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(gegenüber Mensa)

## Photocatalysis on TiO<sub>2</sub>: insights from simulations

I shall present recent applications of first principles electronic structure calculations and molecular dynamics simulations to understand materials properties and reaction mechanisms in TiO<sub>2</sub>-based heterogeneous photocatalysis. Examples will focus on the structure and reactivity of anatase TiO<sub>2</sub> aqueous interfaces, the behavior of charge carriers at the interface, and the formation and structure of so-called black TiO<sub>2</sub>, a promising functional material capable to absorb the whole spectrum of visible light.

All interested colleagues are welcome to this seminar lecture (45 min. presentation followed by discussion)

Friedrich Aumayr  
(LVA-Leiter)

Ulrike Diebold  
(Seminar Chair)