Coherent Soft X-Ray Imaging and Diffraction

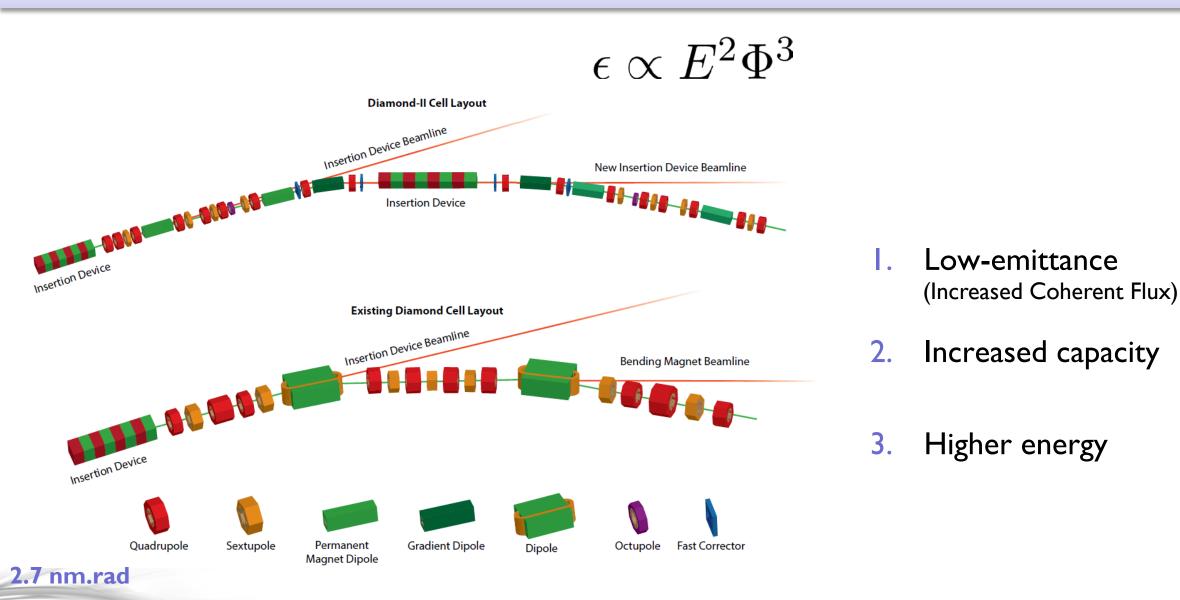
A new, advanced imaging beamline for Diamond-II

Case for change – September 2018





Diamond-II

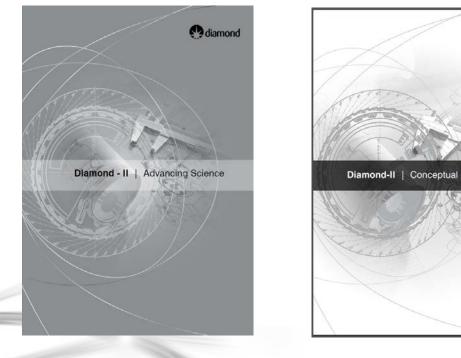


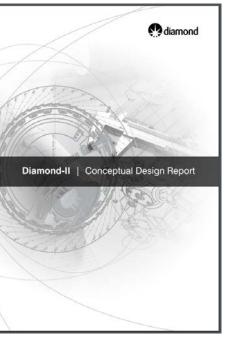
See presentation by Prof. Laurent Chapon



CSXID Timeline

Diamond-II is a co-ordinated programme of development that combines a major machine upgrade with complementary improvements to optics, detectors, sample delivery, detectors, and computing.





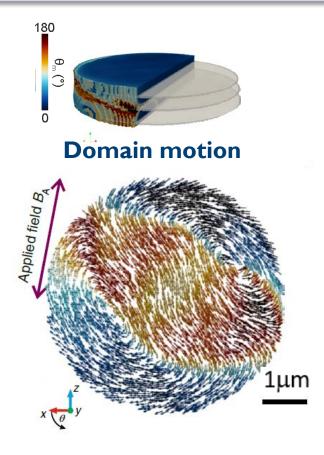
CSXID Timeline

- QM workshop September 2018
- Science case March 2019
- Outline proposal SAC/DISCo review May 2020
- User working group (UWG) formed Sept. 2020

UWG Members	Institutions
Paolo Radaelli (Chair)	University of Oxford
Claire Donnelly	University of Cambridge
Massimo Ghidini	University of Cambridge/Parma and Diamond
Kevin Edmonds (DUC)	University of Nottingham
Jörg Wunderlich	University of Regensburg
Andy Beale	University College London
Olga Kazakova (DISCo)	National Physical Laboratory
Robert Weatherup	University of Oxford
Benedikt Daurer	Diamond
Burkhard Kaulich	Diamond
Dirk Backes	Diamond
Hongchang Wang	Diamond
Martin Burt	Diamond
Sarnjeet Dhesi	Diamond



Functional and quantum materials



C. Donnelly et al., Nature Nanotech. 15, 356 (2020)



Quantum materials

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Energy materials

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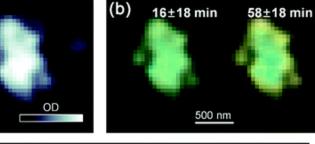


Chemistry & Catalysis

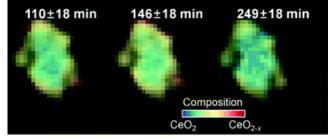
Environment

Materials Engineering & Processes

👥 diamond



Operando catalysis



M.Yoo et al., Energy Environ. Sci. 13, 1231 (2020)

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Battery cycling

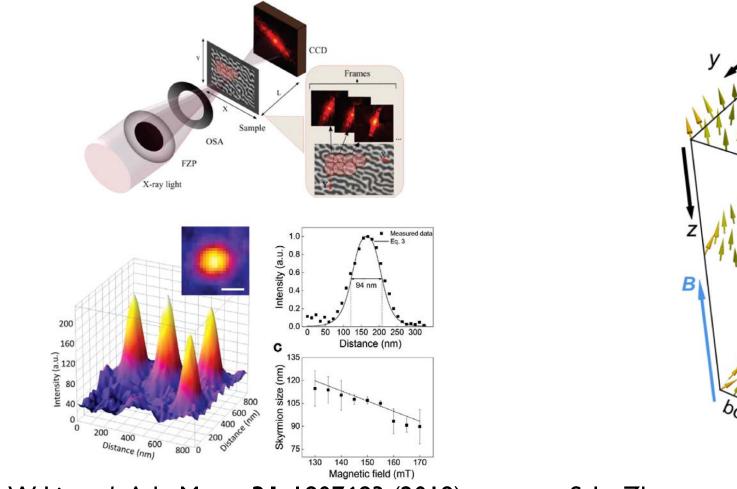
Segmented chemical map

Y. –S. Yu et al., Nat. Commun. 9, 921 (2018)



Chemical map

Profiling Skyrmions



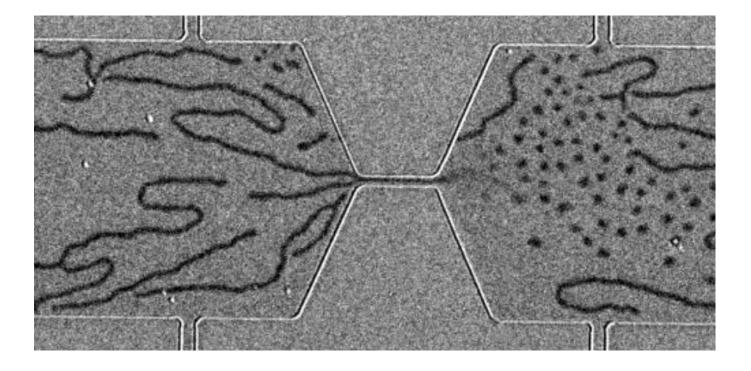
W. Li et al., Adv. Mater. 31, 1807683 (2019)

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S. L. Zhang et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 120, 227202 (2018)

Skyrmions are an example of topologically protected spin textures that are now being discovered or developed in materials because of their novel physical properties.



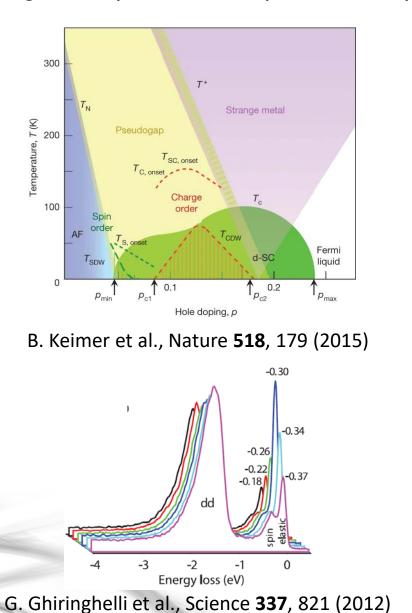


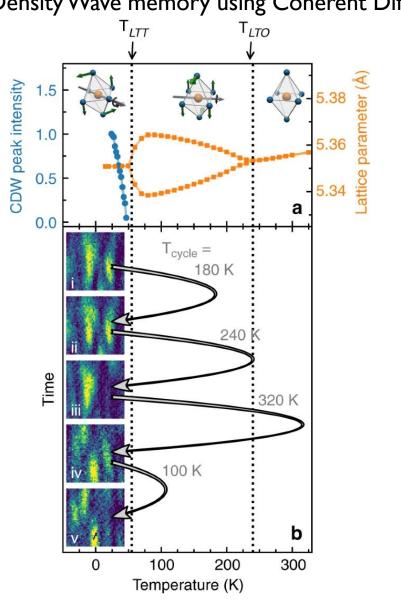
Blowing magnetic skyrmion bubbles W. Jiang *et al.*, *Science* **349**, 283 (2015)



Phase Separation in Quantum Materials

Charge Density Waves and Superconductivity



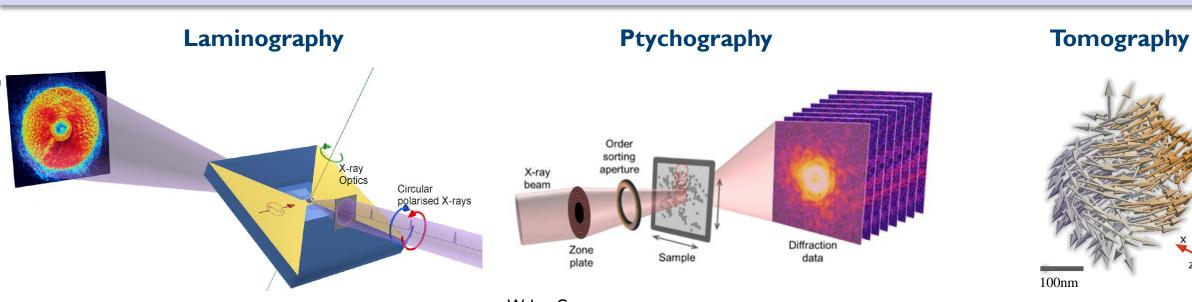


X. M. Chen et al., Nat. Commun. 10, 1435 (2019)



Charge Density Wave memory using Coherent Diffraction

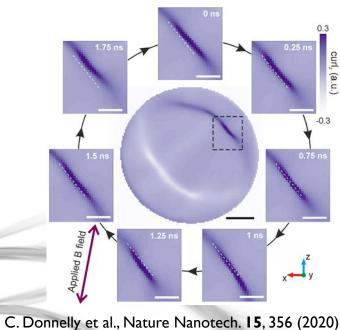
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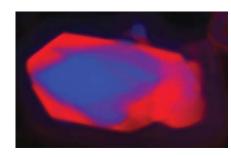
Time-dependent Imaging - STXM

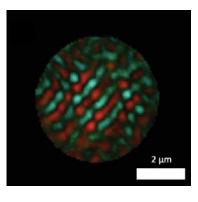
Weker Group. https://sites.slac.stanford.edu/wekergroup/ptychography

C. Donnelly et al., Nature **547**, 328 (2017)



Ptychography & Coherent Diffraction Imaging



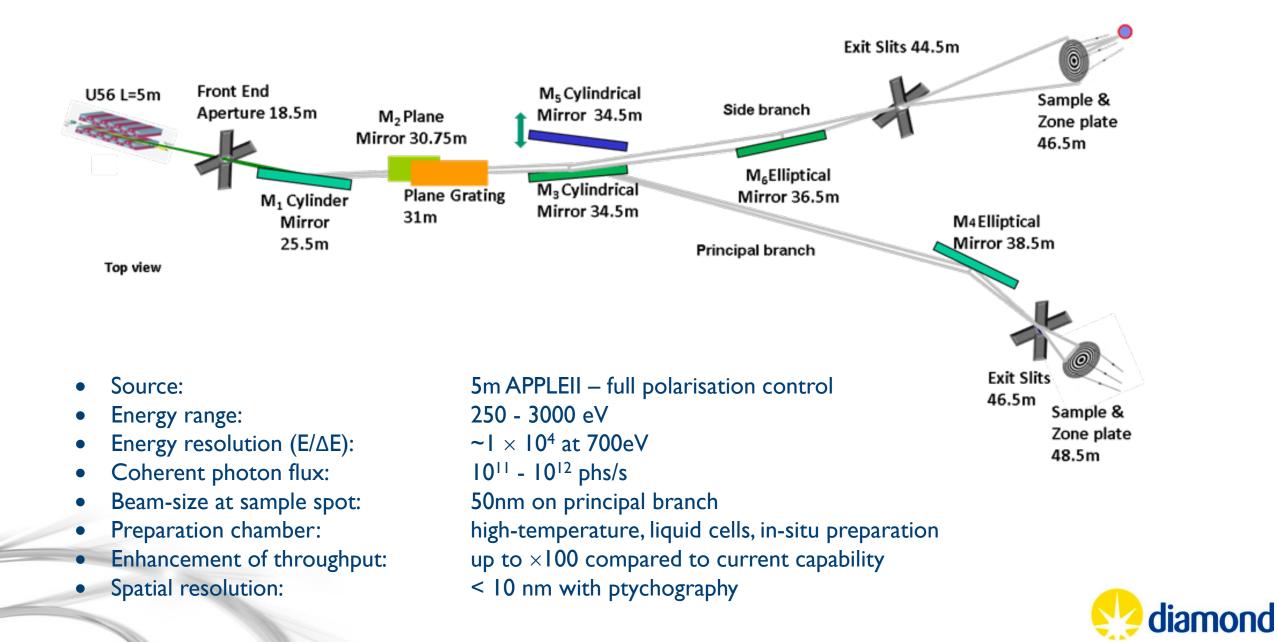


Shapiro et al., Nat. Photonics 8, 765 (2014)

J. J. Turner et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 107, 033904 (2011)



Coherent Soft X-Ray Imaging and Diffraction Beamline (CSXID)



- CSXID will have higher coherent flux: CSXID: 7.6 x 10¹¹ phs/s Other sources: 1 x 10⁹ phs/s
- **CSXID** will provide ~760x more photons* than best in class**
- **CSXID** will give **5x higher spatial resolution** than best in class**
- **CSXID** will use intuitive software for **real time 3D reconstructions** with chemical and magnetic contrast

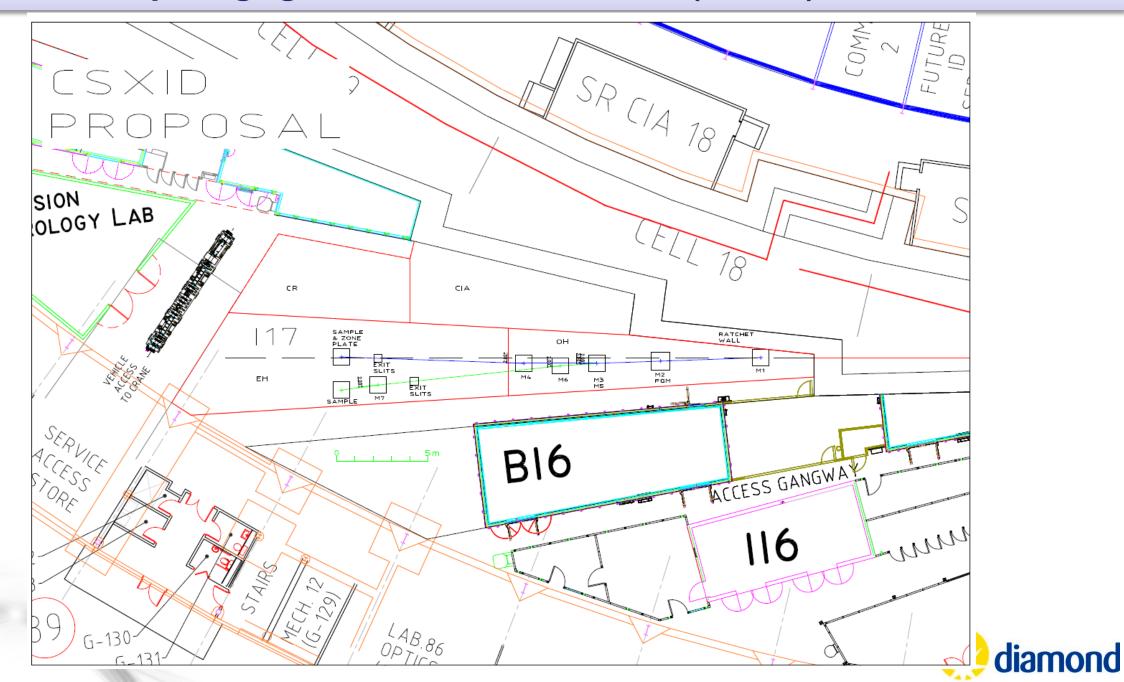
→ A new, fast and efficient, 3D operando imaging facility to aid the understanding and development of advanced functional materials.

*for measurements limited by photon flux

**see Hung Lo et al., arXiv:2009.01093



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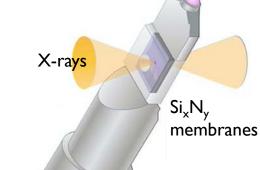


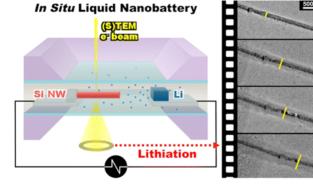
Sample preparation & environment

TEM-style environmental cells

- Atmospheric pressure gases







M. Gu et al., Nano Lett. **13**, 6106 (2013)

MPMS3 in 110



SEM/FIB in eBIC Centre

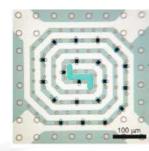


SEM/FIB in ePSIC Centre





Electrical connections Liquid/Gas Flow



Resistive/Laser heaters (up to 1200 °C)



Electrode

Contacts

Electron Transparent

SiN_x Membrane (50 μm x 200 μm x 50nm)

R. Unocic et al., Microsc. Microanal. 20, 1029 (2014)

Summary

- CSXID will have a high coherent flux enabling faster 3D imaging with higher spatial resolution compared to best in class
- Future research enabled by **CSXID**:
 - o Imaging of skyrmions, hopfions, and 3D-printed nanostructure
 - Element-specific characterisation of 'frontier' catalytic materials such as those containing single-(metal)atom/ion and clusters
 - Imaging Néel vector distribution in novel oxide-based antiferromagnets for racetrack-type applications
 - Strain engineering of stacked multiferroic 3D-heterostructures using laminography
 - o 3D nanoscale insights into electronic phases separation
 - Imaging of spin-polarisation in future 3D nanoscale topological insulators and non-magnetic spintronic devices

