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# PIER Helmholtz Graduate School

A Graduate Education Program  
of Universität Hamburg  
in Cooperation with DESY

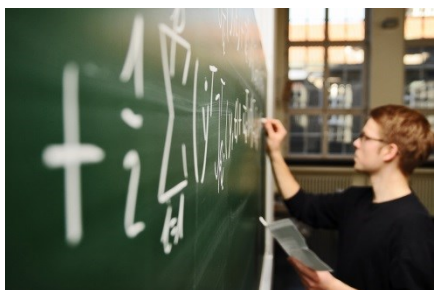
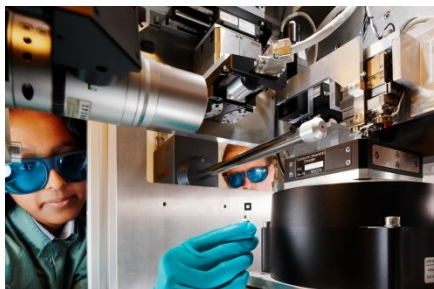


Invitation

**Kick-Off PIER Helmholtz Graduate School**

**and**

**Awarding ceremony of the scholarships of the  
Joachim Herz Stiftung**



The PIER Helmholtz Graduate School is jointly funded by the Helmholtz Association, Universität Hamburg and DESY. Since the beginning of this year it is the home of the doctoral candidates in the four PIER research fields. The first cohort of our scholarship holders is enthusiastically working on their doctoral projects, an ever-increasing number of PhD students use our services, and soon a new group of outstanding students will start their doctoral research with a scholarship of the Joachim Herz Stiftung.

It is time to welcome our new PhD students, to honour this year's scholarship winners and to celebrate the start of the PIER Helmholtz Graduate School.

**Please register until 22 October 2013 at [www.pier-campus.de/kickoff](http://www.pier-campus.de/kickoff)**

The PIER Helmholtz Graduate School is family-friendly. Please let us know upon registration if you wish to use our childcare facilities.

*Venue:*

Bahrenfeld Campus  
Cafeteria, building 9  
Notkestr. 85  
22607 Hamburg

*Music:*

*Trío Teórico*  
Elina Fuchs (*violin*)  
Matthias Schlaffer (*accordion*)  
Christoph Horst (*double bass*)

## 29 October 2013

### Programme

16:30 *Doors open*  
Registration

17:00 *Beginning*  
Music: Trío Teórico

#### *Welcome speeches*

- Prof. Dr. Daniela Pfannkuche / Prof. Dr. Robin Santra (Spokespeople PIER Helmholtz Graduate School)
- Prof. Dr. Helmut Dosch (Chairman DESY Board of Directors)
- Prof. Dr. Claudia Leopold (Vice-president Universität Hamburg)

Music: Trío Teórico

#### *Limitless Research:*

Impressions of the PIER Helmholtz Graduate School

#### *Awarding of the scholarships of the Joachim Herz Stiftung*

- Petra Herz (Chairperson Board Joachim Herz Stiftung)

Music: Trío Teórico

18:45 *Buffet*

#### *Host:*

Marc Wenskat (PhD student)