

## Mathematics and Mechanics of Solids and Structures

Scientific challenges and  
methodologies for future societal  
development

7-9 June 2023

Welcome to  
**ABERYSTWYTH**



### Wednesday 7 June

- 9:00 - 9:50 Reception
- 9:50 - 10:00 Welcome

#### Chair: Davide Bigoni

- 10:00-10:40 Key-Note: Alexander Movchan** Waveguides subjected to gyroscopic forces. Temporal modulation. Imperfect interfaces
- 10:40-11:20 Key-Note: Valery Smyshlyaev** A directional localisation and a Willis-type coupling in two-scale homogenisation of generalised elastodynamic microresonances
- 11:20-11:50 Mike Nieves** Dynamic characterisation of mesoscale discrete systems: from 1D flexural waveguides to the generalised Rayleigh beam

- 12:00 - 13:00 Lunch (TaMeDa)

#### Wiener-Hopf Session

#### Chair: Alexander Movchan

- 13:00-13:40 Key-Note: Sergei Rogosin** On solution to factorization problem for partly rational matrices of an arbitrary order
- 13:40-14:20 Key-Note: Malte Peter** Water-wave diffraction and dissipation by floating or submerged poro-elastic plates factorization method
- 14:20-14:50 Lasha Ephremidze** On some generalizations of the Janashia–Lagvilava spectral factorization method

- 14:50 - 15:30 Coffee break

#### Chair: Sergei Rogosin

- 15:30-15:50 Grigori Giorgadze** On the partial indices of piecewise constant matrix functions induced from Fuchsian system
- 15:50-16:10 Nataliia Adukova** Factorisation of the matrix polynomial: what does exact factorisation mean?
- 16:10-16:30 Zurab Vashakidze (online)** Wave propagation in a triangular lattice with discrete sources placed on line segments

- Wine reception

### Thursday 8 June

#### Chair: Malte Peter

- 9:00-9:40 Key-Note: Davide Bigoni** Flutter instability & oscillatory instabilities in piecewise-smooth elastic structures
- 9:40-10:20 Key-Note Sergey Sorokin** Recent advances in application of bi-orthogonality relations
- 10:20-10:50 Paolo Musolino** The functional analytic approach for degenerating boundary value problems
- 10:50-11:20 Durvudkhan Suragan** Inverse problems of identifying the time-dependent source coefficient for sub elliptic heat equations
- 11:20-11:40 David Wiedemann** Polyconvexification of isotropic functions

12:00 - 13:00 — Lunch (TaMeDa)

**Chair: Gennady Mishuris**

**13:00-13:40 Key-Note Alberto Salvadori**

Fracture propagation as a standard dissipative process: application to hydraulic fractures in energy storage materials

**13:40-14:10 Daniel Peck** Challenges in tracing the crack front of a hydraulic fracture in inhomogeneous media

**14:10-14:30 Carlo Peruzzo** Hydraulic fracture growth through layers of varying toughness

14:30 - 15:00 — Coffee break

**Chair: Qiang Li / Andrea Piccolroaz**

**15:00-15:20 Marco Amato** Elastic solids moving along frictionless constraints via configurational forces

**15:20-15:40 Matteo Gaibotti** Effects of different loadings on bifurcation of a coated elastic disk

**15:40-16:00 Ilias Psilakis** Assessment of fracture properties through Wedge Splitting Test and Inverse Analysis

**16:00-16:20 Lorenzo Fiore** Development of Thermoplastic Constitutive Models for Refractory Ceramics in Wide Temperature Range

**16:20-16:40 Domagoj Uremovic** Algorithm for adaptive insertion for anticipating crack path trajectory

**16:40-17:00 Jovana Stojic** Computational implementation and validation of constitutive models for heat-resistant devices

**17:00-17:20 Kaoutar Anrhour** Development of thermal shock protocol of experiment of carbon-based re-refractory materials

**17:20-17:40 Shubhra Pande (online)**

Transmission conditions across a thin thermoelastic interphase

19:00 - ... — Dinner (Medina - town centre)

**Friday 9 June**

**Chair: Alberto Salvadori**

**9:00-9:40 Key-Note: Qiang Li** Adhesion instability and edge effect in elastic contact: Numerical simulation using the FFT-assisted BEM

**9:40-10:10 Emanuel Willert** A general approximate solution for the slightly non-axisymmetric normal contact problem of layered and graded elastic materials

**10:10-10:40 Ivan Argatov** Homogenization of chemically heterogeneous adhesive contact — Asymptotic models

**11:10-11:40 Gennaro Vitucci** Statistical mechanics informed continuum mechanics models for damage of biopolymers

**11:40 - 11:50 Closure**

12:00 - 13:00 — Lunch (TaMeDa)

12:00 - ... — Visit to the National Library of Wales

