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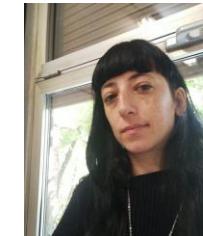


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Unit objectives

CNR Research Unit

CNR coordinates the Project and is responsible of the WP1 and WP4 and participates to the WP2, WP3, WP5 and WP6 activities:

- in WP1 CNR will ensure the project development, the progress and quality of results with respect to the objectives; in collaboration with all the units will promote the dissemination of the results and the communication and transfer of knowledge;
- In WP3 CNR will share the spectroscopic competences and facilities to support the analytical (quantitative) study by non destructive and micro-destructive methods
- CNR will coordinate the activity of the WP4 aimed at the development of non invasive multimodal approach to study the composition of reference and aged materials
- CNR will participate to the activity of WP5 aimed at the development of non invasive multimodal approach to study the mechanical properties of reference and aged materials
- CNR will participate to the pilot studies of WP6 sharing the available non invasive portable facilities for the in-situ studies

Facilities

- ✓ Portable non-invasive single-point spectroscopies and hyperspectral techniques – MOLAB
- ✓ Spatially-resolved micro-spectroscopies
- ✓ Integrated Brillouin and Raman microspectroscopy
- ✓ Solid & liquid-state NMR spectroscopy



Analytical tools to

- ✓ provide information on compositional and mechanical properties of plastics
- ✓ evaluate conservation state (oxidation, depolymerization, deposits)
- ✓ monitor conservation treatments (cleaning and protective coatings)

MOLAB: the mobile laboratory for in situ non invasive analysis of CH objects by portable analytical instrumentation



Point analysis

- pXRF
- UV-vis-NIR absorption & emission
- Raman (532, 785, 1064 nm), SORS
- Broad range external reflection FTIR

Morphological structural analysis

- OCT
- Profilometry
- NMR relaxometry

Hyperspectral Imaging

- CRONO X-ray scanner
- IRIS X-ray, Vis-NIR-SWIR scanner
- Vis NIR HI(400-1000 nm)
- NIR-SWIR HI (1000-2500 nm)
- MIR HI (4000-1000 cm⁻¹)

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Previous Projects

- **2020-2024** – Integrated Platform for the European Research Infrastructure-IPERION-HS (H2020-INFRAIA-2019-1, GA No. 871034).
- **2019-2021** – PON SHINE-Strengthening of the national hub of E-RHIS - European Research Infrastructure for Heritage (PON Ricerca e Innovazione 2014-2020 Finanziamenti finalizzati al potenziamento di infrastrutture di ricerca).
- **2015-2019** – Integrated Platform for the European Research Infrastructure ON Cultural Heritage- IPERION-CH (H2020-INFRAIA).
- **2013-2016** – FUTURAHMA - From FUTurism to Classicism, Research, Art History and Material Analysis (MIUR Futuro in ricerca FIRB 2012).
- **2013-2016** – SICH - Sustainability in Cultural Heritage (PRIN 2010-2011 - MIUR).

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