

# **II BRAZILIAN WORKSHOP ON SOFT MATTER**

# April 7 – 11, 2025 at IFT-UNESP, São Paulo, Brazil

## **INVITED SPEAKERS**

Márcia Barbosa (UFRGS, Brazil) Dan Beller (Johns Hopkins U., USA) Ana Laura Benavides (U. de Guanajuato, Mexico) Ignacio Bordeu (U. de Chile, Chile) Clécio Clemente (UFPE, Brazil) Kaline Coutinho (USP, Brazil) Eduardo Jagla (Instituto Balseiro, Argentina) **Liesbeth Janssen** (TU/e, Netherlands) Eleni Katifori (U. of Pennsylvania, USA) Yan Levin (UFRGS, Brazil) Frederic Nallet (U. de Bordeaux, France) Wim Noorduin (AMOLF, Netherlands) **M. Leticia Puzzo** (U. Nacional de La Plata, Argentina) Chantal Valeriani (U. Complutense de Madrid, Spain) Edgar Zanotto (UFSCAR, Brazil)

Soft matter encompasses a wide variety of disparate systems, ranging from polymers and colloids to surfactants, liquid crystals and active biological matter (e.g. bacteria and flocks of birds). The second edition of the Brazilian Workshop on Soft Matter will bring together experienced students and researchers, and provide a platform for fostering collaboration among members of the soft matter community in Brazil, as well as a forum for discussion of key recent developments in the field. In addition to several research seminars that will be given by outstanding invited speakers, selected participants will have the opportunity to present short talks, and take part in a series of activities at the new Brazilian synchrotron light source (Sirius).

There is no registration fee and limited funds are available for travel and local expenses. This workshop will be followed by the School on Biological Physics and Biomolecular Simulations from April 14-19.

Application deadline (for presentation and/or financial support request): February 15, 2025

**Registration deadline: March 27, 2025** 

More information: ictp-saifr.org/bwsm2025







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