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**Joint Matchmaking Webinar** 

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4. Dr. Amirreza Khodadadian, Institute of Applied Mathematics, Leibniz University of Hannover, Welgengarten 1, 30167 Hanover, Germany

# **Research Group Interest**

- 1- Stochastic partial differential equations (PDEs)
- 2- Uncertainty quantification
- 3- Numerical methods for PDEs
- 4- Computational Mechanics
- 5- Numerical modeling of nonstationary, nonlinear, coupled PDE systems
- Multiphysics (fluid-structure interaction, reactive flow, porous media)
- coupled variational inequality systems such as variational phase-field fracture

**Professor Thomas Wick:** 09/2021–2025 Computational Mechanics Techniques in High Dimensions (CoMeTeNd) in collaboration with ENS Paris-Saclay, IRTG 2657 (funded by DFG) 10/2019-09/2022 DFG Project with Ira Neitzel (Univ. Bonn) and Winnifried Wollner (TU Darmstadt) **DFG-SPP 1962** 04/2018-03/2021 DFG Project with Mirjam Walloth and Winnifried Wollner **DFG-SPP 1748** since 2017 Member of the cluster of excellence PhoenixD **DFG-SPP 1748** 08/2017 - 07/2020 Goal-Oriented Error Control for Phase-Field Fracture Coupled to Multiphysics Problems FWF stand-alone project P-29181 10/2013-09/2014 Feodor Lynen Research Fellowship of the Alexander von Humboldt foundation Dr. Amirreza Khodadadian: Nanowire FET Biosensor Design At TU Wien (in 2017), I was funded by Shezan Innovation Center (e 12 K) in order to design and develop biological sensors. The devices are used to detect cancer cells such as prostate and breast tumors. In this project, we use the PDE-based systems like drift-diffusion, Poisson-Boltzmann, and Stokes equations to model the electrochemical behavior of the sensors. The project was successfully completed.

# **Group Supervised Labs**

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# **Research Group Interest**

- Computational Fluid Dynamics (CFD)
- > Multiphase flows and multiscale simulations
- > Turbulent flows
- > Bioengineering and drug delivery

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# **Ongoing research projects**

- > Hydrodynamic cavitation in microfluidic bioengineering systems using hybrid VOF-LPT method
- Microcapsule drug targeting using front tracking method



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# Biopolymer research group

Shadab Bagheri

Due to the increasing need of universities and research centers to increase the productivity and enhance the research capacity of faculty members and researchers, the biopolymer laboratory was established at Polymer Engineering Department of Amirkabir University of Technology in 1994. This laboratory is founded Prof. Hamid Mirzadeh.

## Members:

Academic staff:

**Prof Hamid Mirzadeh** 

Dr Shadab Bagheri

Lab manager:

Shaghayegh Samani







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# **Research Group Interest**

Nano targeting cancer therapy

Hydrogels and Injectable Systems for Tissue Engineering

Electrospun nanofibers for biomedical applications

3D printing and microfluidic for tissue engineering and tissue modeling applications **Prof Hamid Mirzadeh, Dr Shadab Bagheri,** Ehsan Avazverdi, Nafiseh Olov, Maryam Nourmohammadi

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# **Research Group CV** Head: Dr. Masoumeh Emadpour (PhD in plant molecular Biotechnology)

#### **Education and Academic Achievements:**





**2017-current** Assistant professor at Tarbiat Modares University, Department of Agricultural biotechnology, Tehran, Iran

**2016-2017** Postdoctoral research fellowship from Bayer Science and Education Foundation in Germany to conduct a research project in Iran. Title of the project: Construction of plasmids for inducible expression of transgenes in chloroplast of microalga (*Chlamydonas reinhardtii*)', Karaj, Iran.

2014-2015 Postdoctoral research fellow, Title of project: 'Development of tools for inducible production of foreign proteins in chloroplast of microalga (*Chlamydonas reinhardtii*)', Max-Planck institute of molecular plant physiology, Potsdam, Germany.

2010-2014 PhD in molecular biotechnology, Title of thesis: 'Development of tools for inducible gene expression in chloroplasts', Max-Planck institute of molecular plant physiology/ University of Potsdam, Germany. Grade: very good

2003-2005 MSc. in Agricultural biotechnology. Title of thesis: 'Genetic variation and polymorphism using PCR technique in some cultivars of Iranian roses', Imam Khomeini International University, Qazvin, Iran. PGA: 19.49 (out of 20:00)

1999-2002 BSc. Agricultural engineering- agronomy and plant breeding, University of Bu-Ali Sina, Hamedan, Iran. PGA: 16.72 (out of 20:00)

1996-1999 Persian High School Diploma, Haj Taghavinejad High school, Arak, Iran. PGA: 19.49 (out of 20:00)

# **Research Group Interest**

- Plant molecular biology; chloroplast biotechnology
- Plant tissue culture and micro propagation



- Inducible expression of foreign proteins in chloroplast of microalga
- In vitro Direct Regeneration in Cyclamen persicum Mill.
- Production of virus-free almond plants by in vitro thermotherapy
- RNAi-derived transgenic potato lines for resistance to potato virus Y



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## Plant Molecular Biotechnology Lab. (Tarbiat Modares University, Tehran, Iran)



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# **Research Group Interest**

- Aerosol transport in respiratory system
- Multiphase flow modeling
- Targeted delivery of nanomedicine/nanoparticles
- Drug delivery in lung
- Nose to brain drug delivery
- Maxillary sinuses aerosol delivery
- 3D whole lung imaging (ex vivo)
- Confocal imaging
- ex vivo lung slice fluorescence imaging
- Efficacy testing of new formulations

- Amirkabir and Tabriz universities have collaborations with the German research partners at HMGU.
- Dr. Farnoud and Prof. Dr. Nabaei have collaborations on respiratory aerosol delivery models using the mice whole lung images provided by Dr. Otmar Schmid's group (Group of Pulmonary Aerosol Delivery at HMGU).
- Currently a PhD candidate and a master student from Amirkabir university are collaborating with HMGU.
- Dr. Farnoud and Prof. Dr. Mohammadpour fard have collaborations on drug delivery into human lung using pMDI devices and they have an article under revision in the European Journal of Pharmaceutical Sciences.
- Prof. Dr. Med. Baumann has collaboration with HMGU (Dr. Farnoud) on nasal drug delivery with focus on maxillary aerosol delivery.

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- Biological fluid dynamic research laboratory Biomedical engineering department Amirkabir university of technology
- Institute of Computational Biology, Computational Biomedicine Lab Helmholtz Zentrum München
- Institute of Lung Biology and Medicine, German Lung Research Center Helmholtz Zentrum München
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