

# X-ray Spectrometry at INPP

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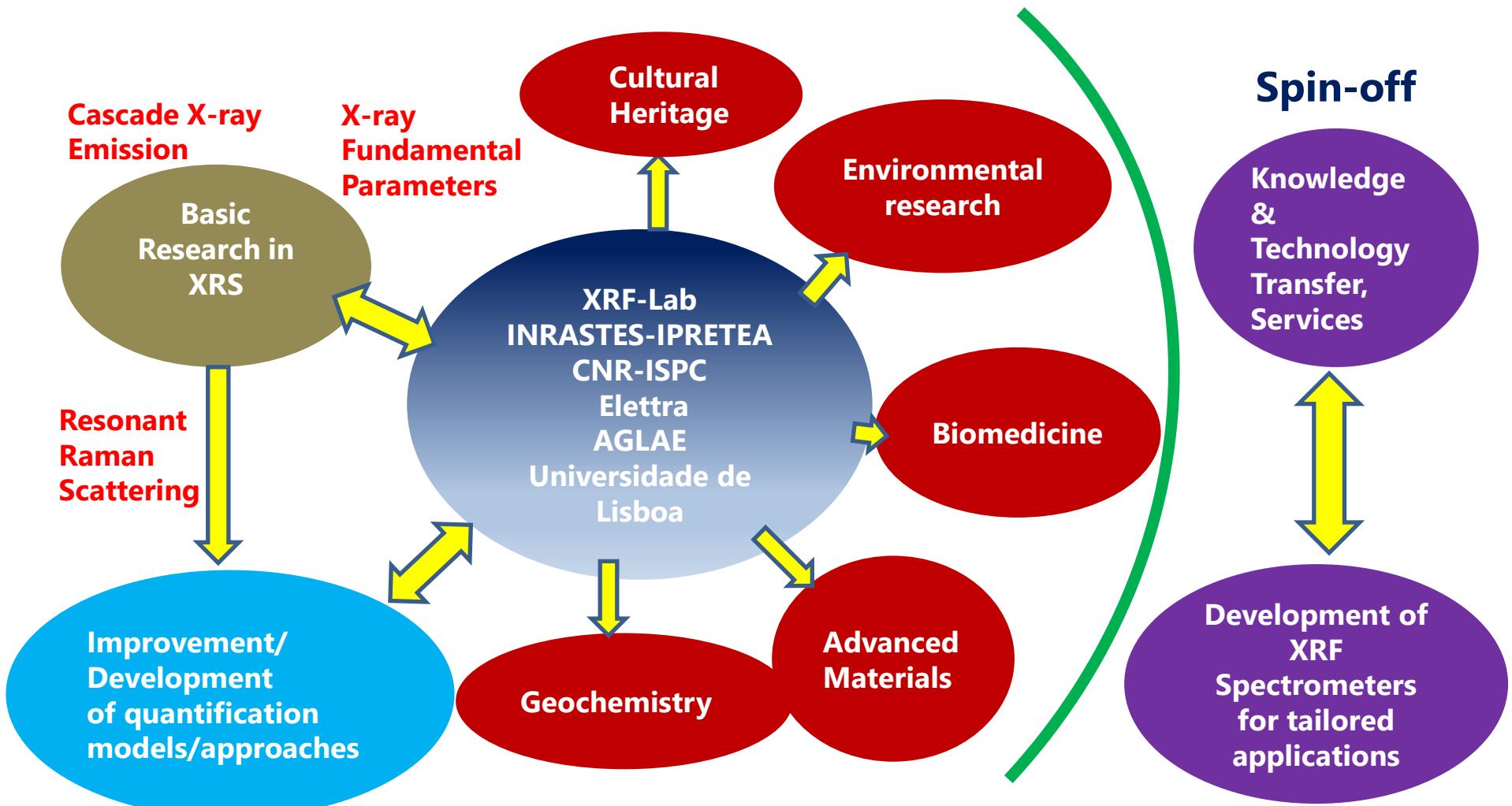
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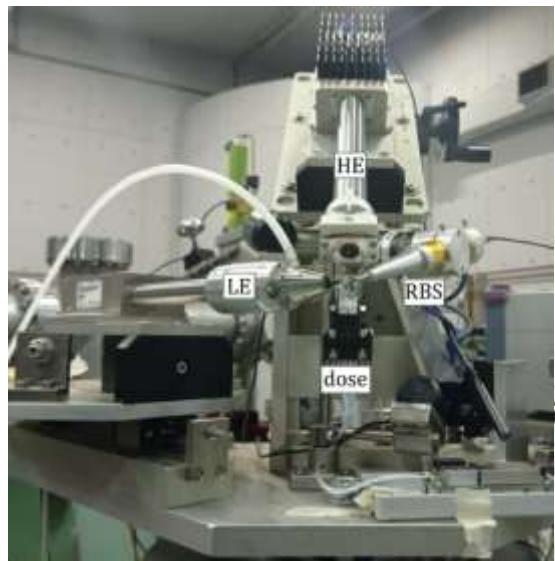
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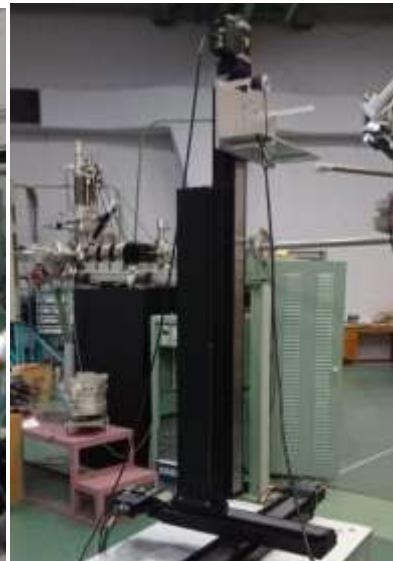
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# NPA The new external IBA set-up at NCSR Demokritos, Greece



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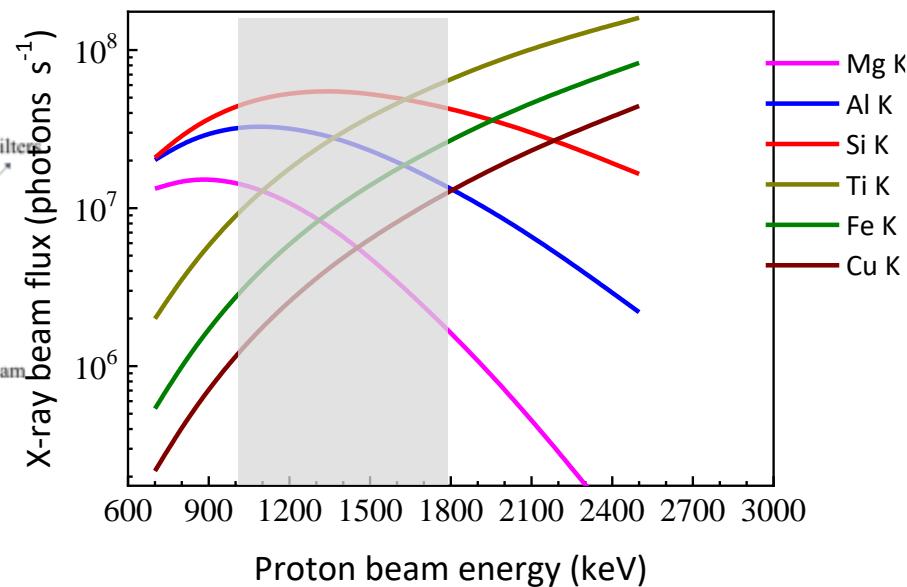
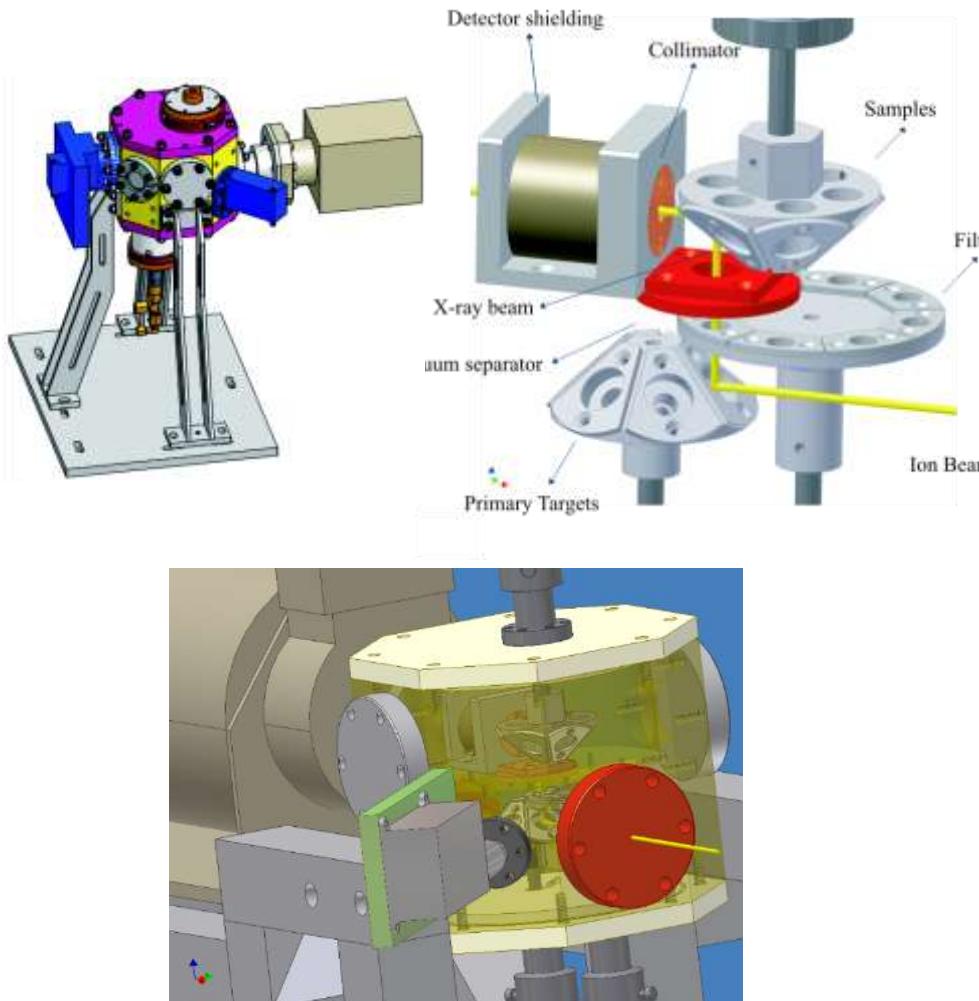
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## MSc

- Applications to Cultural Heritage

# PIXE-XRF setup – Production of monochromatic x-rays



X-ray intensities **1.2 keV - 8.04 keV**  
 @ sample position  
**~ 10<sup>7</sup>-10<sup>8</sup> ph/s, 1µA beam current**

**D. Sokaras, et al.**

Review of Scientific Instruments 83, 123102 (2012);

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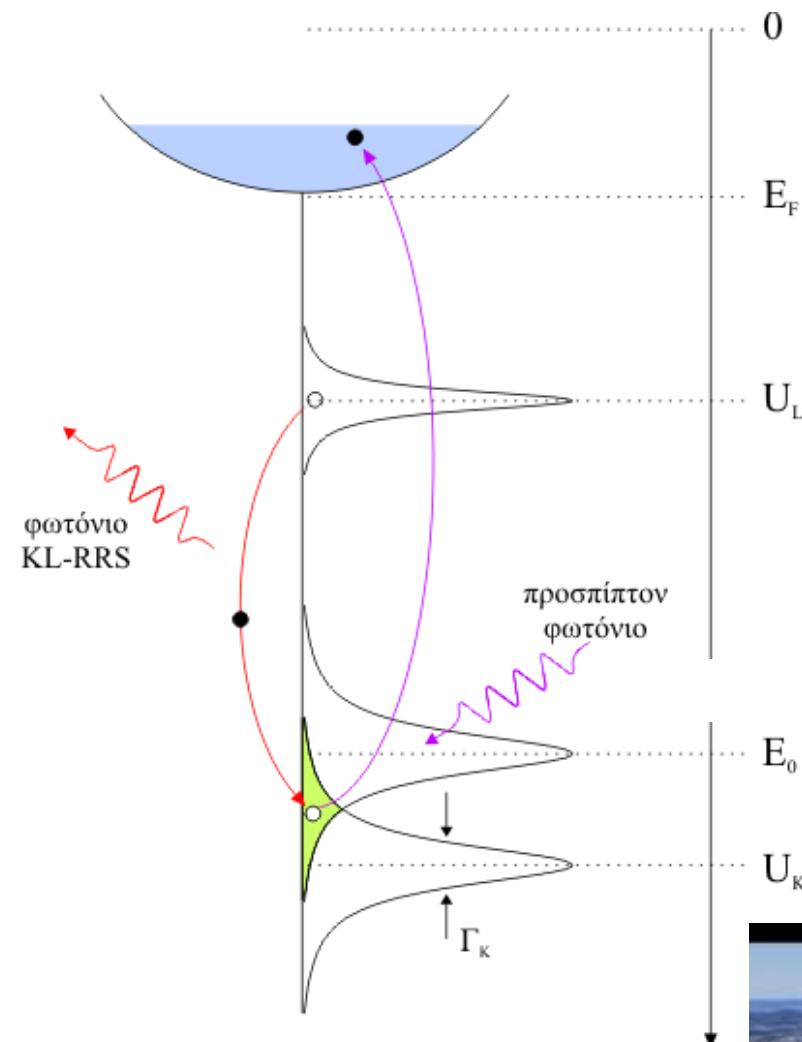
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PhD thesis (2010)

**MSc thesis**

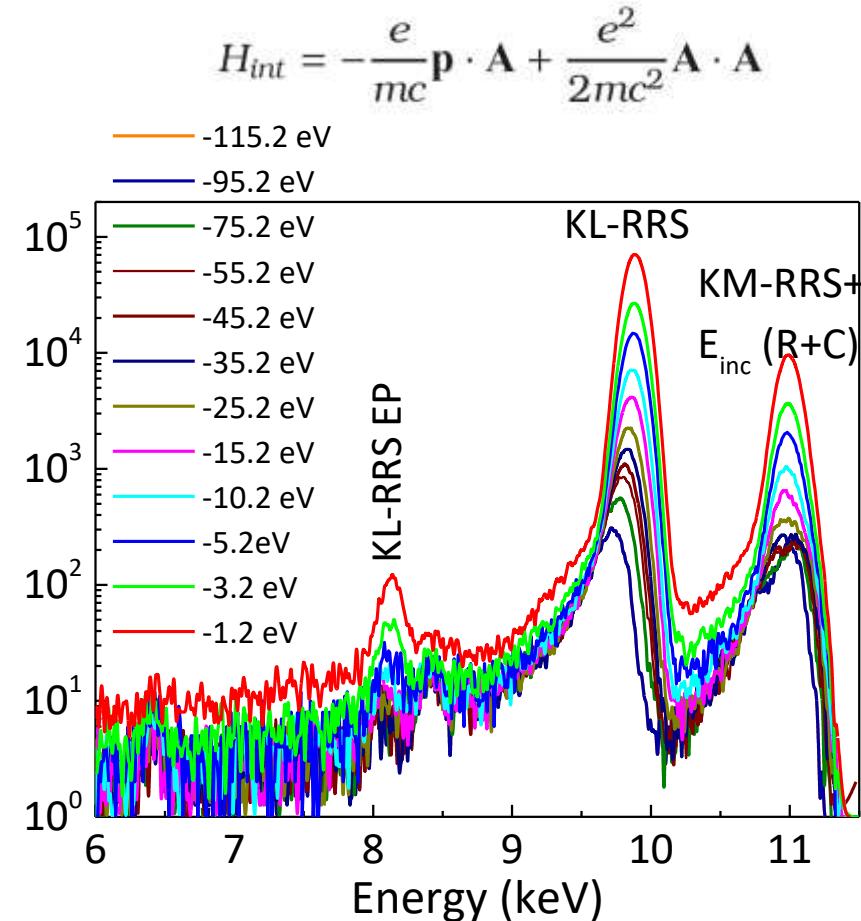
- Different applied directions are open

# X-ray Resonant Raman Scattering – RRS

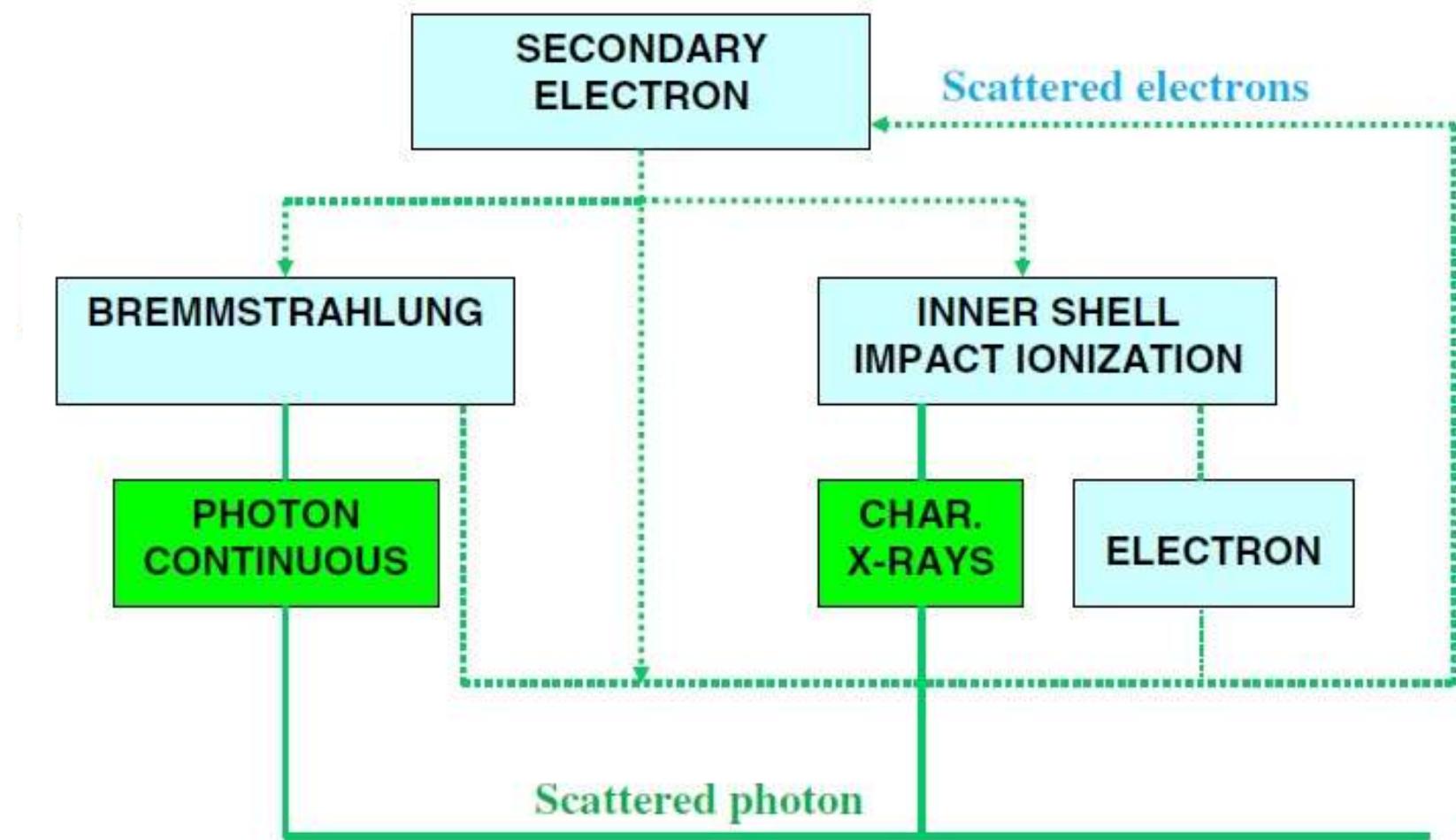


## MSc/PhD Thesis

- Analysis of synchrotron data
- Development of spectrum analysis code



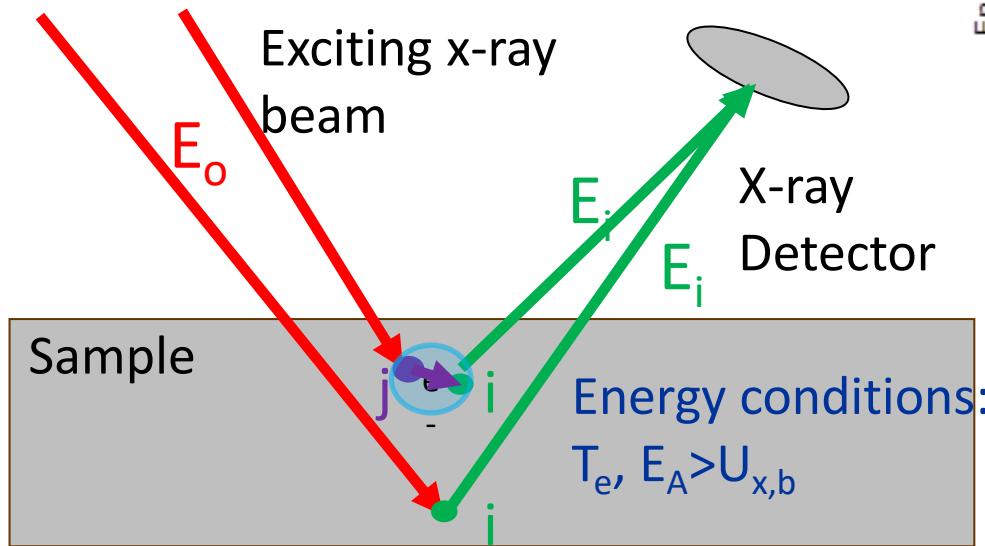
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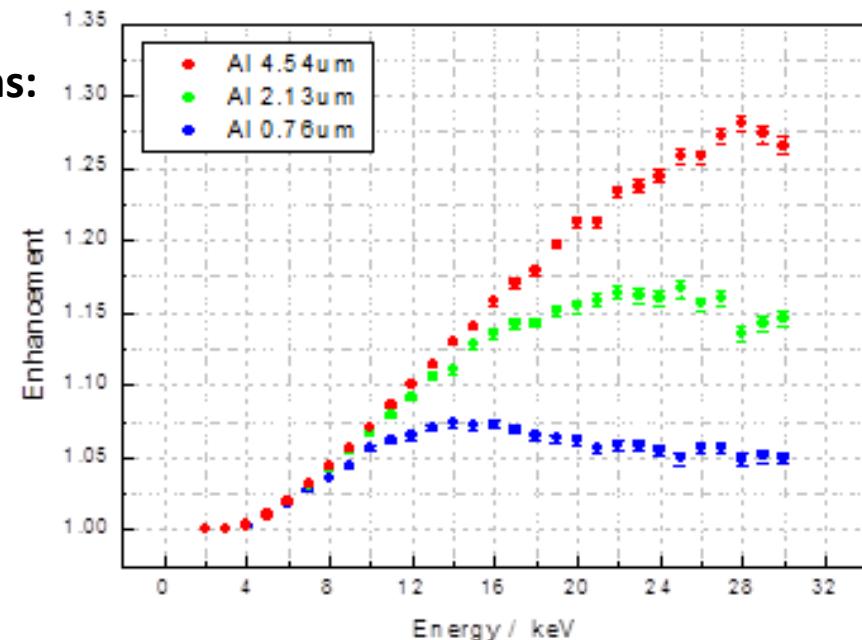
## Secondary electron induced inner-shell ionizations:

Discrete energy electrons: Photo-e, Auger

Continuous energy electrons: Compton



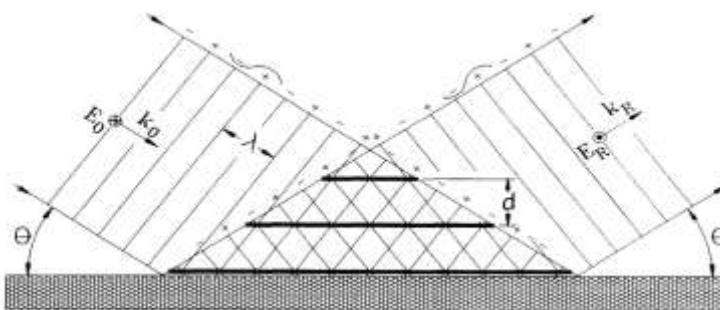
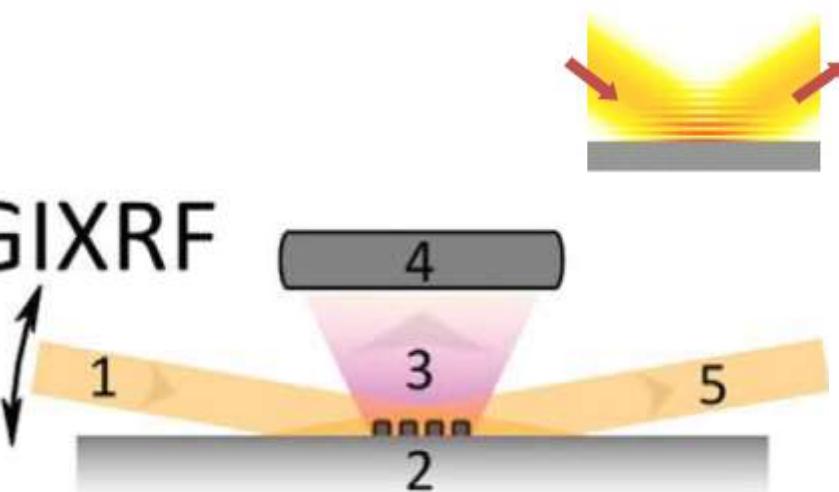
Ejected electrons from the atoms of element  $j$  can ionize an inner shell of element  $i$



New measurements available for silicon nitride ( $\text{Si}_3\text{N}_4$ ) membranes 100 - 2000 nm 4-14 keV range

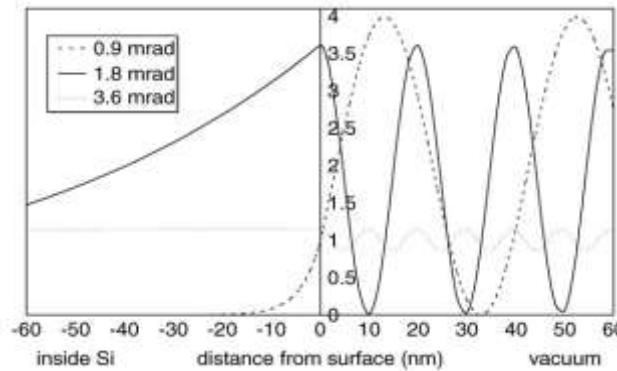
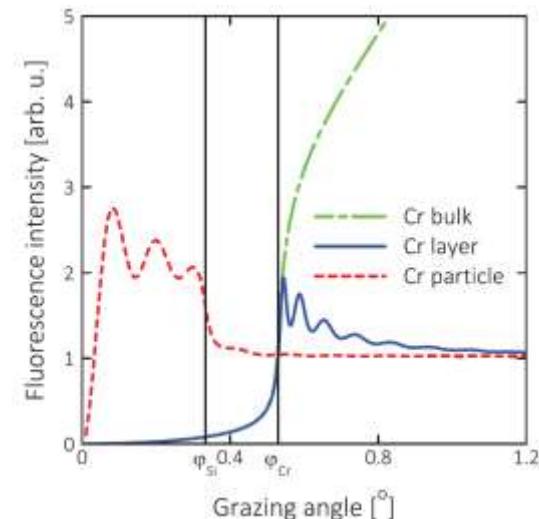
### MSc Thesis

- Analysis of synchrotron data
- GEANT/PENELOPE MC simulations

**GIXRF**

GIXRF/XRR as Characterization Tools for Patterned Hierarchical Nanoarchitectures

Formation of X-ray Standing Wave (XSW) at grazing incident/exit angle



Electric Field Modulations above the surface

**MSc Thesis**

- Analysis of synchrotron data/Development of methodology
- Joint project with INN (E. Makarona)



# 1<sup>st</sup> Greek Summer School Synchrotron Radiation: properties & applications Thessaloniki | 5-8.9.2022



## SCOPE

- 1<sup>st</sup> Summer School within the framework of Greece's participation in the ESRF
- Hosted by Aristotle University of Thessaloniki
- It will provide the necessary background on the properties and applications of synchrotron radiation
- It is addressed to post-graduate and PhD students, to post-doctoral researchers and fellows involved in industrial R&D as well as to senior researchers willing to expand their scientific horizons.

## PROGRAM

- Hour-long lectures and afternoon lab-courses
- The tutors are experts in the field of Synchrotron Radiation.
- **Day 1:** SR properties & instrumentation | **Day 2:** X-ray diffraction | **Day 3:** X-ray spectroscopies | **Day 4:** X-ray Imaging
- Bring your laptop to work on real experimental data during the afternoon lab courses.
- Depending on Covid restrictions, this event may run in a hybrid mode with on-site and remote (zoom) participation.

## VENUE

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