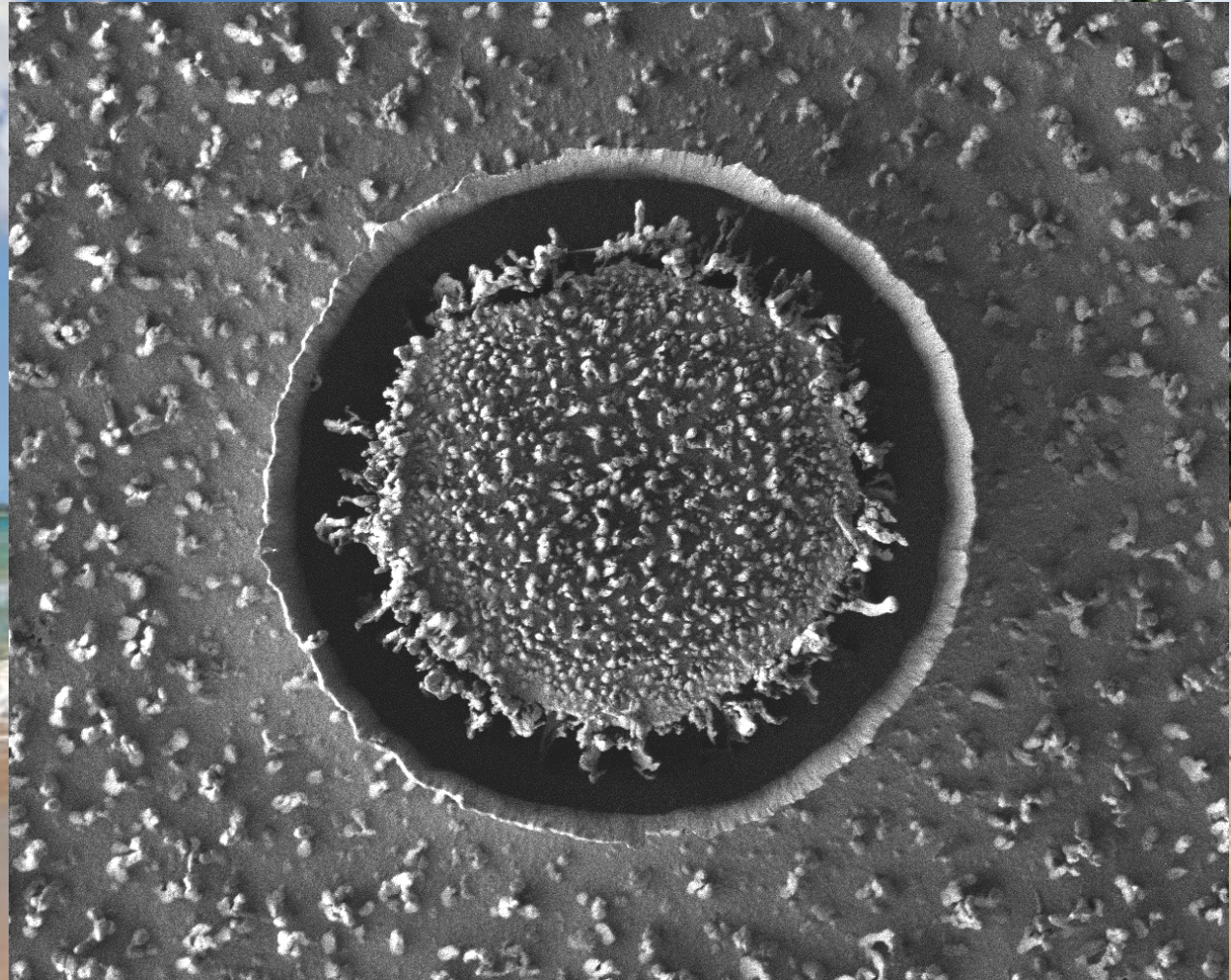
Instrument : Leica Polylite 88

Affiliation: Stratos Genomic



Micrograph Title:  
Sunflower

Description:  
PDMS pillar  
surrounded by  
unetched metal  
catalyst debris



Magnification (3"x4" image): 1500X

Submitted by: Steve Hickman

Instrument : JEOL JSM7400

Affiliation: Stratos Genomic



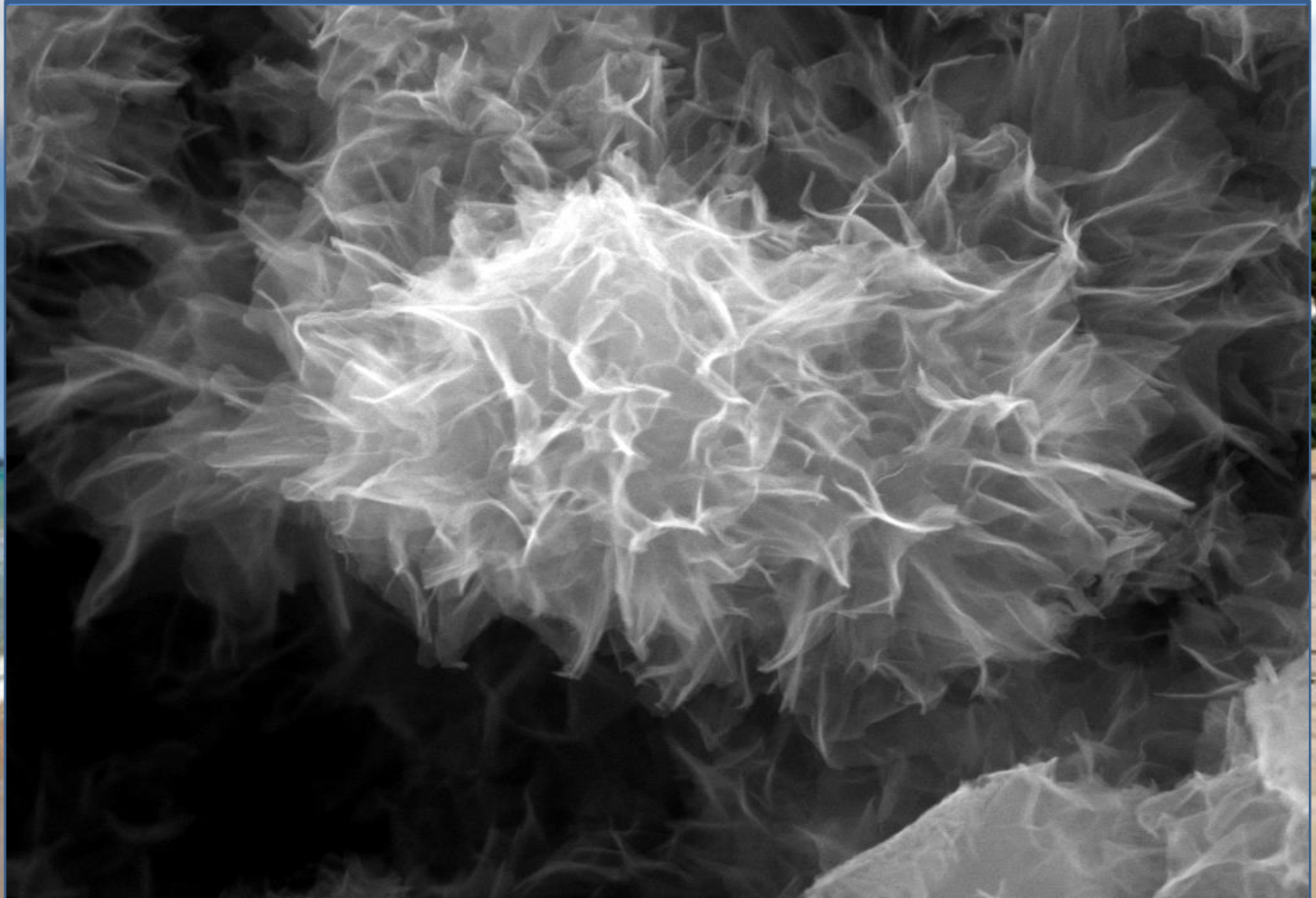


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Micrograph Title:  
**Coral**

Description:  
Iron Oxide, Rust



Magnification (3"x4" image): 100KX

Submitted by: Dale Hensley

Instrument : Zeiss Merlin SEM

Affiliation: Oak Ridge National Lab

Oak Ridge, TN North America



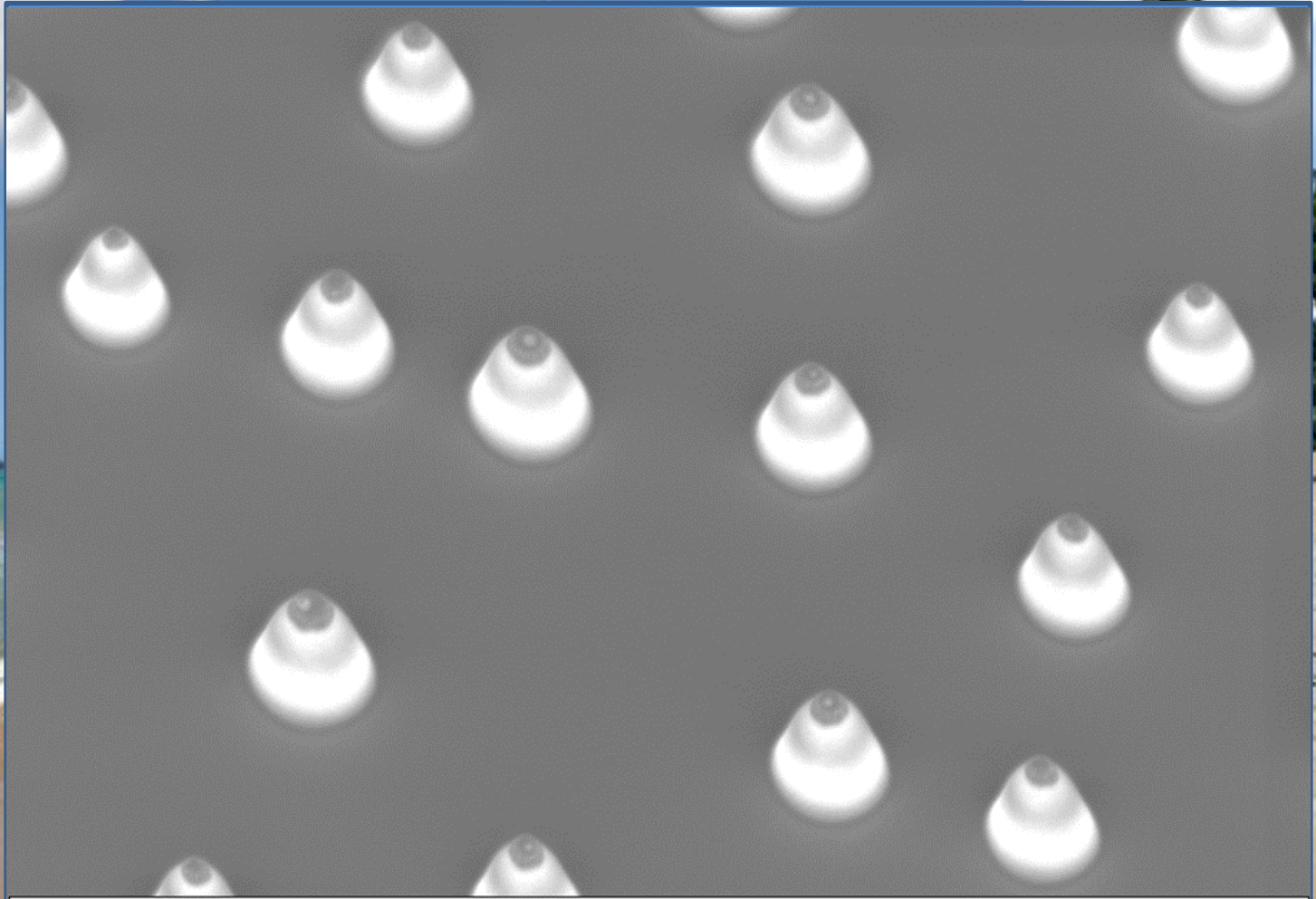


# 2018 EIPBN MicroGraph Contest

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Micrograph Title:  
**Mini Bells**

Description:  
RIE Cryo etch of Si



Magnification (3"x4" image): 30.61KX

Submitted by: Dale Hensley

Instrument : Zeiss Merlin SEM

Affiliation: Oak Ridge National Lab

Oak Ridge, TN North America



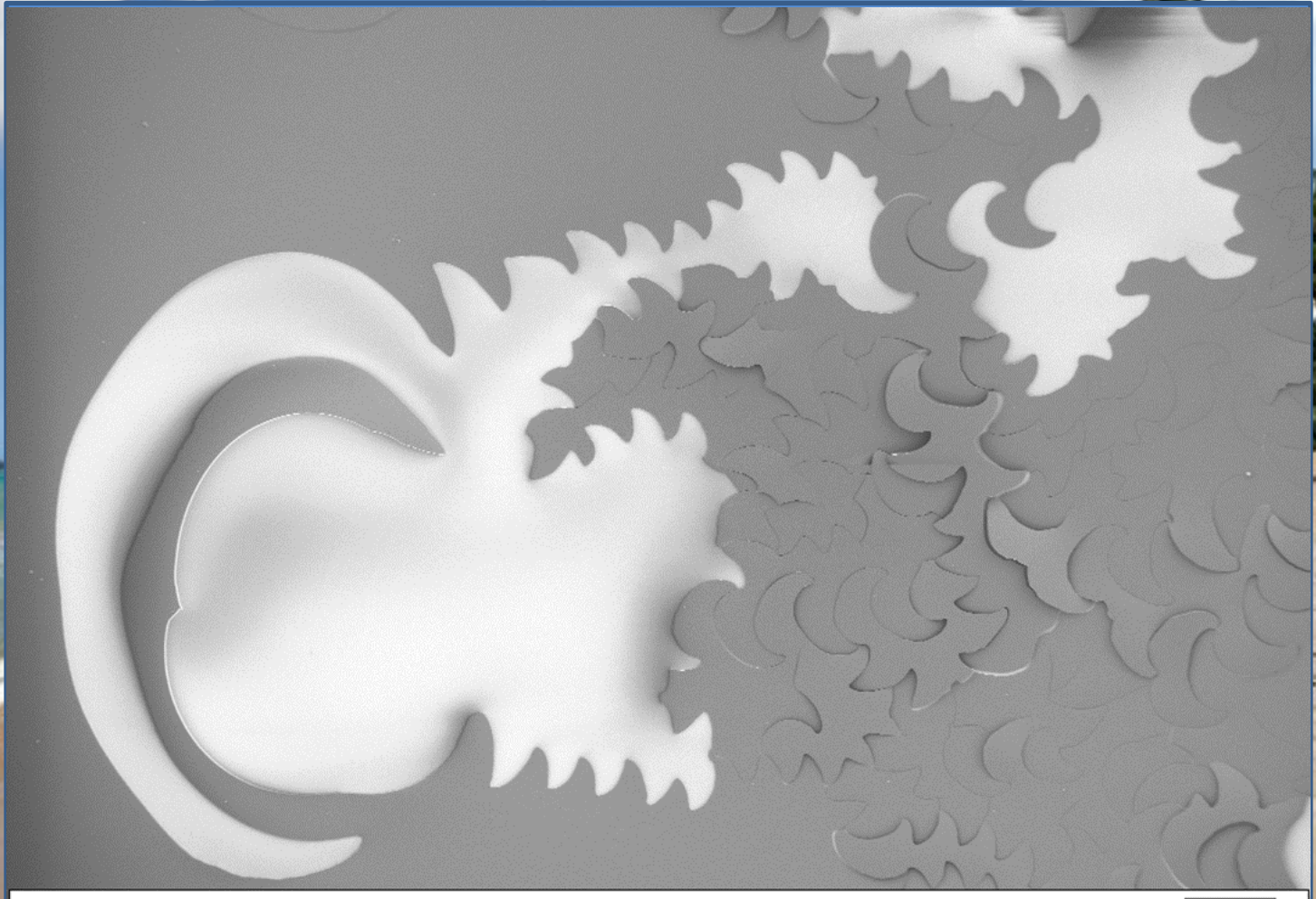


# 2018 EIPBN MicroGraph Contest

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**Micrograph Title:**  
**Stress Release**

**Description:**  
**Carbon NanoSpikes**  
**on Quartz**



**Magnification (3"x4" image): 216X**

**Submitted by: Dale Hensley**

**Instrument : Zeiss Merlin SEM**

**Affiliation: Oak Ridge National Lab**

**Oak Ridge, TN North America**



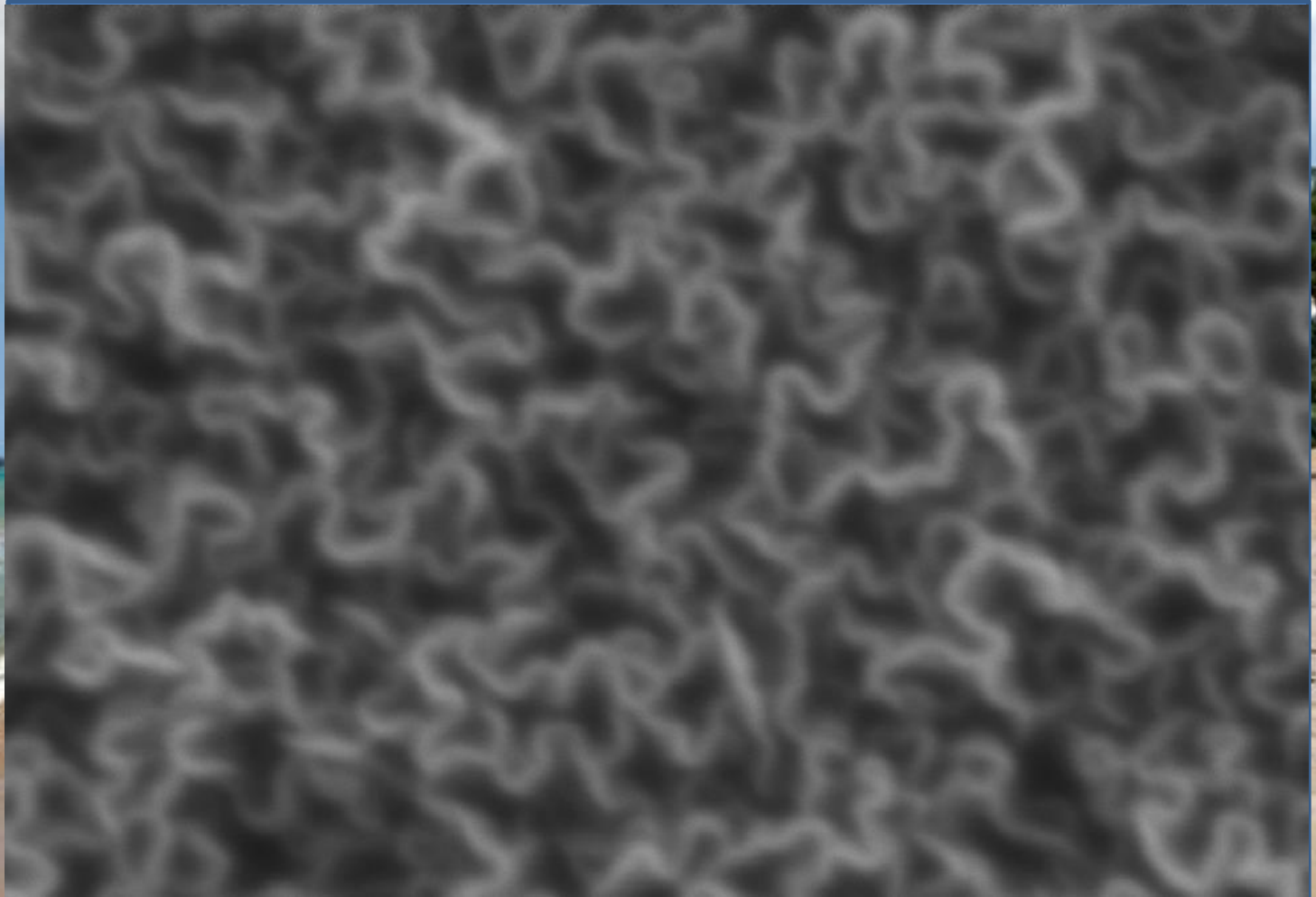


# 2018 EIPBN MicroGraph Contest

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Micrograph Title:  
**Worms**

Description:  
Carbon Nano Spikes  
On Si



Magnification (3"x4" image): 250KX

Submitted by: Dale Hensley

Instrument : Zeiss Merlin SEM

Affiliation: Oak Ridge National Lab

Oak Ridge, TN North America

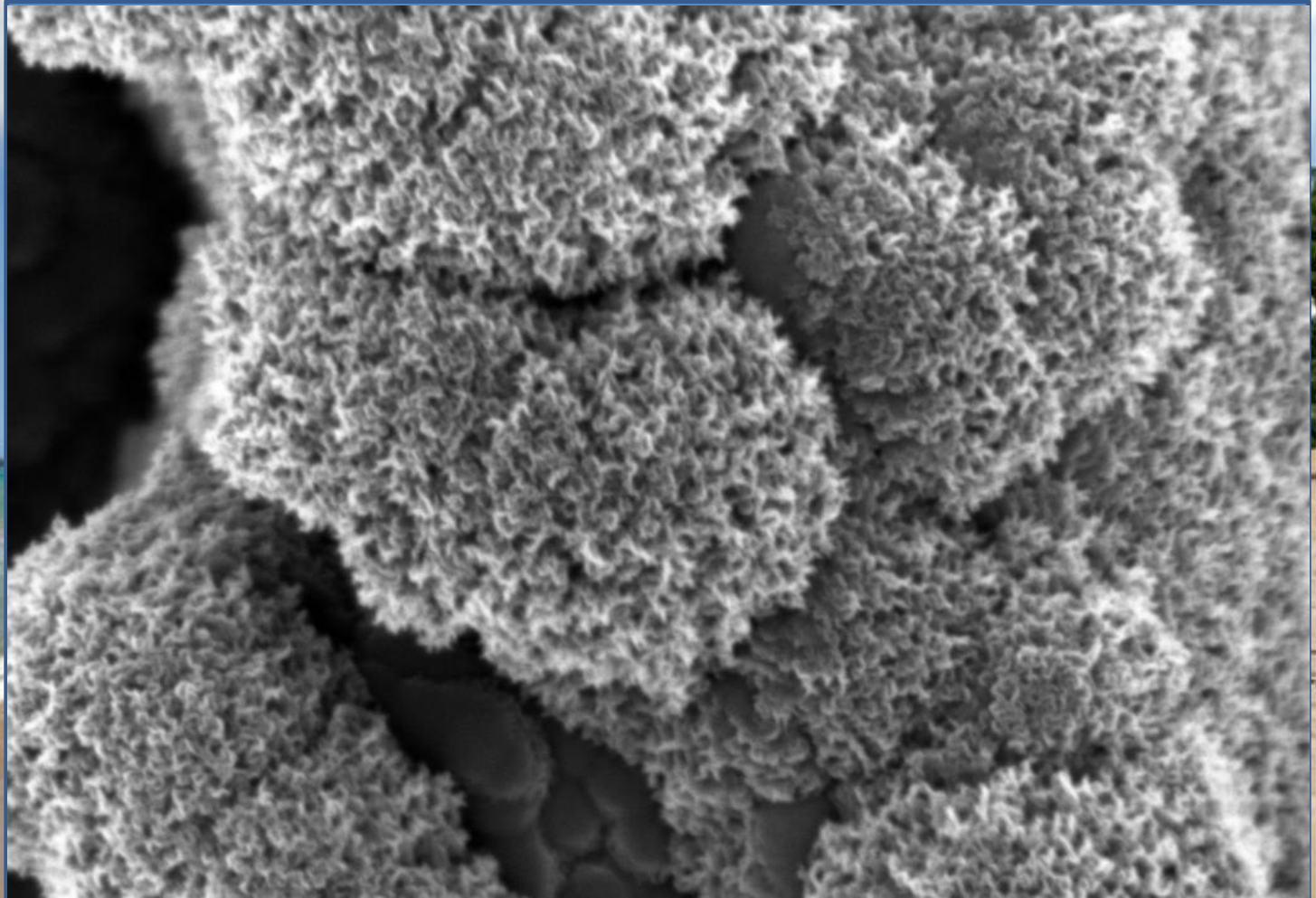


# 2018 EIPBN MicroGraph Contest

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Micrograph Title:  
Worm Bed

Description:  
Carbon Nano Spikes



Magnification (3"x4" image): 50KX

Submitted by: Dale Hensley

Instrument : Zeiss Merlin SEM

Affiliation: Oak Ridge National Lab

Oak Ridge, TN North America



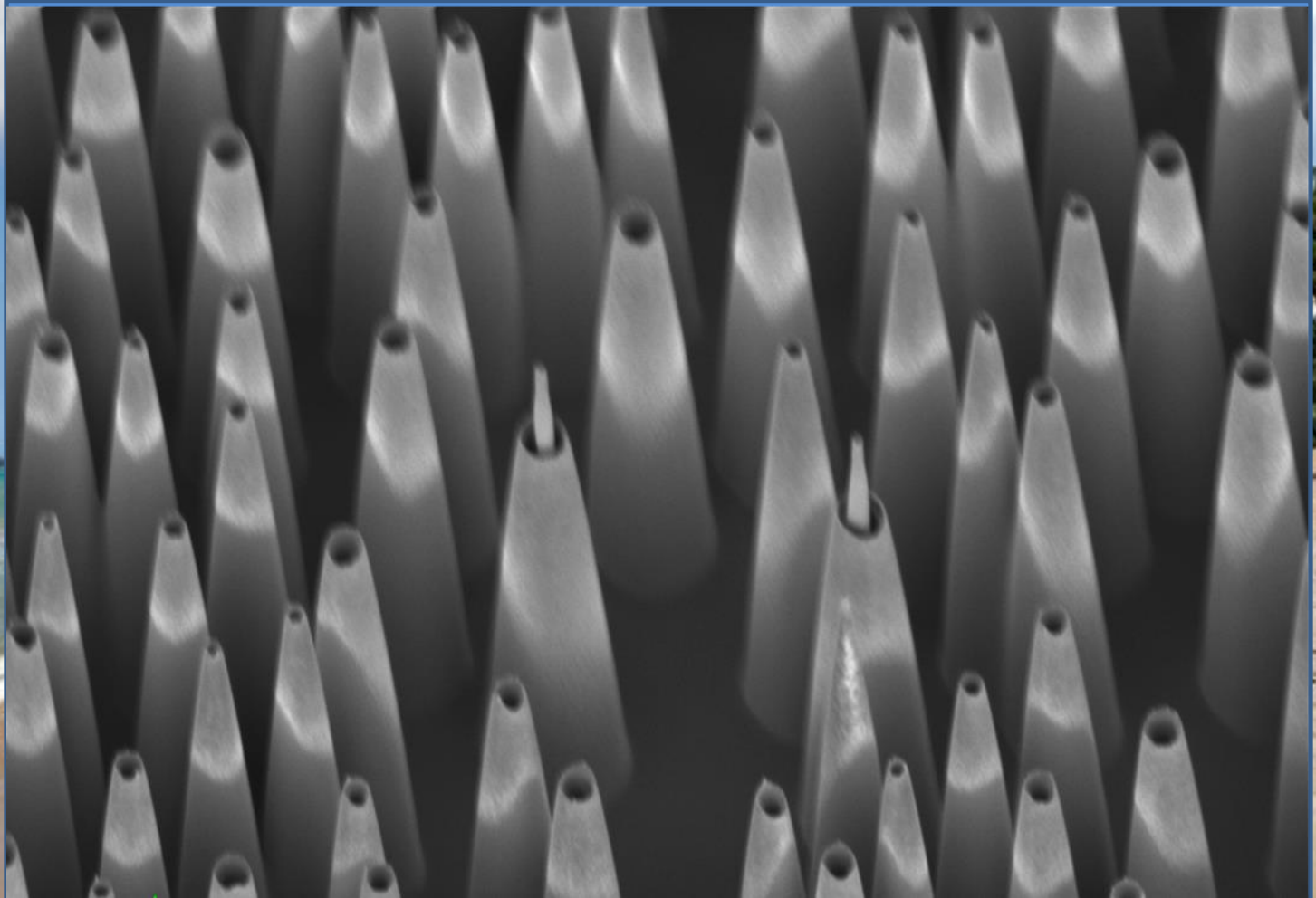


# 2018 EIPBN MicroGraph Contest

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Micrograph Title:  
**Twin Peaks**

Description:  
RIE Cyro etch, Black  
Si



Magnification (3"x4" image): 12.92KX

Submitted by: Dale Hensley

Instrument : Zeiss Merlin SEM

Affiliation: Oak Ridge National Lab

Oak Ridge, TN North America

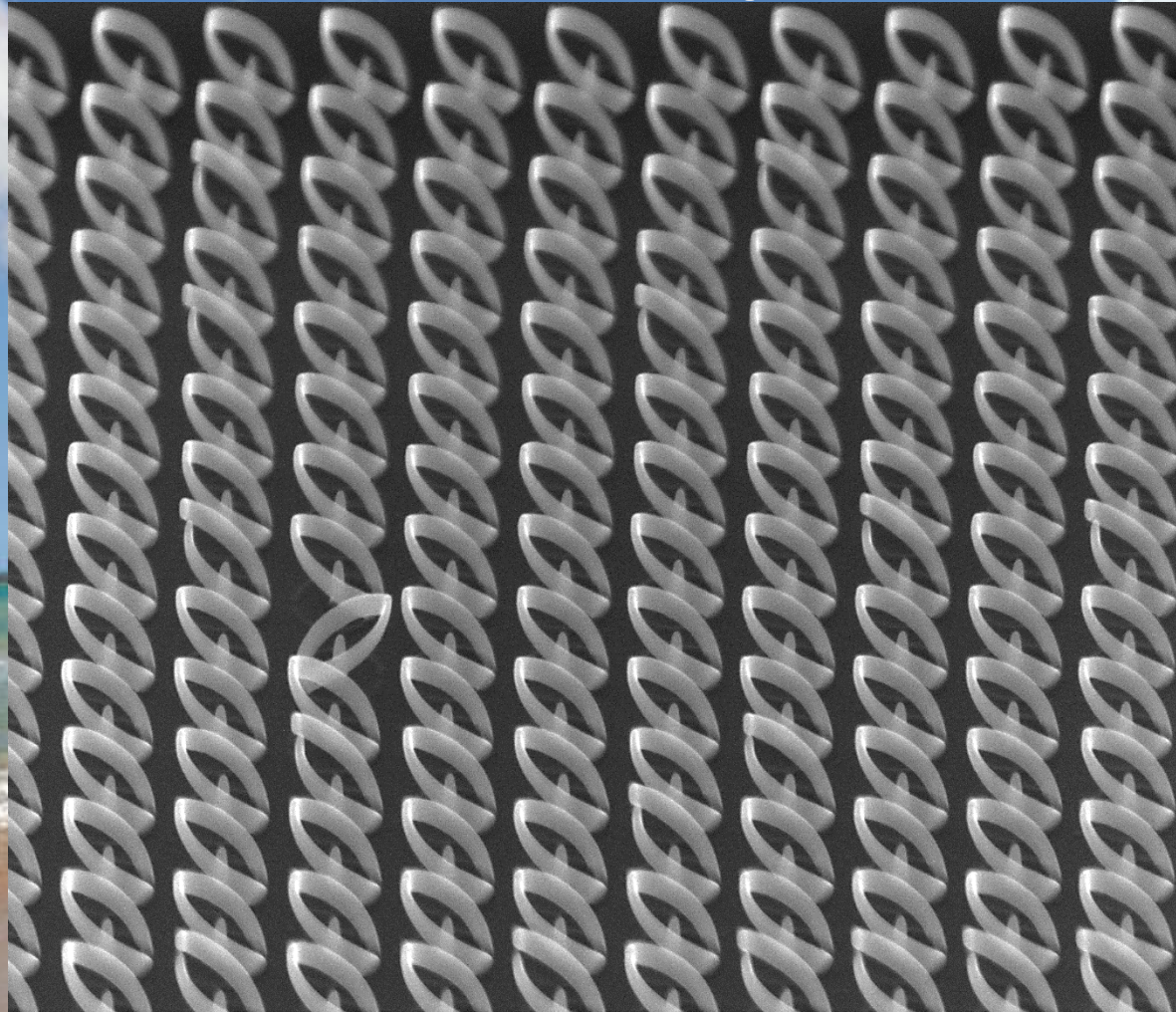


# 2018 EIPBN MicroGraph Contest

Micrograph Title:

Where is Waldo?

Or: A blind man is watching tennis



**Description:**  
3D-nanoprinting of freestanding inclined rings with a central pillar. Fabricated via Focused Electron Beam Induced Deposition

curr	WD	HV	det	HFW	tilt	1 $\mu$ m
0.13 nA	4.5 mm	10.00 kV	TLD	4.06 $\mu$ m	52 °	Where is Waldo?

Magnification (3"x4" image): 24KX

Submitted by: Robert Winkler

Instrument : FIB Nova 200

Affiliation: Christian Doppler Laboratory DEFINE  
Graz University of Technology



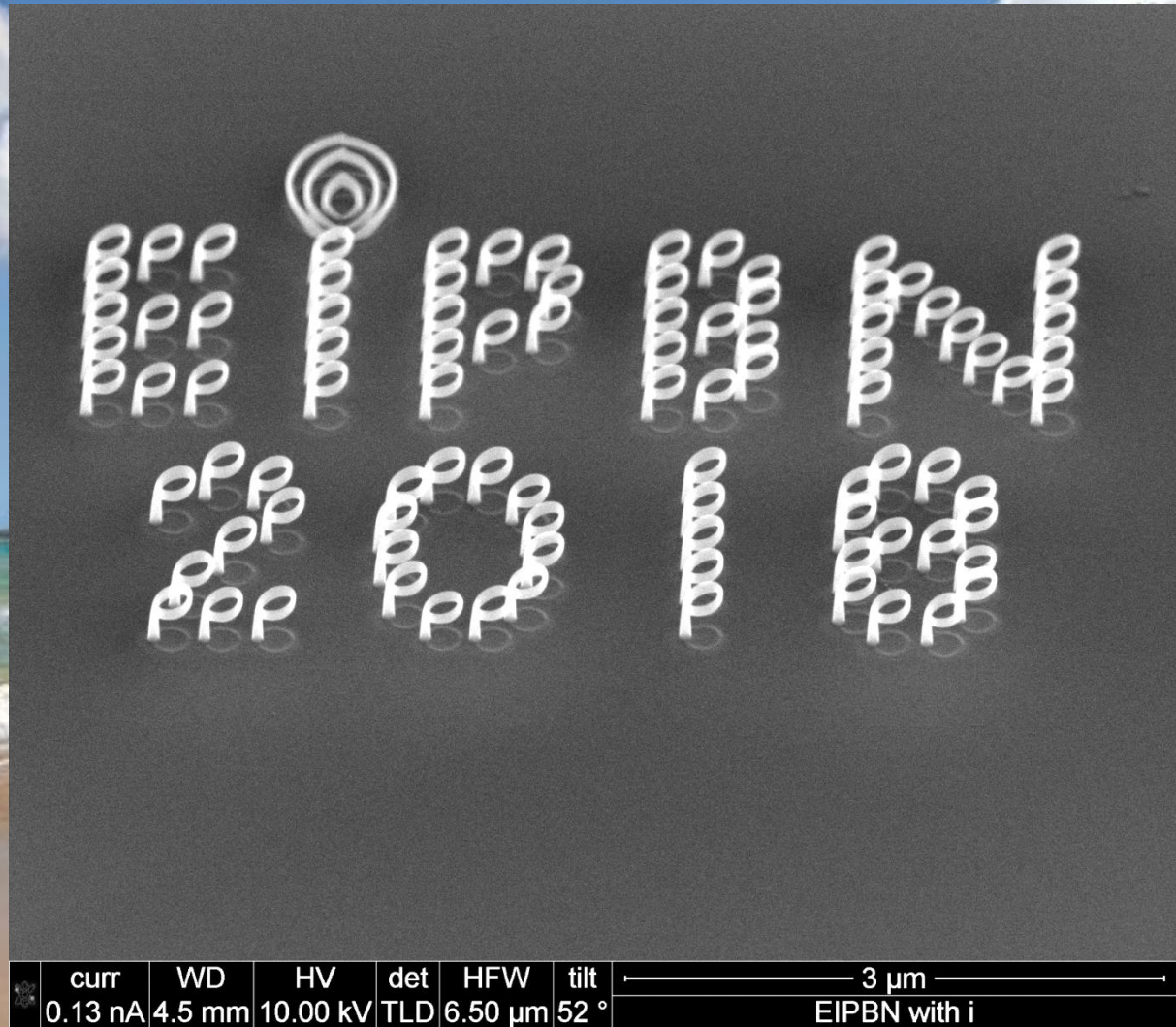


# 2018 EIPBN MicroGraph Contest

**Micrograph Title:**  
**Nanofabrication**  
**of EIPBN Logo**

**Description:**

On top of 300 nm tall pillars nanorings are levitating above the substrate. The inset at the bottom shows the same structures in top view.



**Magnification (3"x4" image): 15KX**

**Instrument : FIB Nova 200**

**Submitted by: Robert Winkler**

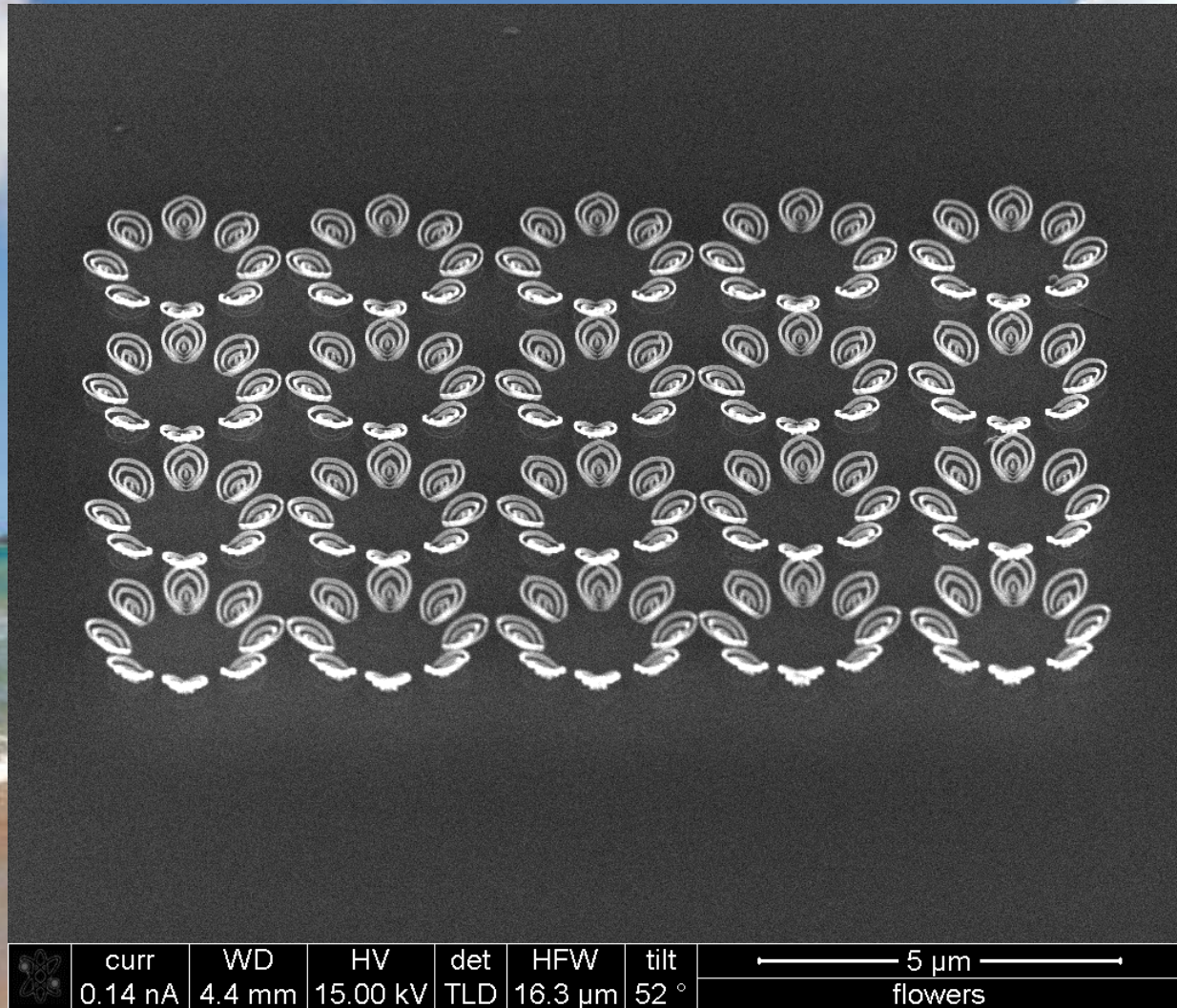
**Affiliation: Christian Doppler Laboratory DEFINE  
 Graz University of Technology**



Micrograph Title:

## Bouquet of nano-flowers

**Description:**  
 4 freestanding rings (radius 0, 100, 200 and 300 nm) form a floral leaf. Fabricated via focused electron beam and a platinum precursor.



**Magnification (3"x4" image): 6KX**

**Submitted by: Robert Winkler**

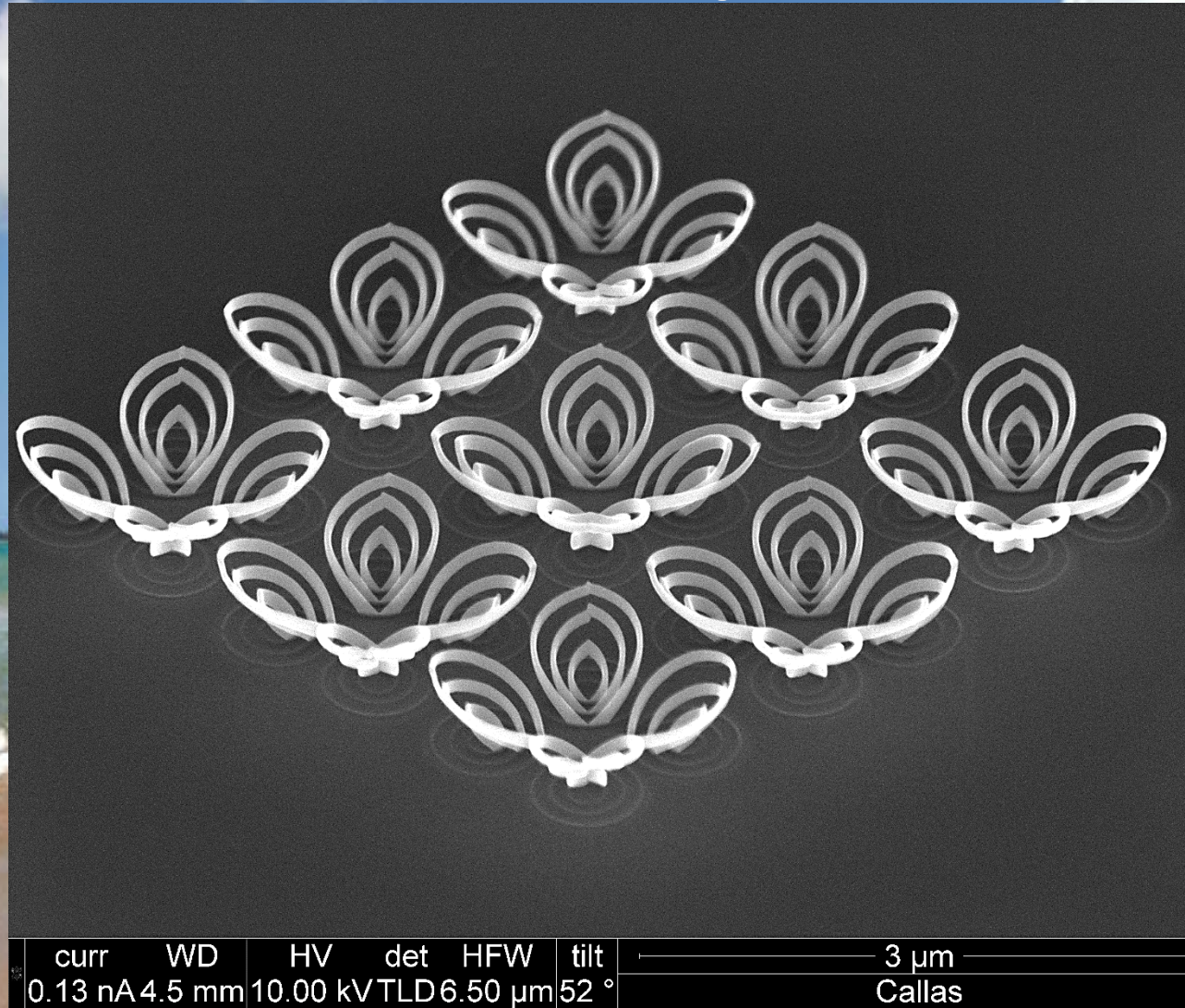
**Instrument : FIB Nova 200**

**Affiliation: Christian Doppler Laboratory DEFINE  
 Graz University of Technology**



Micrograph Title:

**Callas**



curr	WD	HV	det	HFW	tilt	3 μm	
0.13 nA	4.5 mm	10.00 kV	TLD	6.50 μm	52 °	Callas	

**Description:**  
 3D-nanoprinting of freestanding nano-flowers via FEBID. A single branch has a thickness of 20-70 nm and consists of platinum grains embedded in a carbon matrix.

**Magnification (3"x4" image): 15KX**

**Submitted by: Robert Winkler**

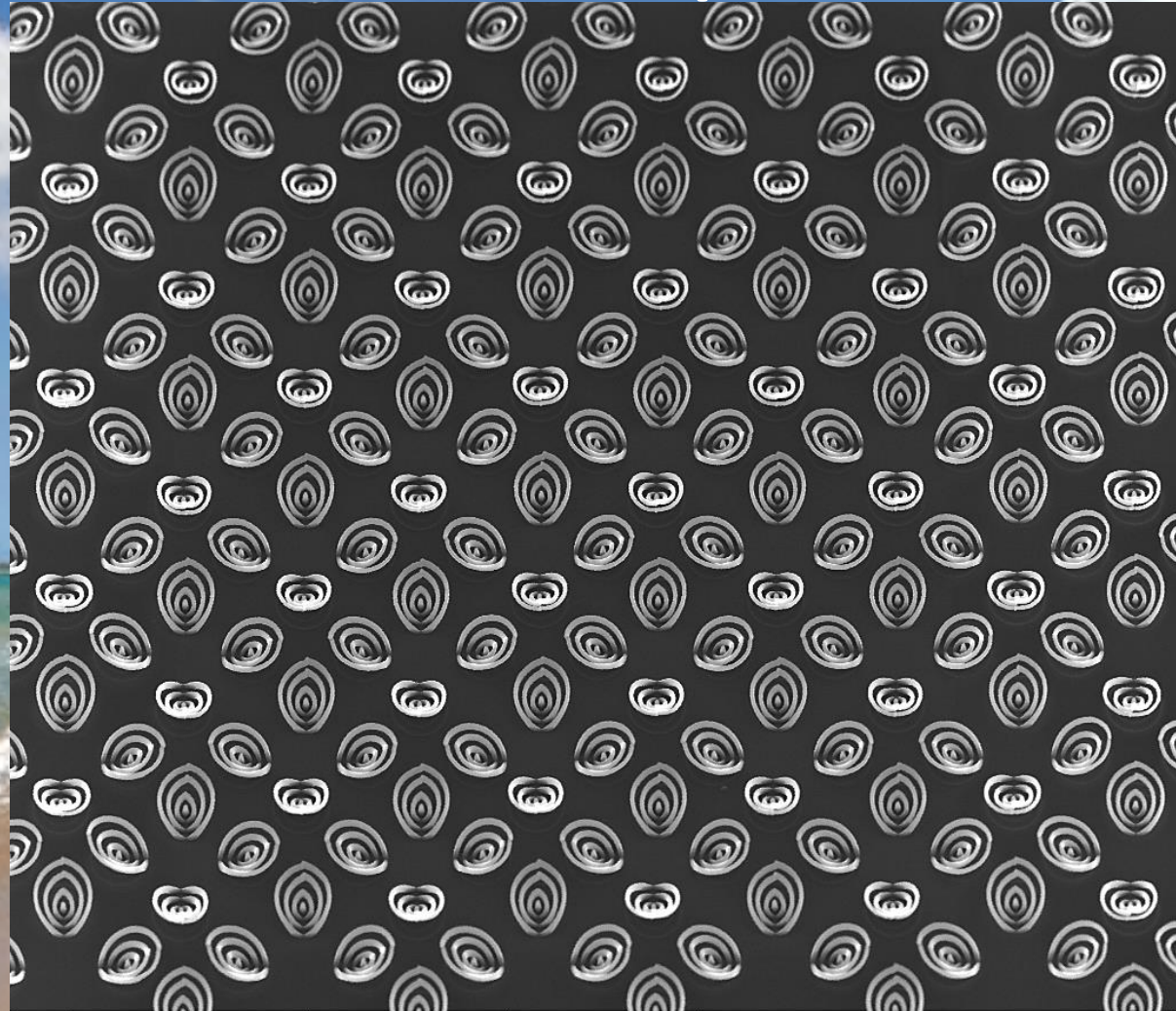
**Instrument : FIB Nova 200**

**Affiliation: Christian Doppler Laboratory DEFINE  
 Graz University of Technology**



Micrograph Title:

**Field of Lillies**



**Description:**  
 Field of freestanding Pt/C nano-flowers 3D-printed via FEBID on a silicon substrate. The angle of each ring in relation to the substrate is around 45°.

	curr 0.57 nA	WD 4.6 mm	HV 14.50 kV	det TLD	HFW 12.2 μm	tilt 30 °	4 μm setup small callas
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**Magnification (3"x4" image): 8KX**

**Instrument : FIB Nova 200**

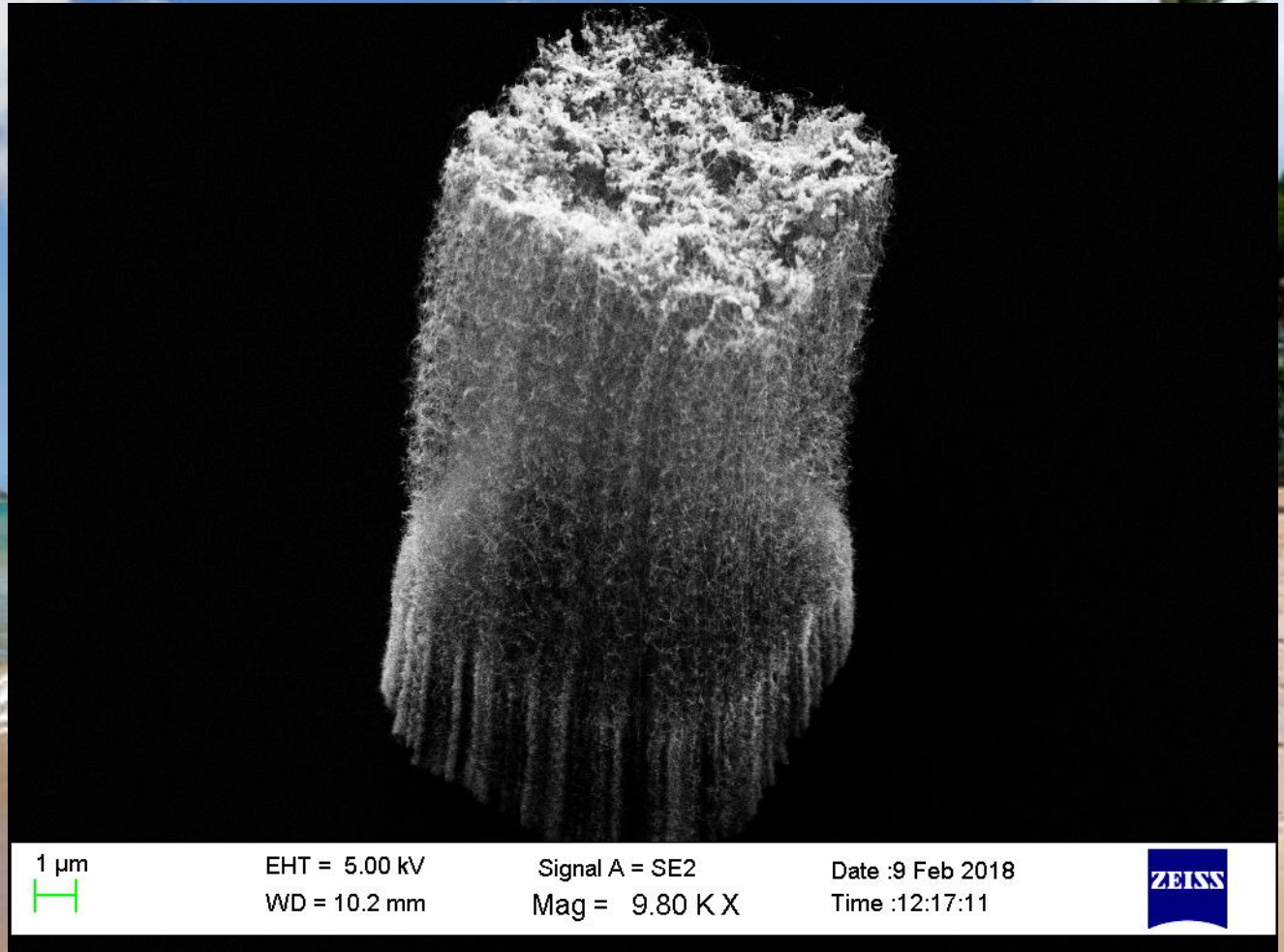
**Submitted by: Robert Winkler**

**Affiliation: Christian Doppler Laboratory DEFINE  
 Graz University of Technology**



**Micrograph Title:**  
**Leaning Tower  
of Nanotubes**

**Description:**  
10 $\mu$ m square pillar  
of multi-wall carbon  
nanotubes. Made by  
patterning array of  
iron catalyst islands  
on Si wafer.



**Magnification (3"x4" image): 9.8 KX**

**Instrument : Zeiss Sigma SEM**

**Submitted by: Casimir Kuzyk**

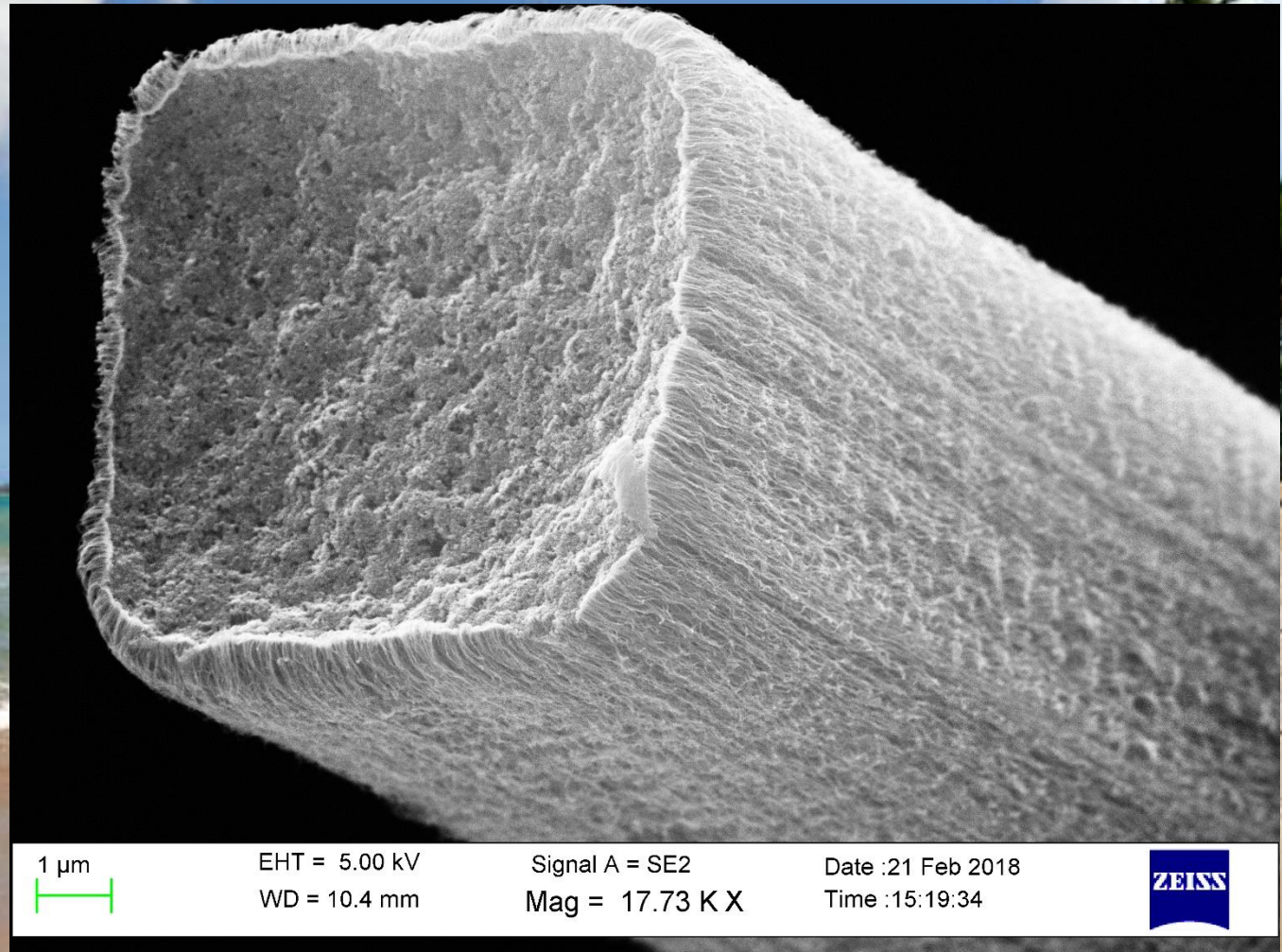
**Affiliation:**

**University of British Columbia**



Micrograph Title:  
**Nanotubes<sup>2</sup>**

**Description:**  
10 $\mu$ m square pillar  
of multi-wall carbon  
nanotubes. Made by  
patterning array of  
iron catalyst islands  
on Si wafer.



Magnification (3"x4" image): 17.73KX

Instrument : Zeiss Sigma SEM

Submitted by: Casimir Kuzyk

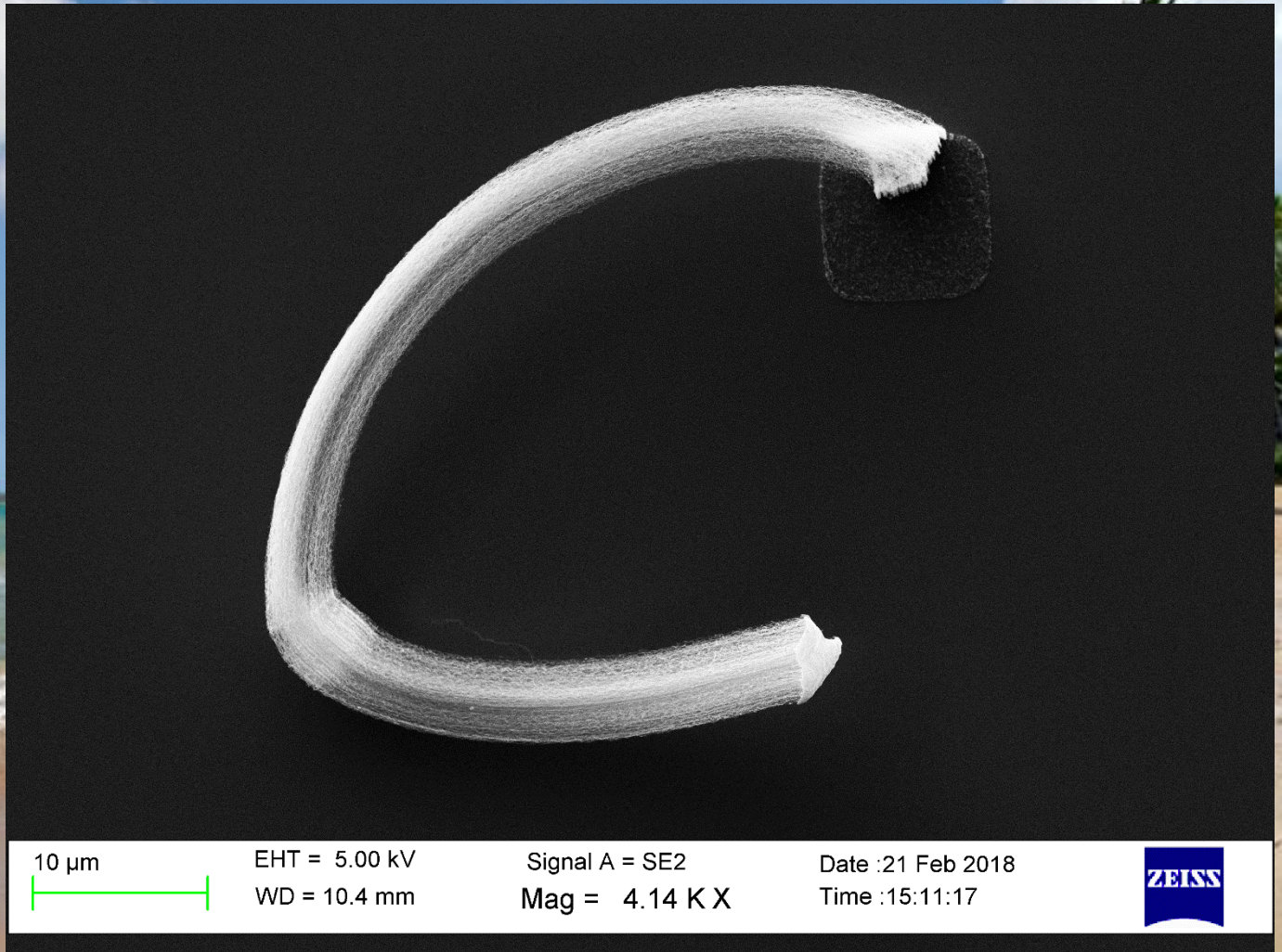
Affiliation:

University of British Columbia



Micrograph Title:  
**C is for Carbon**

Description:  
Failed growth of  
square 10 micron  
multi wall carbon  
nanotube pillar.



Magnification (3"x4" image): 4.14 KX

Instrument : Zeiss Sigma SEM

Submitted by: Casimir Kuzyk

Affiliation: University of British Columbia

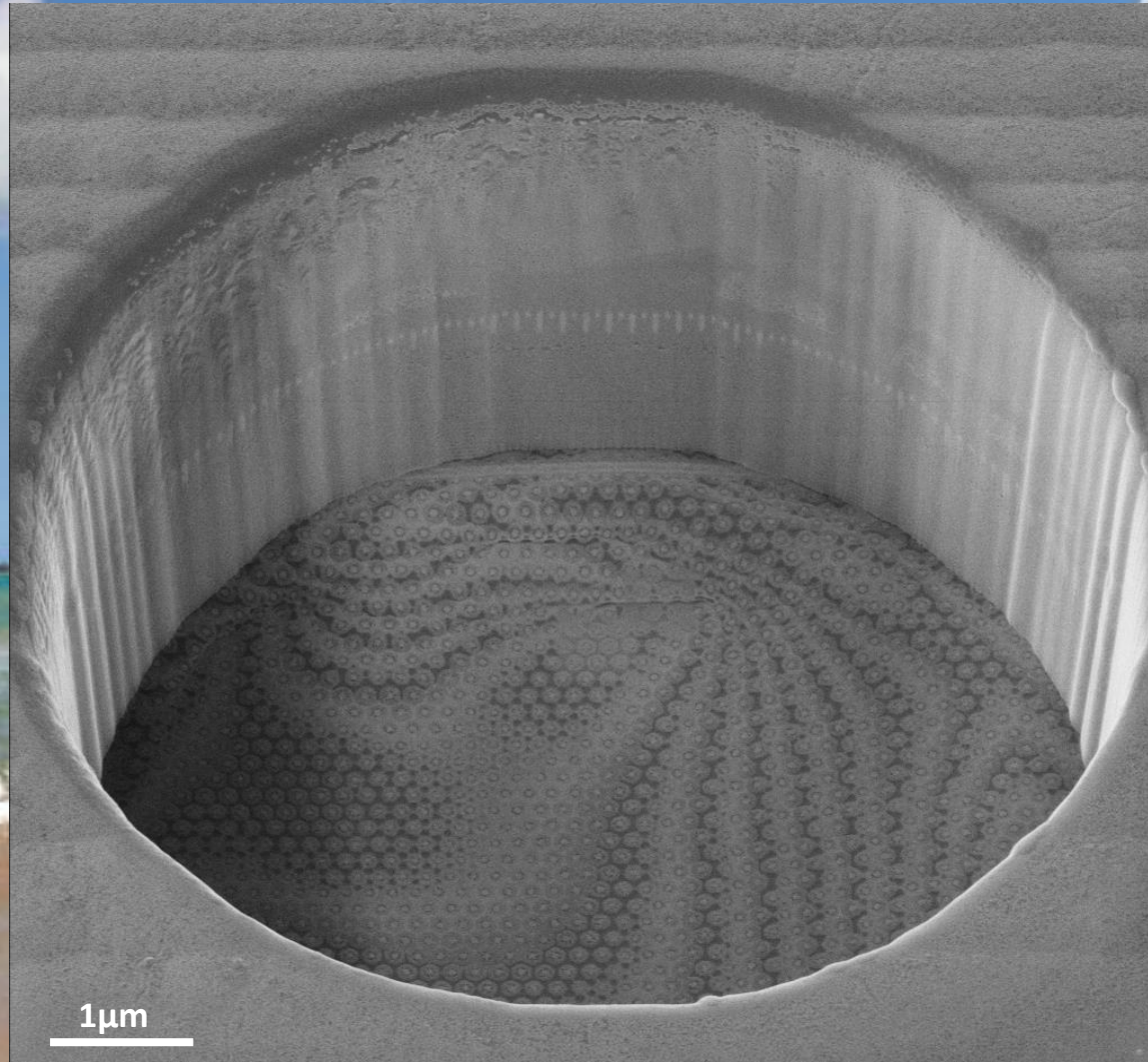




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There's plenty of pattern at the bottom.

**Description:**  
Helium ion microscopy image of semiconductor chip after Ga-FIB milling.



**Magnification (3"x4" image):** 13KX  
**Submitted by:** Deying Xia

**Instrument :** Zeiss Orion NanoFab  
**Affiliation:** Carl Zeiss Microscopy, LLC  
Peabody, MA, USA

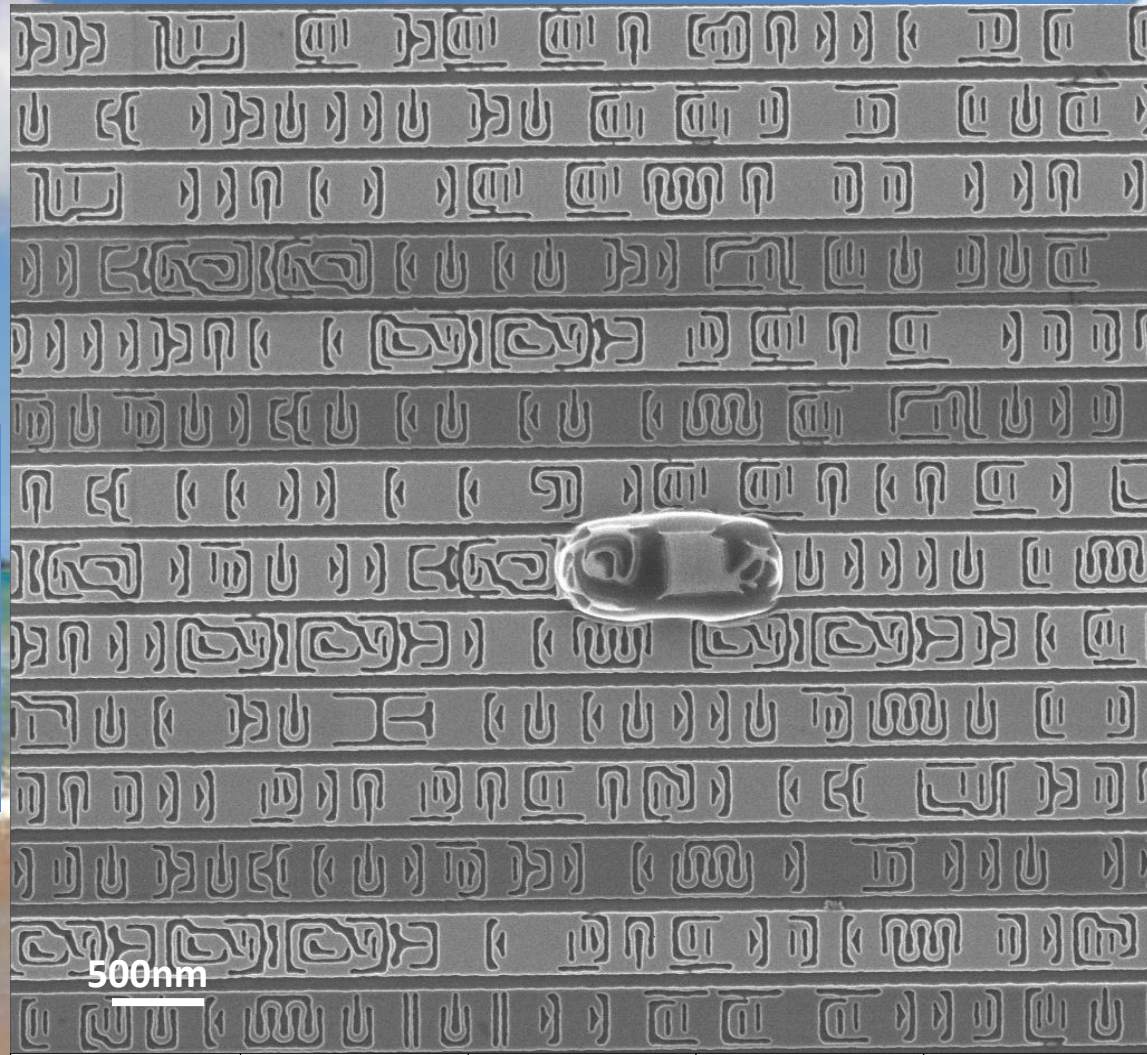




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Drivers wanted:  
must be nano

**Description:**  
Helium ion  
microscopy image of  
helium ion irradiation  
pattern on metal  
nanostructures with Si  
substrate.



Magnification (3"x4" image): 19KX

Submitted by: Deying Xia

Instrument : Zeiss Orion NanoFab

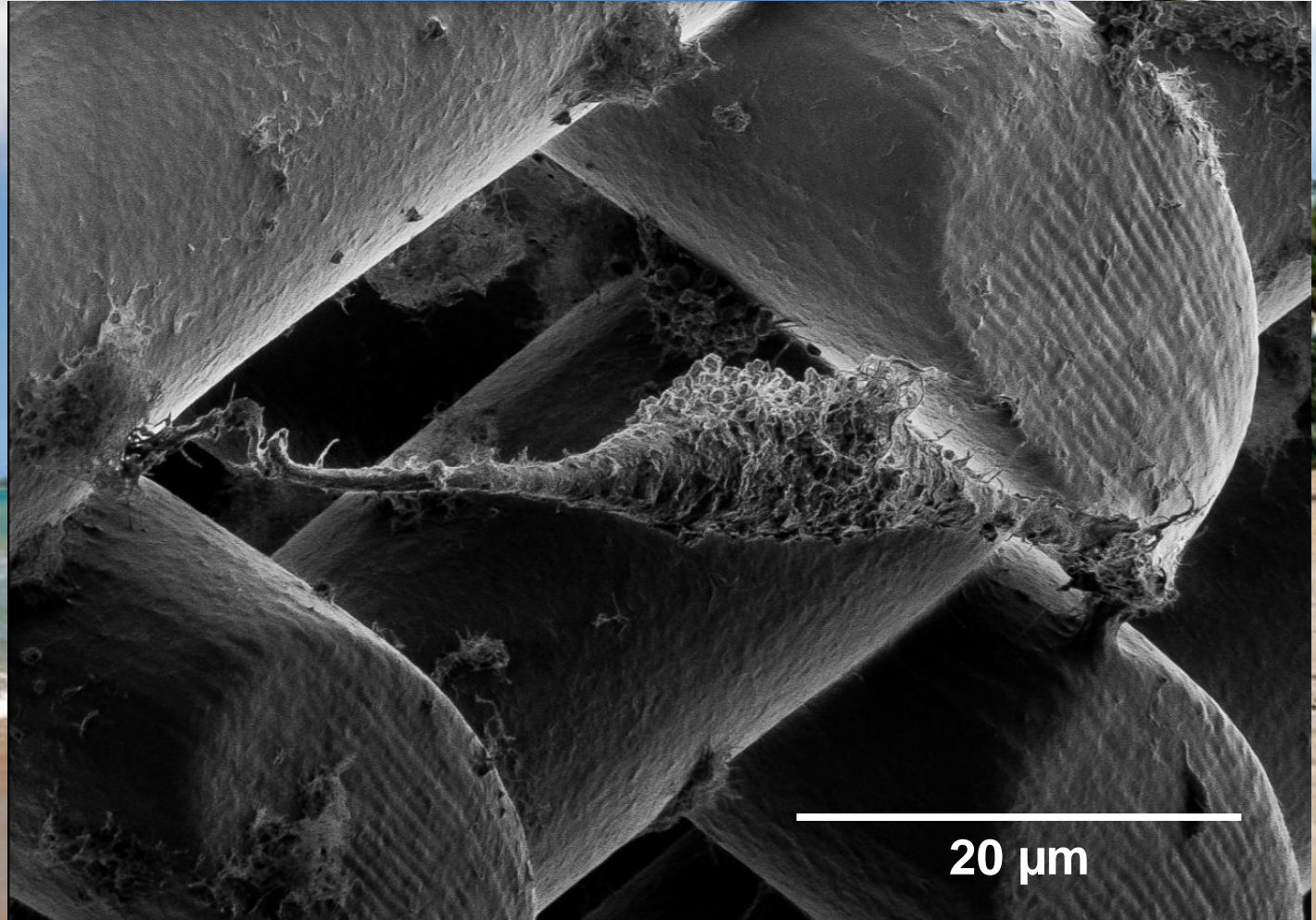
Affiliation: Carl Zeiss Microscopy, LLC

Peabody, MA, USA



## “STICK AROUND”

This micrograph shows a prostate cancer cell suspended between **cellulose nanocrystal** clusters doped into PEGDA hydrogel scaffolds. Our work aims to develop new 3D printing inks that incorporate renewable nanomaterials. The scaffold was printed using **2-photon DLW (Nanoscribe)**. Beams are 20  $\mu\text{m}$  in diameter with 30 $\mu\text{m}$  spacings.



**Magnification: 3500x**

**Submitted by: Kevin Saem**

**Instrument : SEM-Helios Nanolab 600i**

**Affiliation: CNRS-LAAS / McMaster University**

**Toulouse-FR / Hamilton-CA**

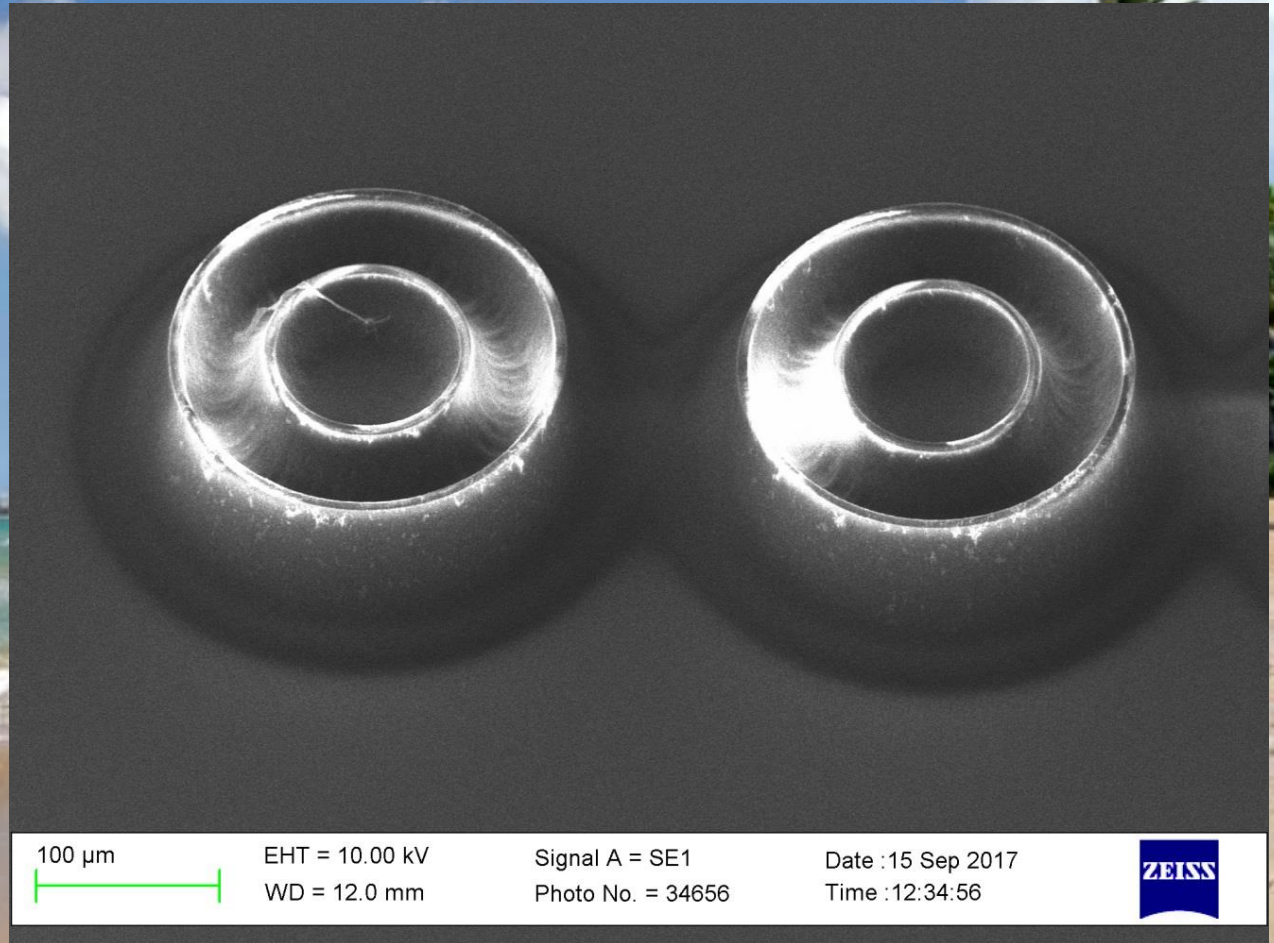


Micrograph Title:  
"Minions  
Look" .

resist su8 3050, 30"  
@ 3000rpm  
(thickness: 50  $\mu\text{m}$ )

Aspect ratio: 1:10  
EBL 100KV  
dose 3 $\mu\text{C}/\text{cm}^2$

Tests to verify the  
highest thickness we  
can expose on SU8  
by 100kV EBL



Magnification (3"x4" image): 476 X  
Submitted by: Annamaria Gerardino

Instrument : Zeiss EVO 10  
Affiliation: CNR - IFN



Micrograph Title:  
"Resist in the  
wind" .

resist su8 3050, 30"  
@ 3000rpm  
(thickness: 50  $\mu\text{m}$ )

Aspect ratio: 1:10  
EBL 100KV  
dose 3 $\mu\text{C}/\text{cm}^2$

Tests to verify the  
highest thickness we  
can expose on SU8  
by 100kV EBL



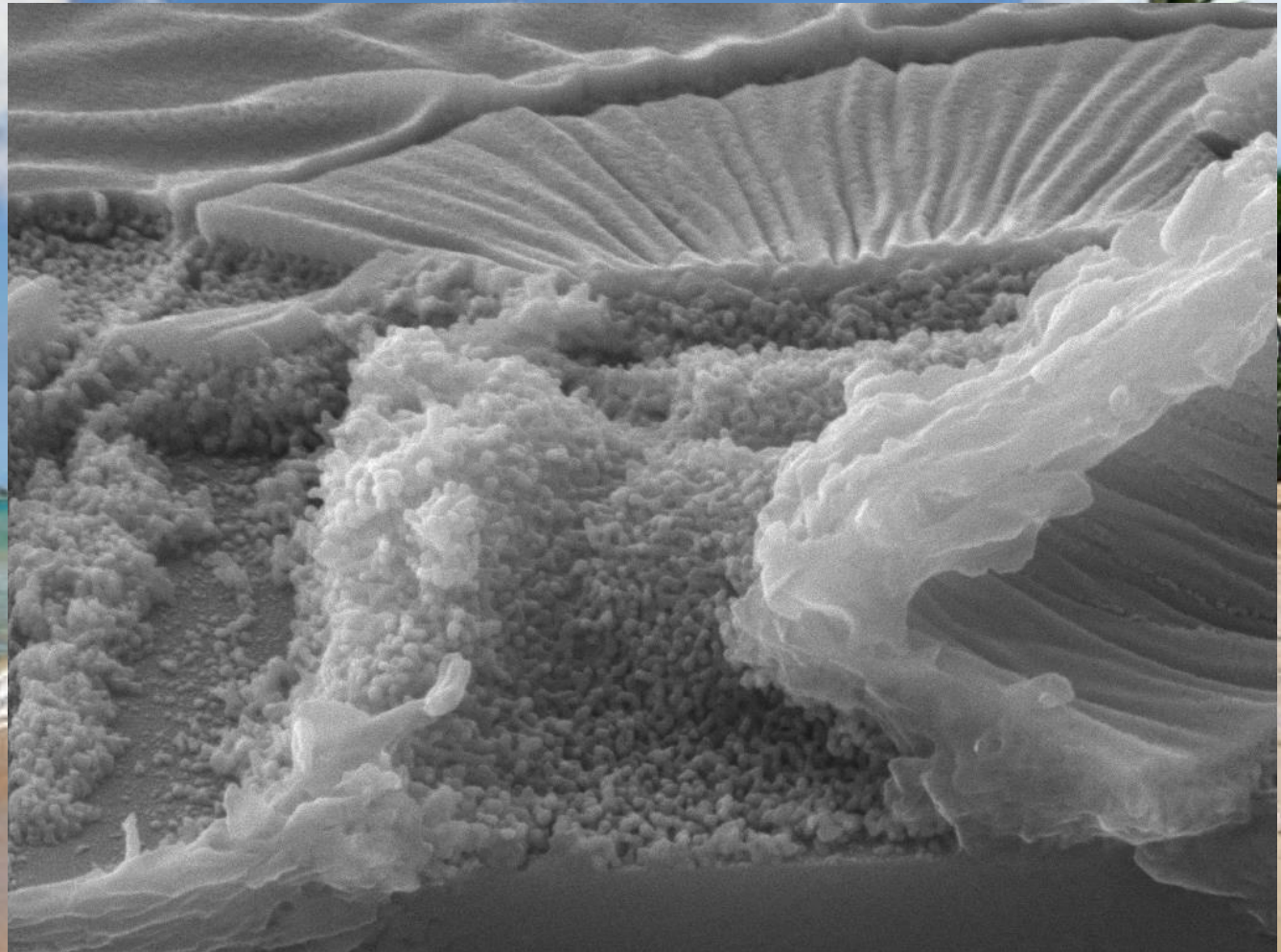
Magnification (3"x4" image): 332 X  
Submitted by: Annamaria Gerardino

Instrument : Zeiss EVO 10  
Affiliation: CNR - IFN



**Micrograph Title:**  
**The Maelstrom**

**Description:**  
Mn<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> film  
composed of  
nanoparticles after  
thermal processing



**Magnification (3"x4" image): 55.4KX**

**Submitted by: Molly C. Brockway**

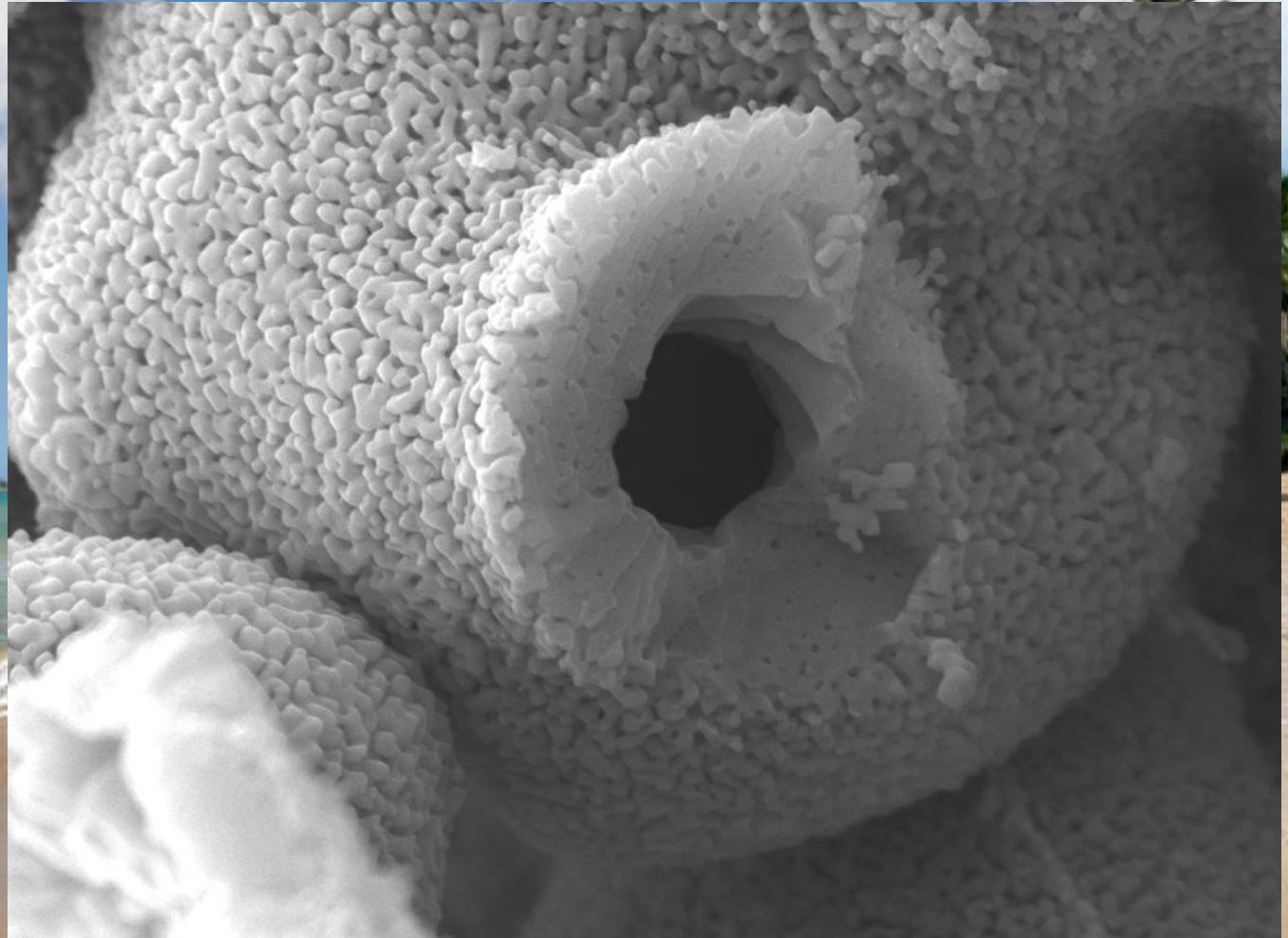
**Instrument : Tescan Mira3**

**Affiliation: Montana Tech**



**Micrograph Title:**  
**Kraken Eye**

**Description:**  
Electrospun Mn<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>  
thermally processed  
while freestanding



**Magnification (3"x4" image): 50.9KX**

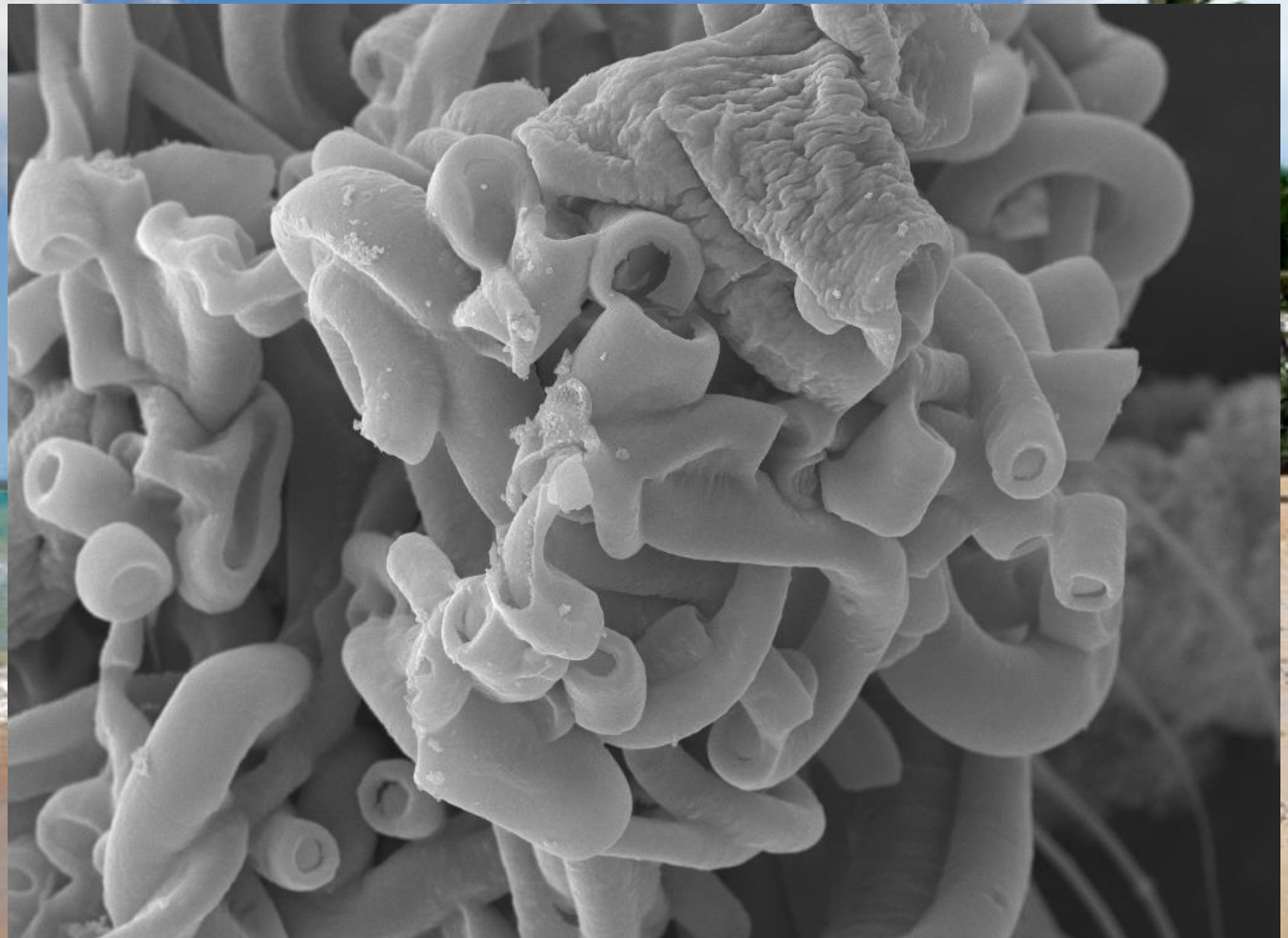
**Submitted by: Molly C. Brockway**

**Instrument : Tescan Mira3**

**Affiliation: Montana Tech**

**Micrograph Title:**  
Macaroni, Macaroni,  
give me the formuloni

**Description:**  
Electrospun Mn<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>  
after multiphase  
thermal processing  
while freestanding



**Magnification (3"x4" image):** 13.8KX

**Submitted by:** Molly C. Brockway

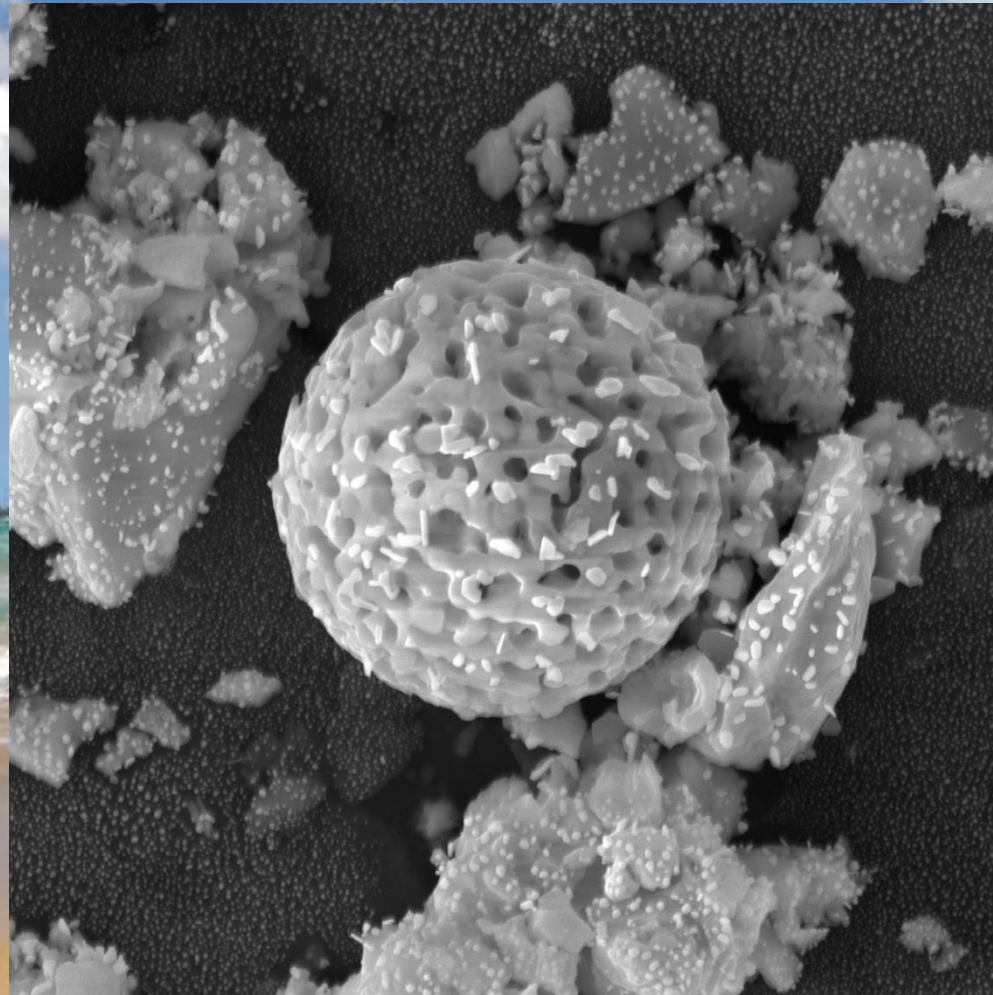
**Instrument :** Tescan Mira3

**Affiliation:** Montana Tech



**Micrograph Title:**  
**Perovskite  
Doomsday  
Spore**

**Description:**  
Hybrid perovskite  
sphere formed  
during melt  
electrospinning



**Magnification (3"x4" image): 16.9KX**

**Submitted by: John P. Murphy**

**Instrument : Tescan Mira3**

**Affiliation: Montana Tech**

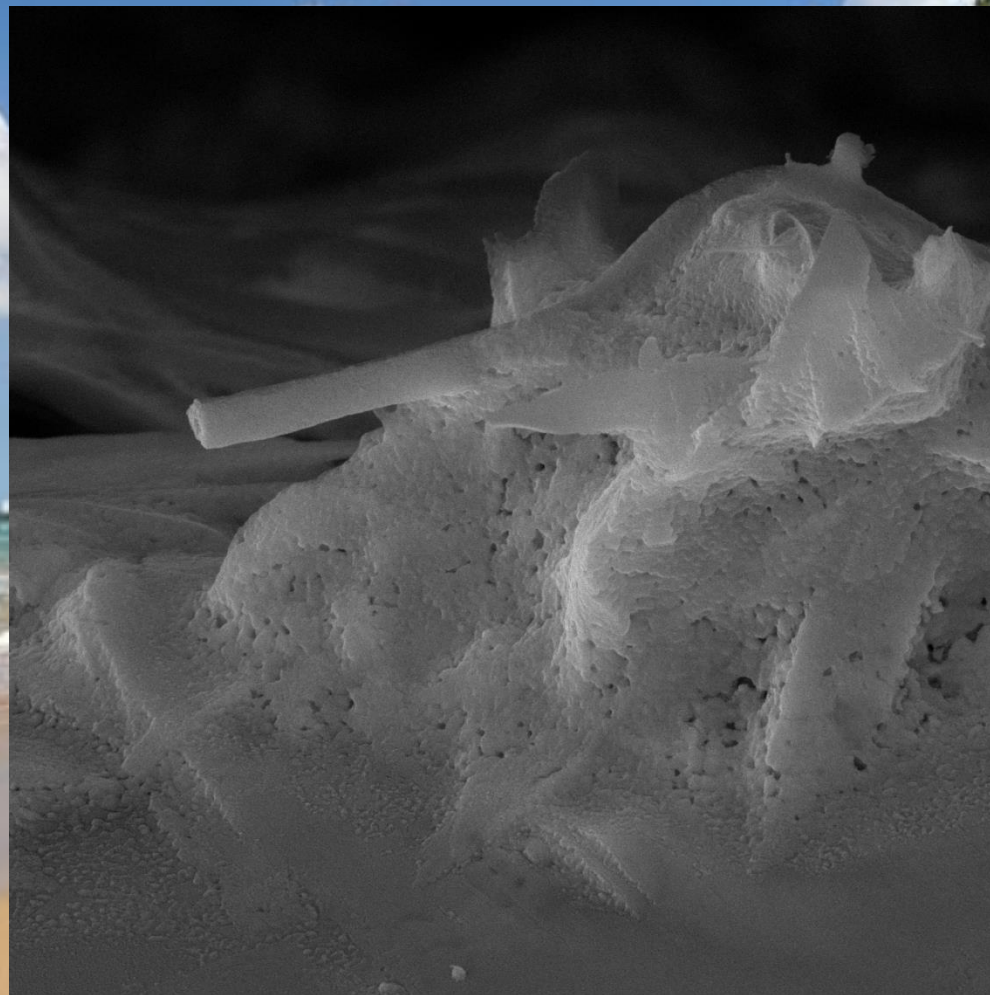


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**Micrograph Title:**  
**Aroused Elephant**

**Description:**  
Electrospun TiO<sub>2</sub>  
fibers, coated with  
hybrid perovskite



**Magnification (3"x4" image):** 20.1KX

**Submitted by:** John P. Murphy

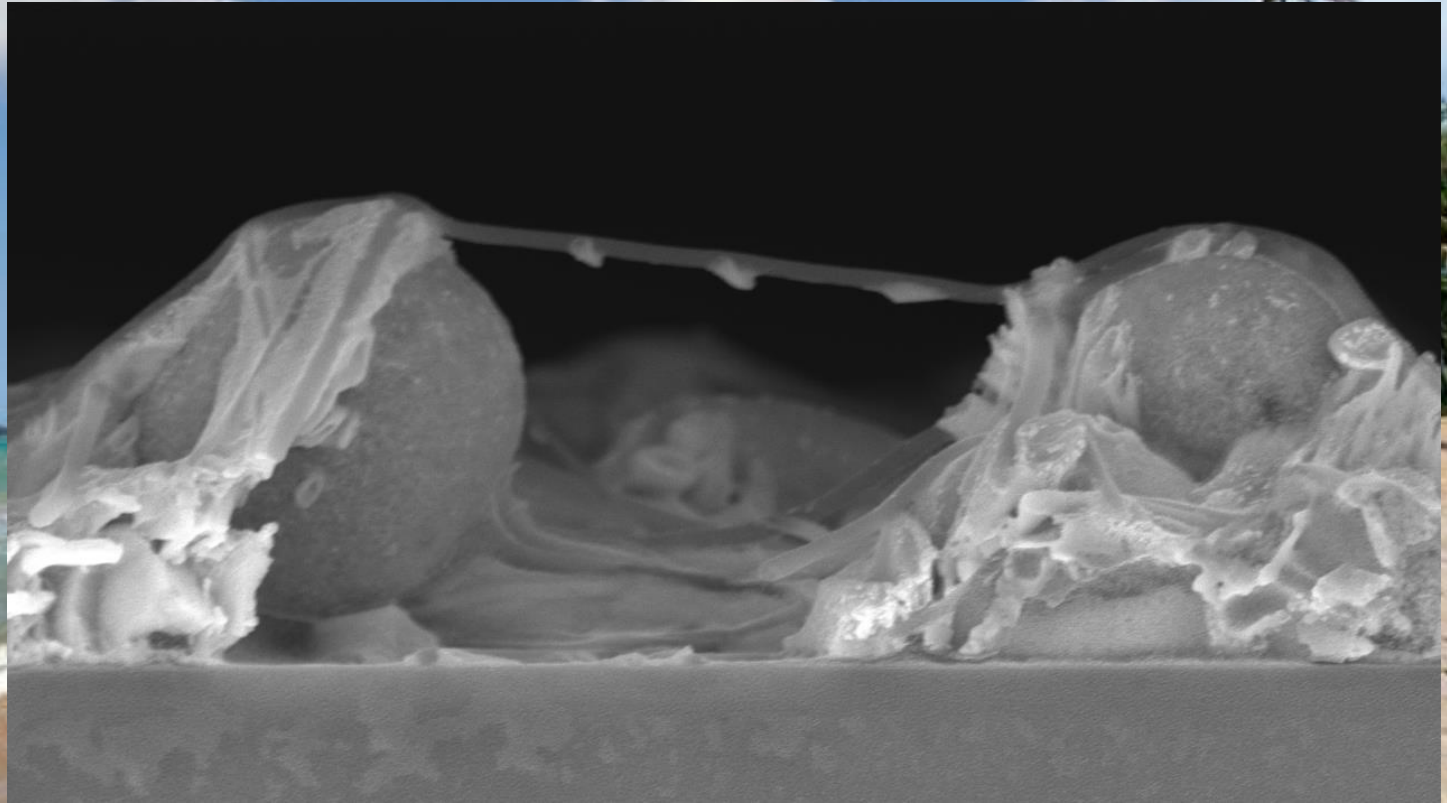
**Instrument :** Tescan Mira3

**Affiliation:** Montana Tech



**Micrograph Title:**  
Flea Circus  
Tightrope Walk  
Fiasco

**Description:**  
PEDOT:PSS fibers  
coated with hybrid  
perovskite



**Magnification (3"x4" image):** 8.99KX

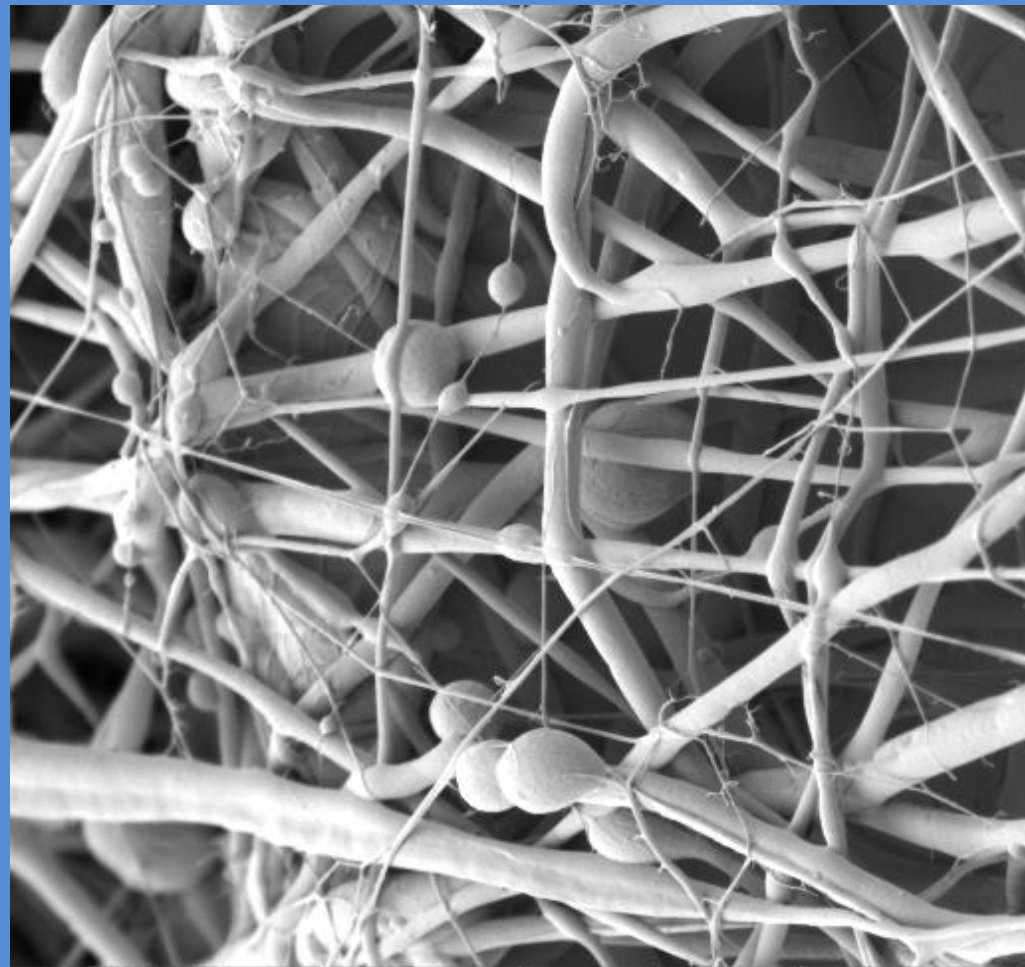
**Submitted by:** John P. Murphy

**Instrument :** Tescan Mira3

**Affiliation:** Montana Tech

**Micrograph Title:**  
**Inadequate**  
**Beads on a**  
**String**

**Description:**  
**Imperfections of a**  
**portable fiber**  
**fabricator.**



SEM HV: 1.0 kV	WD: 9.63 mm	MIRA3 TESCAN
View field: 36.1 μm	Det: SE	10 μm
SEM MAG: 3.83 kx	Date(m/d/y): 03/20/18	

**Magnification (3"x4" image): 3.83KX**

**Submitted by: Jessica M. Andriolo**

**Instrument : Tescan Mira 3**

**Affiliation: Montana Tech**



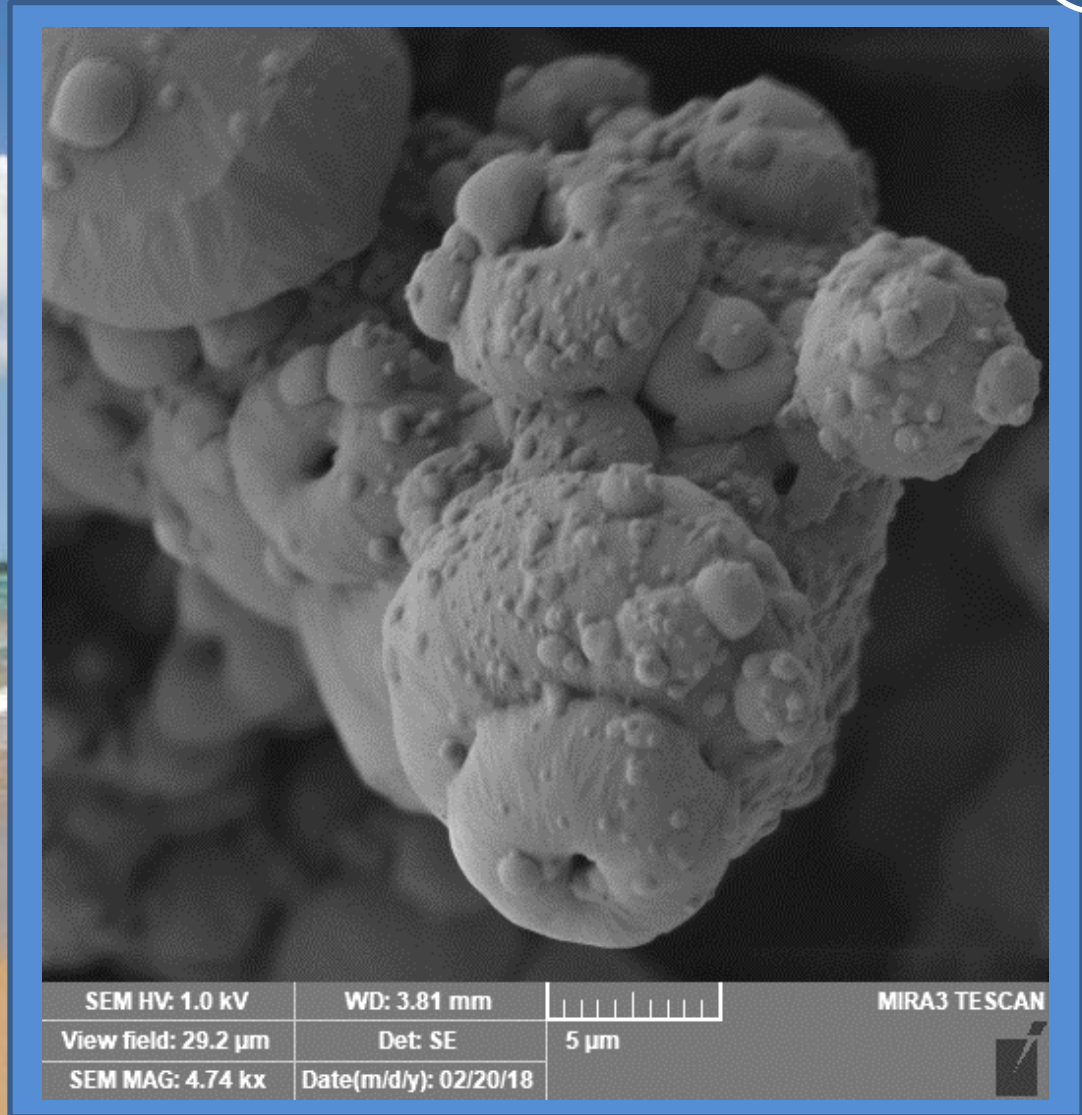


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Micrograph Title:  
**Flying Gummy**

**Description:**  
Accidental  
electrospraying of  
airborne gold  
embedded polymer.



Magnification (3"x4" image): 4.74KX

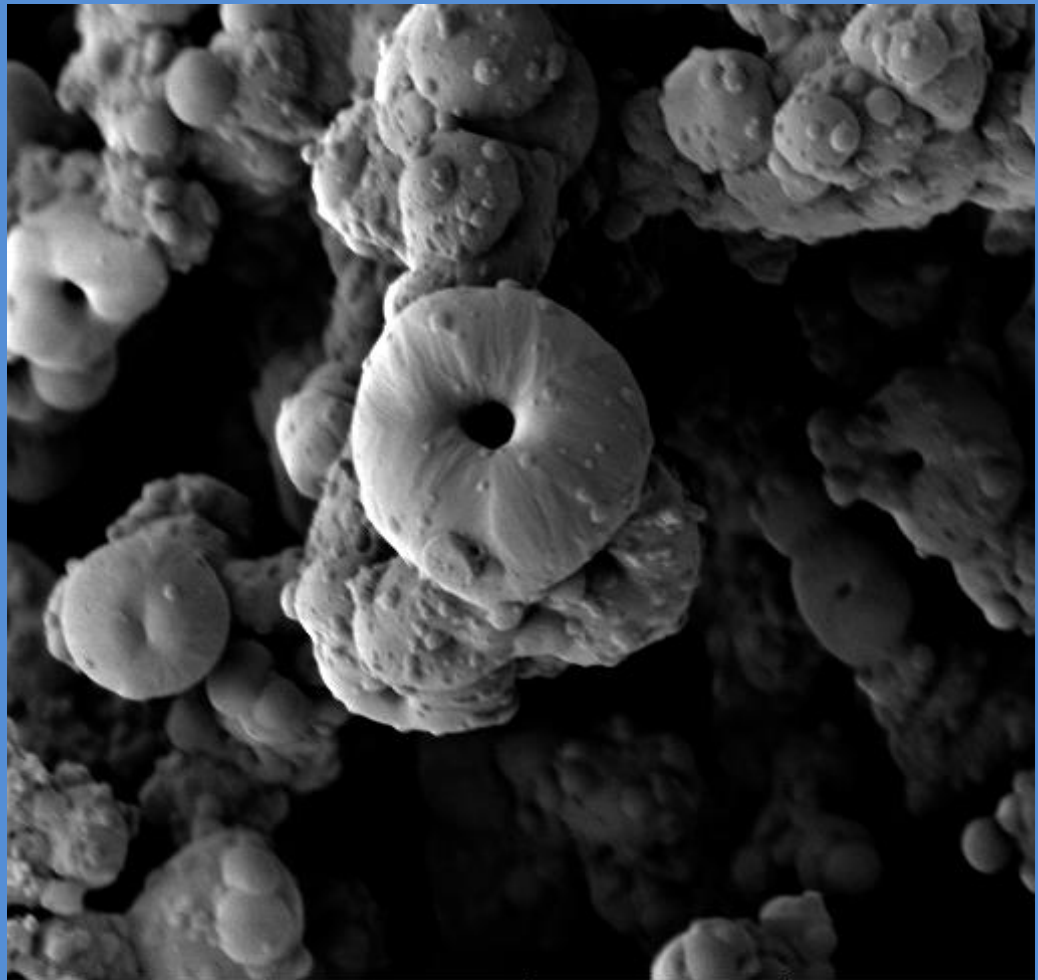
Submitted by: Jessica M. Andriolo

Instrument : Tescan Mira 3

Affiliation: Montana Tech

**Micrograph Title:**  
**Freckled Sun**

**Description:**  
**Accidental**  
**electrospraying of**  
**light-embracing gold**  
**embedded polymer.**



SEM HV: 1.0 kV	WD: 8.72 mm	10 μm	MIRA3 TESCAN
View field: 38.5 μm	Det: SE		
SEM MAG: 3.59 kx	Date(m/d/y): 02/22/18		

**Magnification (3"x4" image): 3.59KX**

**Instrument : Tescan Mira 3**

**Submitted by: Jessica M. Andriolo**

**Affiliation: Montana Tech**



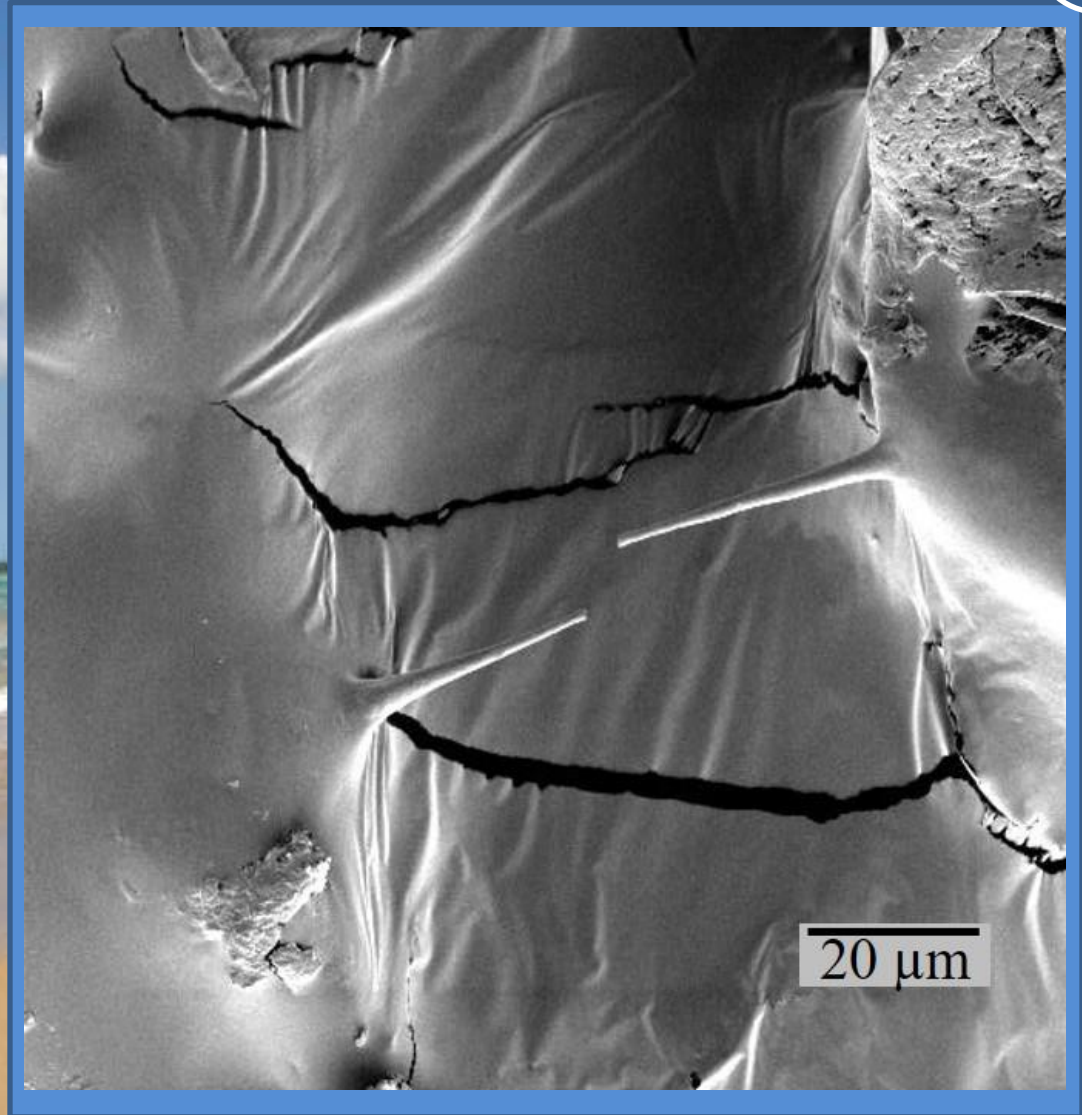


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Micrograph Title:  
**Hi-yah!**

**Description:**  
Unidentified  
opposing structures  
taken from an  
aluminum stub  
containing virus  
releasing polymer.



Magnification (3"x4" image): 1.09KX

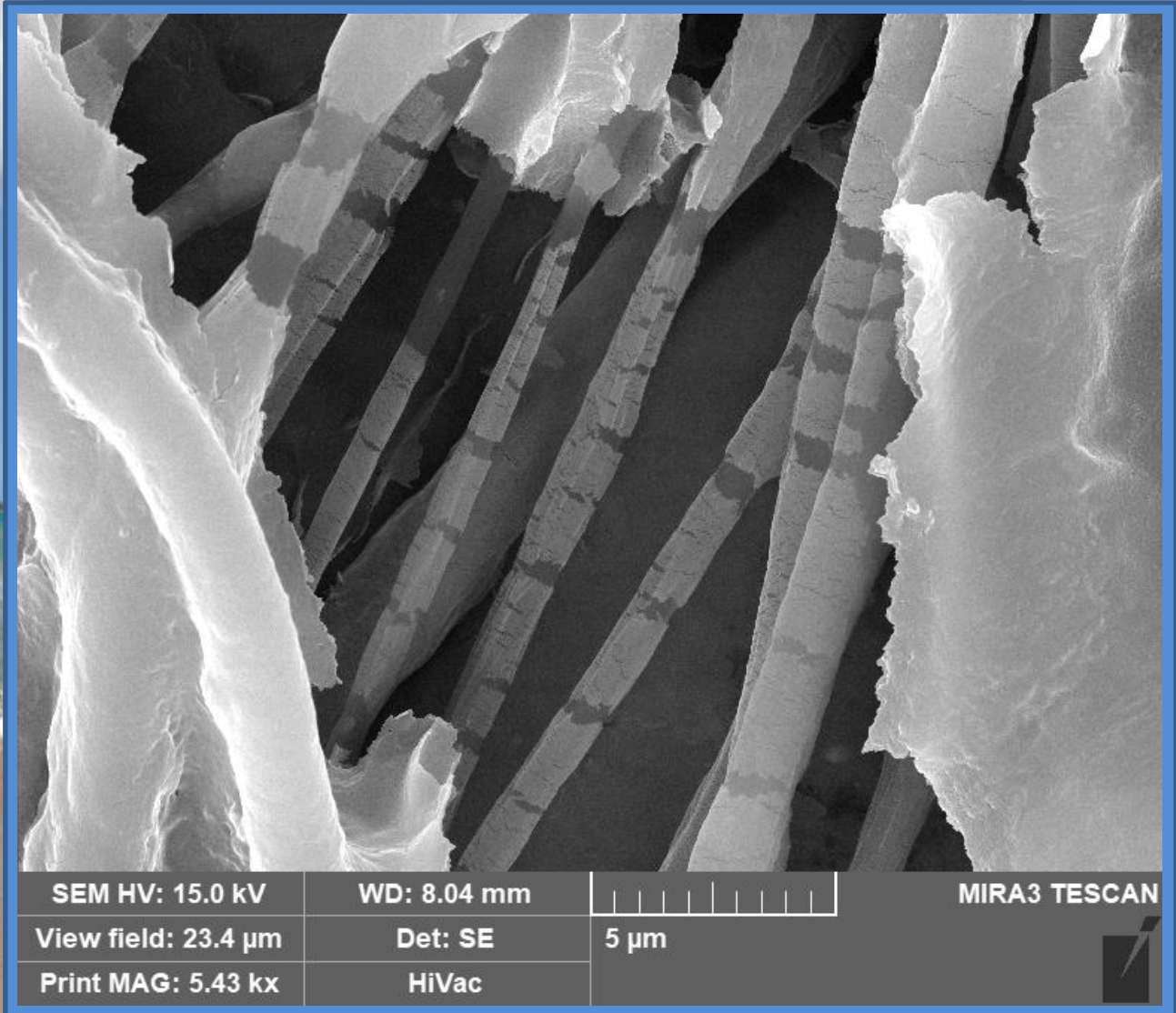
Submitted by: Jessica M. Andriolo

Instrument : Tescan Mira 3

Affiliation: Montana Tech

**Micrograph Title:**  
**Truffula**

**Description:**  
 The Lorax was found  
 amongst monkey  
 cells grown on  
 electrospun fibers.



**Magnification (3"x4" image): 5.43KX**

**Instrument : Tescan Mira 3**

**Submitted by: Jessica M. Andriolo**

**Affiliation: Montana Tech**



Micrograph Title:

## Titanium Nautilus

Description:

The result of a  
focused ion beam  
milling operation.



1  $\mu$ m      EHT = 2.00 kV    Sample ID =      Date :27 Oct 2014  
WD = 6.8 mm    Signal A = SE2    Mag = 10.00 K X    Stage at T = -0.0 °

Magnification (3"x4" image): 10KX

Submitted by: John Gerling

Instrument : Zeiss Cross-Beam

Affiliation: KLA-Tencor

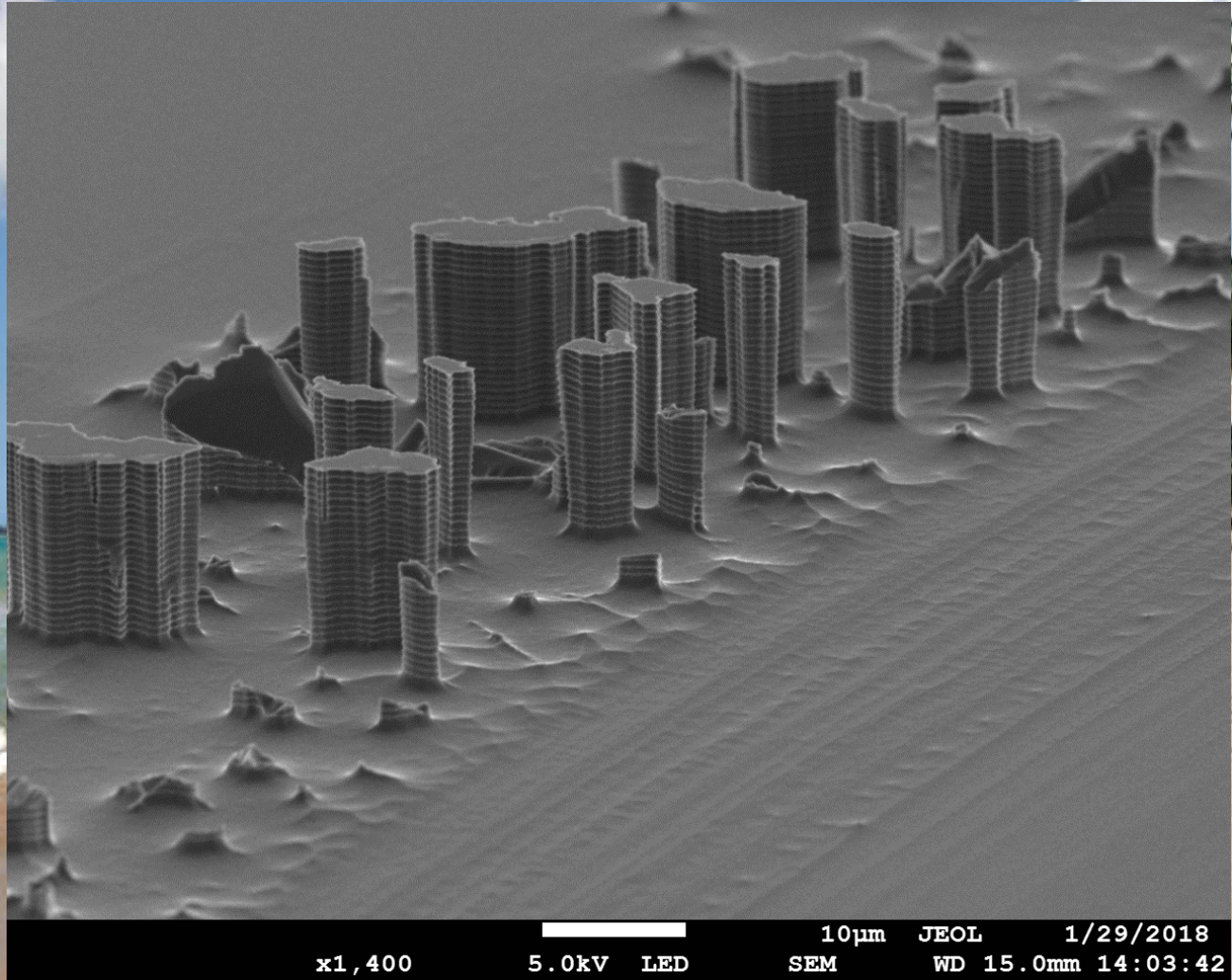




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Micrograph Title:  
**Beachfront  
Skyline**

Description:  
DRIE silicon pillars  
from sample  
contamination



Magnification (3"x4" image): 1.4KX  
Submitted by: Greg Holloway

Instrument : JEOL JSM 7200F  
Affiliation: Quantum NanoFab  
University of Waterloo



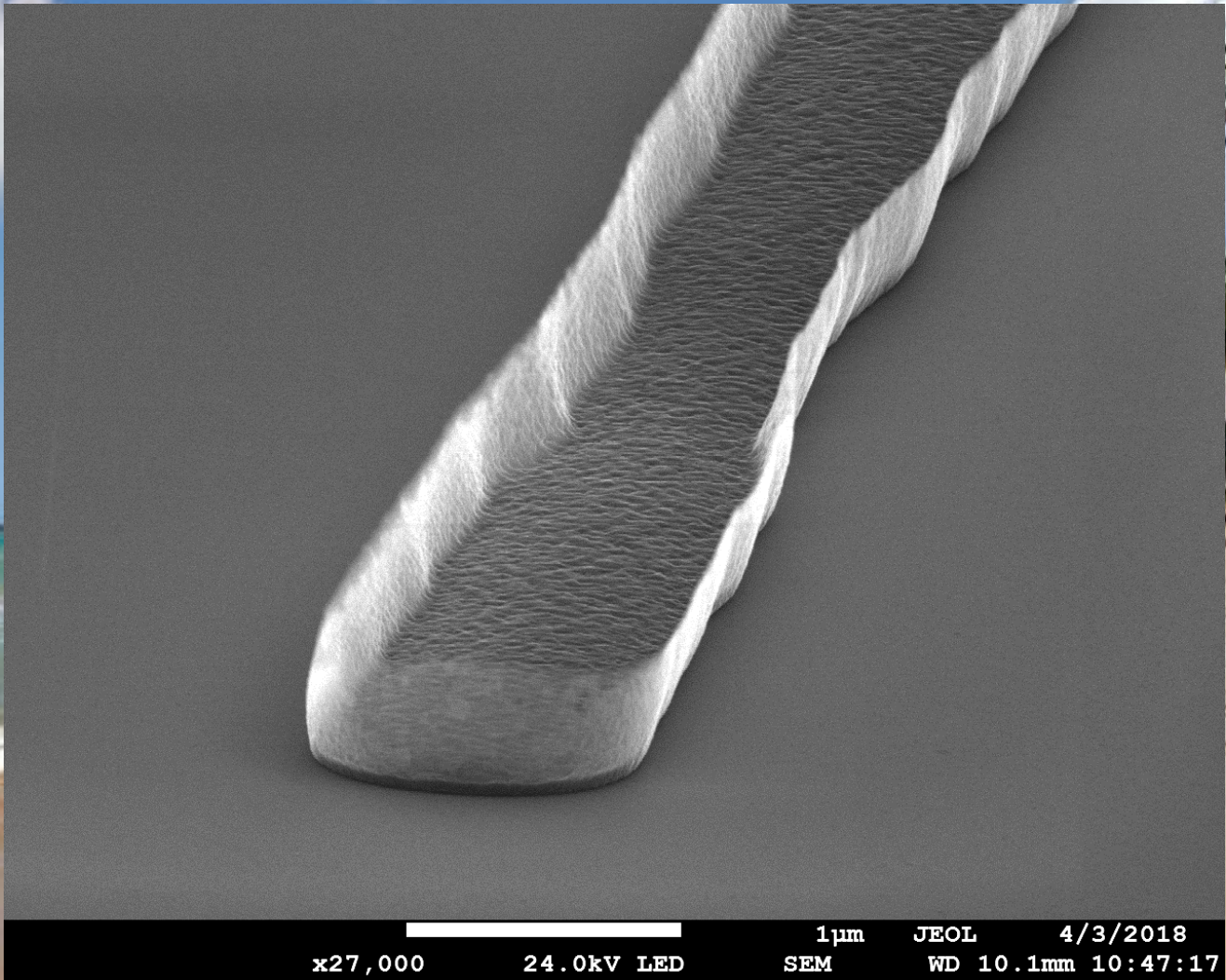


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Micrograph Title:  
**Boundless  
Waterfall**

Description:  
Sputtered aluminum  
pattern with  
prominent liftoff  
'ears'



Magnification (3"x4" image): 27 KX  
Submitted by: Greg Holloway

Instrument : JEOL JSM 7200F  
Affiliation: Quantum NanoFab  
University of Waterloo



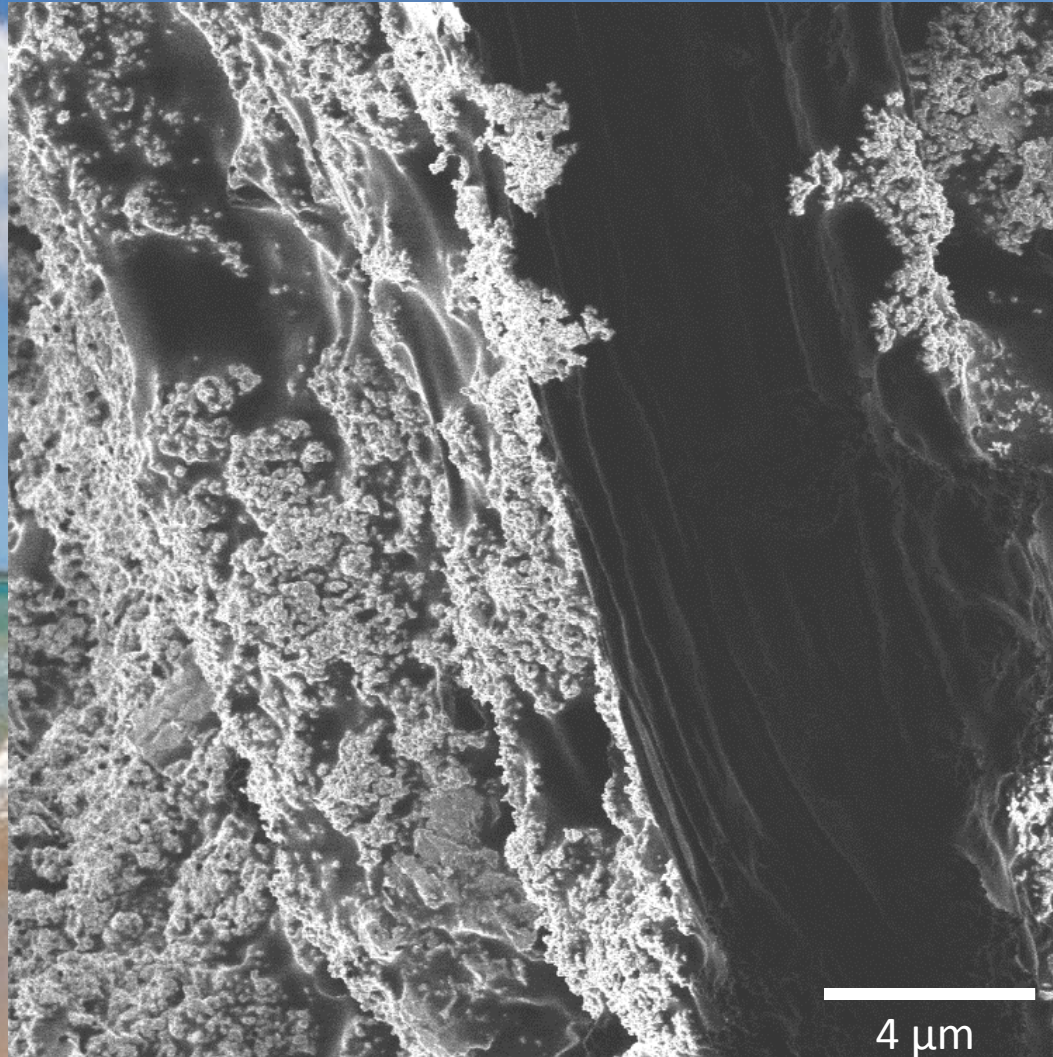


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**Micrograph Title:**  
**Battle of San  
Juan Hill**

**Description:**  
Anther covered in  
creeping carbon  
particles and  
Fluoroelastomer



**Magnification (3"x4" image): 5KX**

**Submitted by: Adam V. Steele**

**Instrument : Cs<sup>+</sup> LoTIS-FIB**

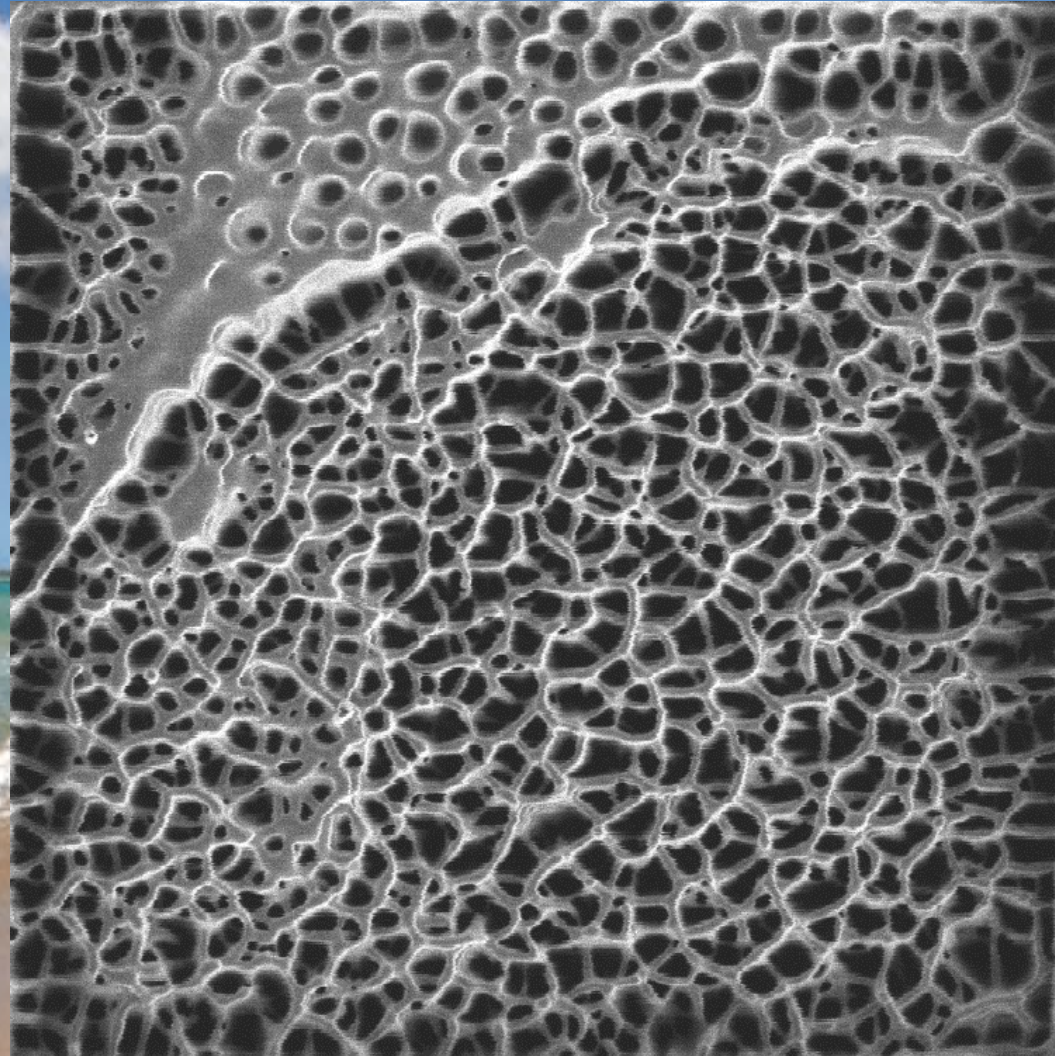
**Affiliation: zeroK NanoTech  
MD, USA**





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Micrograph Title:  
**Cellular  
Spaghetti**

Description:  
FIB etch of fixed red  
blood cell revealing  
cellular structure

Magnification (3"x4" image): 20KX

Submitted by: Adam V. Steele

Instrument : Cs<sup>+</sup> LoTIS-FIB

Affiliation: zeroK NanoTech  
MD, USA

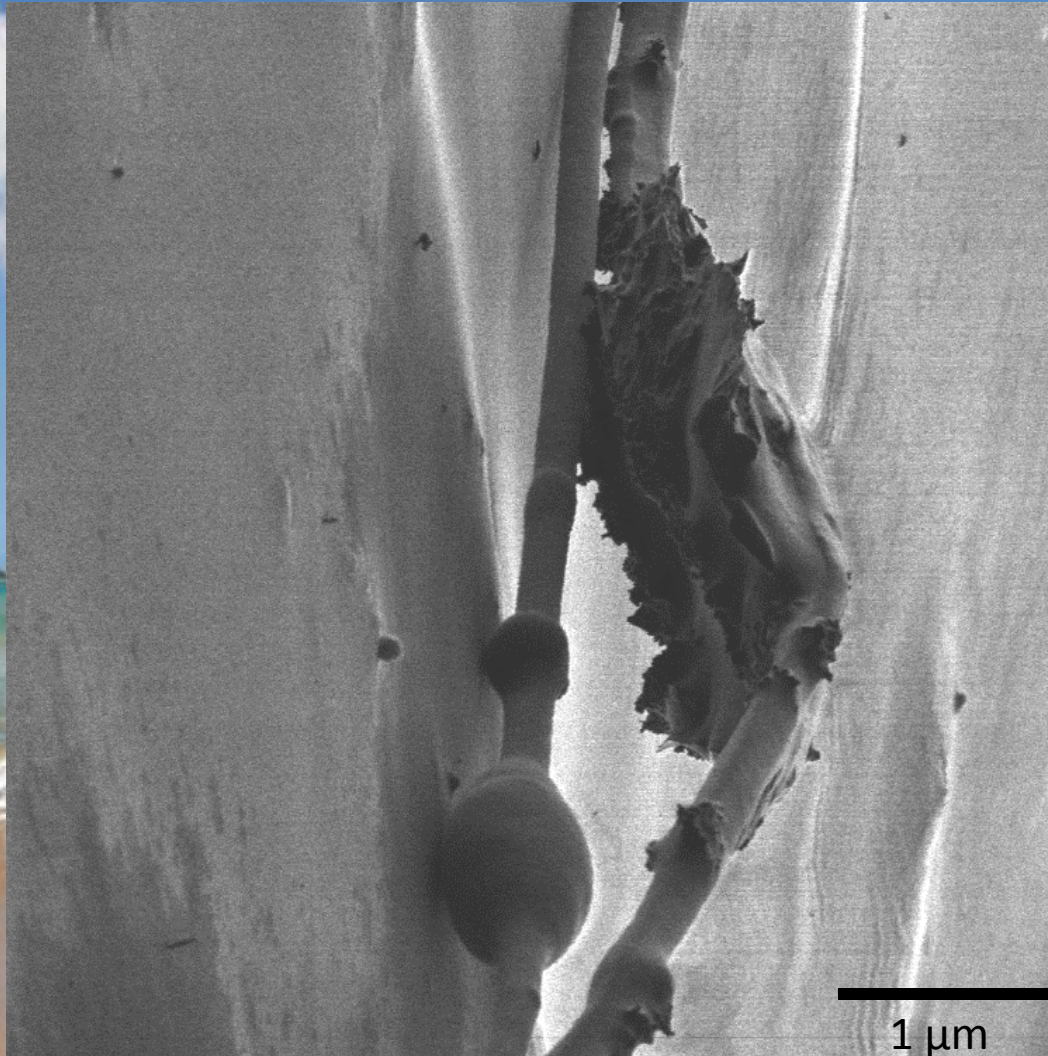




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**Micrograph Title:**  
**Every Rose Has  
Its Thorn**

**Description:**  
Plant fiber extracted  
from anther of a  
springtime bloom



**Magnification (3"x4" image): 20KX**

**Submitted by: Adam V. Steele**

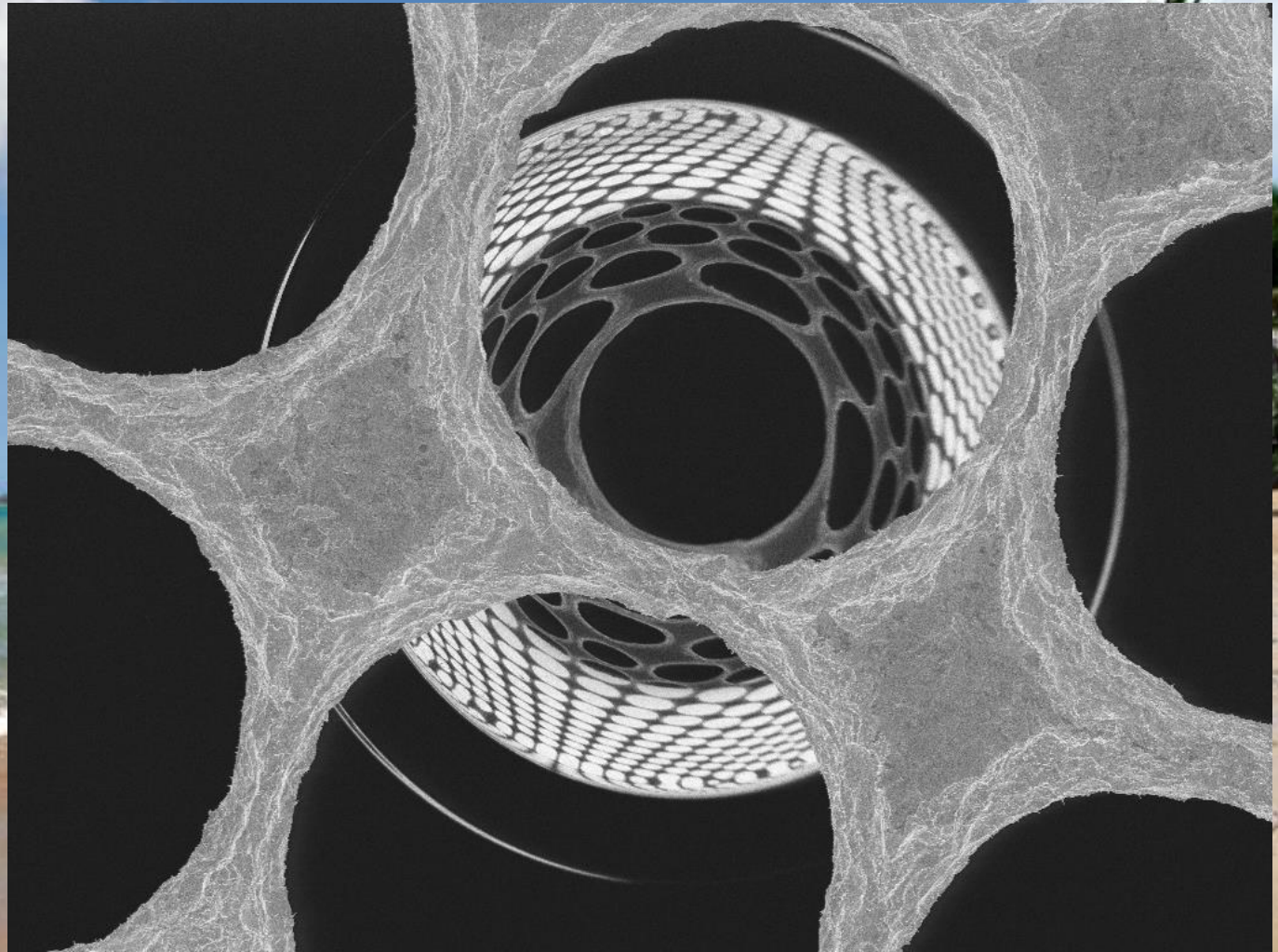
**Instrument : Cs<sup>+</sup> LoTIS-FIB**

**Affiliation: zeroK NanoTech  
MD, USA**



**Micrograph Title:**  
**Black hole in an**  
**SEM**

**Description:**  
Copper grid (front)  
with its demagnified  
and distorted  
reflection in a  
concave electron  
mirror



**Magnification (3"x4" image): 1KX**

**Submitted by: Navid Abedzadeh**

**Instrument : Zeiss SEM (LEO 1525)**

**Affiliation: MIT, Cambridge MA**



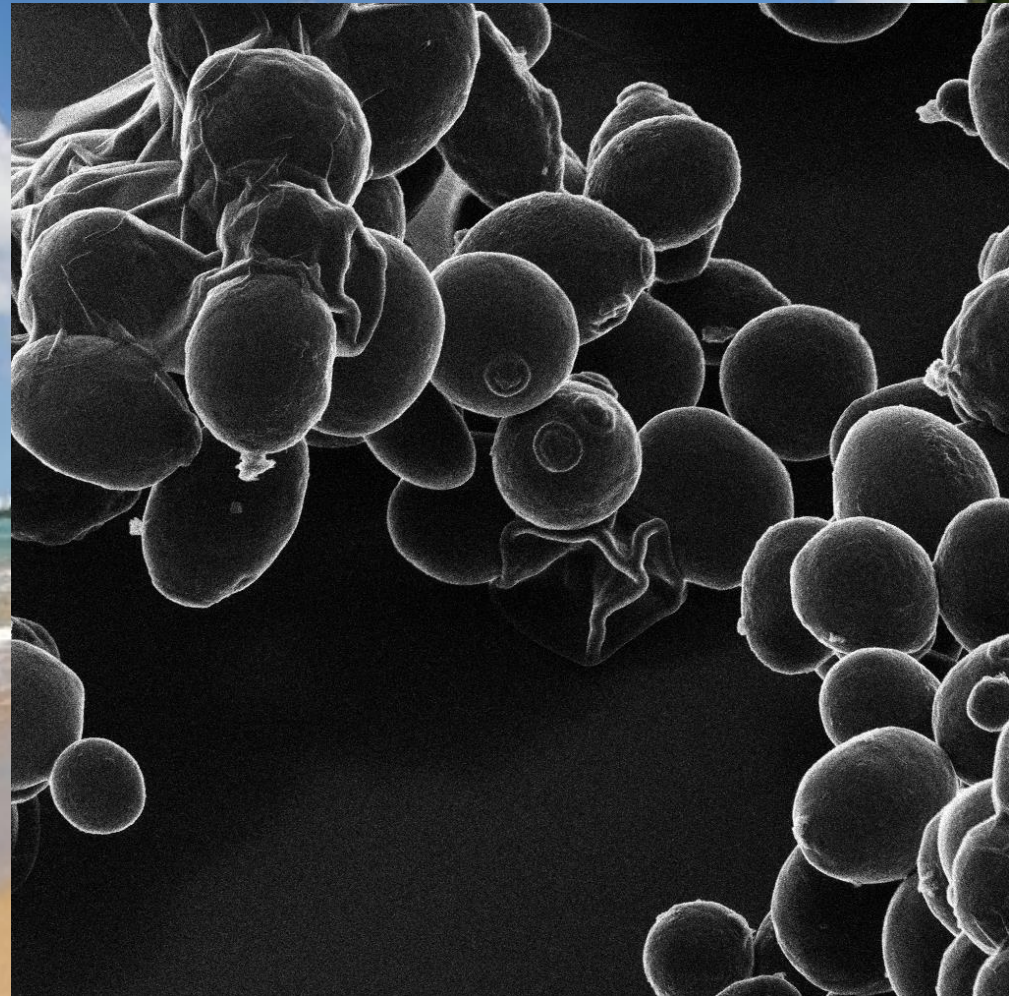


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**Micrograph Title:**  
**Run, Forrest!**  
**Run!**

**Description:**  
One yeast cell  
decided to grow  
arms and legs and  
to go for a little run.



**Magnification (3"x4" image):** 4KX

**Submitted by:** Annalena Wolff

**Instrument :** Zeiss Orion Nanofab

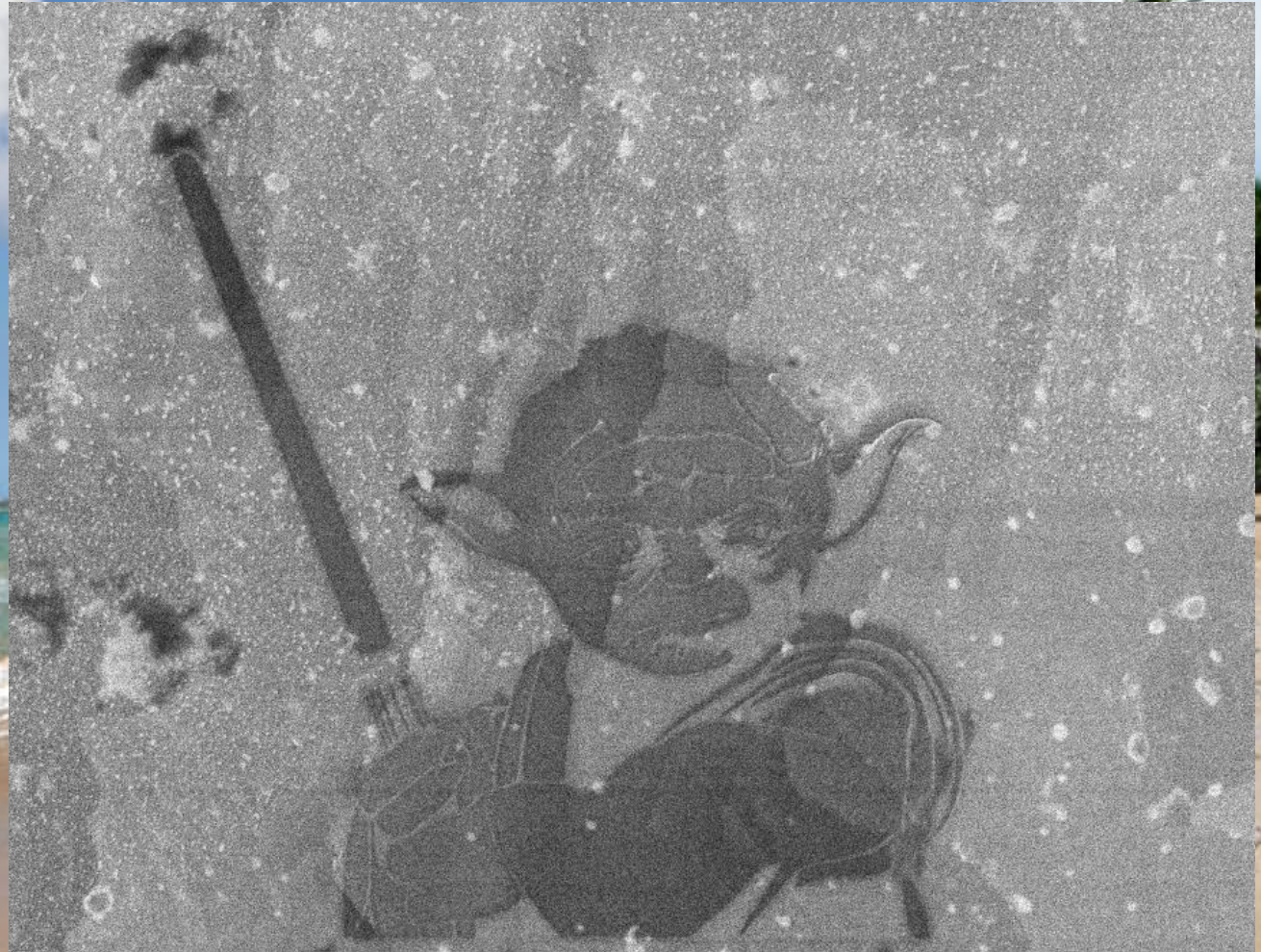
**Affiliation:** QUT

Brisbane, Australia



**Micrograph Title:**  
**May the source  
be with you**

**Description:**  
The source is what gives the HIM operator his/her power. 'May the source be with you' is a phrase that is extended to other HIM operators to wish one another good luck.



**Magnification (3"x4" image): 12KX**

**Submitted by: Annalena Wolff**

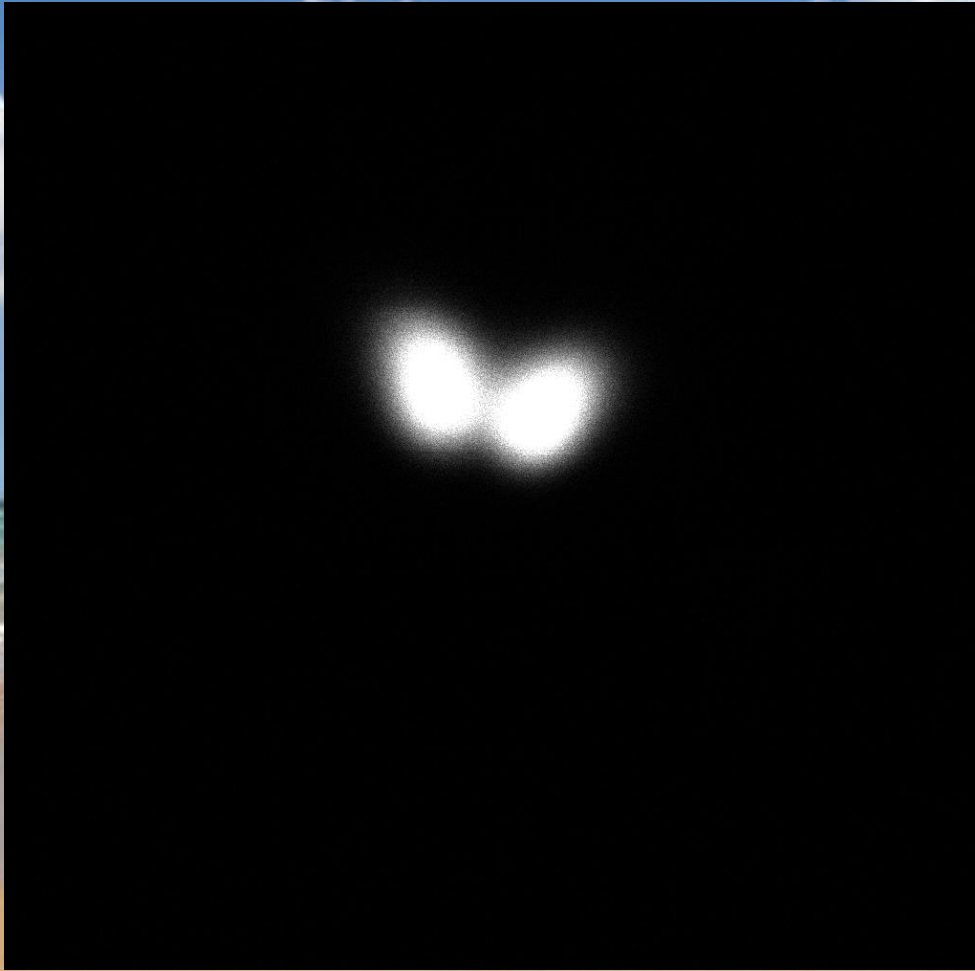
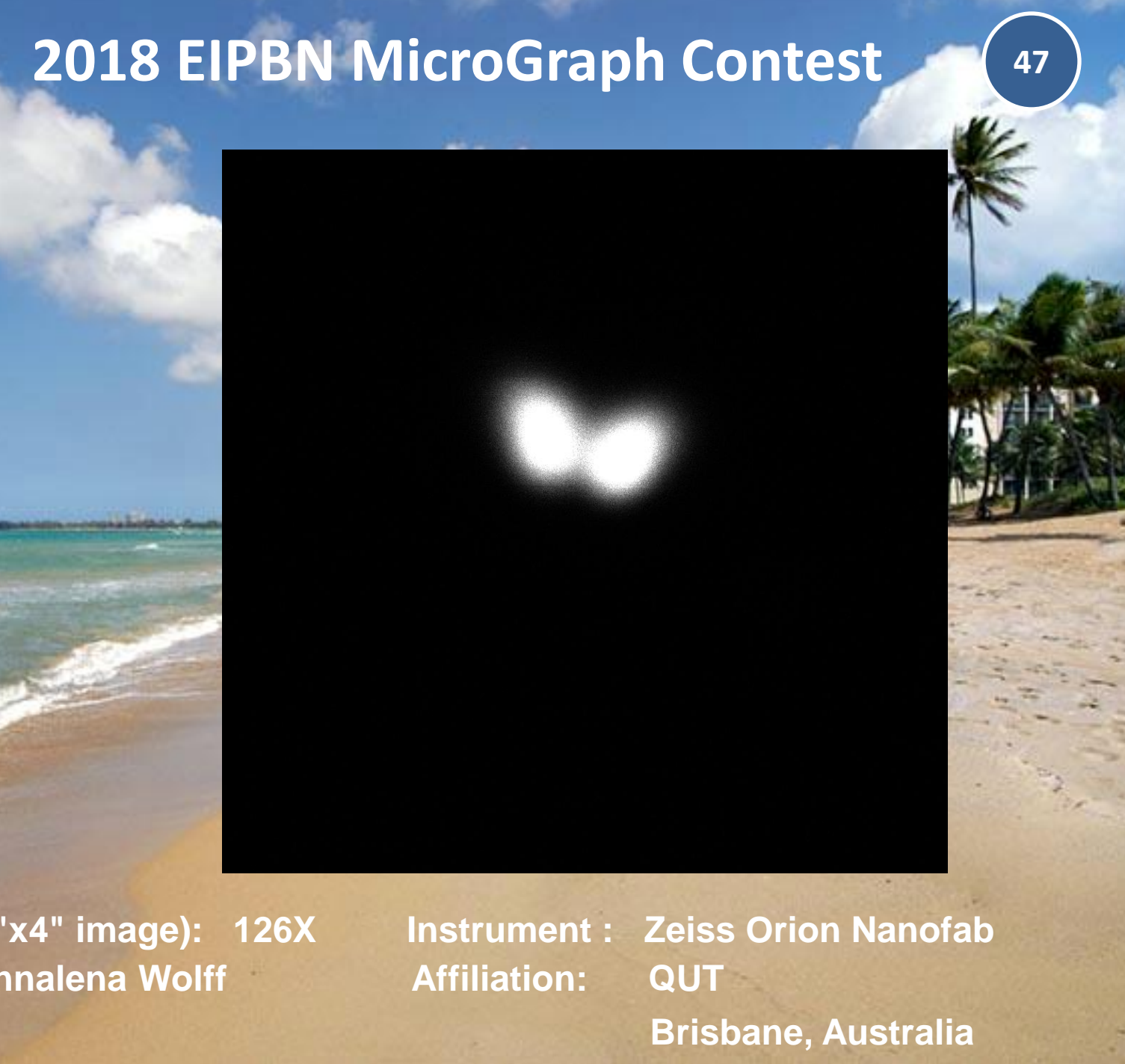
**Instrument : Zeiss Orion Nanofab**

**Affiliation: QUT**

**Brisbane, Australia**



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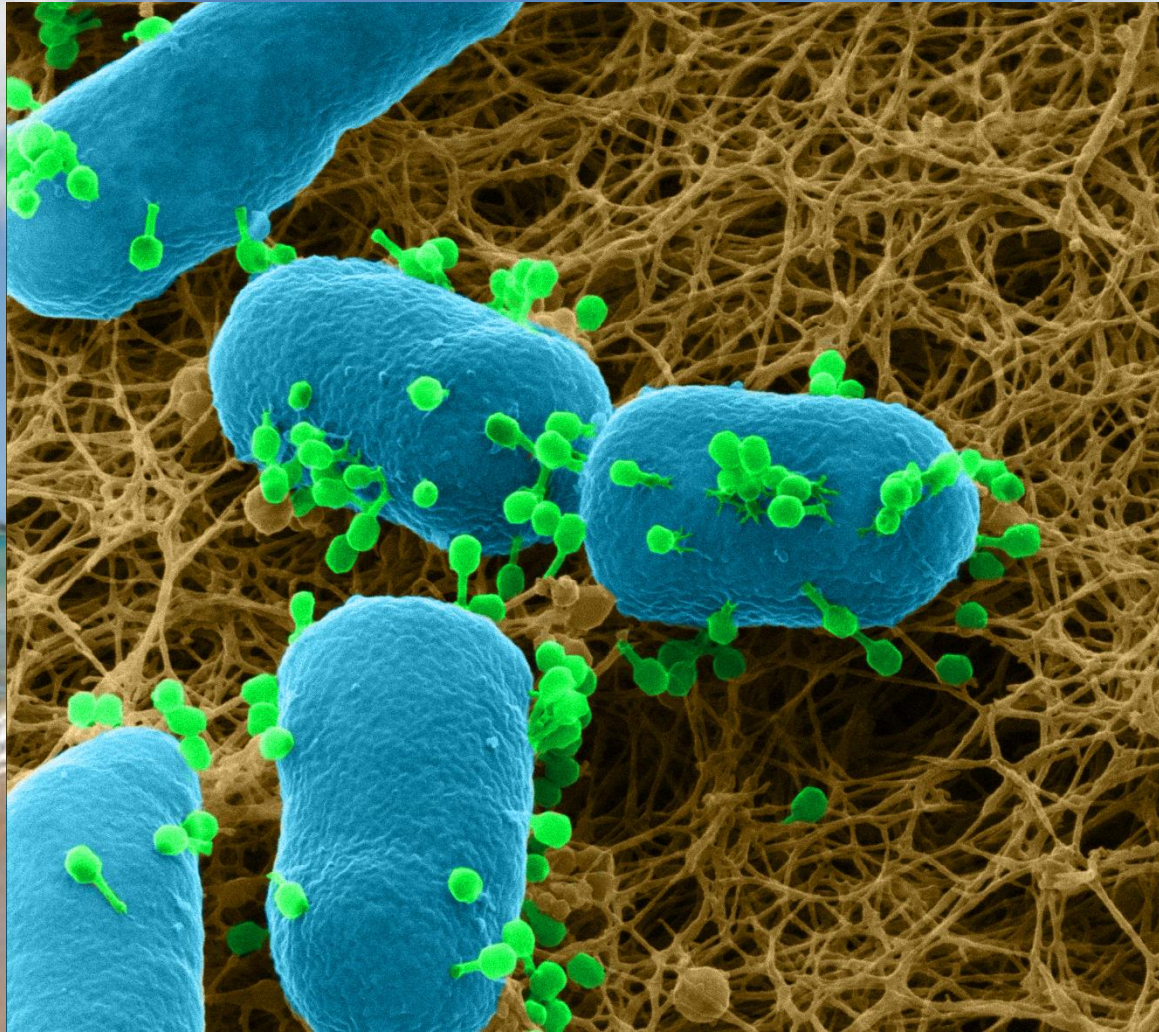
**Micrograph Title:**  
**The dark side of  
the source**

**Description:**  
**'Once you start  
down the dark path,  
forever it will  
dominate your  
destiny'...until you  
get a new source for  
the Helium Ion  
Microscope**

**Magnification (3"x4" image): 126X**  
**Submitted by: Annalena Wolff**

**Instrument : Zeiss Orion Nanofab**  
**Affiliation: QUT**  
**Brisbane, Australia**





**Micrograph Title:**  
**Phage Attack!**

**Description:**  
Helium ion image of  
T4 phage (green)  
attacking E Coli  
(blue) on agar  
substrate.

**Magnification (3"x4" image): 56 kX      Instrument: ORION NanoFab**  
**Submitted by: Miika Leppänen (Department of Physics, University of Jyväskylä), and John Notte (Carl Zeiss Microscopy)**

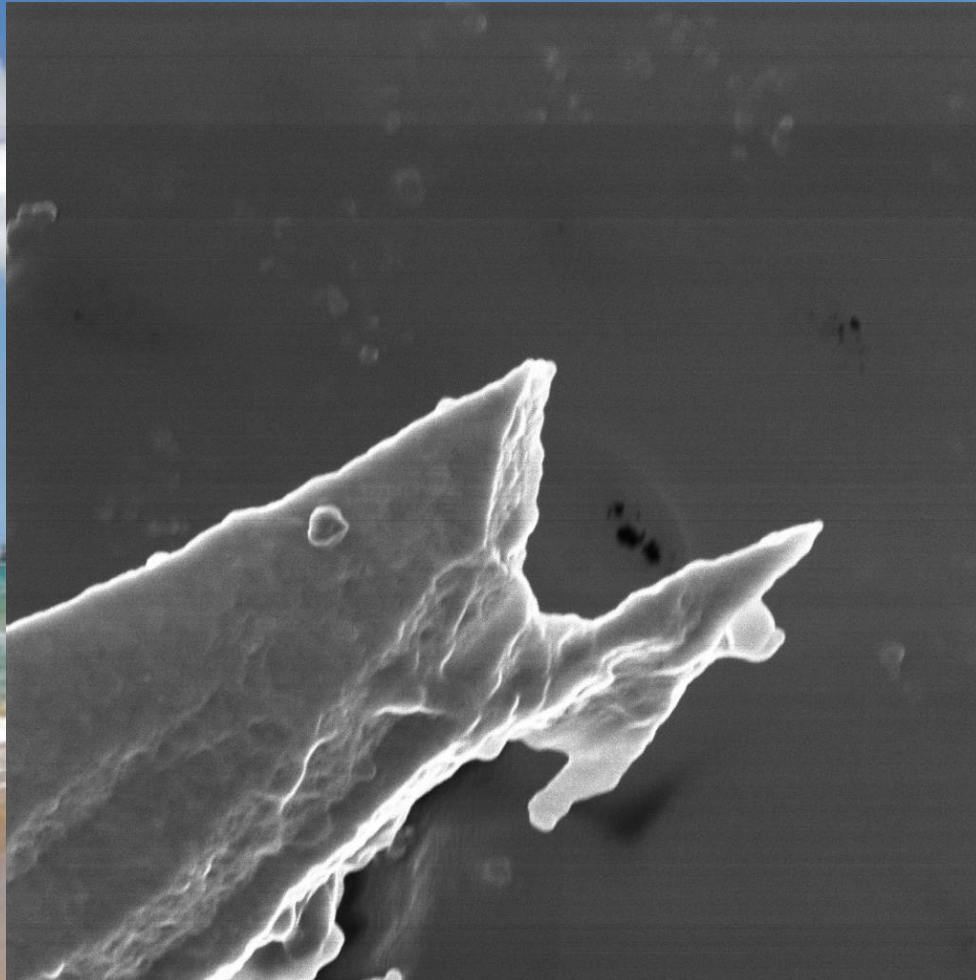




# 2018 EIPBN MicroGraph Contest

Micrograph Title:  
**Trout**

Description:  
Metal particle on  
silicon substrate



	GFIS Field Of View 4 Microns	Scan Dwell Time 10 $\mu$ s	Scan Size 1024 x 1024	NanoFab 6065 Final Test
	Working Distance 9.144 Millimeters	Beam Current 0.679 pA	Magnification 4x5 28575	Acquisition Timestamp 4/24/2018 9:48:16 AM

Magnification (3"x4" image): 25 kX

Submitted by: Bill Somers

Instrument: ORION NanoFab

Affiliation: Zeiss



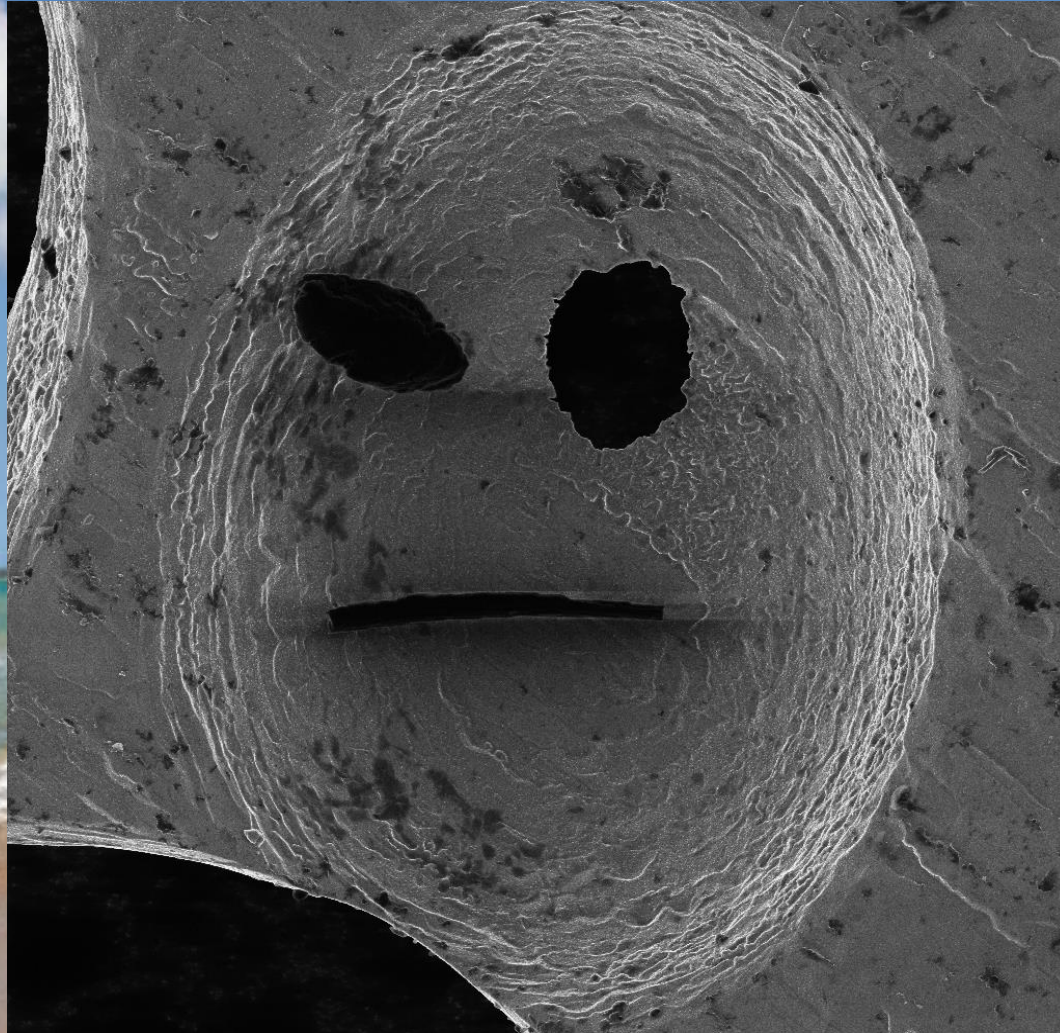


# 2018 EIPBN MicroGraph Contest

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Micrograph Title:  
**Namogi**

Description:  
Metal foil with  
disturbing face.



	GFIS Field Of View 50 Microns	Scan Dwell Time 10 $\mu$ s	Scan Size 1024 x 1024	User Text
	Working Distance 9.145 Millimeters	Beam Current 0.069 pA	Magnification 4x5 2286	Acquisition Timestamp 4/16/2018 10:09:54 AM

Magnification (3"x4" image): 2.0 kX

Submitted by: Bill Somers

Instrument: ORION NanoFab

Affiliation: Zeiss



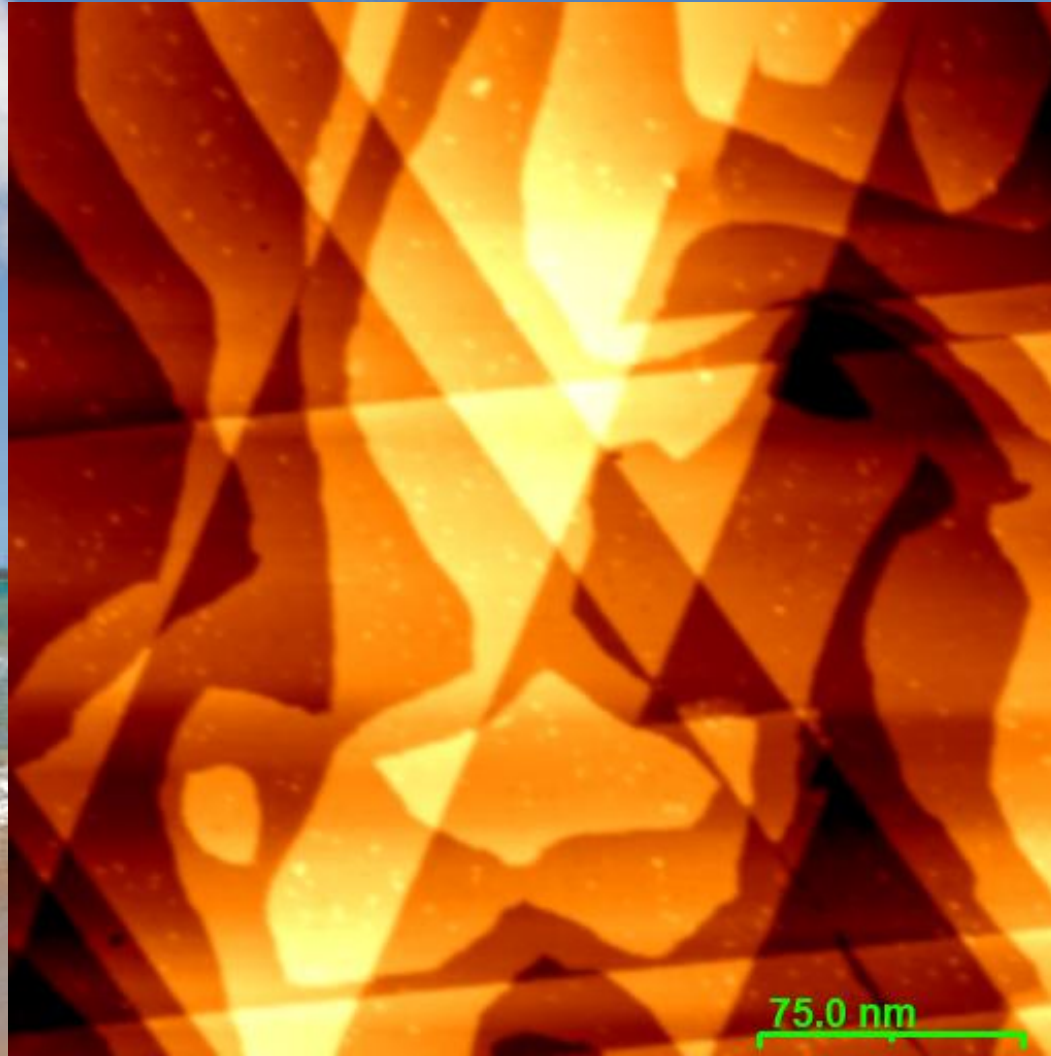


# 2018 EIPBN MicroGraph Contest

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Micrograph Title:  
**Nano-Picasso.**

**Description:**  
The surface of Pd(111) taken using Zyvex Labs' Scanz software driving Matrix hardware on an Omicron VT STM, with live Creep and Hysteresis Correction active.



Magnification (3"x4" image): 300kx  
Submitted by: James Owen

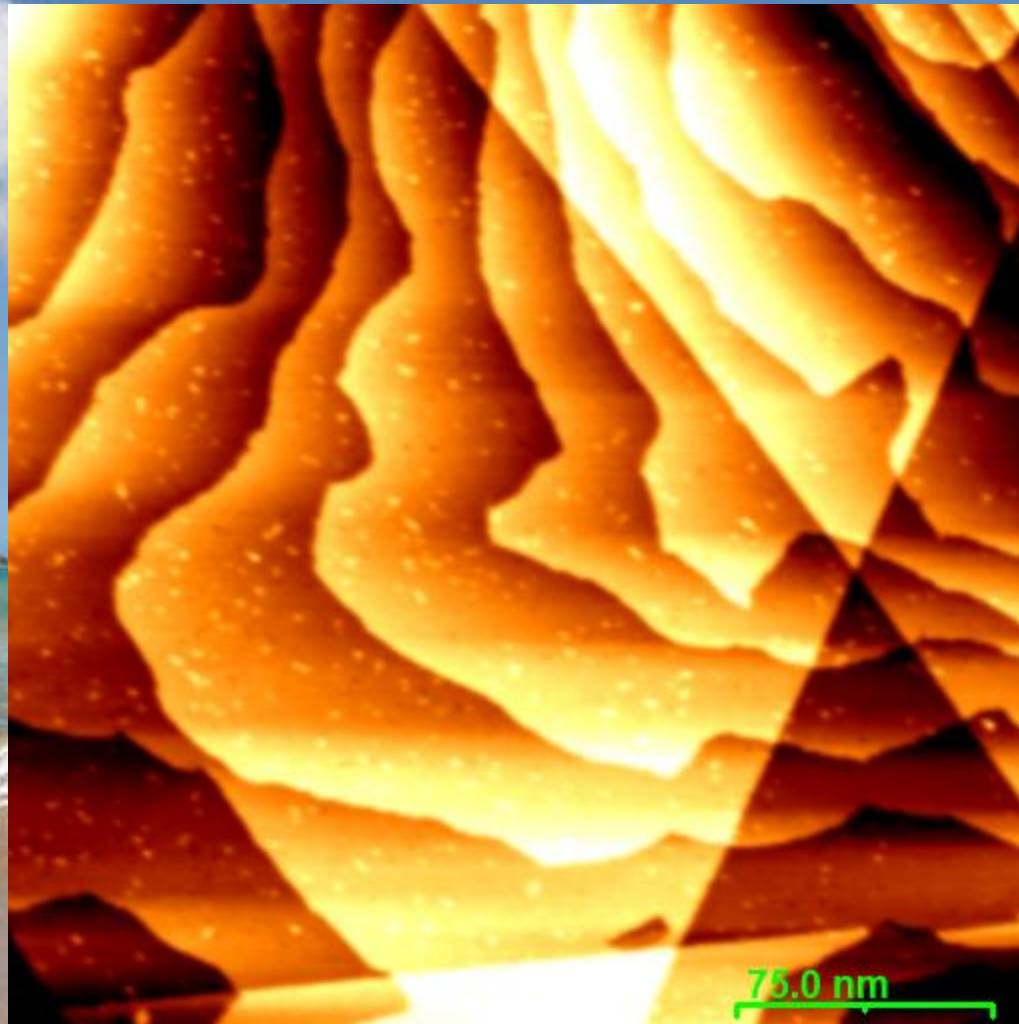
Instrument : Omicron VT STM, Scanz.  
Affiliation: Zyvex Labs  
Richardson, TX.





# 2018 EIPBN MicroGraph Contest

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**Micrograph Title:**  
**A Searchlight  
illuminating the  
landscape**

**Description:**  
The surface of Pd(111) taken using Zyvex Labs' Scanz software driving Matrix hardware on an Omicron VT STM, with live Creep and Hysteresis Correction active.

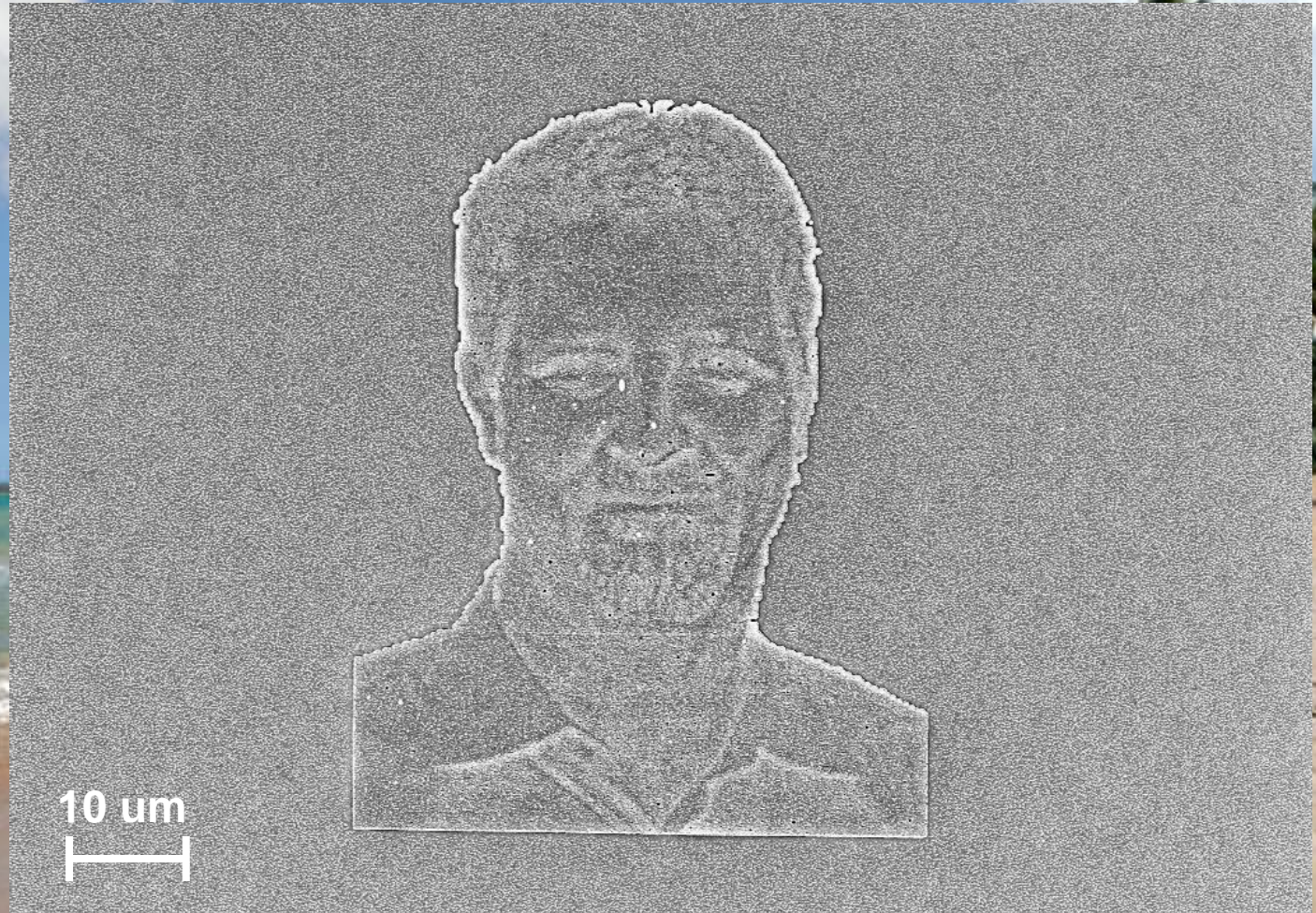
**Magnification (3"x4" image): 300kx**  
**Submitted by: James Owen**

**Instrument : Omicron VT STM, Scanz.**  
**Affiliation: Zyvex Labs**  
**Richardson, TX.**



**Micrograph Title:**  
**Nanofabricated  
nanofabricator**

**Description:**  
3D image patterned  
by plasma etching of  
a greyscale mask  
written by Gallium  
FIB



**Magnification (3"x4" image): 1 KX**

**Submitted by: Stefano Dallorto**

**Alexander Koshelev**

**Instrument : Zeiss Ultra 60-SEM**

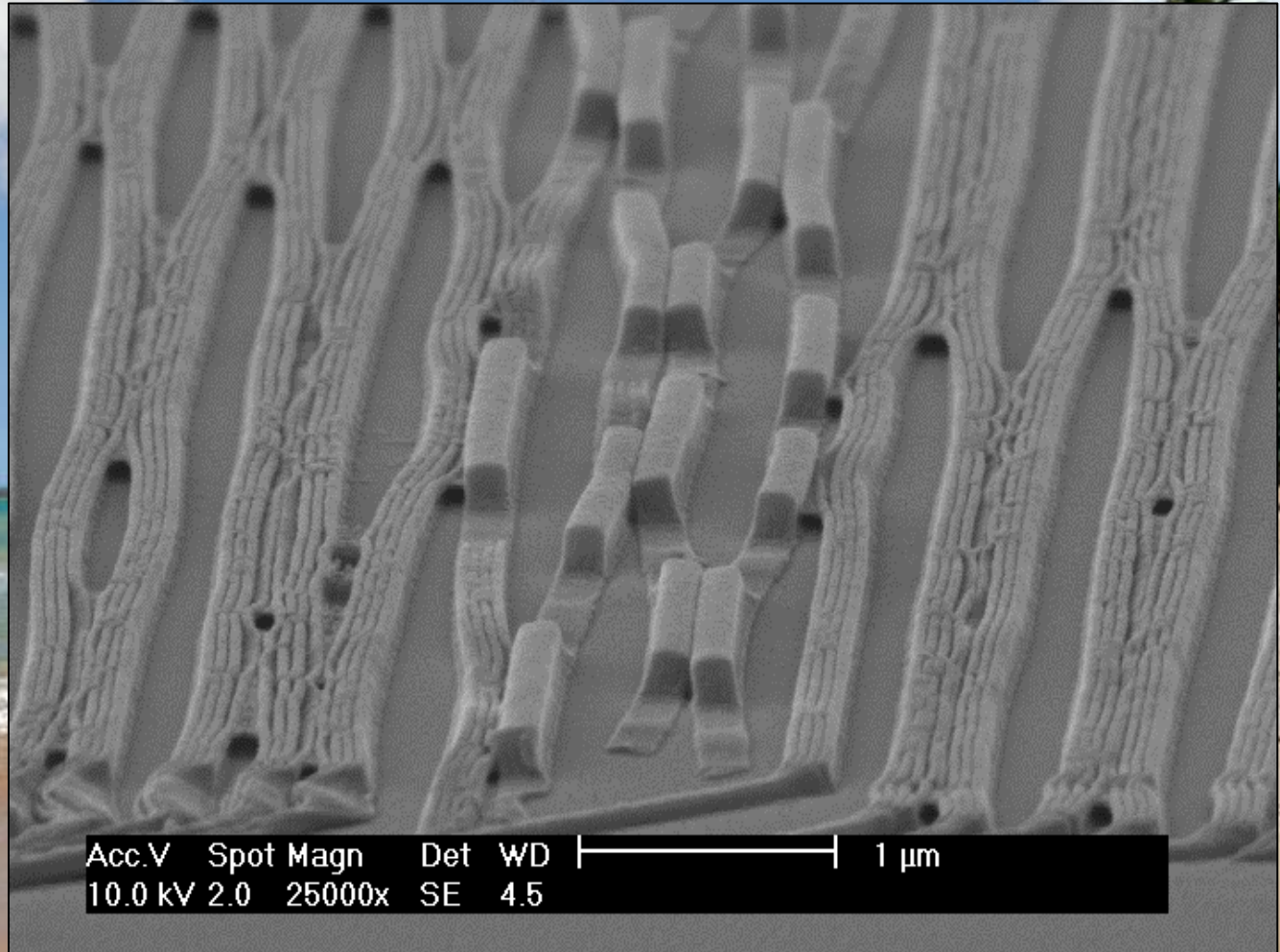
**Affiliation: Molecular Foundry - LBNL**

**TU Ilmenau**



Micrograph Title:  
**Rails**

Description:  
On a hot summer  
day railroad  
companies may be  
in trouble ....



Magnification (3"x4" image): 25KX

Submitted by: Andre Mayer

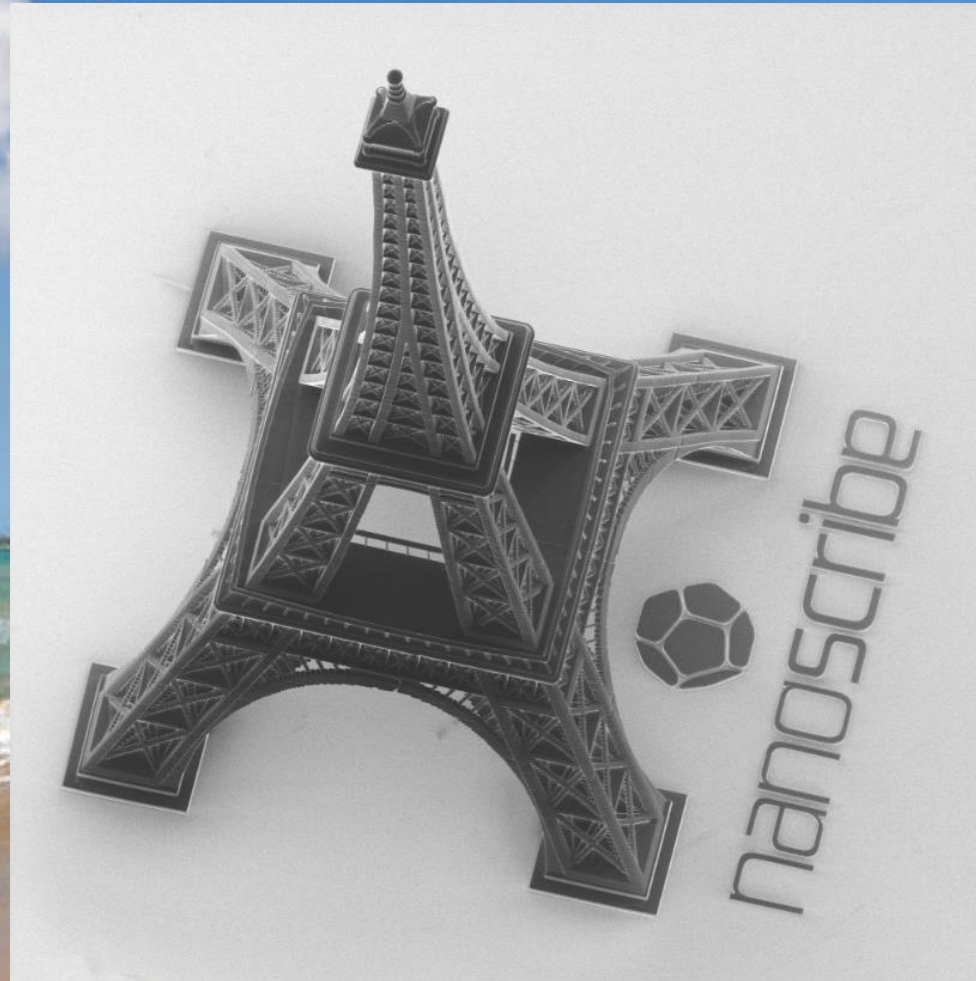
Instrument : Fei XL30 - SFEG



Affiliation: University of Wuppertal  
Germany



**Micrograph Title:**  
**Eiffel Tower**

**Description:**  
 Eiffel Tower made of acrylate, 2 mm tall. Imaged with long depth of focus helium beam. No metal coating.



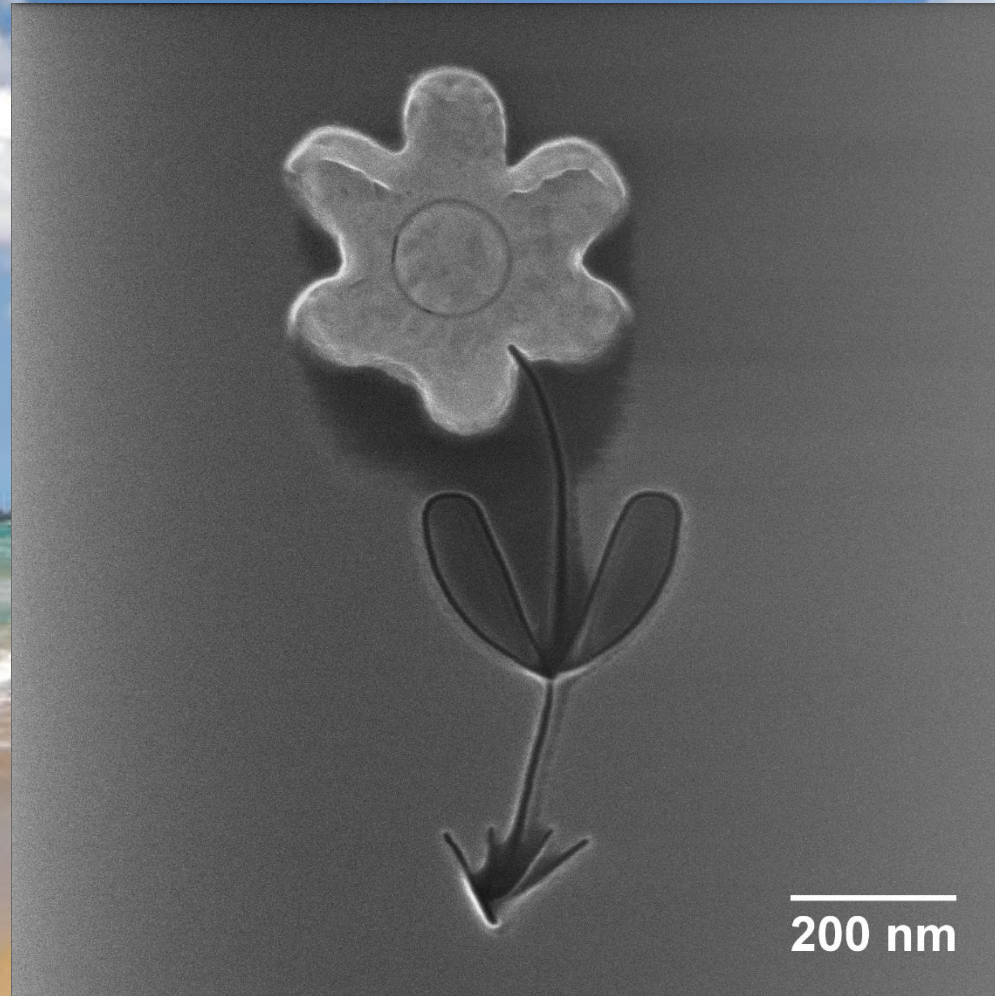
	Model NanoFab	 200 µm	Eiffel Tower, made of acrylate 2mm tall, imaged uncoated	
	GFIS Ion Gas Helium	Scan Size 2048 x 2048	Beam Current 0.661 pA	ZMCC, Peabody WeiD

**Magnification (3"x4" image): 75 X      Instrument: ORION NanoFab**  
**Submitted by: Doug Wei (Zeiss) and Sofia Rodriguez (Nanoscribe).**



Micrograph Title:  
**Nano-Flower**

**Description:**  
Au nano-flower on  
quarz glass, milled  
and imaged both by  
He<sup>+</sup> with charge  
compensation



Magnification (3"x4" image): 95KX

Submitted by: Daniel Emmrich

Instrument : Zeiss Orion Plus

Affiliation: Bielefeld University,  
Germany



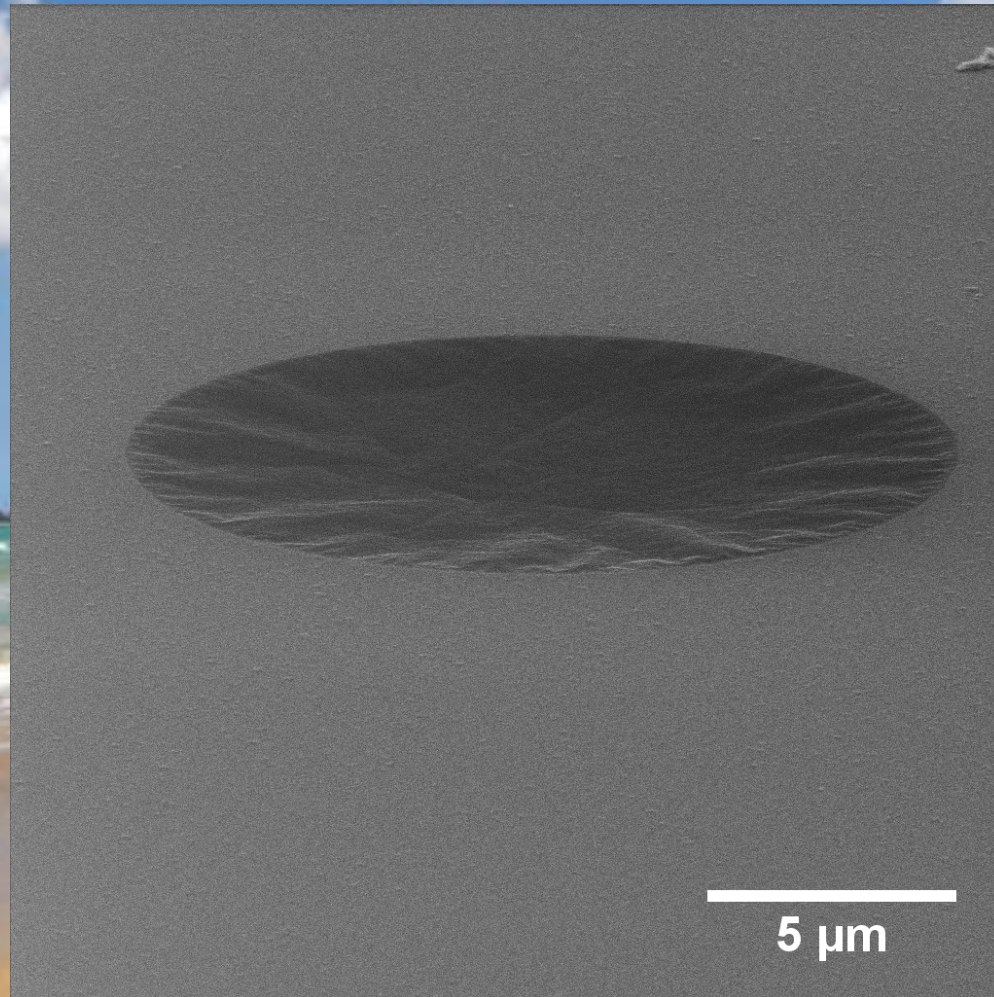


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**Micrograph Title:**  
**1nm thick**  
**Trampoline**

**Description:**  
1nm thick, insulating  
Carbon  
Nanomembrane  
spanning over a hole  
in a Silicon Nitride  
Membrane, imaged  
with charge  
compensation,  
tilt angle: 75°



**Magnification (3"x4" image): 5.7KX**

**Submitted by: Daniel Emmrich**

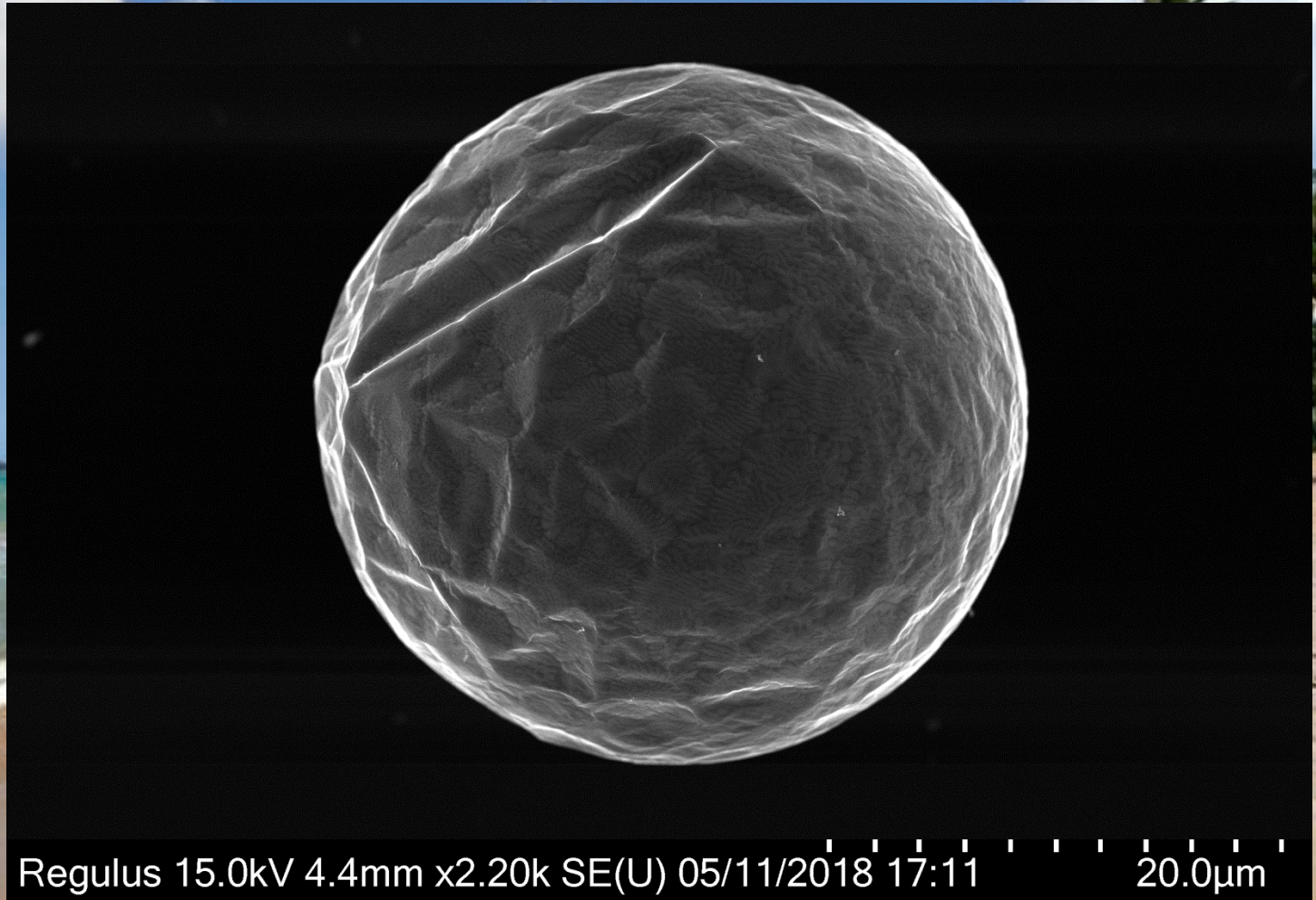
**Instrument : Zeiss Orion Plus**

**Affiliation: Bielefeld University,  
Germany**



**Micrograph Title:**  
 **$\mu$ Pluto: The newly discovered microplanet**

**Description:**  
The “microplanet” microparticle is still of unknown origin and needs to be further explored...



**Magnification (3"x4" image): 2.20KX**

**Submitted by: Dimitrios Kazazis**

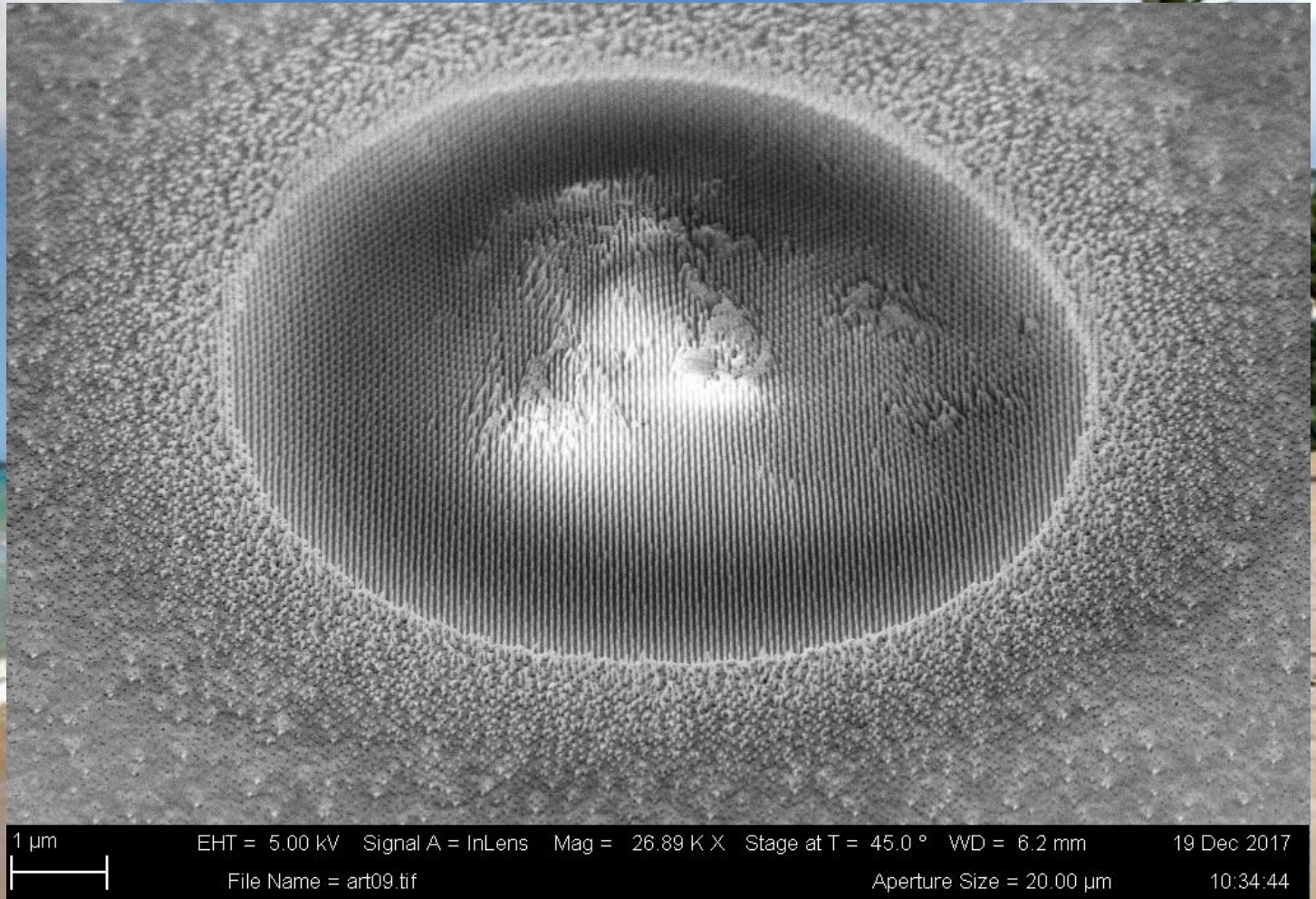
**Instrument : Hitachi Regulus 8230**

**Affiliation: Paul Scherrer Institut  
Villigen, Switzerland**



**Micrograph Title:**  
**Atlantis: a land lost in the distance.**

**Description:**  
HSQ pillars sticking out of electroplated Ni around a defect site.



**Magnification (3"x4" image): 26.89KX**

**Submitted by: Dimitrios Kazazis**

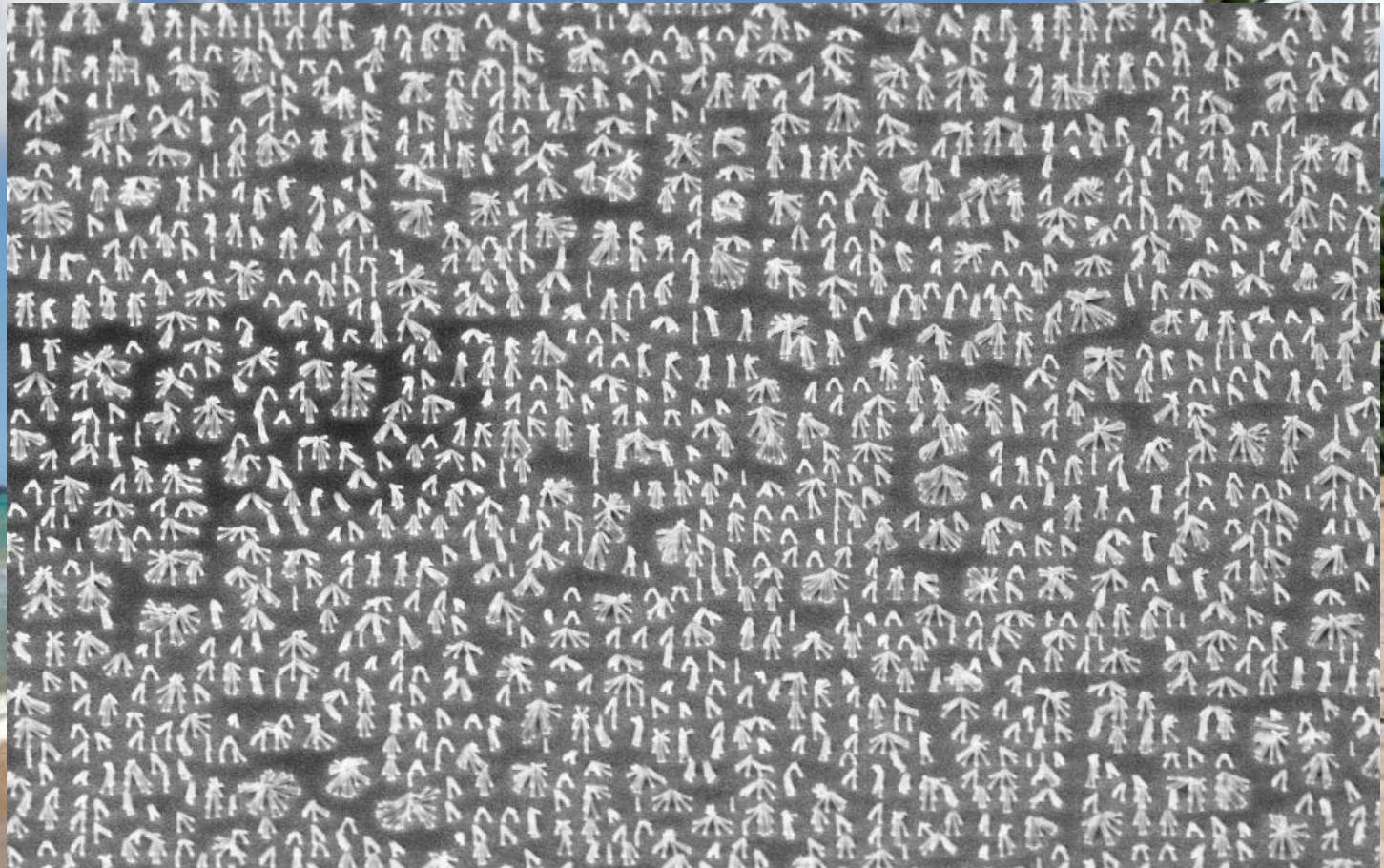
**Instrument : Zeiss Supra 55 VP**

**Affiliation: Paul Scherrer Institut  
Villigen, Switzerland**



## Micrograph Title: The nano- Rosetta Stone

**Description:**  
These are 36 nm diameter HSQ pillars patterned on a square lattice by e-beam lithography, which collapsed and merged after development and drying due to capillary forces



1  $\mu\text{m}$  EHT = 5.00 kV Signal A = InLens Mag = 36.35 K X Stage at T = 30.0 ° WD = 4.6 mm 23 Nov 2017  
File Name = 250pA\_ap200um\_Dot36\_D11400\_52.tif Aperture Size = 20.00  $\mu\text{m}$  15:27:55

**Magnification (3"x4" image): 36.35KX**

**Instrument : Zeiss Supra 55 VP**

**Submitted by: Dimitrios Kazazis**

**Affiliation: Paul Scherrer Institut  
Villigen, Switzerland**

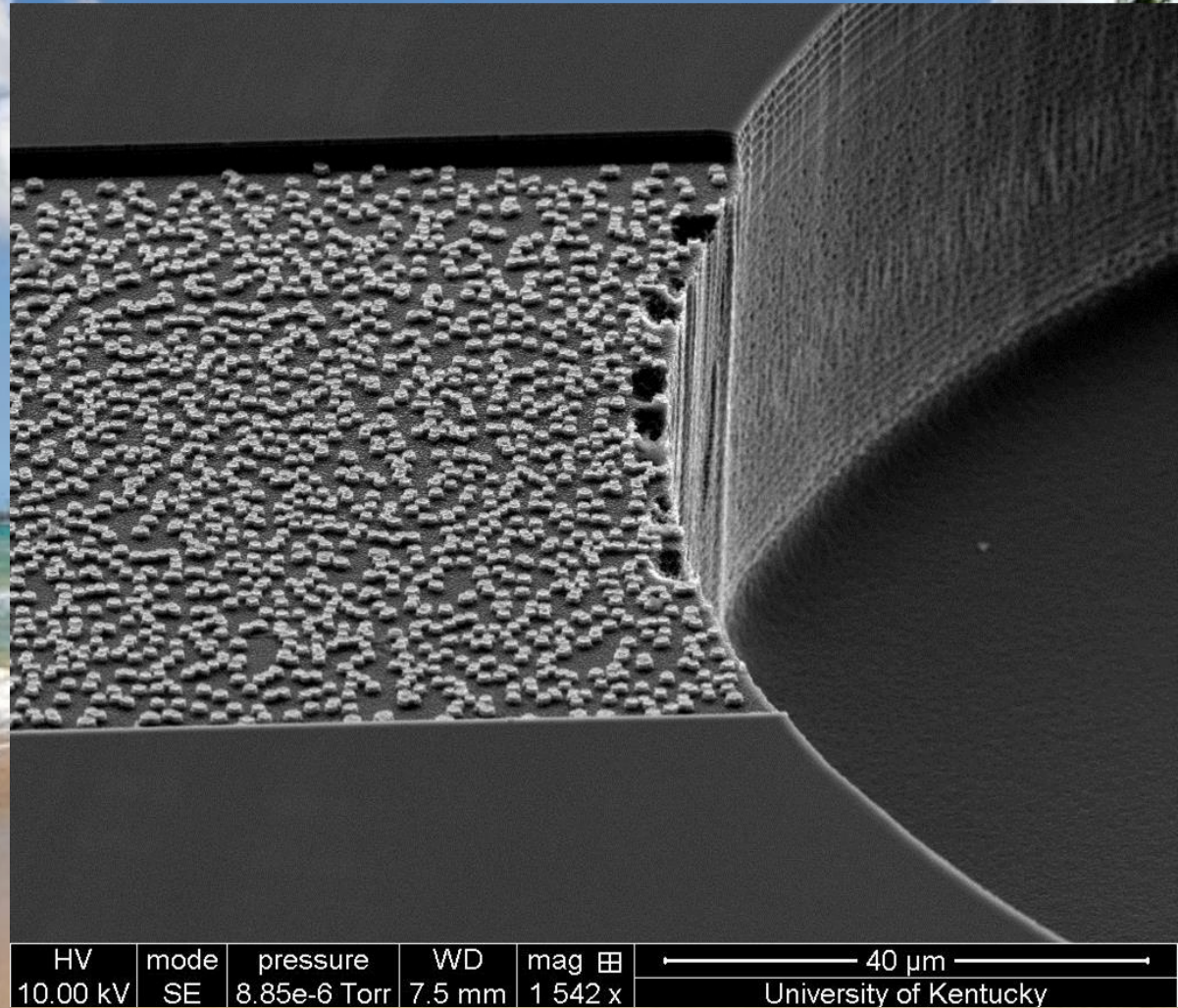




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Micrograph Title:  
**Stocked Behind  
The Valley**

**Description:**  
Silicon residue in the  
channel after deep  
reactive ion etching  
process



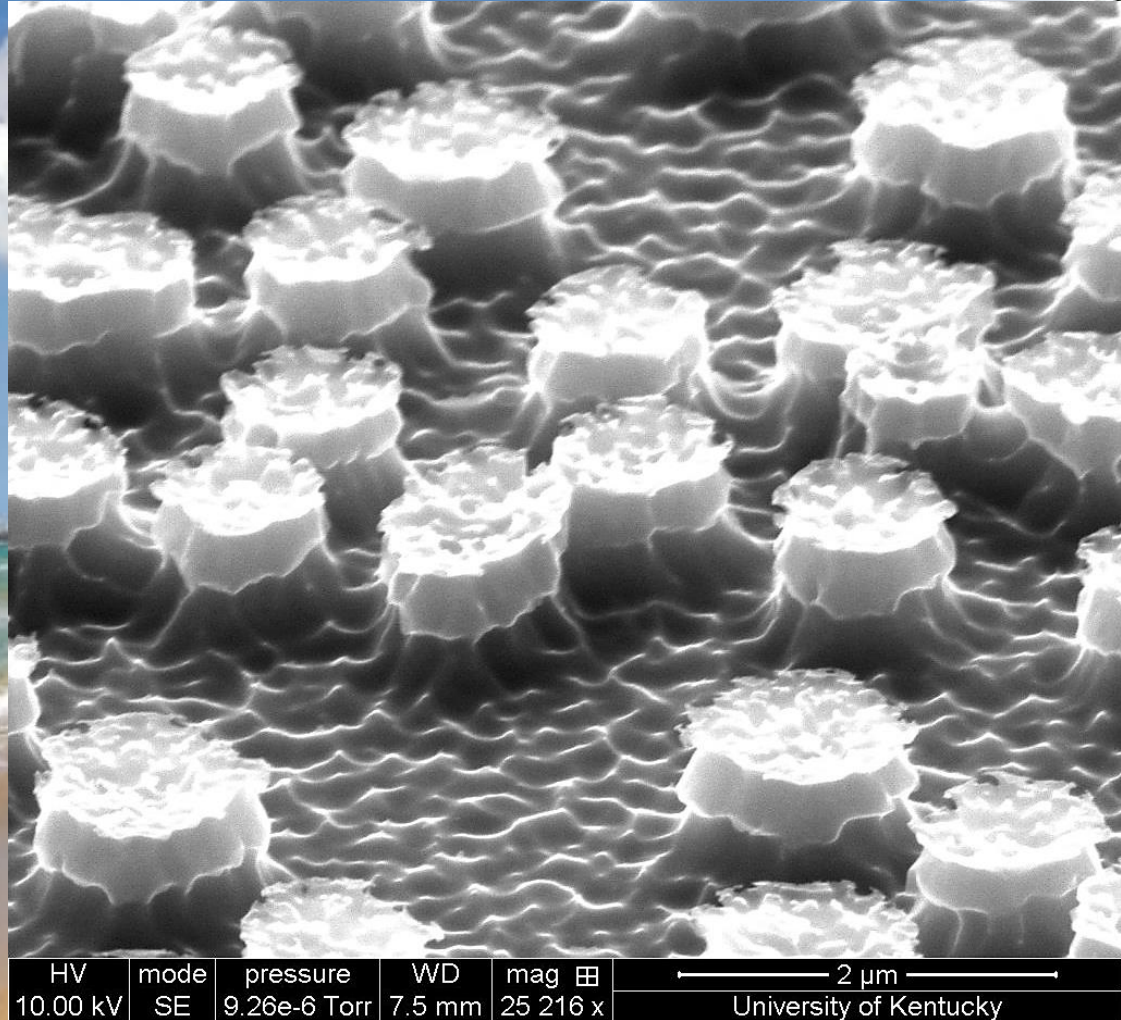
**Magnification (3"x4" image): 1542 x**  
**Submitted by: Samaneh Esfandiarpour**

**Instrument : Quanta ESEM - FEI**  
**Affiliation: University of Kentucky**



**Micrograph Title:**  
**Stubborn**

**Description:**  
 Silicon residue on the wafer after reactive ion etching process



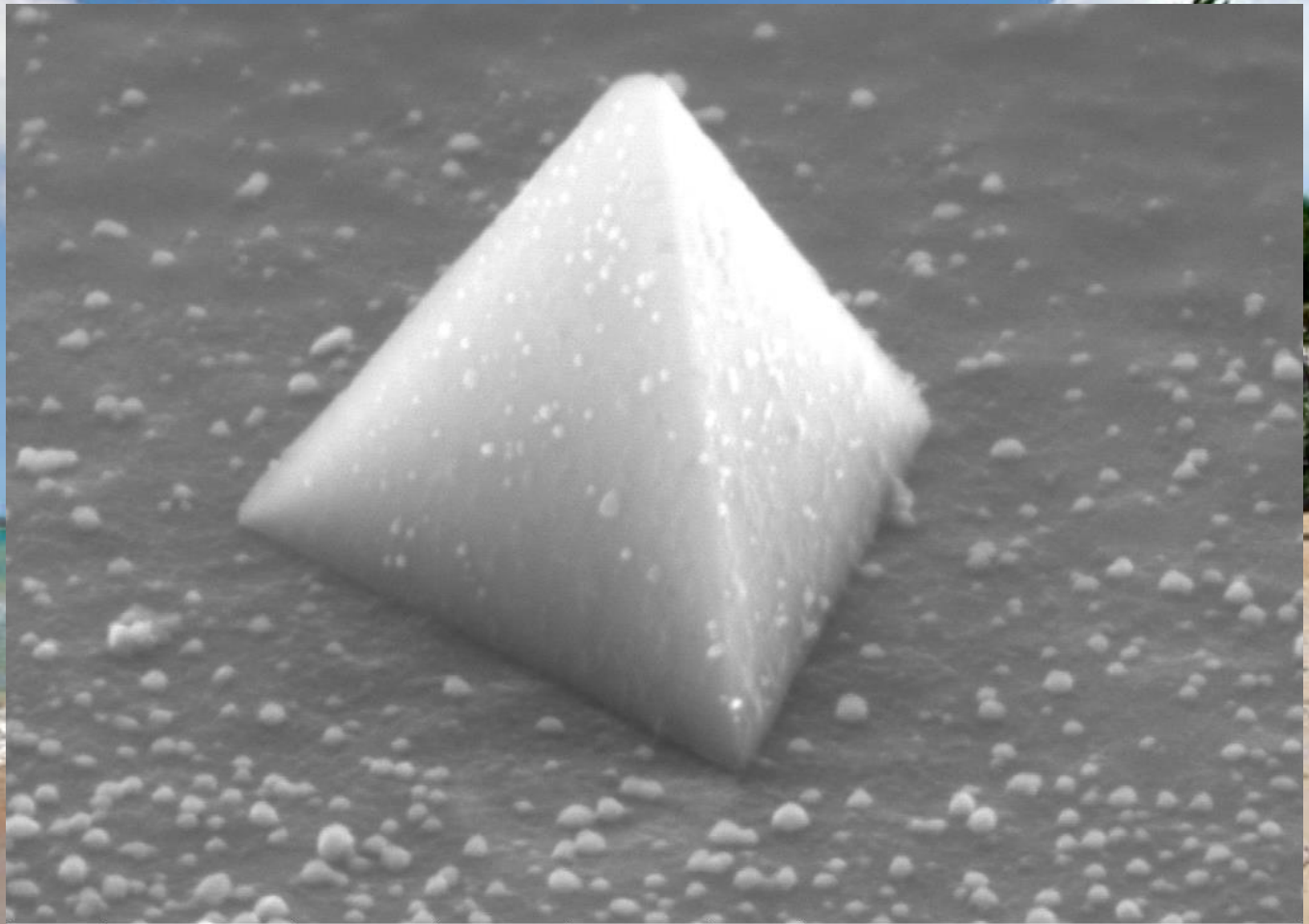
**Magnification (3"x4" image): 25 kx**  
**Submitted by: Samaneh Esfandiarpour**

**Instrument : Quanta ESEM - FEI**  
**Affiliation: University of Kentucky**



**Micrograph Title:**  
**Perfect Pyramid**

**Description:**  
 Copper crystal  
 formed during the  
 LP-EBID process  
 from aqueous  
 $\text{CuSO}_4 : \text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$



mode	pressure	mag	WD	HV	temp	 University of Kentucky
SE	6.04e-6 Torr	69 123 x	8.3 mm	10.00 kV	---	

**Magnification (3"x4" image): 69KX**

**Instrument : Quanta ESEM- FEI**

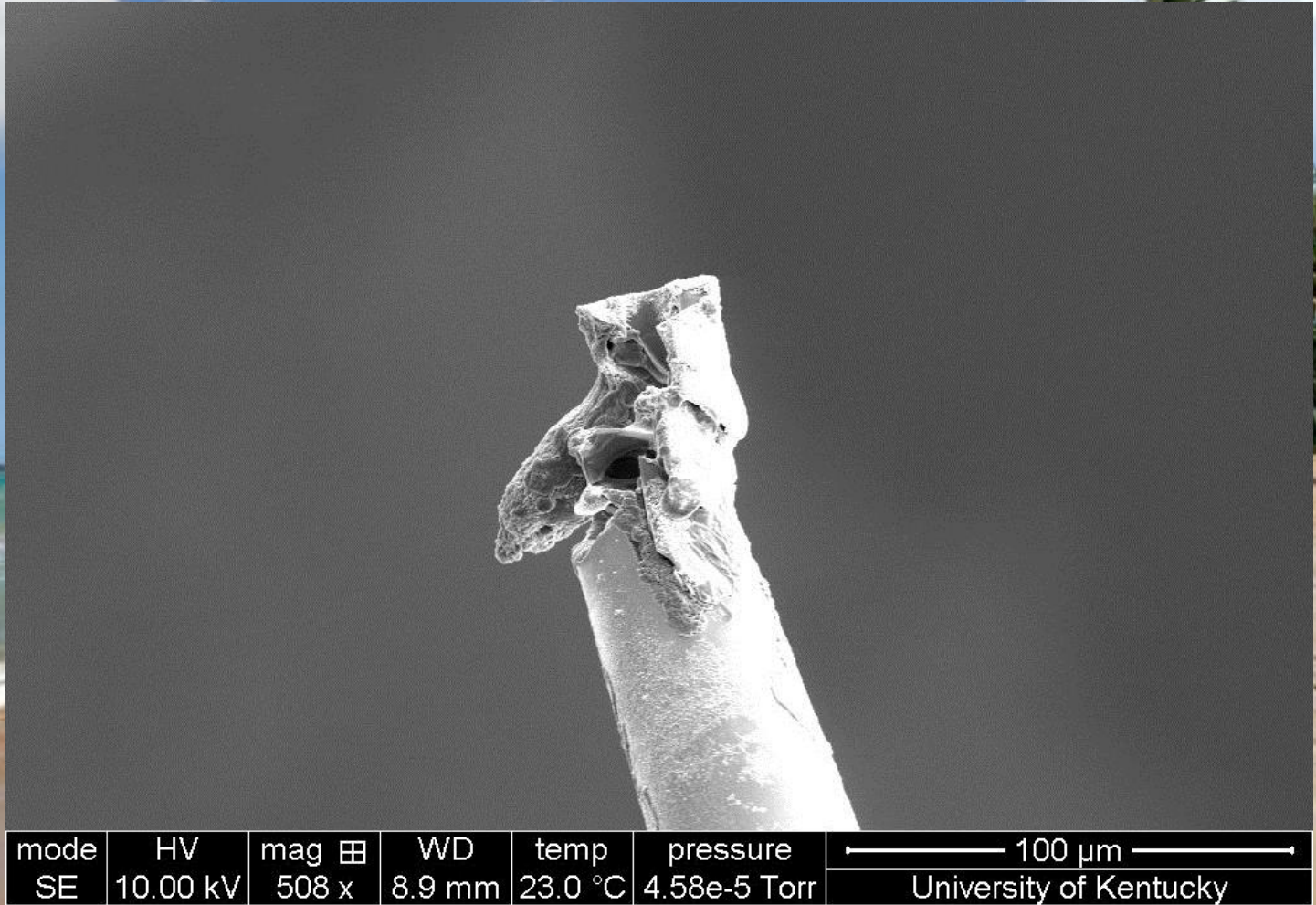
**Submitted by: Samaneh Esfandiarpour**

**Affiliation: University of Kentucky**



**Micrograph Title:**  
**Mission  
 Accomplished**

**Description:**  
 Brocken micro-  
 pipette tip after  
 being used in-situ in  
 a liquid injection  
 system.



**Magnification (3"x4" image): 508X**

**Instrument : Quanta ESEM- FEI**

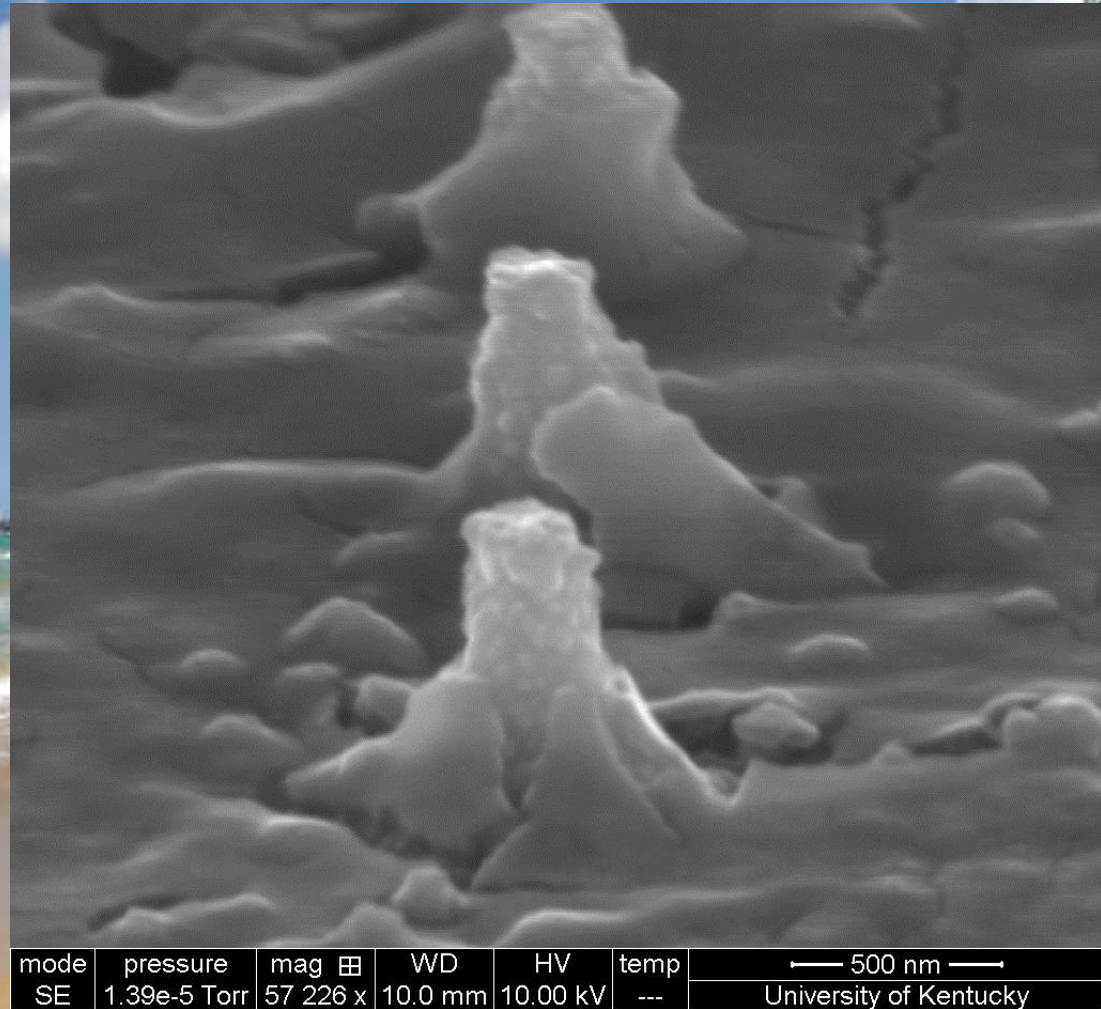
**Submitted by: Samaneh Esfandiarpour**

**Affiliation: University of Kentucky**



**Micrograph Title:**  
**Found Our Way  
 Out**

**Description:**  
 70° tilted view of  
 copper cylinders  
 deposited from  
 liquid precursor  
 using focused  
 electron beam



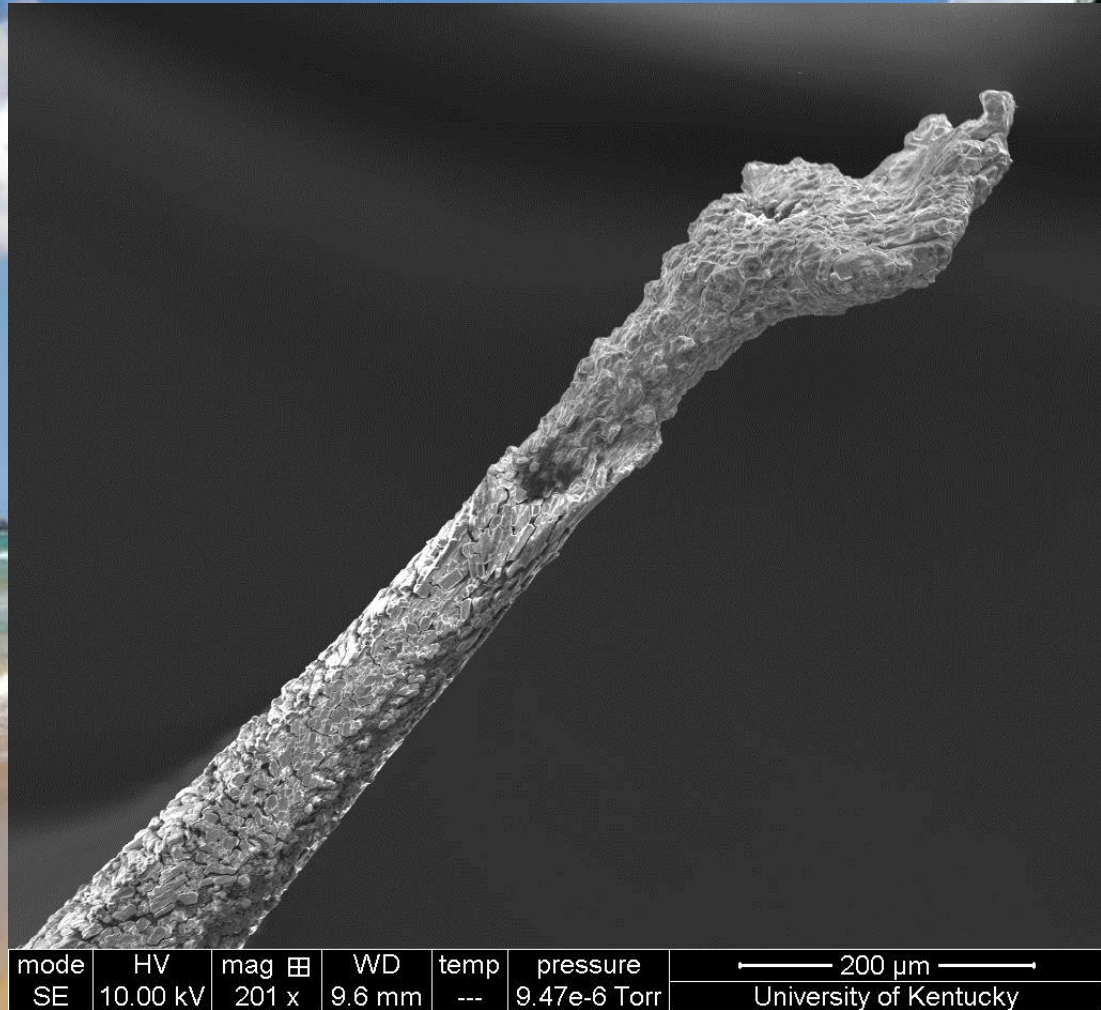
**Magnification (3"x4" image): 57 kX**  
**Submitted by: Samaneh Esfandiarpour**

**Instrument : Quanta ESEM- FEI**  
**Affiliation: University of Kentucky**



**Micrograph Title:**  
**Prayer**

**Description:**  
 Copper crystal growth on micro-pipette tip after being used as working electrode for electro-deposition of copper during LP-EBID.



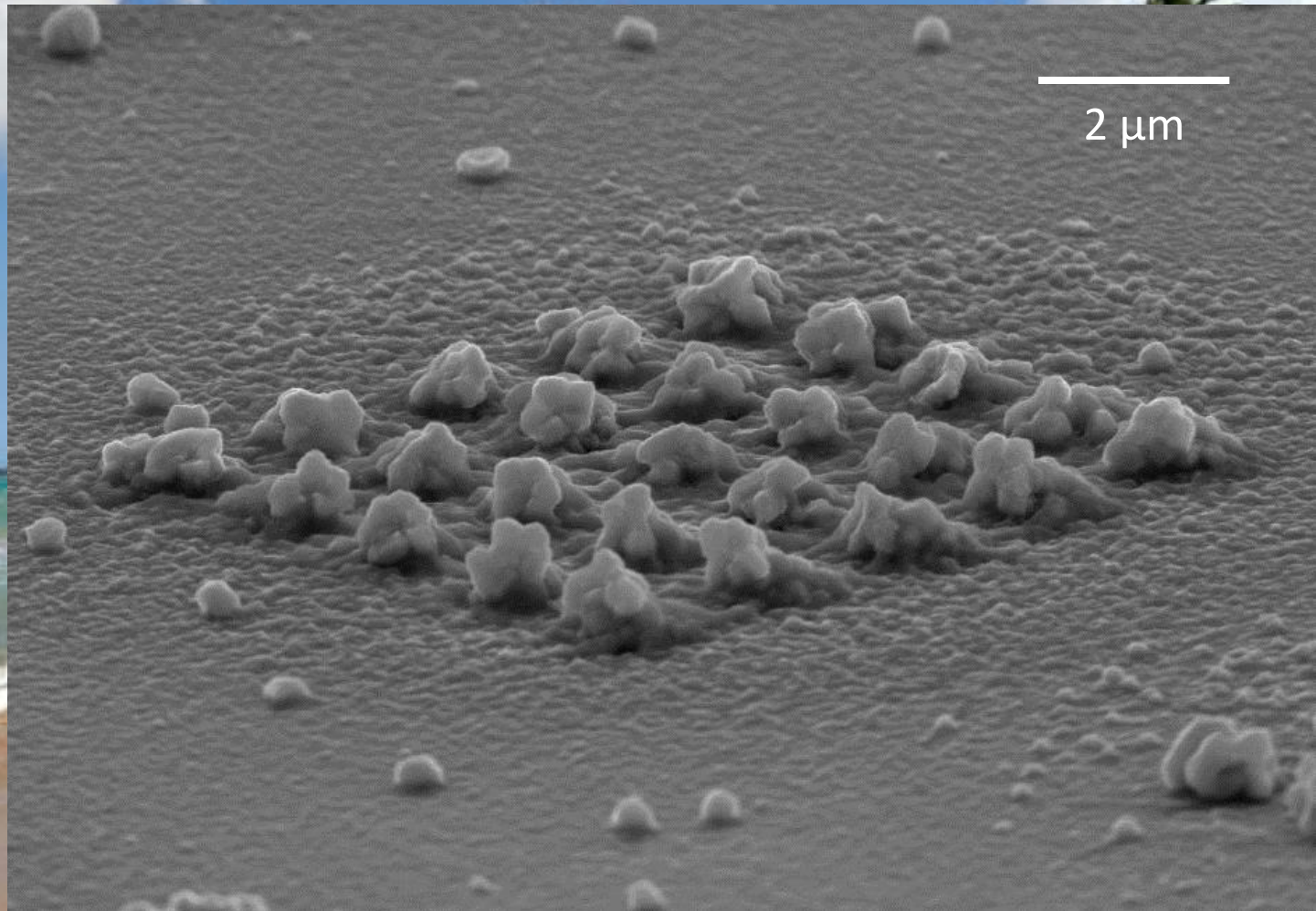
**Magnification (3"x4" image): 201X**  
**Submitted by: Samaneh Esfandiarpour**

**Instrument : Quanta ESEM - FEI**  
**Affiliation: University of Kentucky**



**Micrograph Title:**  
**Sleepy tired  
crew after  
running for 6  
hours**

**Description:**  
70° tilted view of 5x5  
array of copper dots  
deposited from  
liquid precursor  
using focused  
electron beam



**Magnification (3"x4" image): 10 kX**  
**Submitted by: Samaneh Esfandiarpour**

**Instrument : Quanta ESEM - FEI**  
**Affiliation: University of Kentucky**



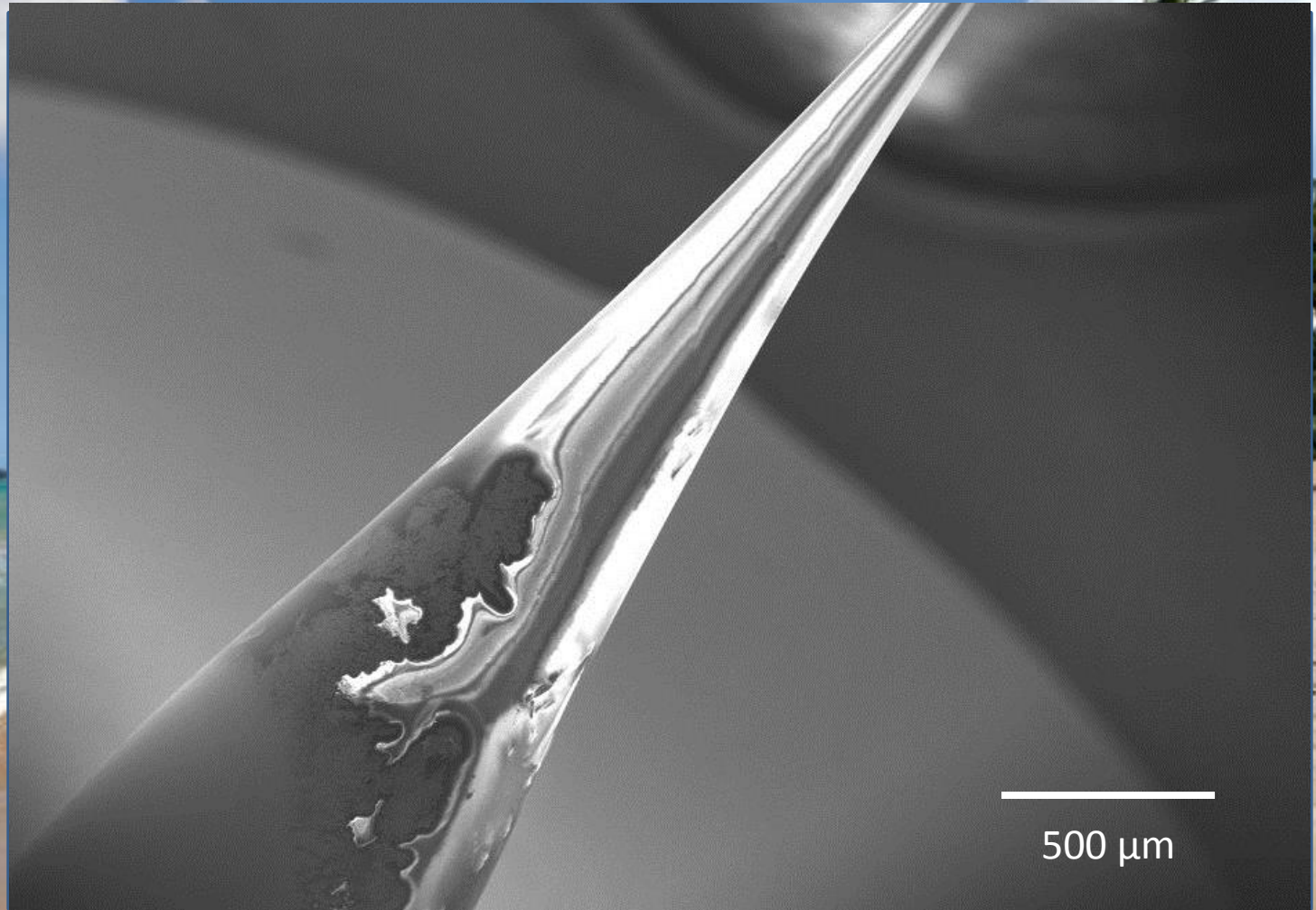


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**Micrograph Title:**  
**In-situ Wet  
Pipette**

**Description:**  
Sulfuric Acid residue  
on a glass micro-  
pipette in high  
vacuumed SEM



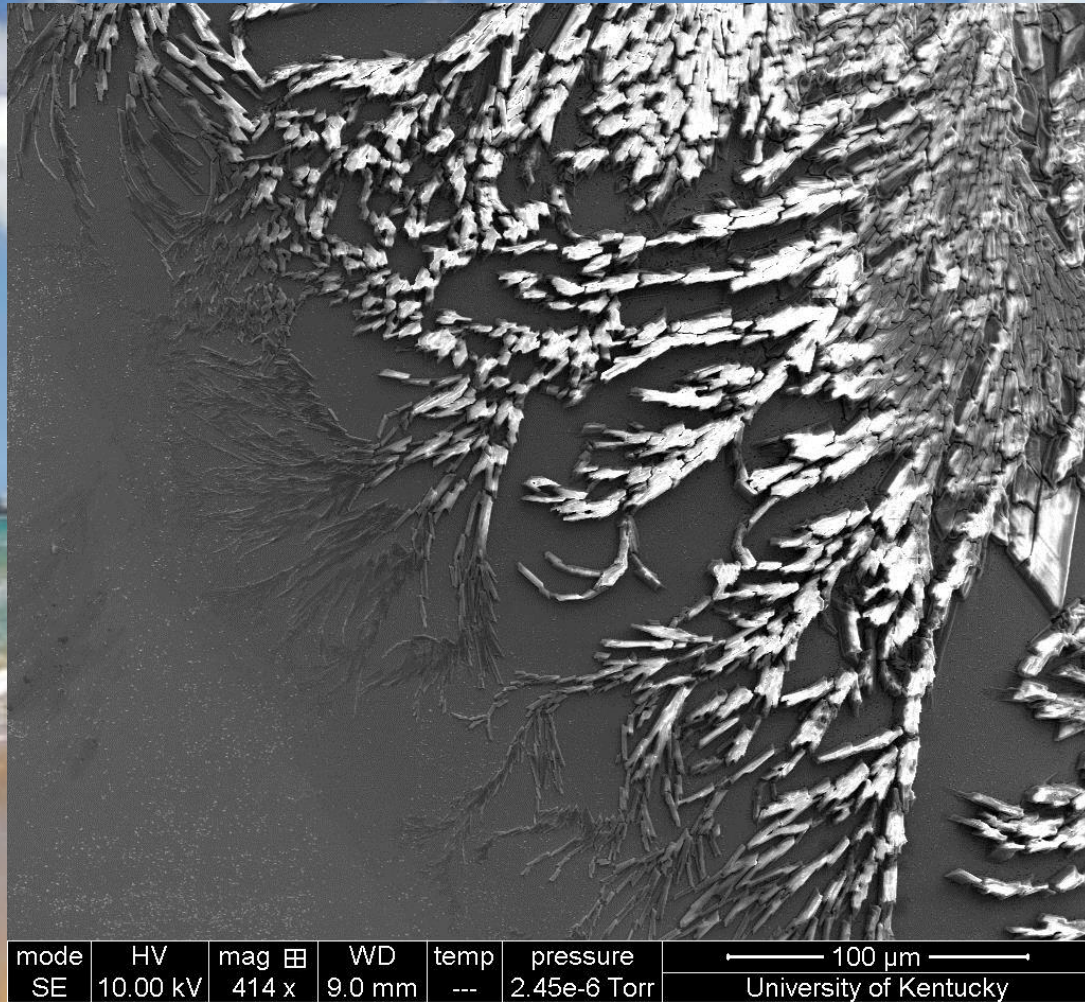
**Magnification (3"x4" image): 45 X**  
**Submitted by: Samaneh Esfandiarpour**

**Instrument : Quanta ESEM - FEI**  
**Affiliation: University of Kentucky**



**Micrograph Title:**  
**After Flood**

**Description:**  
 Dried  $\text{CuSO}_4$  on the glass pipette after being used to deliver liquid in-situ for LP-EBID process



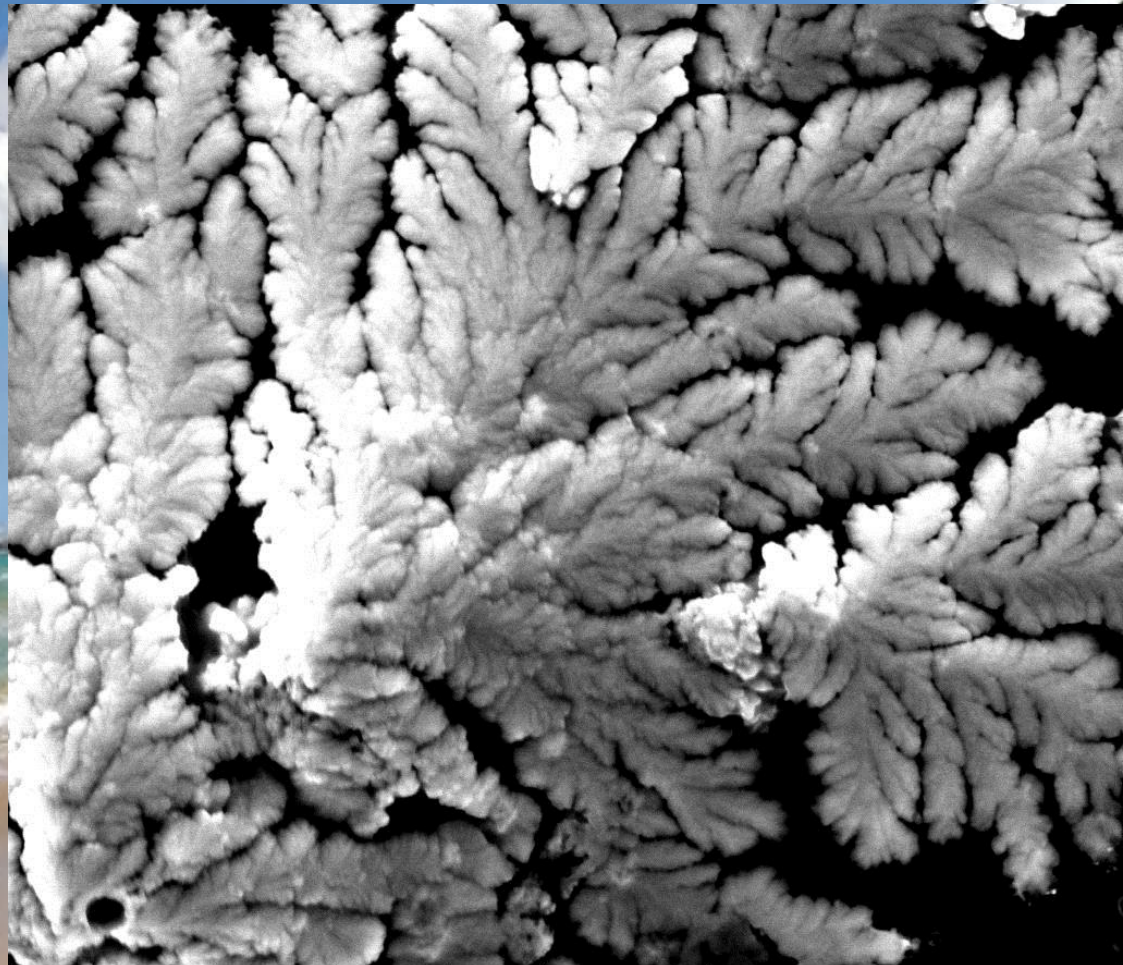
**Magnification (3"x4" image): 414x**  
**Submitted by: Samaneh Esfandiarpour**

**Instrument : Quanta ESEM - FEI**  
**Affiliation: University of Kentucky**



**Micrograph Title:  
 Frozen Leaves**

**Description:**  
 Dendritic copper growth on silicon from acidified liquid precursor using focused electron beam in an environmental scanning electron microscope.



mode	HV	mag	WD	temp	pressure	 University of Kentucky
SE	10.00 kV	15 555 x	8.1 mm	3.0 °C	2.67e-5 Torr	

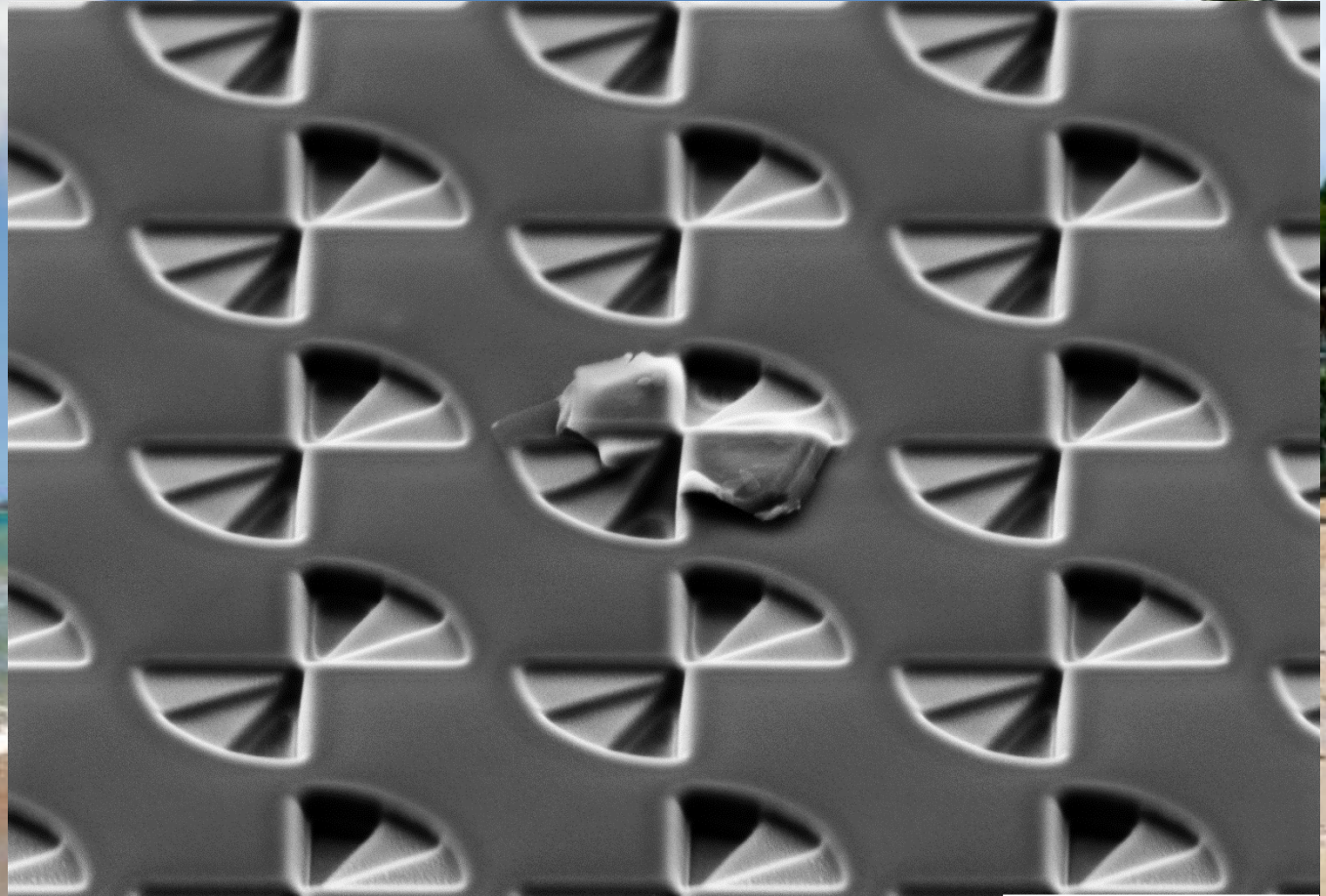
**Magnification (3"x4" image): 15.5 kx**  
**Submitted by: Samaneh Esfandiarpour**


**Instrument : Quanta ESEM - FEI**  
**Affiliation: University of Kentucky**



Micrograph Title:  
**Farfala**

Description:  
Chiral metamaterial  
array FIB-milled into  
200 nm thick hBN  
flakes



200 nm EHT = 2.99 kV FIB Imaging = SEM Signal A = SESI Date :23 Apr 2018  
Mag = 13.58 K X WD = 5.9 mm FIB Image Probe = 30KV:40 pA Stage at T = 54.0 ° 

Magnification (3"x4" image): ~13KX

Submitted by: Sam Norris

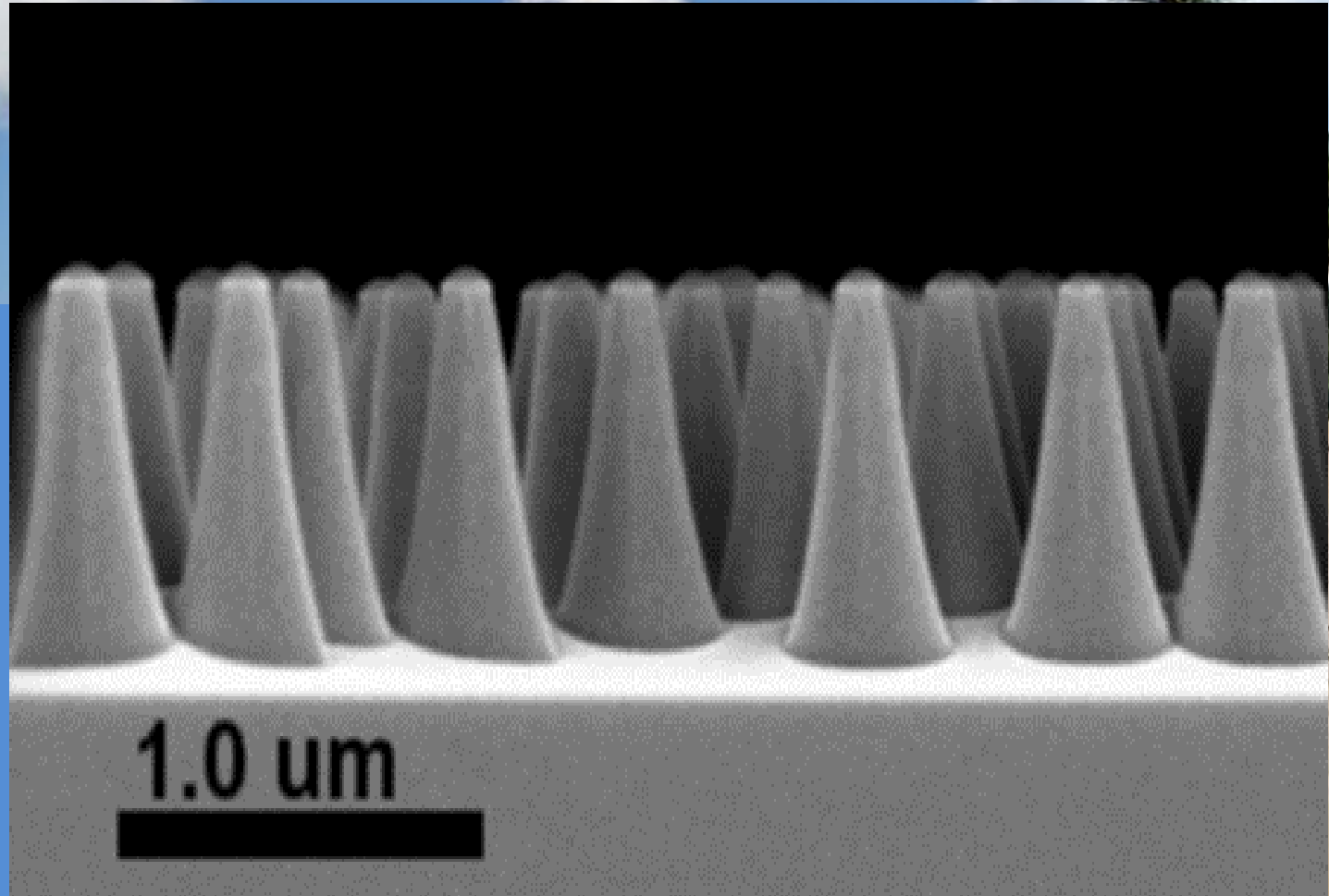
Instrument : Zeiss NVision 40

Affiliation: McMaster University,  
Hamilton, Ontario



**Micrograph Title:**  
**Greatest  
nanocones, the  
world has ever  
seen.**

**Description:**  
Cross-sectional SEM  
image of Gallium  
Arsenide nanocones,  
fabricated using novel  
colloidal lithography.  
These periodic  
nanocones act as  
broad-band anti-  
reflection coatings,  
resulting in order of  
magnitude  
enhancement in solar  
absorption



**Magnification (3"x4" image): 40 KX**

**Instrument : Zeiss Leo**

**Submitted by: Kashif Awan**

**Affiliation: University of Ottawa (SEM @ KTH)**





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**Micrograph Title:**  
**Why did the  
chicken cross  
the wafer?**

**Description:**  
Image of a deceased  
chicken that had an  
unfortunate time  
crossing the wafer  
roadway. (Made  
lovingly from  
photoresist on  
niobium nitride)

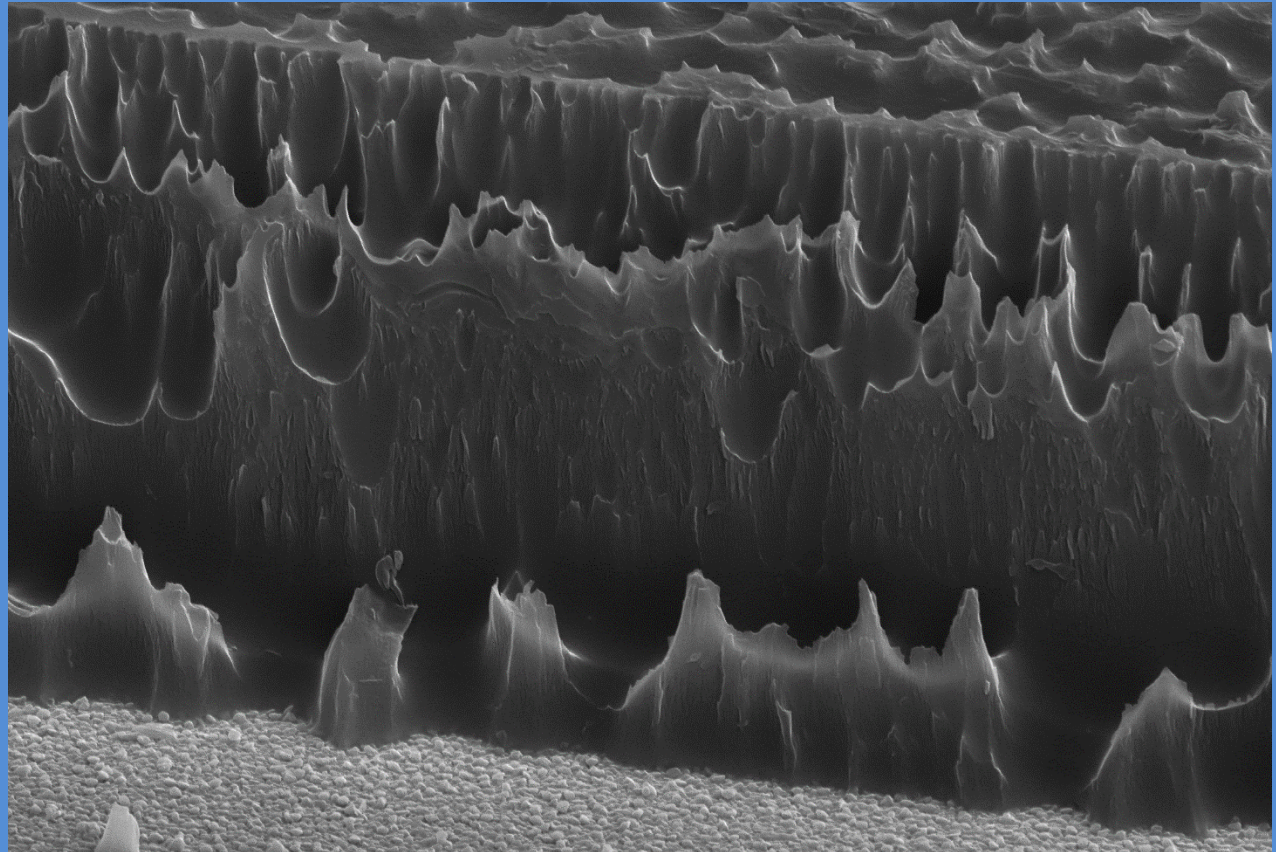


**Magnification (3"x4" image): 1.7KX      Instrument : Zeiss SEM**  
**Submitted by: Emily Toomey, Marco Colangelo, and Navid Abedzadeh**  
**Affiliation: MIT, Cambridge MA**



**Micrograph Title:**  
**Pick something**  
**that the judges**  
**will change.**

**Description:**  
**Nano Waves**



2  $\mu$ m      SE2      20.00 kV      25 Feb 2015  
Mag = 10.42 K X      WD = 27.1 mm      School of GeoSciences, University of Edinburgh

**Magnification (3"x4" image): 20KX**

**Instrument : Hitachi**

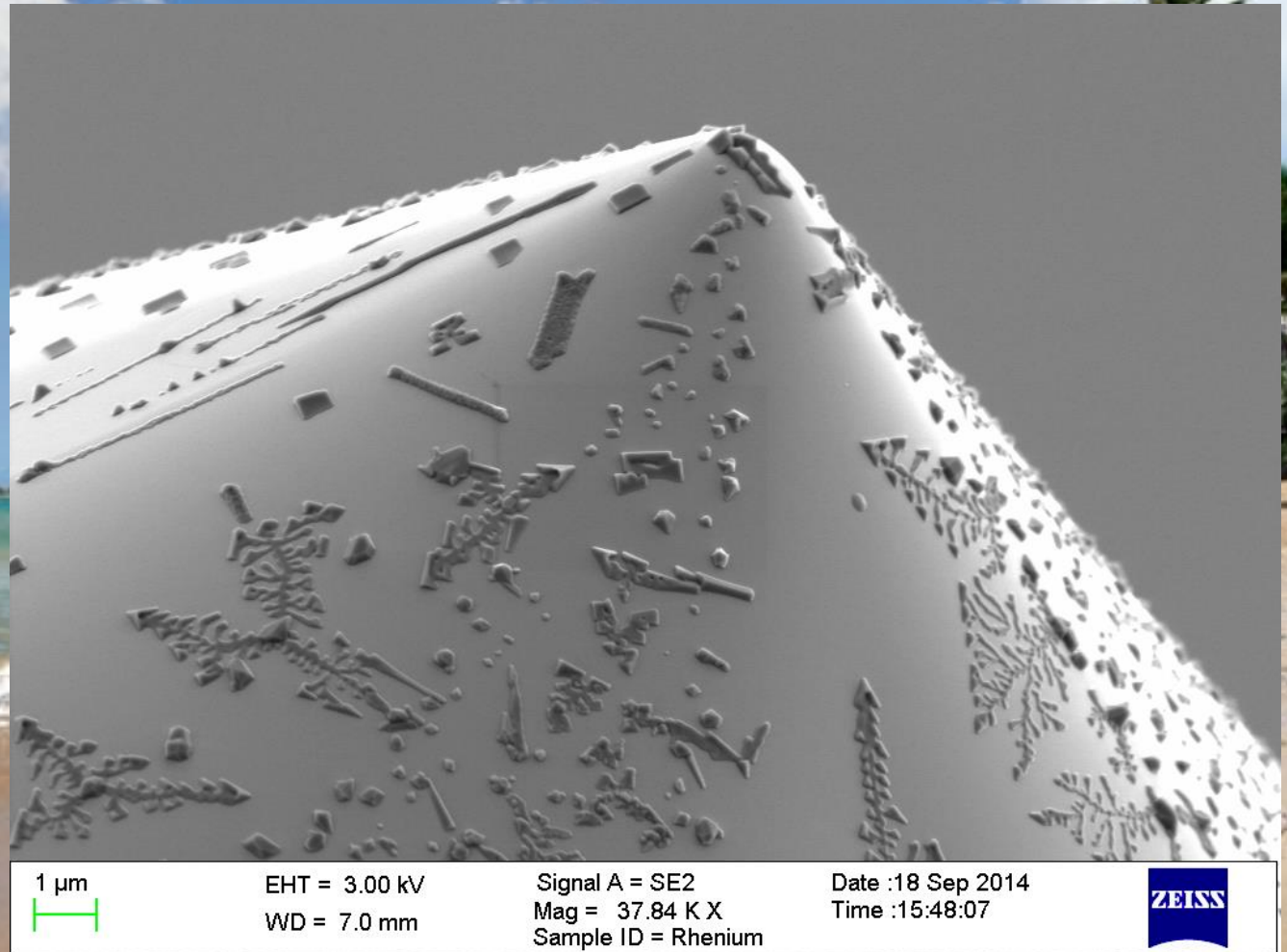
**Submitted by: Atif Syed**

**Affiliation: University of Edinburgh**



## Mount Rhenium

A frozen rhenium Taylor cone is shown. This sample has undergone atmospheric interaction, which created rhenium oxide surface crystals.



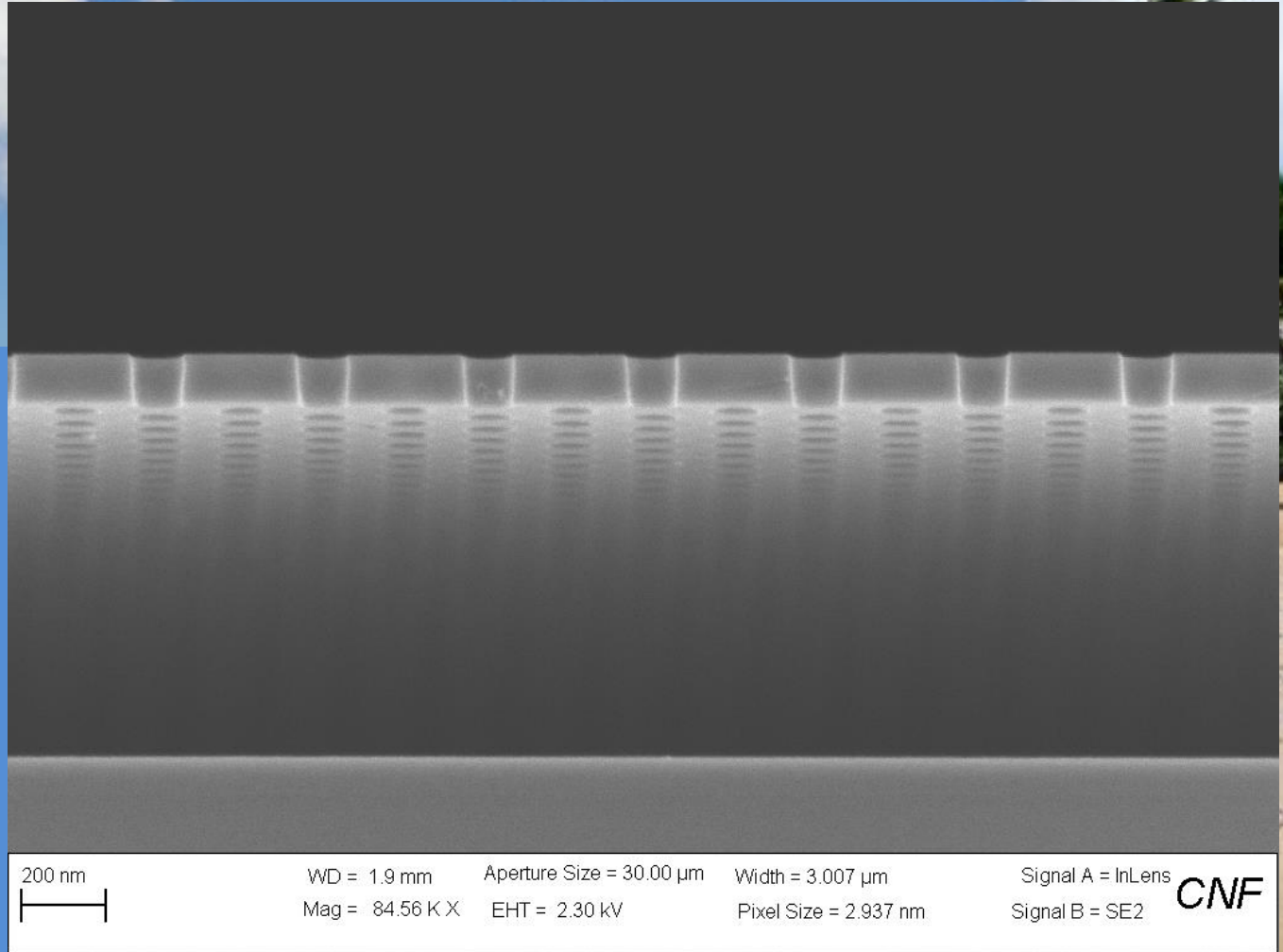
Submitted by: Gregory Hirsch

Instrument : Zeiss Ultra-55 FE-SEM  
Affiliation: Hirsch Scientific  
Pacifica, California USA



**Micrograph Title:**  
**Lets make photonic crystals great again.**

**Description:**  
 Cross-sectional SEM image of an air-bridge Gallium Arsenide photonic crystal nanocavity. Slab thickness is ~165 nm, with ~3000 nm thick undercut. Special care and effort was made to cleave a nice and smooth facet. No conductive layer (gold or E-spacer etc) was used.

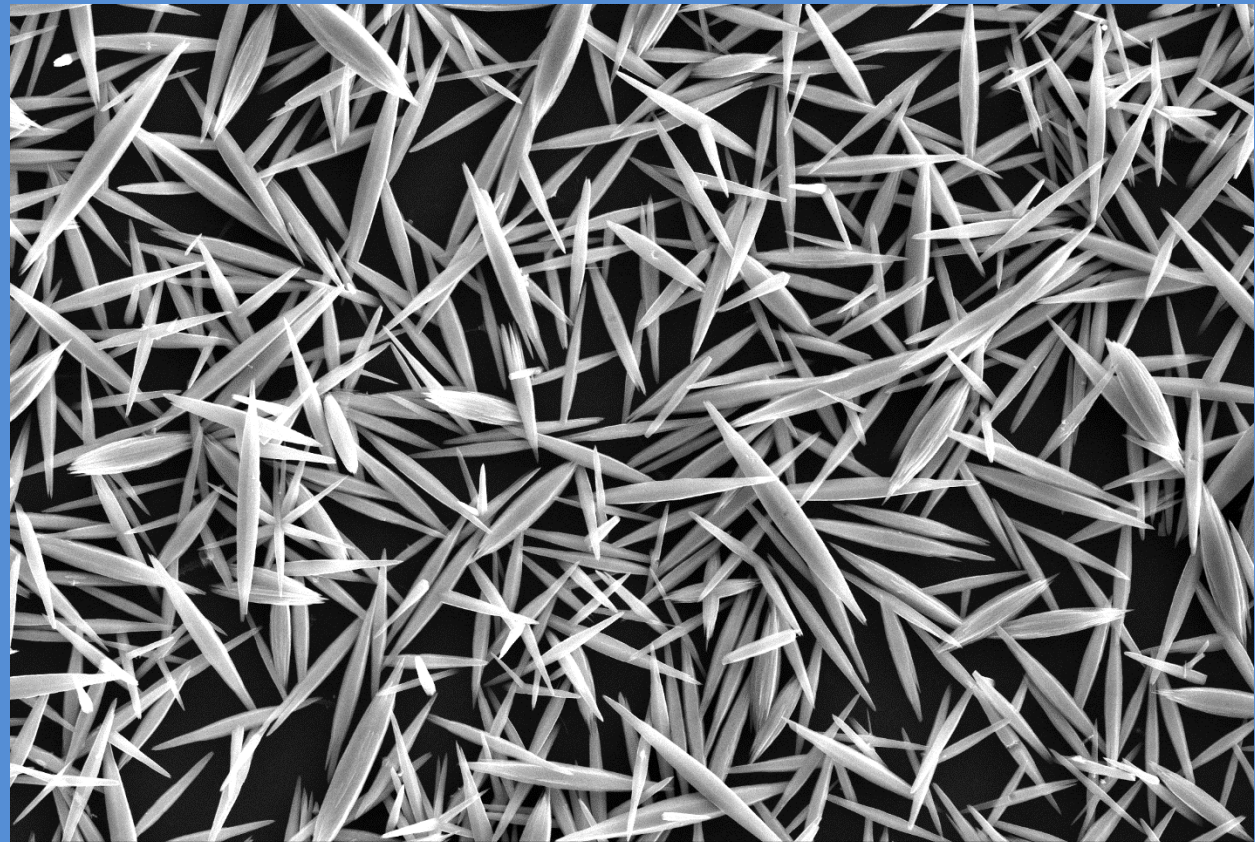


**Magnification (3"x4" image): 84.56 KX      Instrument : Zeiss Ultra**  
**Submitted by: Kashif Awan                      Affiliation: University of Ottawa (SEM @ CNF)**



**Micrograph Title:**  
**Needle in a  
haystack**

**Description:**  
ZnO nanowires are  
individually stacked  
on Gold surface



10  $\mu$ m      SE2      20.00 kV      25 Feb 2015  
Mag = 3.75 K X      WD = 8.3 mm      School of GeoSciences, University of Edinburgh

**Magnification (3"x4" image): 18.10KX**

**Instrument : Hitachi**

**Submitted by: Atif Syed**

**Affiliation:**

**University of Edinburgh**