



10th International Soft Matter Conference

ISM 2026



BITS Pilani - K K Birla Campus, Goa, India
May 25–29, 2026



About the Conference

ISM 2026 brings together researchers across physics, chemistry, biology, and engineering to explore the fascinating world of soft matter and complex fluids. For the first time, this prestigious event will be hosted in India.

Deadline for Abstract : 15 December, 2025

- **8 Plenary & 32 Keynote Speakers**
- **~1000 Participants** expected worldwide
- Representation from **academia, industry, and research labs**
- **Sessions on:** Colloids · Rheology · Polymers & Gels · Self-Assembly · Fluid Dynamics · Active & Biological Matter · Sustainability · Interfaces & Membranes · Liquid Crystals

Plenary Speakers

Amy Shen
OIST, Japan

Andrea J. Liu
UPenn, USA

Emanuela Zaccarelli
Univ La Sapienza, Italy

Gareth McKinley
MIT, USA

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