



60th Anniversary Meeting of the Texas Society for Microscopy

February 19th & 20th, 2026

The University of Texas at Austin



MEETING INFORMATION

Call for Papers

All members are encouraged to present their research or professional accomplishments at our meeting during Feb 19th-20th. You can choose to display a poster or speak for 15 minutes, including questions. Presenting students can apply for travel support during registration. In addition, students can compete for monetary prizes (best platform and poster awards). Further information regarding online registration and abstract preparation & submission can be found on the TSM website: <http://texas.microscopy.org/2026-TSM-Meeting>

Deadline for abstracts: January 18th, 2026

Registration Information

Advanced Registration

Reduced registration fees are available if you register by the deadline below. Advanced registration is strongly suggested to assure an accurate count for event organization. Registration and abstract submission are available on our website: <https://texas.microscopy.org/meeting-registration/>

Deadline for early registration: February 1st, 2026

What's Included

- Workshops on Thurs (lunch included)
- Thursday Night's Social Reception
- Platform & Poster Presentations
- Special talks by invited speakers
- Vendor Exhibits
- Friday Breakfast
- Friday Luncheon & Business Meeting

If you have special food requests (vegetarian, vegan, etc.) please contact the program chairperson.

Workshops - February 19th, 2026

Workshops at Center for Biomedical Research Support Core Facilities (CBRS) and Texas Materials Institute (TMI).

- 1) Super resolution confocal laser scanning microscopy (Nikon)
- 2) Variable Pressure Scanning Electron Microscopy of Sensitive Specimen (Zeiss)
- 3) Transmission Electron Microscopy of Biological Samples and Materials (Gatan)
- 4) Advanced EELS Imaging using Direct Electron Detectors (JEOL)

Each workshop is offered twice (9-12 and 1-4). Please register by sending choices of workshops and time to Michelle Mikesch: mfmikesh@austin.utexas.edu Spaces are limited. Please register early!



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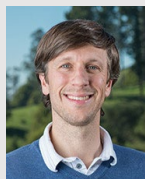
There will be a reception on Thursday evening at 7 p.m.

Location: Scholz Garten, [1607 San Jacinto Blvd, Austin, TX](#)

Scientific Meeting - February 20th, 2026

Presentations, posters and vendor fair at Peter O'Donnell building

We are pleased to announce the following invited speakers at the TSM meeting.



Physical Science

Dr. Peter Ercius: Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory
sponsored by MSA

Title: TBD



Life Science

Dr. Andrew Dunn: The University of Texas at Austin

Title: TBD

Lodging Information

Suggested hotels within 5 miles of the venue, on campus, in downtown, medical center, or museum district areas. More options are available at the QR code.

1. AT&T Hotel and Conference Center

1900 University Ave, Austin, 78705
(512) 404- 3600

2. Days Inn by Wyndham Austin University

3105 N. Interstate Hwy 35, Austin, 78705
(512) 478- 1631

3. Double Tree Suites Austin University

1617 N. Interstate Hwy 35, Austin, 78705
(512) 470- 4000

4. Double Tree Suites Austin Downtown

303 W 15th St, Austin, TX 78701
(512) 478- 7000



*Check the QR code for
places on the map.*

Or [Click Here](#).

Contact for any inquiry to Program Chairperson
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