

## **Special rules for UHV-Cluster and NanoSAM training/access.**

There is no regular training organized neither for the instruments of the UHV Cluster nor for the NanoSAM instrument. These instruments serve a closed communities of experts on this method and they are operated and managed by responsible research groups of CEITEC. Being highly complex, it is hardly possible to master them during a single training event.

Therefore, the usual way how to get the access to these instruments is by joining the particular CEITEC research group and gaining the experience by supporting the group with its activities. Usually, this is a very time-and-effort consuming procedure and it pays off only in case when the user intends to use the instrument extensively, on regular basis, and for a long period (many months / years). In all other cases the preferred way for an external user is to consider the "full service" mode, in which the experiments are performed by a CEITEC-Nano expert under supervision of the external user / customer.

In case of your interest to become a frequent and independent user of any of the aforementioned instruments, please let us know. We are ready to connect you with a representative of the particular research group. Together, you should be able to determine the terms and conditions of your access to the instruments.

With best regards,

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