# Horizon 2020 Marie Sklodowska Curie Actions PROFILE FORM – Expression of Interest

Organization Name / Department	GERENCIA DE FÍSICA-GAIYAAN-COMISION NACIONAL DE ENERGIA ATÓMICA	Organization Short Name CNEA	EI SANU
Organization Type	University Public Research Centre Large Scale Enterprise Small and Medium Scale Enterprise	Public Body International NGO National NGO	
Research Fields	Chemistry CHE Social and Human Sciences SOC Economic Sciences ECO Information Science and Engineering ENG Environment and Geosciences ENV Life Sciences LIF Mathematics MAT Physics PHY	Sub-Fields / Keywords:  PHYSICS MATERIALS SCIENCE NANOSCIENCE NEUROSCIENCE SURFACE PHYSICS CONDENSED MATTER MAGNETIC RESONANCE MEDICAL PHYSICS	
Short Description of the Organization / Department	The "Gerencia de Física" (Physics Department) includes the following research groups/divisions:  Low Temperature Physics  Condensed Matter Theory  Photonics and Optoelectronics  Forensic Physics  Magnetism and Magnetic Resonance  Metal Physics  Atomic, Molecular and Optical Physics  Surface Physics  Plasma Physics and Fusion  Elementary Particles and High Energy Physics  Statistical and Interdisciplinary Physics  Medical Physics		
Previous Related Projects / Research Experience	Each group has a large experience in research, with well established experimental facilities. Most of researches also lecture at the Instituto Balseiro- Universidad Nacional de Cuyo, in a large number of topics in the field of physics, materials science and engineering.		

# Short Description of the Project idea (if foreseeable)

#### Low temperature Physics:

Superconductivity. Highly correlated electron systems. Microelectromechanical machines. Sensors.

## **Photonics and Optoelectronics Laboratory:**

Cavity optomechanics. Semiconductor devices. Quantum cascade lasers. Quantum memories. Plasmonics. Ultrasensitive molecular optical detection. Biosensors. Raman spectroscopies and time-resolved spectroscopies.

#### **Condensed Matter Theory:**

Nanostructured electronic systems. Quantum transport. Strongly correlated systems. Electronic devices. Realistic modeling of materials. Statistical physics applied to disordered systems. Domain walls. Friction. Graphene. Quantum memories. Numerical techniques (Quantum Monte Carlo, Density functional theory, Density matrix renormalization group).

# **Magnetism and Magnetic Resonance:**

Artificial Magnetic Nanostructures: Synthesis and Functionalization of nanoparticles, nanowires and nanotubes, thin films and multilayers. Bulk magnetic materials, Oxides. Medical Physics, Spintronics, Magnetic Sensors, Nuclear materials. Magnetic Resonance Spectroscopy, dc and ac Magnetometry, Magnetotransport, Magnetooptics, Scanning probe microscopy, Neutron diffraction, etc.

# **Metals Physics:**

Mechanical Properties and TEM Microstructural Characterzation. Shape Memory Alloys: bulk and thin film Cu based alloys, NiTi alloys, shape memory steels. Applications of SMA as damping materials and microactuators. Medical applications. SMA foams. Alloys for nuclear applications: mechanical properties of structural nuclear materials. Fretting damage. Light alloys: microstructural characterization of Al based alloys and Ti based alloys. Metallic nanoparticles: synthesis and microstructural characterization. Shape memory alloy preparation, single crystalline growth of Cu based shape memory alloys. Mechanical testing, Small Punch testing, Microstructural characterization with transmission electron microscopy, Electrical resisitivity, Differential scanning calorimetry, Dilatometry.

#### Atomic, Molecular, and Optical Physics

Experimental and theoretical studies of the interaction of photons, ions, electrons, positrons, and ultrahigh-intensity light pulses with atoms and molecules

#### **Surface Physics**

Experimental and theoretical studies of the physical and chemical properties of solid surfaces and the interaction of charged and neutral particles with solid state matter

#### Plasma Physics and Fusion

Theoretical studies of the behavior of plasms in the parameters (density, temperature, magnetic field) range of interest for magnetic confinement nuclear fusion

# Statistical and Interdisciplinary Physics:

Theoretical and experimental research on physics in and out of equilibrium. Neuroscience: neural network dynamics and applications. Interdisciplinary physics: self-organization and emergent behaviours in complex systems.

## **Elementary Particles and High Energy Physics:**

Astroparticle physics (both theoretical and experimental): cosmic rays, dark matter, neutrino physics. Quantum Field Theory: entanglement entropy, Casimir effect, quantum fields in curved spacetimes, field theories of condensed matter systems.

#### **Medical Physics:**

Dosimetry and Advanced Radiation Therapy for Cancer, Signal Processing and Medical Imaging, Nuclear Magnetic Resonance Spectroscopy and Imaging, Biomedical Optical Imaging and Biophotonics, Nanomedicine, Neurosciences, Biological Physics and mathematical epidemiology, Medical devices, instrumentation and detectors.

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