

# Center for Nanoscience and Nanotechnology (C2N)

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- **Creation in June 2016**, merging of IEF and LPN operated by

- CNRS INSIS
- CNRS INP
- Paris Saclay University

- A new building (18,000 m<sup>2</sup>) in Palaiseau including **2,900 m<sup>2</sup> high class cleanroom facilities**



- **Around 400 members**:

- 200 permanent researchers, engineers, admin staff
- More than 100 PhD students and Post-docs
- 37 nationalities
- Director : Giancarlo Faini



GDR Nanomaterials for Energy Applications  
ELABORATION  
MEASUREMENTS & METROLOGY  
SIMULATIONS & THEORY  
APPLICATIONS



# C2N: 4 research departments, many topics

## Nanoelectronics Department

## Photonics Department

## Materials Department

## MicroSystems and NanoBioFluidics Department

- Nanoscale Physics
- Quantum Photonics & Electronics
- Novel computation paradigms
- Theory, modeling and simulation: from nanostructures to nanodevices
- Materials, nanostructures and hybrid integration (Silicon & III-V/Si photonics)
- Cutting-edge instrumentation and nanotechnologies
- Advanced concepts for light manipulation at any wavelength
- Advanced nanoelectronic and photonic devices
- Photovoltaics and energy harvesting
- Advanced biosensing



# C2N Nanotechnology facility

2,900 m<sup>2</sup> cleanroom, including

1,200 m<sup>2</sup> : process

700 m<sup>2</sup> : epitaxy & material growth

170 m<sup>2</sup> : education & training

250 m<sup>2</sup> : hosting of startups and SME

More than 600 process tools

50 M€ total equipment (including growth & analysis)

3 Platforms

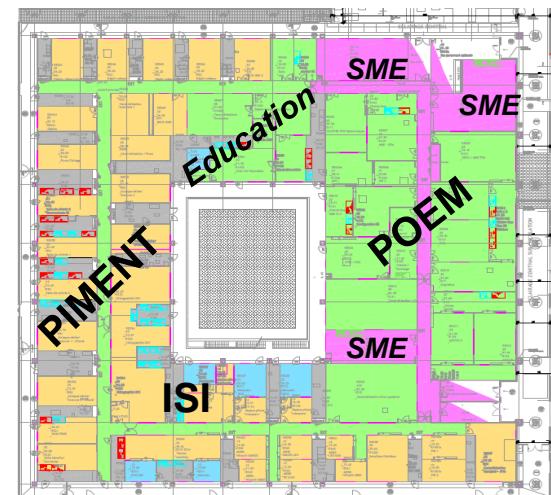
Micro and Nano-Technologies Innovation Platform (PIMENT)

PlatForm for Elaboration of Materials (POEM)

Material Analysis Platform (PANAM)



Photo: Sergio Grazia



# C2N in GDR NAME

- 20 people involved in the GDR

In Physics&engineering (CNRS INSIS+INP)

## AXIS

Fabrication

Material/device Measurement

Simulations

## Energy carriers

Photon

Electron

Phonon

## Kinds of energy conversion

Thermoelectric ( $\mu$ W)

Photovoltaic (kW)

Piezoelectric (mW)

Opto-mechanic (phonon/photon)

## Applications

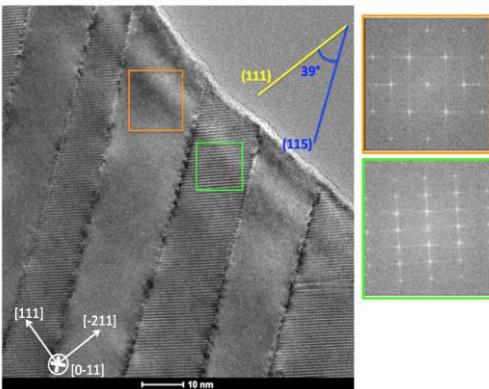
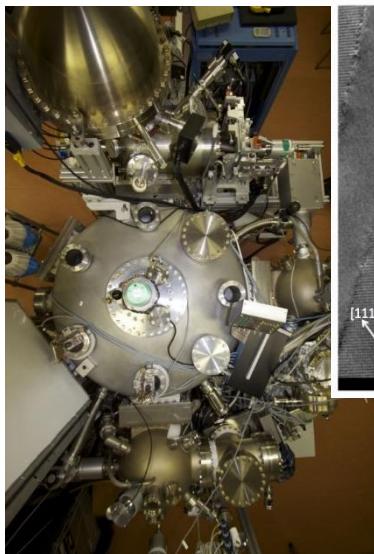
Energy harvesting

Sensing

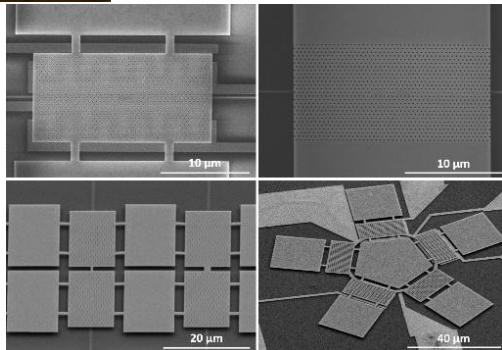


# Elaboration techniques in relation to the GDR issues

## Cluster tool UHC-CVD and CBE Coupled to characterization chamber (XPS, AES)



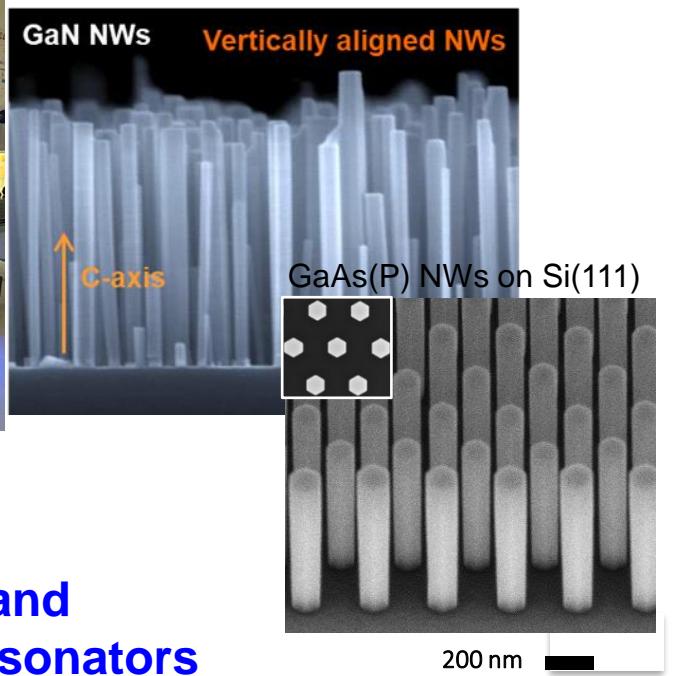
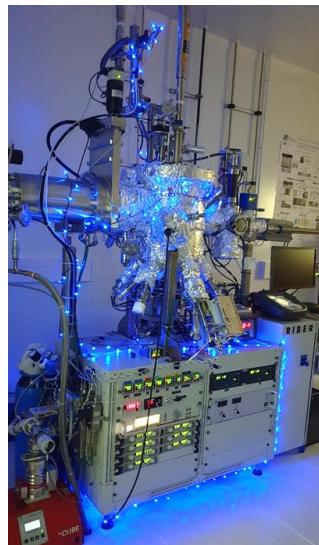
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## III- N (Ga(In, Al)N NWs grown by Plasma-assisted Molecular Beam Epitaxy on Si(111) substrate for nano-energy applications (LEDs, PV, Piezogenerators)

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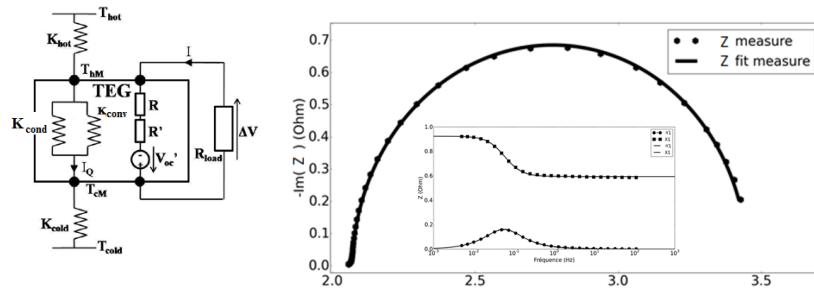
## Fabrication of optomechanical and phononic nanoresonators (from MHz to THz);

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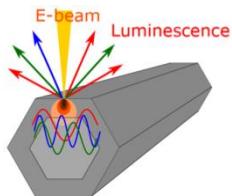
# Characterization techniques in relation to the GDR issues 1/2

## Linear and nonlinear impedance spectroscopy



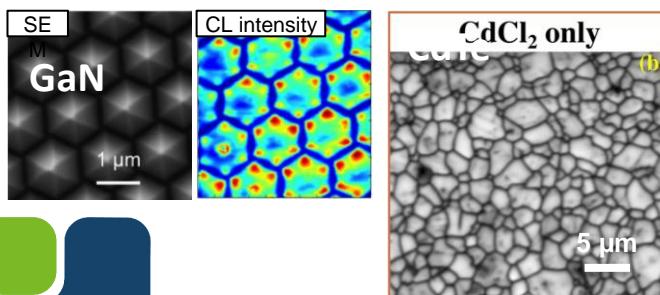
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## CL (cathodoluminescence)



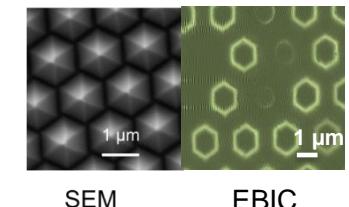
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- (TR)CL, SEM, EBIC
- 250 nm - 1.7  $\mu$ m
- 10K - 350K
- Temporal res. 10 ps



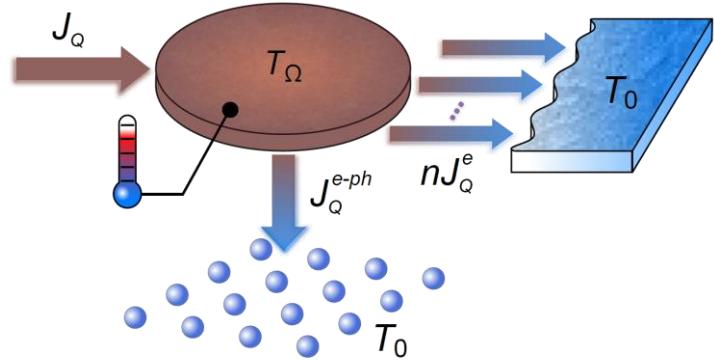
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## EBIC (electron beam induced current)



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## Experimental measurement of quantum electronic heat transport



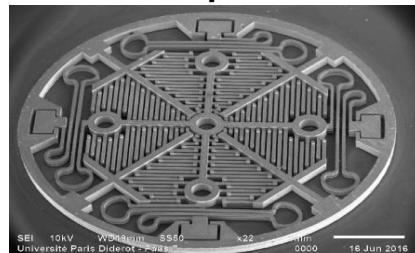
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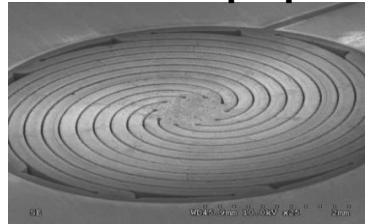
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## MEMS

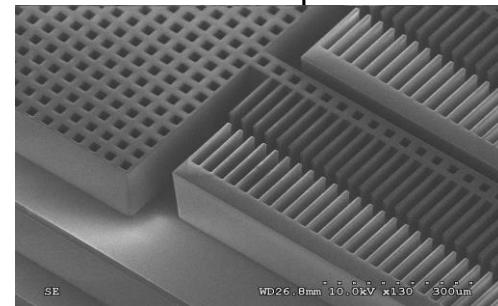
3D electroplated electrostatic  $\mu$ -Harvester



Piezoelectric  $\mu$ -spiral

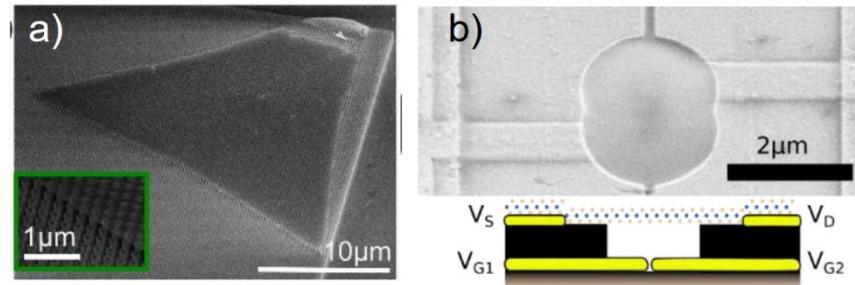


Silicon-on-Glass electrostatic  $\mu$ -Harvester



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## 2D materials



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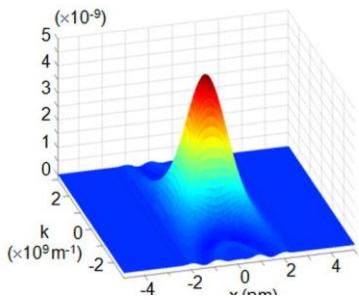
# Numerical tools in relation to the GDR issues

## Materials properties : semi-empirical + ab-initio approaches

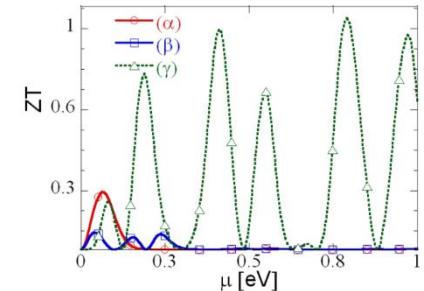
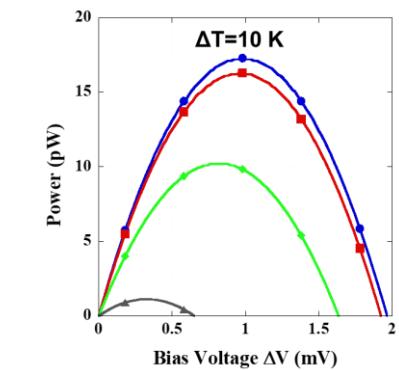
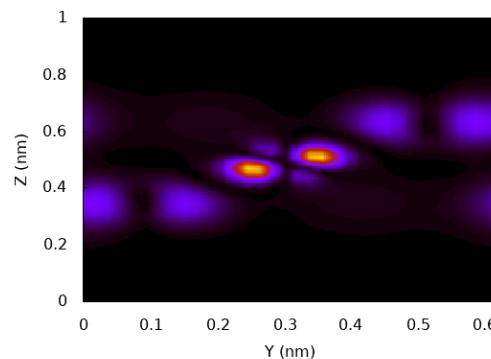
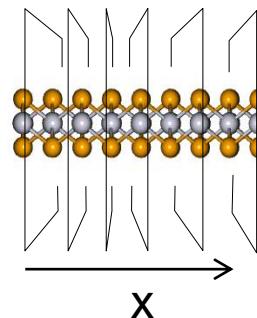
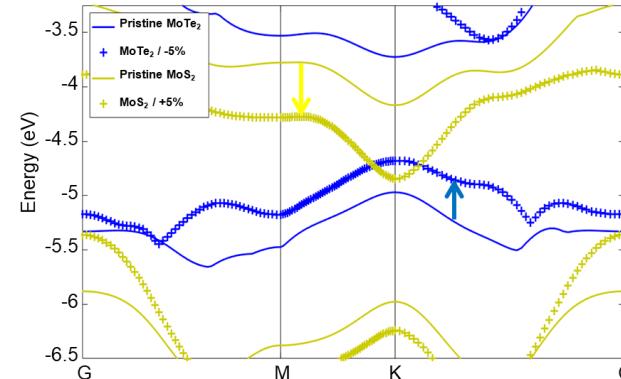
### Charge and heat transport modeling

- Semi-classical formalism  
Boltzmann by using particle Monte Carlo

- Quantum transport formalisms



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