



Telluride Workshop 2025

Emerging Methodologies for Paramagnetic NMR and Dynamic Nuclear Polarization in Biological and Inorganic Materials

08/04/2025 - 08/08/2025

Telluride, Colorado, USA

Telluride Science and Innovation Center

Telluride Science (formerly known as the Telluride Science Research Center or TRSC) was founded in 1984 as an interdisciplinary think tank for science and engineering challenges. Telluride Science is about expanding the frontiers of science, exploring new ideas, and building collaborations. Read more about Telluride Science's history [here](#). The workshop schedule will allow for substantial unstructured time for participants to talk and think. All participants are expected to stay for the entire duration of the workshop. Scientists are encouraged to consider bringing family or friends. Telluride offers several options for children's camps (including Telluride Academy, Aha School for the Arts, and Pinhead Institute). There is more information on childcare, camps, and family activities on Telluride Science's website. Feel free to contact Telluride Science's staff to help with any planning and/or coordinating care.

Organizing Committee

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Meeting Venue

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Food / Activities

Grab and go breakfast will be available daily at the workshop location. Lunches and dinners are NOT included in registration. Vouchers for group dinner will be provided on Wednesday evening. Group hike is on Tuesday ([Bear Creek Fall](#)) – this is an excellent opportunity to unwind and get to know each other in a more relaxed setting. Bring comfortable shoes and plenty of water. Altitude at Telluride is ~ 8750 ft so make sure to stay hydrated.

Scientific Program

The scientific program starts at 12 noon on Monday, 08/04/2025, and ends at 11 am on Friday, 08/08/2025. Friday morning will be reserved for group discussions. Each talk is scheduled for 45 minutes including Q&A. Interruptions and questions during talks are encouraged!

Meeting Schedule

Day of arrival - Sunday, August 3		
17:00 - 18:30	All-Telluride Science Meet and Greet	<u>The Alibi</u> (157 S. Fir Street)
Day 1 - Monday- August 4, 2025		
7:00 - 9:30	Breakfast	
12:00 - 12:10	Welcome (Marina Bennati, Ann McDermott, Tatyana Polenova)	
Session 1 (Jennifer Mathies)		
12:10 - 12:50	Bob Griffin	
12:50 - 13:30	Tom Wenckenbach	
13:30 - 14:10	Björn Corzilius	
14:10 - 14:50	Ann McDermott	
14:50 - 15:00	Coffee break	
Session 2 (Joanna Long)		
15:00 - 15:40	Gunnar Jeschke	
15:40 - 17:20	Lyndon Emsley	
17:20 - 18:00	Michal Leskes	
Day 2 - Tuesday – August 5, 2025		
8:30 - 13:15	Free time, hiking, informal discussions	
Session 3 (Marina Bennati)		
13:15 - 13:55	Angela Gronenborn	
13:55 - 14:35	Tatyana Polenova	
14:35 - 15:15	Chris Jaroniec	
15:15 -15:55	Guido Pintacuda	
15:55 - 16:20	Coffee break	
Session 4 (Gunnar Jeschke)		
16:20 - 17:00	Marina Bennati	
17:00 - 17:40	Joanna Long	
Telluride Science Town Talk		
Location: Telluride Conference Center in Mountain Village		
18:30 - 19:30	Talk Title: TBA	
Featured Speaker: Ann E. McDermott, Columbia University		
<i>Cash Bar, Doors Open at 6:00pm</i>		

Day 3 – Wednesday – August 6, 2025		
8:30 - 13:30	Free time, hiking, informal discussions	
Session 5 (Björn Corzilius)		
13:30 - 14:10	Daniella Goldfarb	
14:10 - 14:50	Anne Lesage	
14:50 - 15:30	Moreno Lelli	
15:30 - 16:00	Coffee break	
Session 6 (Anne Lesage)		
16:00 - 16:40	Jennifer Mathies	
16:40 - 17:20	Fred Mentinck-Vigier	
17:30 – 19:30	TSRC picnic, Telluride Innovation Center	
Day 4 – Thursday – August 7, 2025		
8:30 - 14:00	Free time, hiking, informal discussions	
Session 7 (Michal Leskes)		
14:00 - 14:40	Songi Han	
14:40 - 15:20	Sunil Saxena	
15:20 – 16:00	Stefan Stoll	
15:20 - 15:40	Coffee break	
15:40 - 17:30	Brainstorming session: All	Unsolved problems, future directions, and organizational issues (2027 meeting)
18:00 -	Dinner in self-organized groups, informal discussions	
Day 5 – Friday – August 8, 2025		
7:30 - 11:00	Breakfast, collaborative informal discussions	

List of participants

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Code of Conduct

- Treat your fellow participants and Telluride Science staff with consideration and professionalism, respecting diversity of views and opinions.
- Communicate openly with civility for others, critiquing ideas rather than individuals.
- Be mindful of your surroundings and fellow participants. Anyone requested to stop unacceptable behavior is expected to comply immediately. Telluride Science staff may take any action deemed necessary and appropriate, including immediate removal from the meeting without warning or refund.
- Be kind and considerate of people in the Telluride community. You represent Telluride Science when you are in town.

Unacceptable Behavior

Harassment, intimidation, exclusion, or discrimination. Physical or verbal abuse.

Reporting Unacceptable Behavior

If you are the target of unacceptable behavior or have witnessed any such behavior, please immediately notify a Telluride Science or the workshop organizer. Alert Telluride Science staff, and 911 if appropriate, if you notice a dangerous situation or someone in distress. Report concerns to report@telluridescience.org. All reports will be treated confidentially and with discretion.

Diversity & Inclusion Statement

Telluride Science values diversity and inclusion and is committed to creating a respectful, equitable, and welcoming environment free from discrimination, exclusion, and harassment for all participants. Telluride Science is known for its collegial workshops that spawn new ideas and collaborations. We encourage the open expression and exchange of ideas, and we are dedicated to strengthening our culture of diverse and inclusive workshops, conferences, and schools. The Telluride Science Board actively works with workshop, conference, and school organizers to promote diversity in all Telluride Science sponsored events.

Most importantly: Have fun! Be inspired! Make new friends!