

## **NEWS FROM THE ANALYTICAL INSTRUMENTATION FACILITY (AIF) - DECEMBER 2021**



### **Happy Holidays From AIF**

The AIF team wishes everyone happy holidays and we hope everyone stays safe and healthy. We are looking forward to seeing many of you in the new year!

[Happy Holidays »](#)



### **AIF Director, Nina Balke, Featured in Women in AFM Blog**

Dr. Nina Balke was recently featured in the Women in AFM Blog. The aim of the Women in AFM campaign is to raise awareness not only of the fantastic work women are doing, but also to allow them to connect with one another. Nina's research uses AFM to understand and discover new nanoscale materials' functionality driven by electric fields for information and energy technology. Click here to read more about her work and other women that were featured.

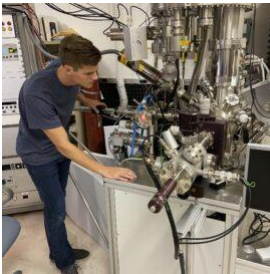
[#WomenInAFM campaign »](#)



## **2021 Carolina Science Symposium Recap**

The 2021 Carolina Science Symposium, co-organized by the AVS Mid-Atlantic Chapter, Carolinas Central Chapter of ASM International, and local MRS chapter, successfully held their annual event virtually on November 11-12 with 66 registrants from around the Mid-Atlantic region. Click here to see the award winners, YouTube video, and more.

[2021 CSS Recap »](#)



## **AIF User Spotlight**

Landon Keller is a 2nd year graduate student in Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering, working under Dr. Gregory Parsons. His lab conducts research related to nanofabrication of thin films and electronic materials through vapor deposition techniques. Read more about Landon here.

[Meet Landon »](#)



## **RTNN Kickstarter Program**

Do you know about RTNN's Kickstarter Program? This program provides free access to RTNN facilities to new and non-traditional users with limited experience, resources, and/or financial means. The fall priority deadline has passed, but they continue to accept applications on a rolling basis. Click here to read more and apply.

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## **Job Opportunities**

There are several open job positions listed on our website. If you or anyone you know may be interested, please click the link to view the following positions: Undergraduate Student Worker, RTNN Center Support - NC State University; Postdoctoral Research Fellow Positions, Zhu Research Group - NC State University; Scanning Probe Microscopy Laboratory Manager - Stanford Nano Shared Facilities.

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