

## Master thesis

### Growth and characterization of $\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4$ nanoparticles on Si surface

The group NANODYNAMICS at the Institute for Photon Science and Synchrotron Radiation (IPS), KIT offers excellent mentoring and insight into the fascinating field of surface science and nanotechnology.

This master thesis deals with the development of a novel method for preparation of  $\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4$  monodispersed nanoparticles with controlled sizes and shapes. The samples will be prepared at the ultrahigh vacuum (UHV) growth chamber of the UHV-Analysis lab at the synchrotron radiation facility ANKA (Angströmquelle Karlsruhe) of the Karlsruhe Institute of Technology.

The aim is to establish a new method for achieving isolated  $\text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4$  nanoparticles with precisely controlled shapes and sizes.

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