

Students' Annual Seminar

Statics and dynamics in confluent cellular monolayers

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The static and dynamic properties of confluent epithelial monolayers are crucial for various biological processes, such as wound healing, embryogenesis, and cancer progression. The importance of these processes calls for a quantitative understanding of these properties. Recent experiments indicate nearly universal cell shape variability in such systems. Additionally, there is a robust correlation between the average cell shape and cellular dynamics. In this talk, I will discuss both the static properties, encompassing cell shape and the radial distribution function, and the dynamical properties, including collective cell migration and cell divisions within epithelial cells. I will also discuss the correlations among static and dynamic properties.

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17:00 Hrs (Tea / Coffee 16:45 Hrs)

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