Optical Biosensors

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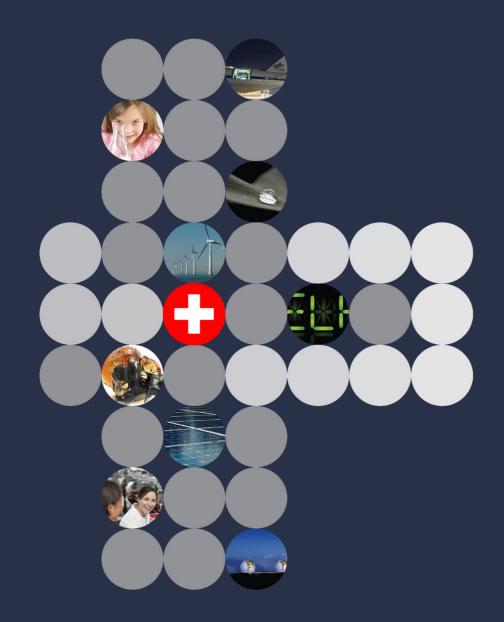
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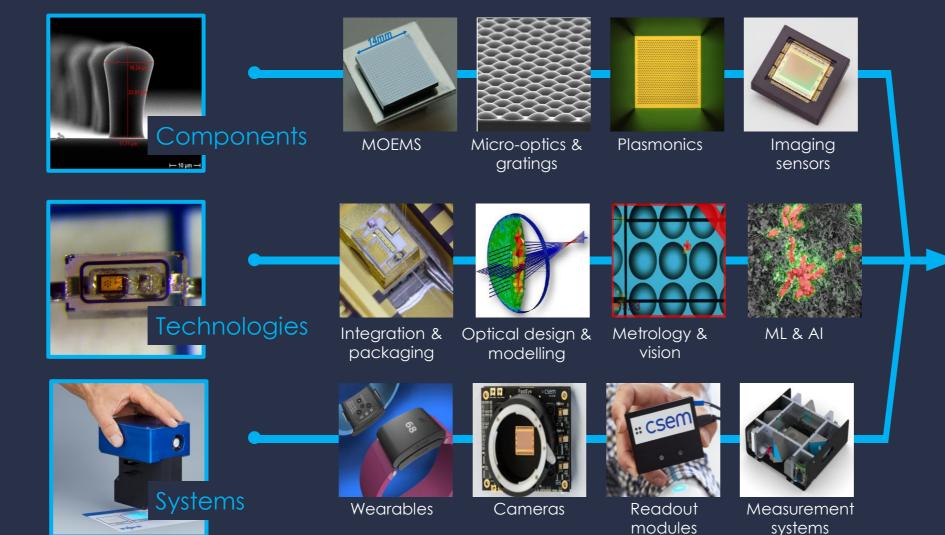
Swiss Research and Technology Organization (RTO)

Mission: Technology development & transfer to the industrial sector





Photonics at CSEM



Pilot lines in photonics:





Industrial applications

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Life Science at CSEM

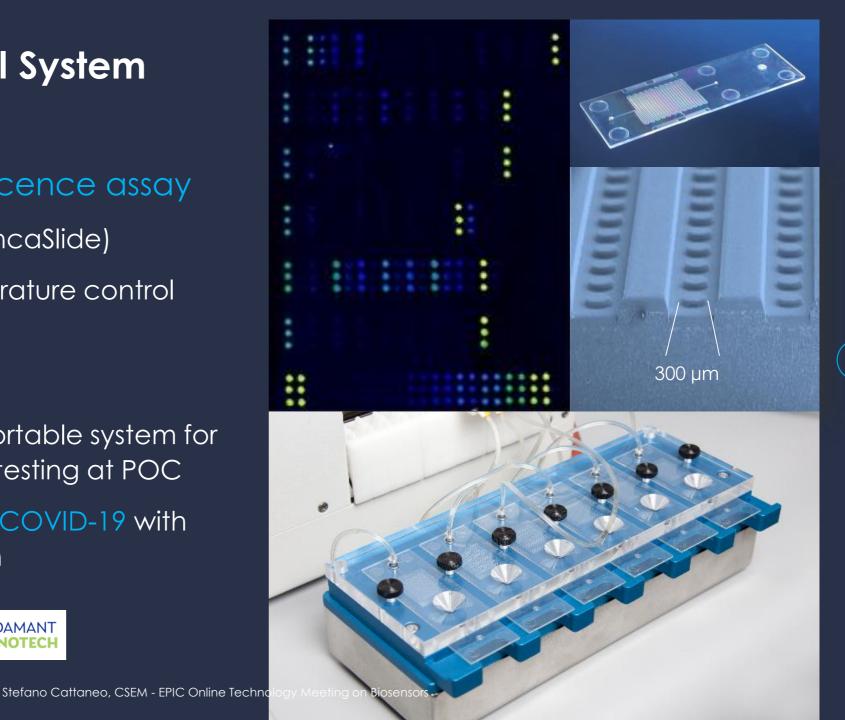


Inca Bioanalytical System

- Multiplexed fluorescence assay
 - Microfluidic chip (IncaSlide)
 - Fluidics and temperature control (IncaTrace)
- Current projects:
 - H2020 Hedimed: Portable system for immuno-signature testing at POC
 - Serological test for COVID-19 with Adamant Innotech

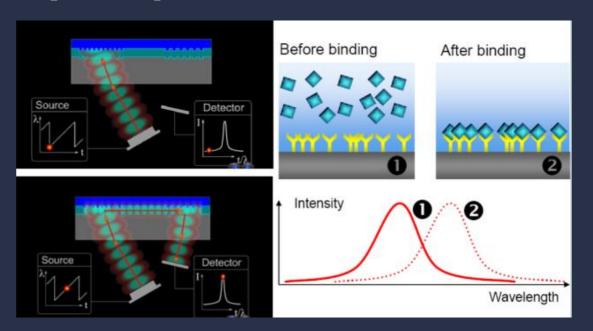


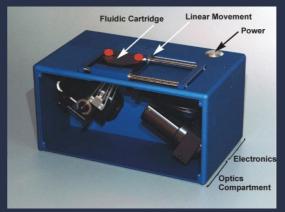




Label-free waveguide biosensor (WIOS)

- Measures molecular binding via refractive index (RI)
- Specific bio-recognition molecules
- Current focus:
 - Assay development for medical diagnostics and food analysis









WIOS Chip



Non-invasive optical oxygen sensing in cell culture

- Porous matrix that encapsulates an indicator dye
- Quenching of fluorescent dye by oxygen
- Objective-like reader





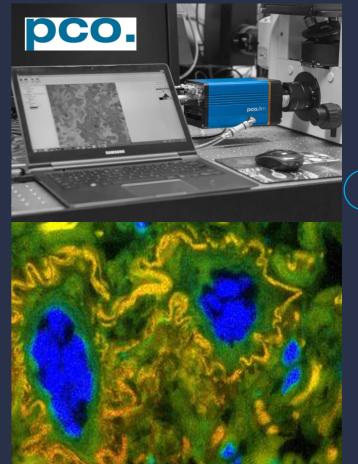




FLIM – Fluorescence Lifetime Imaging

- Stand-alone system for FLIM
- Time-of-flight image sensor
- Yields 2D map of fluorescence lifetime
- High-end camera for scientific applications commercialized by PCO



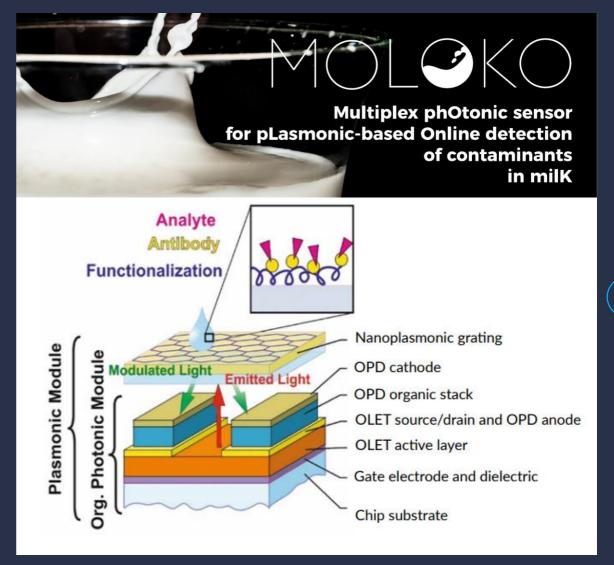






H2020 Moloko

- Colorimetric bioassays in well plates equipped with resonant sub-wavelength gratings
- Goals: enhanced sensitivity, reduced sample volume, faster diagnosis
- Targets: Toxins, antibiotics, quality parameters in milk

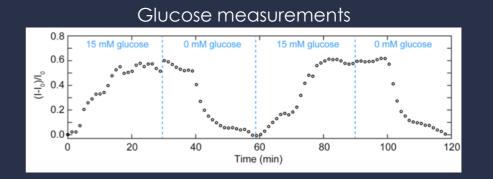




Postdoc for industry: SWCNT-based biosensor

- Glucose monitoring via changes in NIR fluorescence of SWCNTs
- Reversible and stable fluorescent signal
- Current focus:
 - New analytes: lactate, etc.
 - Miniaturization of readout

Sensor principle GOX-SWCNT + glucose + glucose p-doped oxygen site p-doped oxygen site p-doped oxygen site



Readout









Collaborating with CSEM

- ** What we offer
 - Feasibility studies & concepts
 - Technology development & prototyping
 - Support for industrialization



- ** What we are looking for
 - Development projects with industrial partners for technology transfer
 - Research projects with academic partners with complementary technologies (e.g. sample collection & pre-treatment)



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