

What?: 2-day workshop on optimizing microscopy imaging, image restoration, deconvolution and analysis for all your microscopy images

When?: 14 + 15<sup>th</sup> of May, 2019

Where?: Kopenhagen

## For whom?:

For any researcher in Denmark working with fluorescence microscopy. In particular when you use one of the of the following imaging techniques:

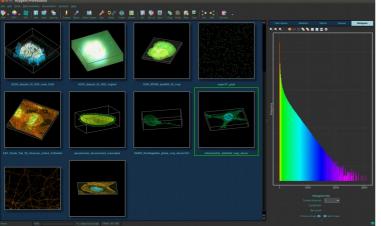
- ✔ Widefield/epi-fluorescence
- ✓ Confocal or Multi-Photon
- ✓ Airyscan
- ✓ STÉD
- ✓ Spinning-disk
- ✓ Light-sheet

## What will be covered?:

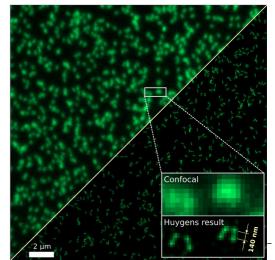
- ✓ Optimizing image acquisition for reliable image analysis
- ✓ Image restoration
- ✓ Deconvolution & Batch Processing
- ✓ Image visualization (2D and 3D)
- ✓ 3D Object Analysis
- ✓ 3D Colocalization
- ✓ Object Tracking (tracking moving objects)
- ✓ Hands-on: both with demo-data and your own data
- ✓ And much more!

## Interested to join?:

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Huygens Professional User Interface



GATTAquant nanorulers (140nm) imaged with Zeiss Airyscan and deconvolved with Huygens. Courtesy: Dr. Christoffer Lagerholm (WIMM, University of Oxford)



Get the most from your microscopy data! Huygens image deconvolution, restoration, and analysis

Microscopy images show you no more than what the microscope is willing to tell you about the object being investigated. Artifacts like blurring, noise, drift, chromatic aberration and crosstalk all distort your image and affect the 'true' object distribution. Consequently, image interpretation and subsequent co-localization analysis and quantitative objects measurements are severely perturbed. Fortunately, most of these distortion can be measured. For example, the Point Spread Function (PSF), the basic building block from which your acquired image is constructed, can be calculated and used within the Huygens software to trace back this construction process to the original constituent object, thus restoring it. As a result, Huygens significantly improves image contrast and resolution, and decreases noise levels.

Typical improvements of 1.5x to 2x the optical resolution limit, and at least a 2x increase in contrast can be achieved with Huygens deconvolution. This allows researchers to obtain more reliable data, which facilitates the subsequent visualization, segmentation, and analysis of the imaged objects. The significant gain in contrast that can be obtained even permits faster image acquisition over longer periods of time with less bleaching and photo-toxicity issues.

With the new Huygens Batch Express option, deconvolution can be fully automatically performed on images from a wide range of microscope types, including widefield, confocal, Airyscan, spinning disk, multi-photon, 3D STED, and Light Sheet. Besides having the most advanced GPU-accelerated deconvolution algorithms currently available, Huygens also contains a complete set of restoration options to address other imaging problems like for example drift, crosstalk, and chromatic aberration. Additional colocalization and object analysis options may complement your imaging workflow.

Huygens is suited for beginners, advanced users, and multi-user facilities. Tests licenses can be requested on <u>www.svi.nl</u>

