

Dear Friends and Colleagues,

We are excited to invite you to a CECAM Workshop organized at the **University of Vienna**, in **February 26th-29th 2024**, entitled "**Bringing together rare event sampling, excited state dynamics and machine learning**". Please check our website at <https://virapid2024.univie.ac.at/>

This workshop will allow researchers active and interested in the fields of rare event sampling, machine learning, excited states and mathematics to discuss newest developments towards accelerating photoreaction discovery.

The meeting includes invited lectures, selected hot topic contributed talks, discussion mixers, a poster session, a welcome reception and a conference dinner.

Registration is **open until January 28th, 2024**. The registration fee is only 150 € for PhD students and 200 € for Postdocs and above. It covers participation at the workshop, coffee breaks, welcome reception, poster session and the conference dinner. Attendance is limited so hurry up! Slots for contributed talks are available!

Invited speakers:

- Federica Agostini (Institut de Chimie Physique, University Paris-Saclay/CNRS)
- Jörg Behler (Ruhr-Universität Bochum)
- Peter Bolhuis (University of Amsterdam)
- Luigi Bonati (Italian Institute of Technology)
- Roberto Covino (Frankfurt Institute for Advanced Studies, Goethe University)
- Basile Curchod (University of Bristol)
- Nađa Došlić (Ruđer Bošković Institute)
- Juan Garrahan (University of Nottingham)
- Rafael Gómez-Bombarelli (Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT))
- Gerhard Hummer (Max Planck Institute of Biophysics)
- Bettina Keller (Freie Universität Berlin)
- Caroline Lasser (Technische Universität München)
- David Limmer (UC Berkeley)
- Steven Lopez (Northeastern University)
- Chris Oostenbrink (University of Natural Resources and Life Sciences, Vienna (BOKU))
- Jeremy Richardson (ETH Zurich)
- Jutta Rogal (New York University)
- Sapna Sarupria (University of Minnesota Twin Cities)
- Eric Vanden Eijnden (Courant Institute of Mathematical Sciences)
- Julia Maria Westermayr (Leipzig University)

We look forward to hosting you in Vienna.

Please distribute among interested parties and apologies for multiple posting!

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on behalf of the organizers

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