#### CONGRATULATIONS TO THE 2010 DIATOME POSTER AWARD WINNERS

DiATOME hosts a poster contest each year during the Microscopy & Microanalysis annual meeting where members of the MSA council select the best poster presentation using Diamond Knives. DiATOME is proud to announce the following award winners for the 2010 meeting:

- 1st Place Winner (All expense paid trip for two people for one week in Switzerland): M.P. Goheen, Indiana University Poster: "Unexpected identification of *Trophrcyma whippelii* in a renal biopsy specimen"
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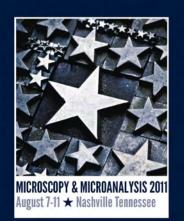
The awards for the best poster presentation using Diamond Knives, as well as the Diamond Knife raffle, will be offered again at the M&M 2011 Meeting in Nashville, Tennessee. The Diamond Knife raffle winners were as follows:

Monday: David W. Tomlin, Azimuth Corporation Wednesday: Karen Kelley, University of Florida, Gainesville

Tuesday: Patricia Kysar, University of California, Davis Thursday: Charlotte L. Ownby, Oklahoma State University, Stillwater

A heartfelt Congratulation is extended from DiATOME to the winners.

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#### PLENARY SPEAKER:

#### Professor Stefan W. Hell

Director of the Max Planck Institute for Biophysical Chemistry Head of the Department of NanoBiophotonics Göttingen, Germany

Professor Hell is widely acknowledged for innovations that have shattered Abbe's diffraction-limited resolution barrier in a light-focusing microscope. His talk, "Nanoscopy with Focused Light" will be presented on Monday, August 8, 8:30 AM at the Nashville Convention Center.

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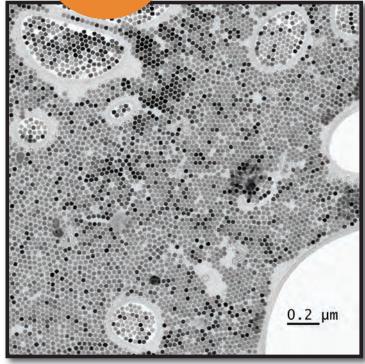
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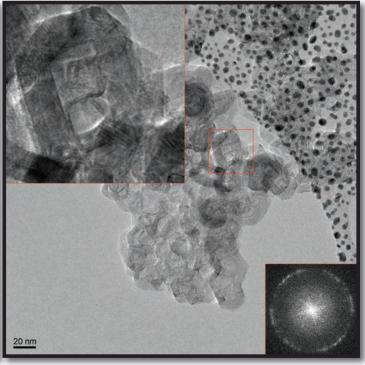
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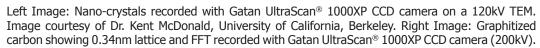
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