

#### Fachbereich Physik, Mathematik und Informatik

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# **Artificial Spin Ice: From Frustration to Computation**

Artificial spin ices, which are arrays of magnetostatically-coupled single-domain nanomagnets, have been a testbed to study emergent correlations in frustrated two-dimensional lattices. In recent years, their propensity to relax to low-energy configurational states has begun to be investigated for use in computation, e.g. as Ising-model solvers or as a platform for low-power probabilistic computation schemes with implemented memory.

In this talk, I will initially discuss the experimental observation of short-range ice-like order in artificial kagome ice to introduce the concept of frustration. I will then show recent results on how to control nanomagnetic relaxation pathways for computation; specifically covering our work on the tuning their functionality by the spatial design of circuits, as well as via fast, spatially- and sublattice-specific heating schemes enabled by plasmon-assisted photoheating.



The guest is invited by Prof. Dr. M. Kläui Everybody interested is welcome!