

## Service runs on AFM

- Research groups, with no AFM expert in group or suitable collaboration with AFM-expert.
- Can be short- or long-term studies.
- **How to access?**
  - contact Dr. Jing Li, she will guide you to the right procedure.

- **Prices for MMK users:**
  - Internal instrument fee + operator fee

- **Recognition**

### **Acknowledgments**

- Routine measurements: Imaging, data collection,
- The client take full responsibility for the interpretation (of course, Jing would like to discuss the results)

### **Co-authorship**

- Staff contributes significantly to the interpretation of the data
- Data processing and refinement of AFM experiments
- Advanced imaging/data processing
- For example: deeper analysis of e.g. quantitative AFM data

# Training AFM

- Demand a great deal of time to be a skilled AFM operator – very important to be committed to the training. Intensive use of the AFM on different samples on different modes
- **Module based**
  - Basic:** Imaging, needs several sessions (max. 2 person at a time)
  - Advanced next level** which needs several sessions (max. one person at a time)
- advanced imaging using different modes
- advanced data analysis
- Advanced next level** which needs more several training (max. one person at a time)
- PFQNM
- The more the student practicing and self-preparation the goal can be achieved in a shorter time.
- There are lots of materials and literature available in Internet
- It is important realistic expectations on what results that can be obtained

## Sample preparation

- It is very important for successful AFM studies.