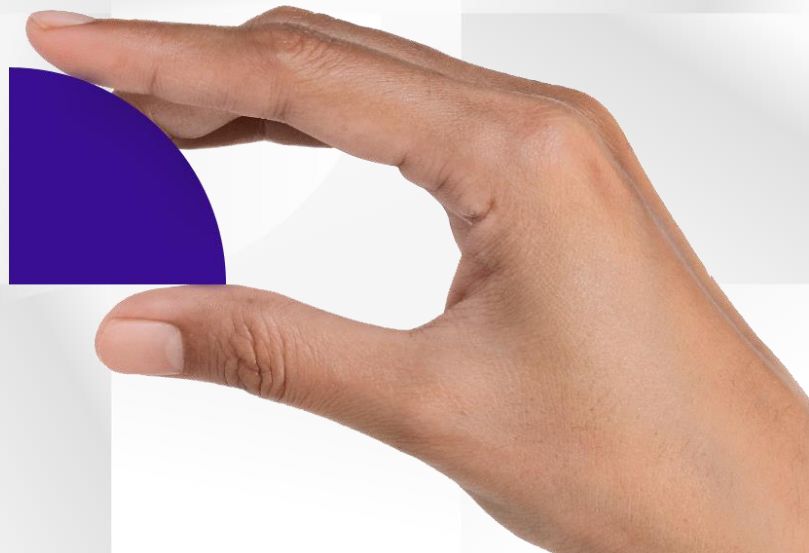


Scientific Expertise Beneficial to Business

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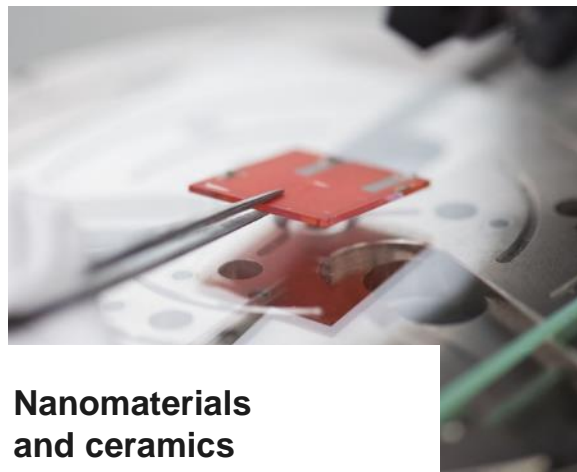
40 Years of Expertise



**Materials for energy
harvesting and storage**



**Materials for electronics
and photonics**



**Nanomaterials
and ceramics**



**Theoretical modelling
and design**

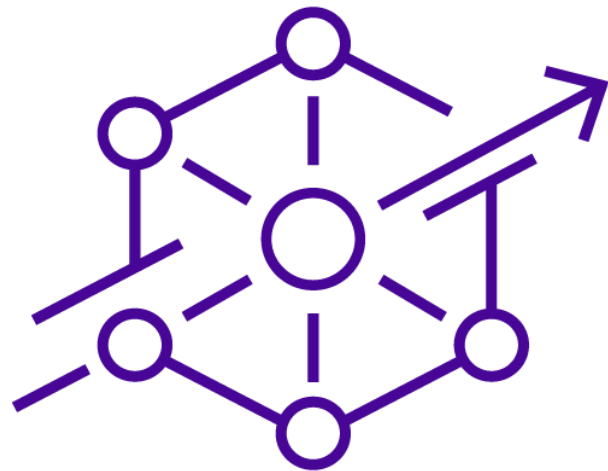


**Thin films and coating
technologies**

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Institute of Solid State Physics UL industry collaboration and innovation platform

- **Single point of contact** customer experience
- Talk with industry in **business language**
- **Pro-active** business / industry style projects management
- Clear message – **We make Scientific Expertise Beneficial to Business**



Our offer

R&D, testing & characterization

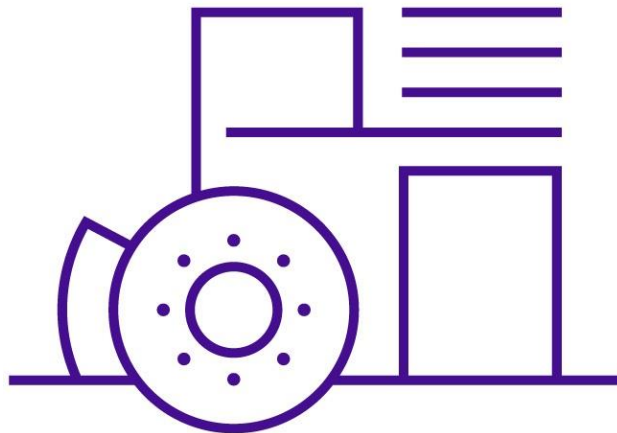
Innovation and technology and product development

Prototyping and small-scale production

Industrialization up-scaling services

Together with our industrial partners

- **EuroLCDs** – custom LCDs
- **Lightspace** – volumetric 3D technology, VR
- **Sidrame** – vacuum coating devices, upscaling
- **GroGlass** — anti reflective glass
- **Schaeffler** – in-line coatings systems, antifiction, hardening and other coatings
- **Baltic Scientific Instruments** – radiation detection, materials detection
- **RD Alfa MD** – radiation resistant microelectronics
- **CeramOptec, Light Guide Optics** – products based on custom made fiber optic components



Photonics

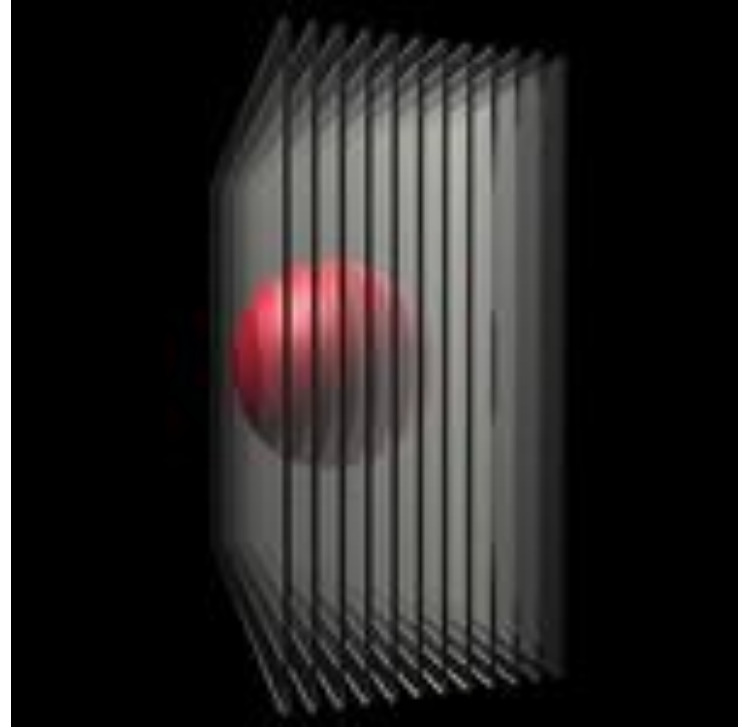
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Photonics topics

- Optical thin films and coatings
- Anti-reflective glass coatings
- Optical fiber (for high-power applications, sensing)
- LCD development (materials, lithography)
- OLED development (materials, optimisation)
- HW and visual perception for 3D, AR displays, headsets, head-up displays
- Optical waveguides (non-linear, active)
- Light sensing (including high-speed IR sensing),
- Light conversion (including white light sources, IR visualisation)
- High sensitivity radiation detection
- Phosphorescent coatings on metals
- Spectroscopy
- Lithography

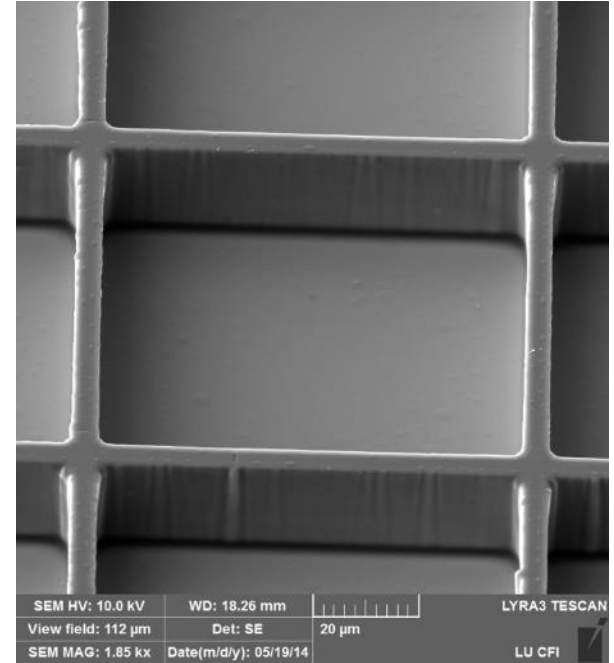
Light Space Technologies

- Development of full parallax 3-dimensional real-time image display for optically deep volumetric 3D images
- Multi-plane 3D volumetric display
- Bench top volumetric 3D image display
- Second generation 3D volumetric displays



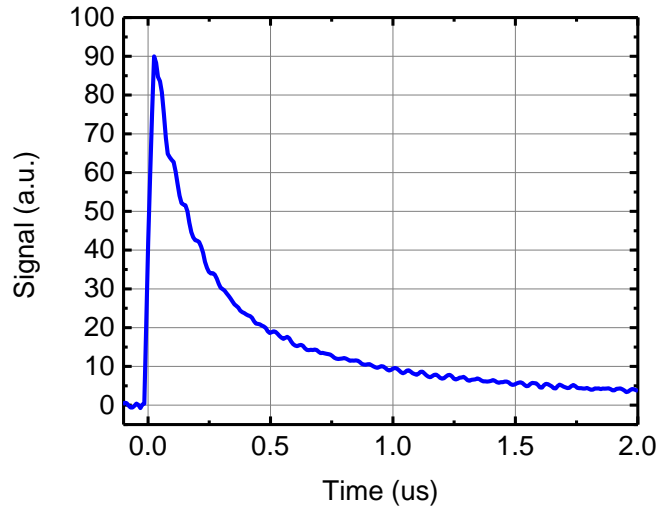
EuroLCDs - LCD development

- High voltage liquid crystal display development
- Infrared liquid crystal shutters
- Displays with transparent pixel walls
- Thin film resistance and I-V characteristics, surface morphology, dielectric breakdown, spin-coating deposition, spectral measurements, mask aligner



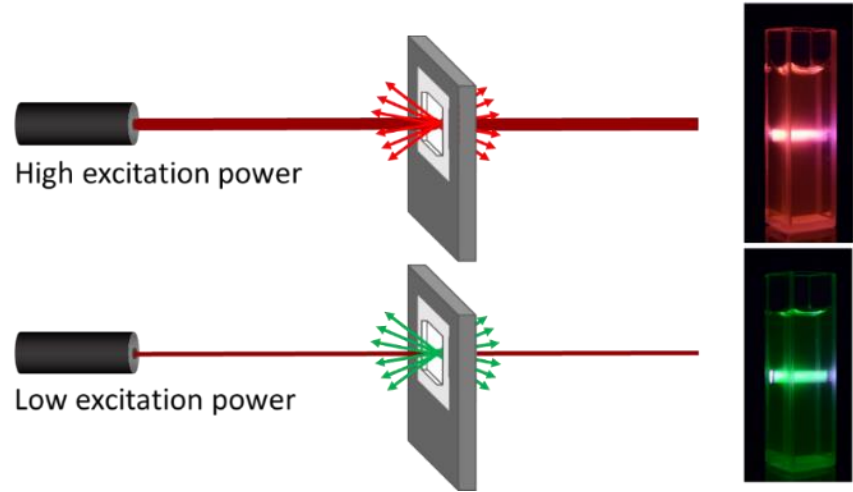
Light sensor

- High-speed (1 MHz)
large area (1cm²)
radiation sensor
- Wide and smooth sensitivity
of the spectral region
- Innovation
commercialization project



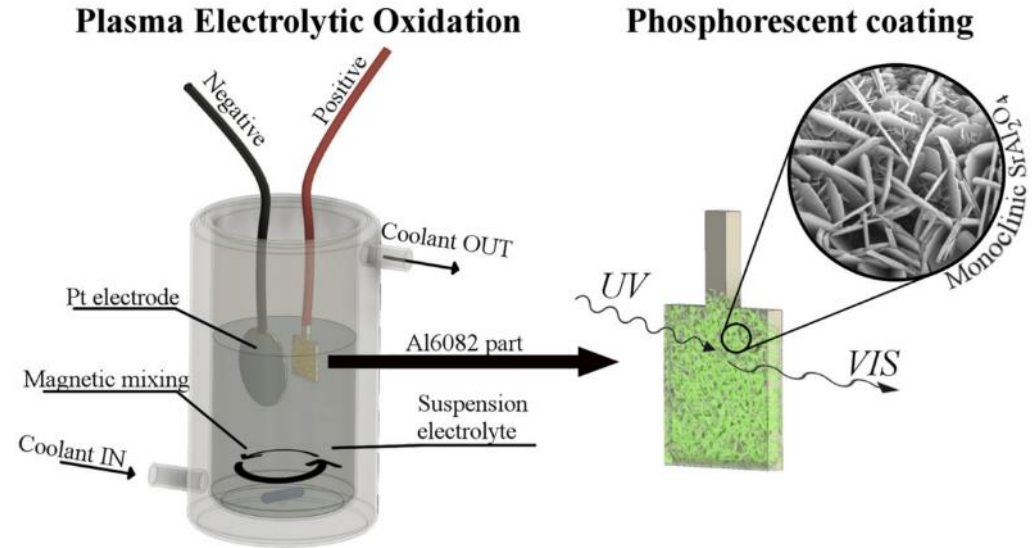
IR visualizer

- Transform invisible infrared (IR) radiation into visible white light
- Sensitive to the intensity
- For laser industry, medicine, defence, manufacturing industry and others



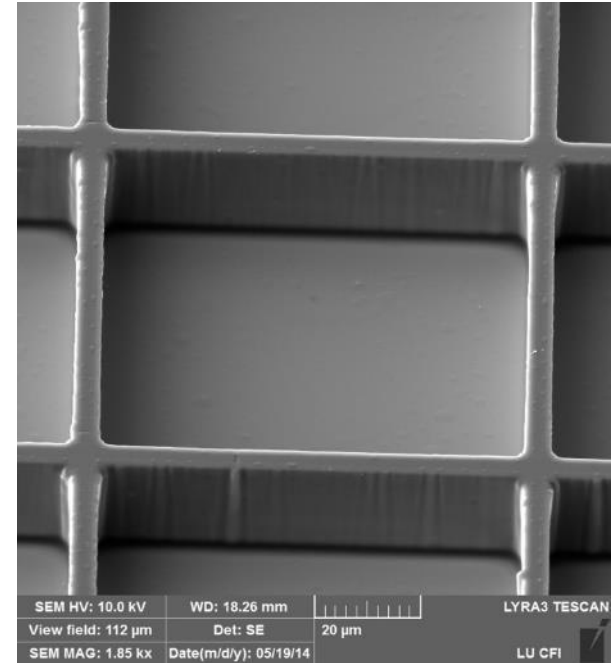
Phosphorescent coatings on metals

- Long afterglow at room temperature
- Broad spectral distribution of luminescence in the visible range
- Energy-efficient coating synthesis



Prototyping

- Fabrication of micro/nano structures and devices
- Dedicated process development group
- Thin film deposition – evaporation, sputtering, ALD, PECVD.
- Lithography
- Dry and wet etching
- Probe station, wire bonding



Other information

Optical fiber development

- Customized solutions in fibre optic technology
- Defect research in SiO_2
- Challenging characterization of optical properties



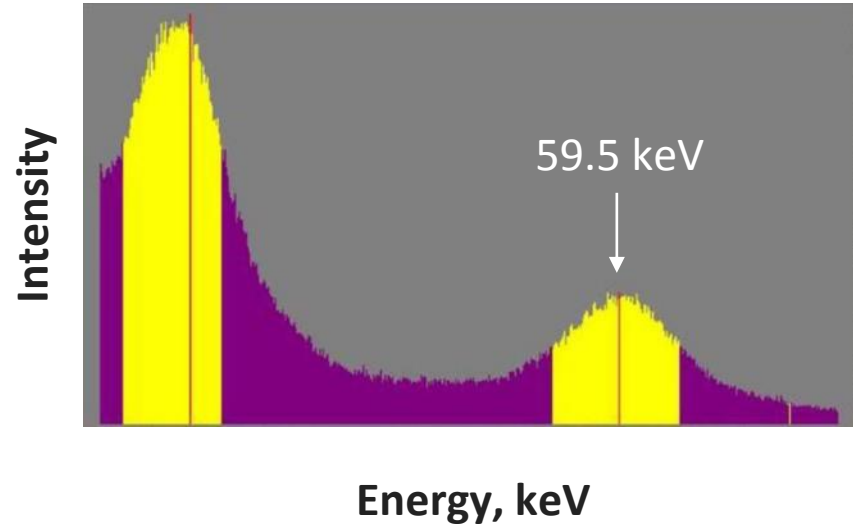
Baltic Scientific Instruments

- Development and fabrication of devices for precise spectrometric radionuclide analysis based on semiconductor and scintillation radiation detectors
- Radiation detectors
- Nuclear electronics
- Radiation measurements



Baltic Scientific Instruments - detector

- Optical methods for selection of high-quality detector materials for detectors fabrication
- Ionizing radiation detectors
- Spectra of ^{241}Am radionuclide obtained by TlBr-based detector

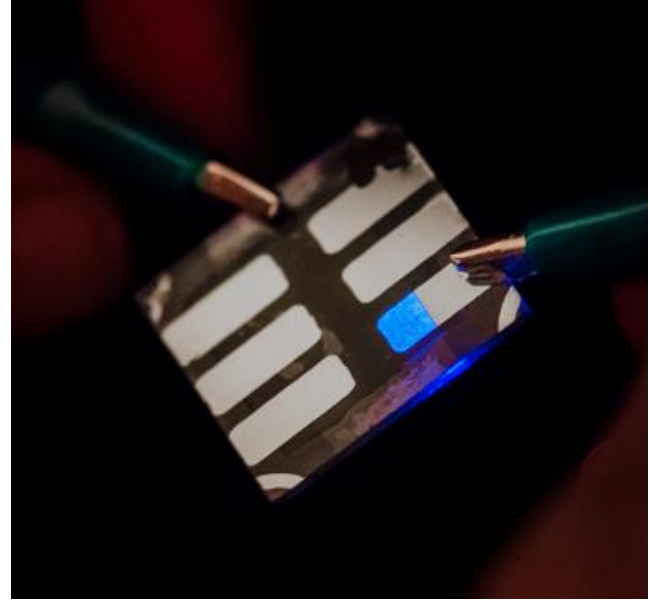


Evoled – OLED development

- Original material (provided by Evoled) characterization

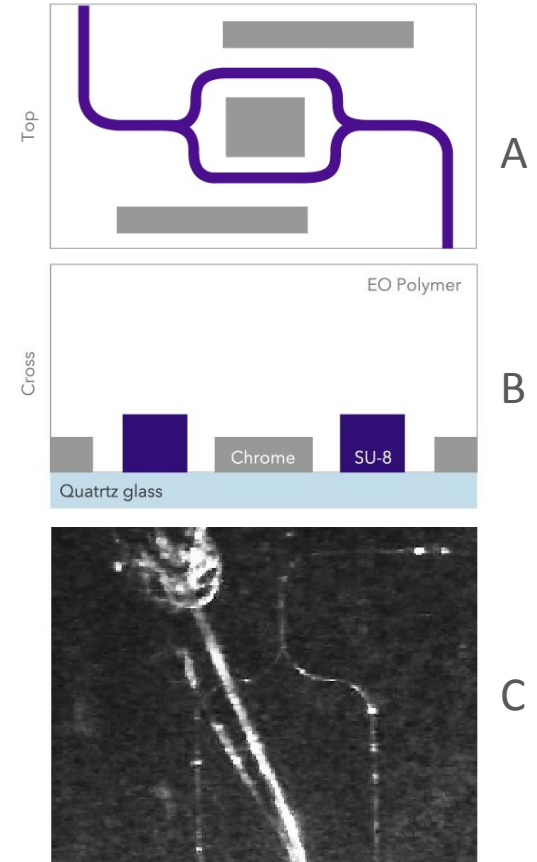
Full cycle of OLED development

- Development
- Prototyping
- Characterization
- Innovation commercialization



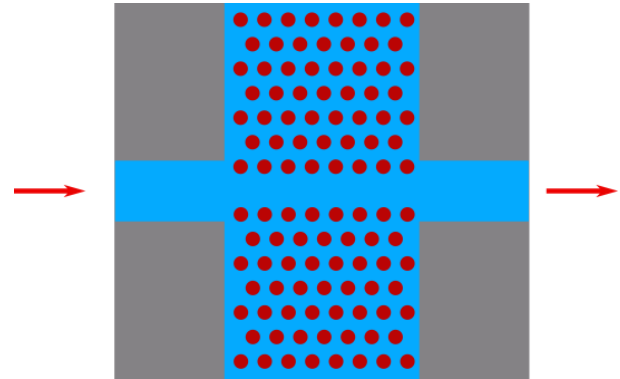
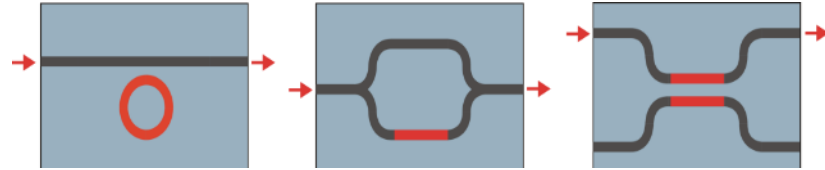
Electro-optical modulator

- A novel all-organic EO modulator operating in the visible wavelength range
- Prototype comprises an SU-8 waveguide core, electrodes in the plane with the waveguide core and an EO polymer coating
- A,B – the top and side views of the modulator design. C – device operation with excited first mode in the MZI. Published [at Optics Express](#)



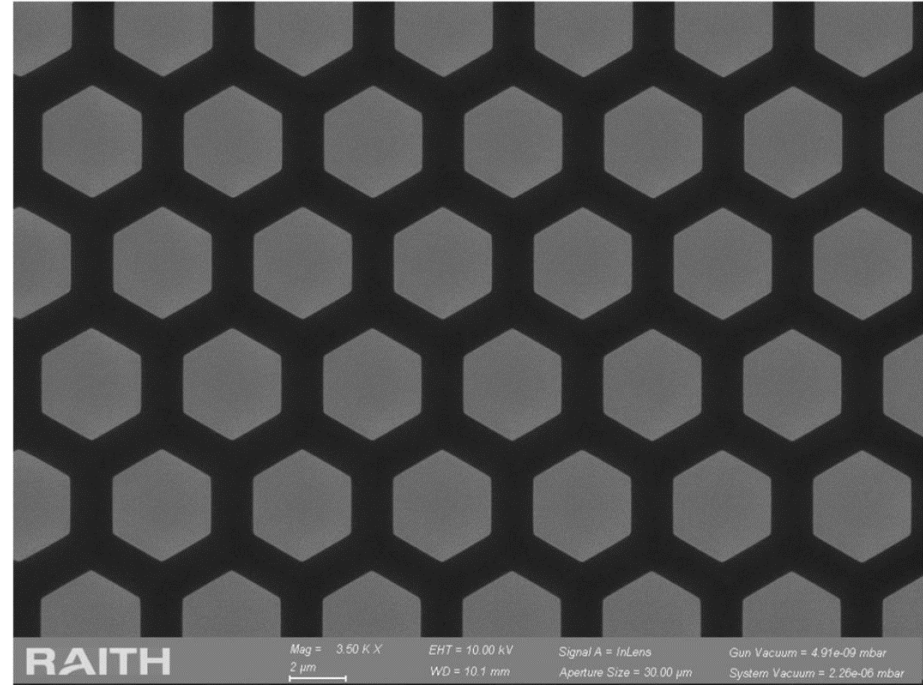
Optical waveguides

- Study of third-order nonlinear optical properties
- Formation of waveguide structures from SU-8 using lithography
- Electro-optical modulator prototype
- Waveguide structures for full optical switching
- More details at <http://lom.cfi.lu.lv/>



Lithography

- Optical lithography (direct laser writer, mask aligner)
- E-beam lithography - ultra high resolution Raith eLINE Plus (<10 nm)
- Various applications incl., micro lenses, photonic crystals, micro and nano structures



eBeam lithography service

- Electron beam lithography service based on ultra-high resolution Raith eLINE Plus system
- Ability to manufacture structures with resolution down to 10 nm with quick turnaround time
- Pattern design and accept designs in various formats including GDS II, dxf etc
- Traxx and periodixx features allows to pattern large stitch-free structures
- Positive (950 PMMA) and negative (ma-N 2403) resists available, other type resists available on request
- Mix and match with photolithography
- Pre and post processing: substrate cleaning, thin film deposition, metallization, wet etching and other
- Key technical data:
 - Beam energy range: 20 V to 30 kV
 - Spot size: 1.6 nm
 - Minimum feature size < 10 nm
 - Writing field size: 0.5 μm to 2 mm.
 - Field stitching < 40 nm
- Sample holders for samples starting from small pieces up to 4 inch wafers



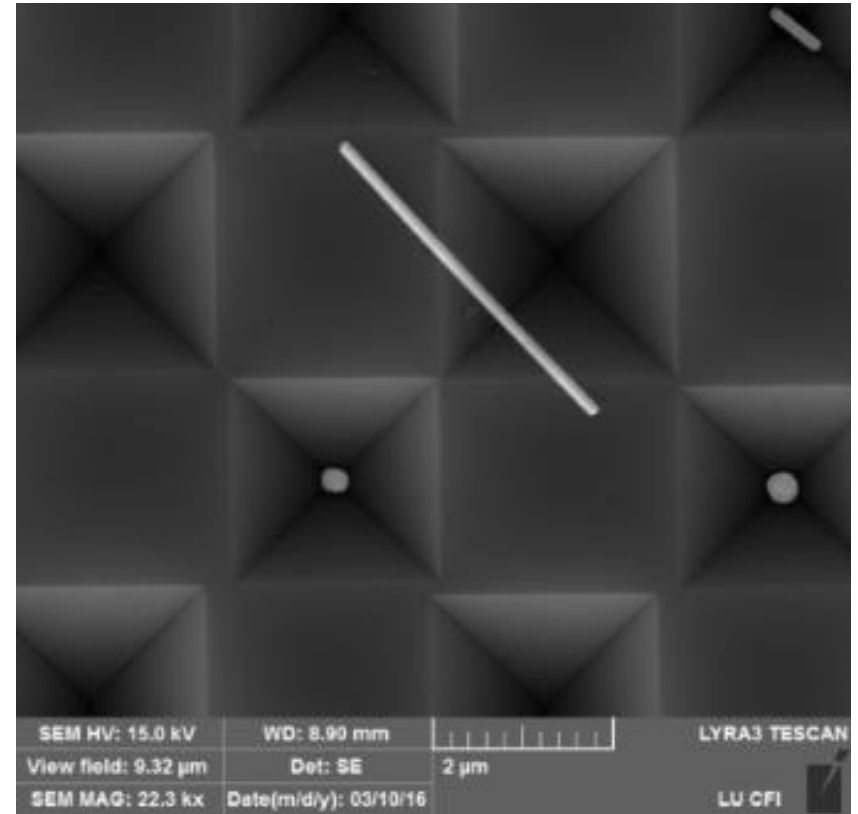
Atomic layer deposition

- Veeco/Ultratech Savannah - thermal deposition
- Materials available: Al_2O_3 , HfO_2 , ZnO , AZO , TiO_2 and many others on request (ITO , ZrO_2 , WO_3 , V_2O_5 , CeO_2 etc.)
- Exposure Mode™ deposits films with ultra high aspect ratio (>2000:1)
- Stacks of two materials
- Substrate size: 100 mm diameter x 6.4 mm height
- Substrate temperature: up to 400 °C
- Ozone generator and Low vapor pressure delivery



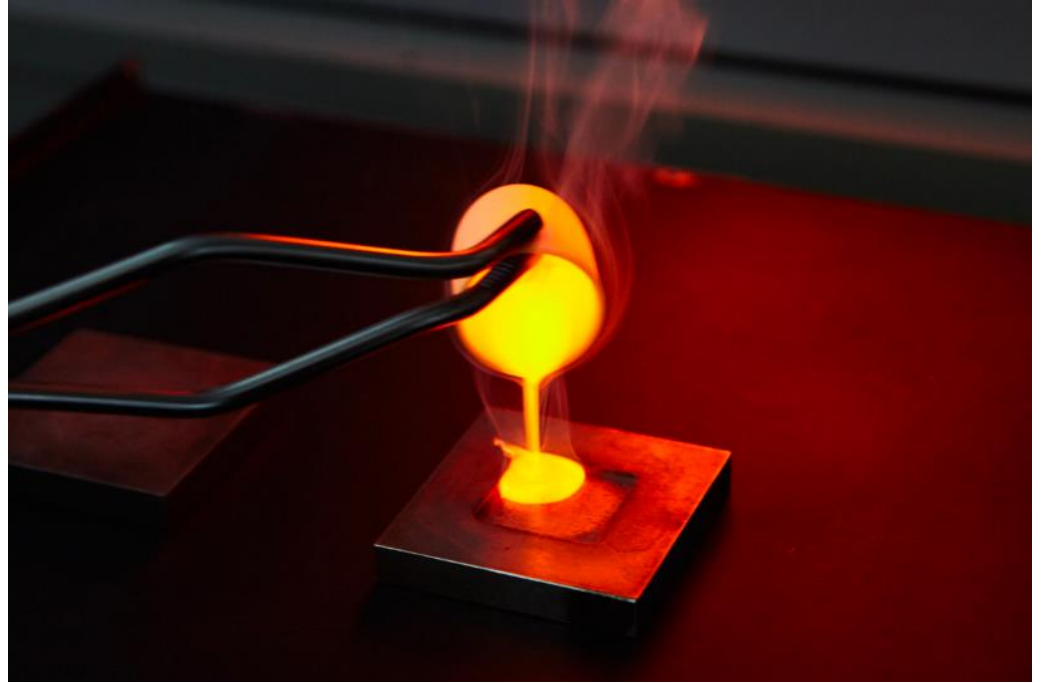
Nano structuring

- Nanomaterials
- 0D nanoparticles
- 1D nanostructures (nanowires, nanotubes, nanofibers)
- 2D nanostructures (layered materials)



Chemical synthesis

- Original crystal synthesis
- Melting
- Casting
- Thermal treatment
- Characterization



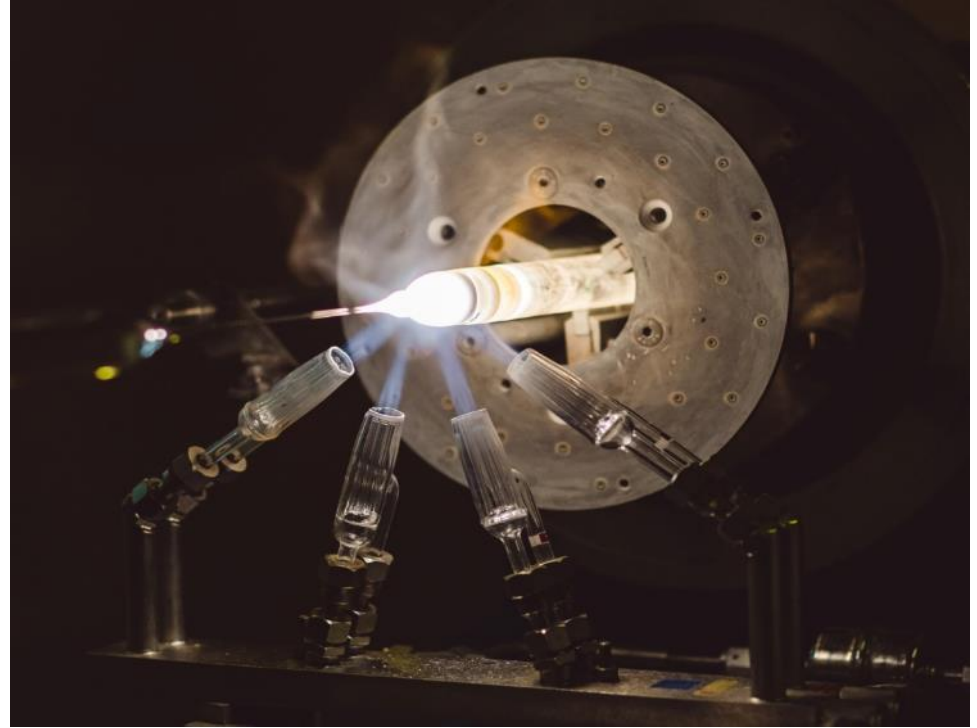
EuroLCDs

- Own research, industrialization & manufacturing facilities
- Development of customized solutions
- World's fastest optical shutter technology ($<0.1\text{ms}$)
- Bi-stable low energy consumption display
- Manufacturing technology of smart (switchable) glass products



Ceramoptec

- Customized solutions in fiber optic technology
- From individual fibers to ready-to-use cable assemblies
- Precision-made solutions in-house, from preform manufacturing to finished cables and bundles



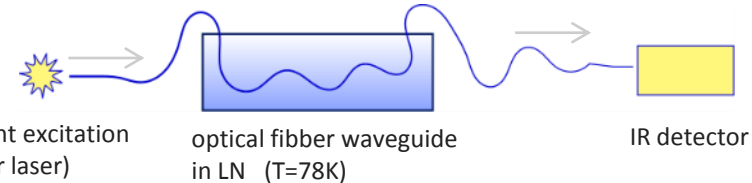
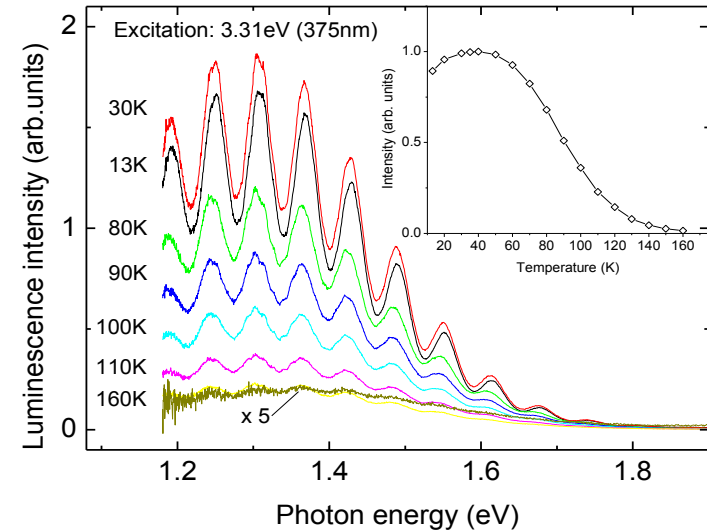
Light Guide Optics international

- Develops, manufactures and supplies fibers, fiber bundles, cables and laser delivery systems
- Full range of silica multimode optical fibers with excellent transmission in the ultraviolet–visible spectroscopy (UV-Vis) and infrared (IR) region



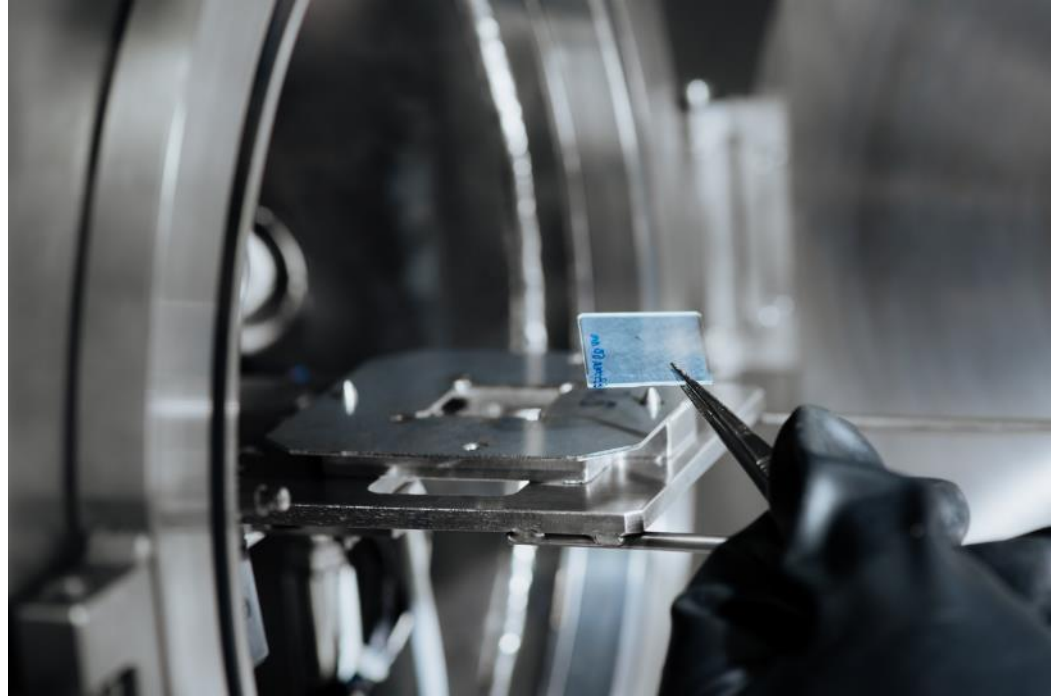
Optical properties of SiO_2

- Luminescence is proved as sensitive and selective method for Cl_2 contamination determination in SiO_2 .
- Cl_2 luminescence has remarkable intensity at ease accessible LNT ($T=78\text{K}$).
- Simple method for discrimination of Cl_2 defect type in optical fiber waveguides



Thin films

- Magnetron sputtering
- Low temperature evaporation
- High temperature evaporation
- E-beam evaporation
- Wet casting



Sidrabe

- Development & implementation of thin film technologies
- Customized vacuum coating systems
- Roll-to-roll systems for different materials, large 3D object in-line and batch coating systems, powder coating systems, cluster laboratory systems, systems for solar & battery applications



Sidrabe: Customized R2R coaters

- AC/DC magnetron, e-beam & resistive evaporation, PECVD
- single and double side single layers as well as multi-layer stacks
- heating/cooling system of the process drums
- multi-compartment chamber design
- metal (magnetic and nonmagnetic) or ceramics target material
- free web span during several runs, using reverse winding
- low and smooth tension force profile for transportation



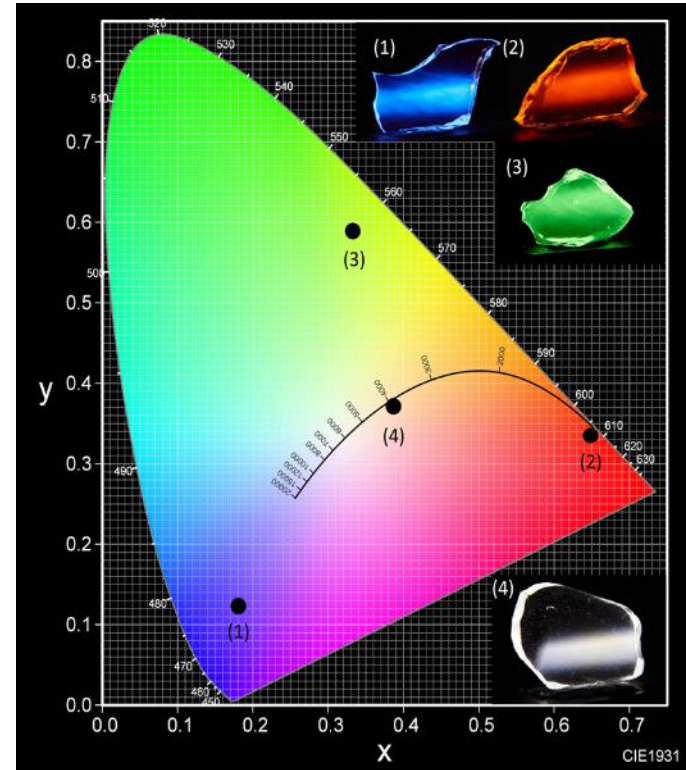
Groglass - glass coatings

- Anti-reflective & other high-performance coatings on glass and acryl
- Material and structure analysis (SEM-FIB, TEM) of thin coatings



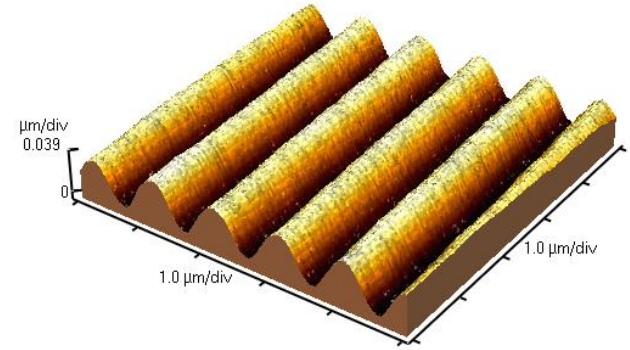
Light convertors

- Glass ceramics
- Eye-friendly white light
- Long-term durable
- Applicable in the light sources



Holographic recording

- Molecular glasses for holographic recording
- Surface-relief grating formation during holographic recording
- No chemical etching
- Electrochemical Ni-shim growing for printing



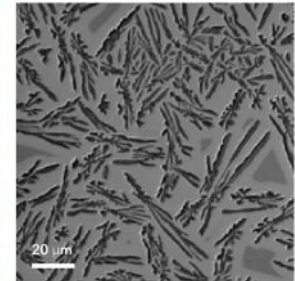
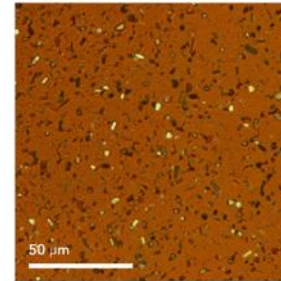
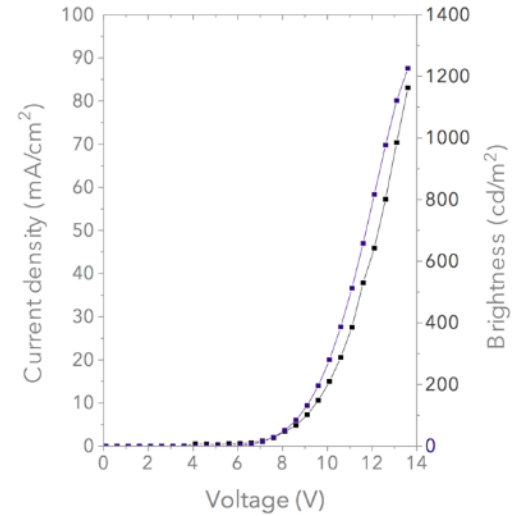
Evoled

- Materials for OLED with high luminescence efficiencies
- Innovative thin film deposition method – Mixed-Ligand Complex Formation-Decomposition
- The MLCFD method allows to use inexpensive solution deposition to obtain thin films



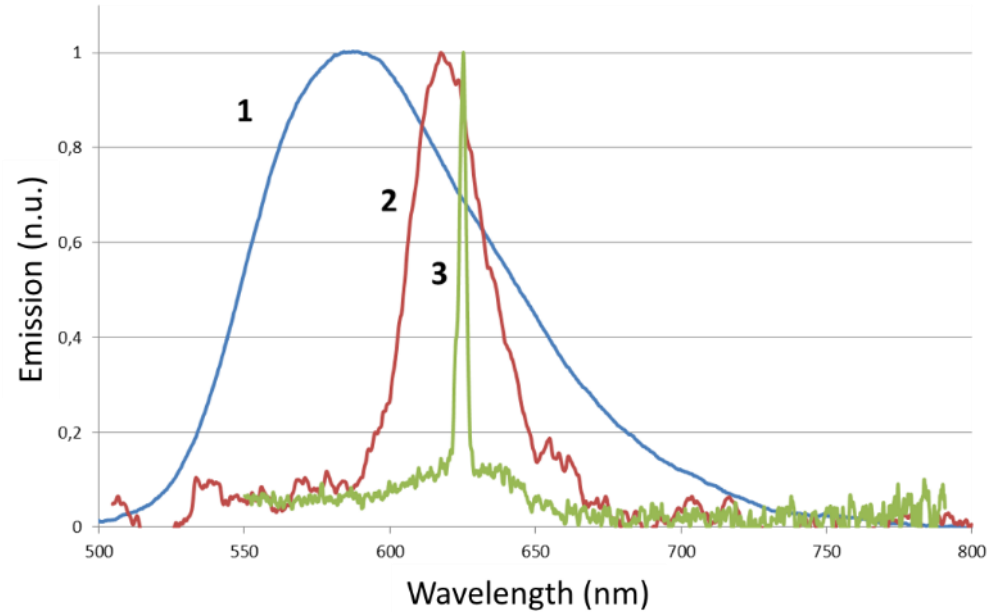
New emitters for OLED

- Original materials
- Luminescence spectra measurements
- Photoluminescence quantum yield determination
- Charge carrier mobility determination
- Analysis of morphology



Light-amplification systems

- Original organic materials
- Optical characterisation (1)
- Amplified spontaneous emission (2)
- Organic solid-state laser (3)



ISP Optics Latvia

- Optical components including spherical, aspherical and diffractive coated IR lenses
- Custom optomechanical assemblies and coatings.
- In-house grown FTIR materials including NaCl and KBr



Sidrabe - vacuum system development

- Thin film deposition [cluster tool](#) jointly developed with Sidrabe



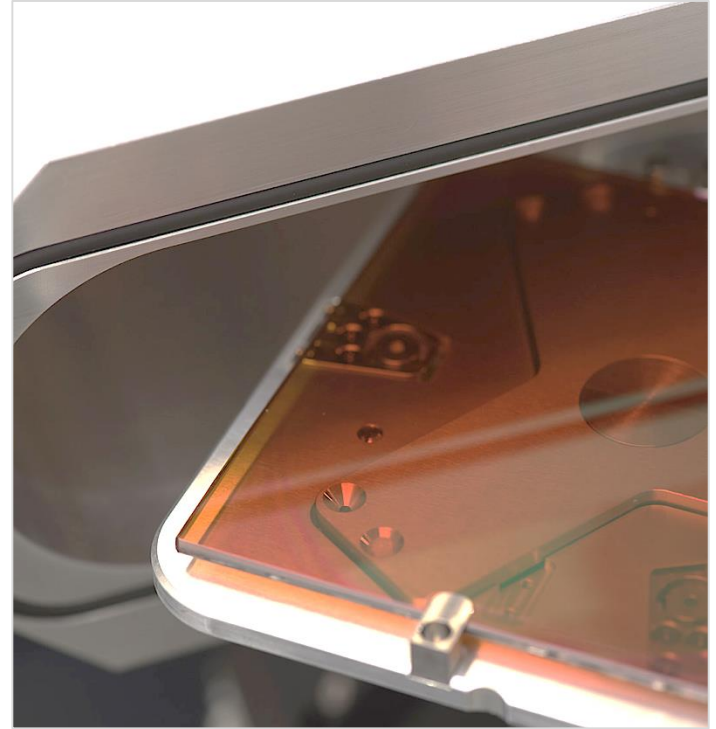
Materials

- Glass ceramics & nanocomposites
- Up-conversion materials
- SiO_2 glass (fibres, bulk)
- Organic materials (OLED, OPV, lasers, lightguides)
- Nanomaterials (0D...2D)



Applications

- Light guides
- Light modulation/switch
- Emitters
- Sensors
- Dosimetry (γ -... x-ray)



Characterization

- Optical spectroscopy
- EPR spectroscopy
- Morphology analysis
- Electron microscopy (SEM, TEM)
- XRD & advances structure analysis
- Electrical & dielectric analysis
- Theoretical modelling



Technology

- Thin film fabrication
- Chemical synthesis
- Lithography
- Nano structuring
- Prototyping laboratory: 680m²
ISO class 7-8 cleanroom



Industry partners in photonics



Ceramoptec®



EVOLED
Fiat lux



EUROLCDs

LightGuideOptics International

SCHAEFFLER



A LightPath® COMPANY
.....TECHNOLOGIES



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Web links 1/2

- **Materize** – <https://www.materize.com>
- **Sidrabe** - <https://www.sidrabe.com/>
- **GroGlass** – <https://www.groglass.com/>
- **Light Guide Optics International** – <https://www.lgoptics.com/home-en/>
- **CeramOptec** – <https://www.ceramoptec.com>
- **Baltic Scientific Instruments** – <http://www.bsi.lv/en/>

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- **RD Alfa MD** – <https://rdalfa.lv/en/>
- **EuroLCDs** – <http://www.eurolcds.com>
- **Light Space Technologies** – <https://www.lightspace3d.com/>
- **Evoled** – <http://evoled.eu>
- **ISP Optics** - <https://isptoptics.com/>
- **Schaeffler** – <https://www.schaeffler.com>

Materize context

- Based in Latvia
- **Strong national innovation** eco-system player
- Strongest national materials research and innovation center
- **40 years** in material science from complex oxides to organic semiconductors
- Deep expertise in spectroscopy
- Prototyping laboratory with 680 m2 of **ISO class 7-8 cleanroom** facility
- 200 employees / **110** in Photonics / **90 PhD**



Latvia Context

- **Member of European Union, NATO, OECD, WTO**
- EURO zone since Jan-2014
- Population – 2M, Baltics – 7M
- GDP annual growth – **4-5%**
- **100+** direct flight connections, including Israel
- **High stability and growth rating** – by S&P, Moody's, World bank, IMF



CAMART² — EC recognized Consortium

- H2020 Teaming call – to make **the best emerging ones – strong and advanced**
- ISSP In Consortium with leading Swedish partners – KTH and RISE
- The 5th best (out of 170) and **the only one in Northern Europe**
- **31M EUR** investment over 7 years
- With emphasis on **innovation** and **technology transfer**



What We Do



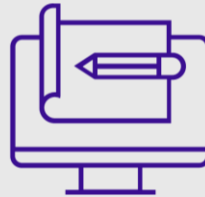
**Prototyping and small
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**Research and development
of functional materials**



**Single point of
contact**



**Theoretical material
design and modelling**



**Environment for
innovations**

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