

# 3D printing of titanium alloys for biomedical and robotic applications

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Studierende



84 % Bachelor  
16 % Master

50 % weiblich  
50 % männlich



**2873**  
Mitarbeitende

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Stellen

530 Professorinnen  
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## Studierende & Mitarbeitende an den Standorten

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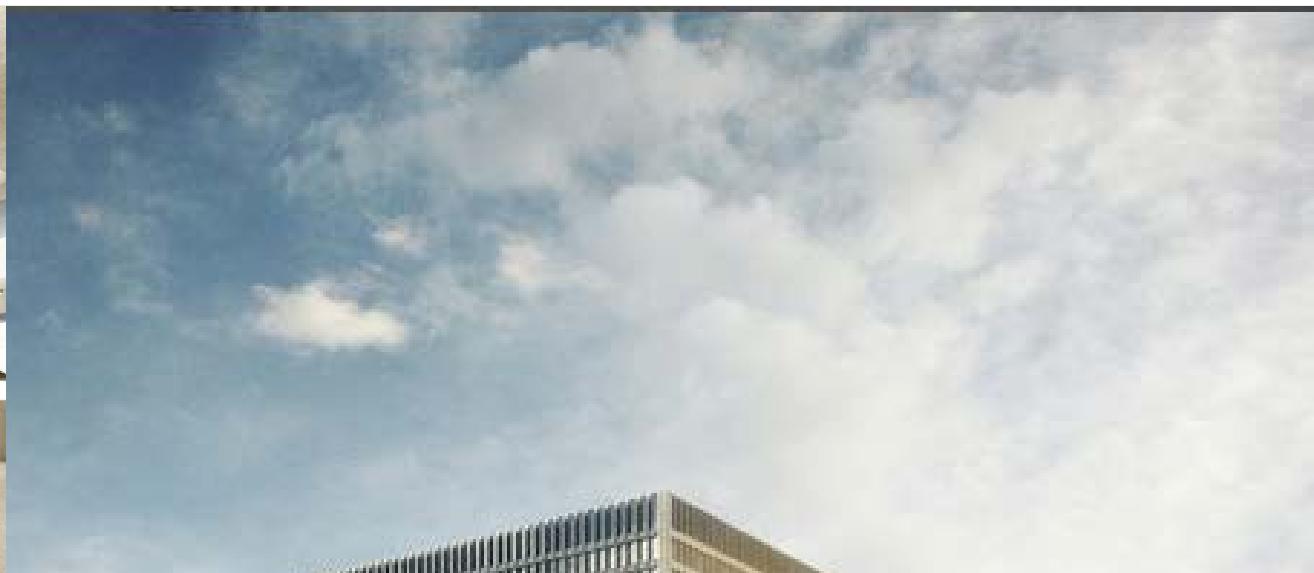
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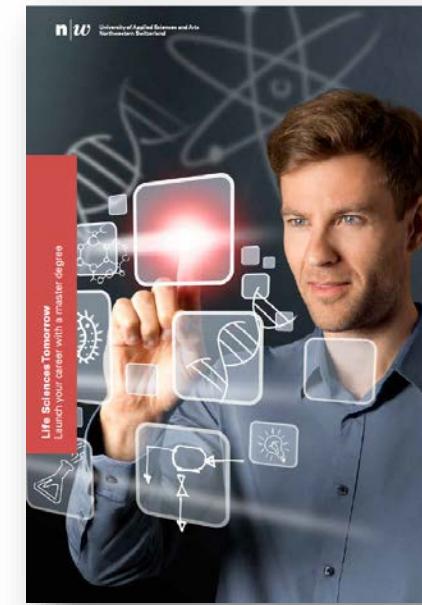
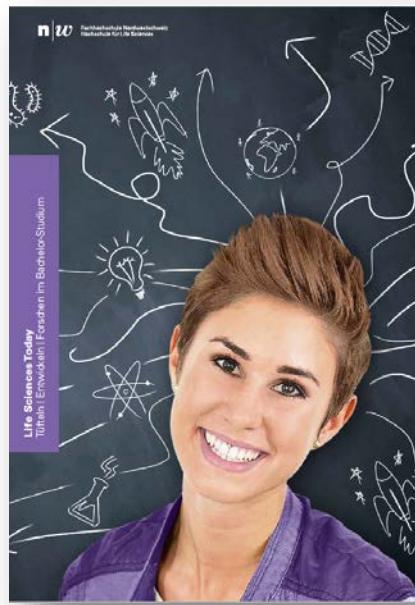
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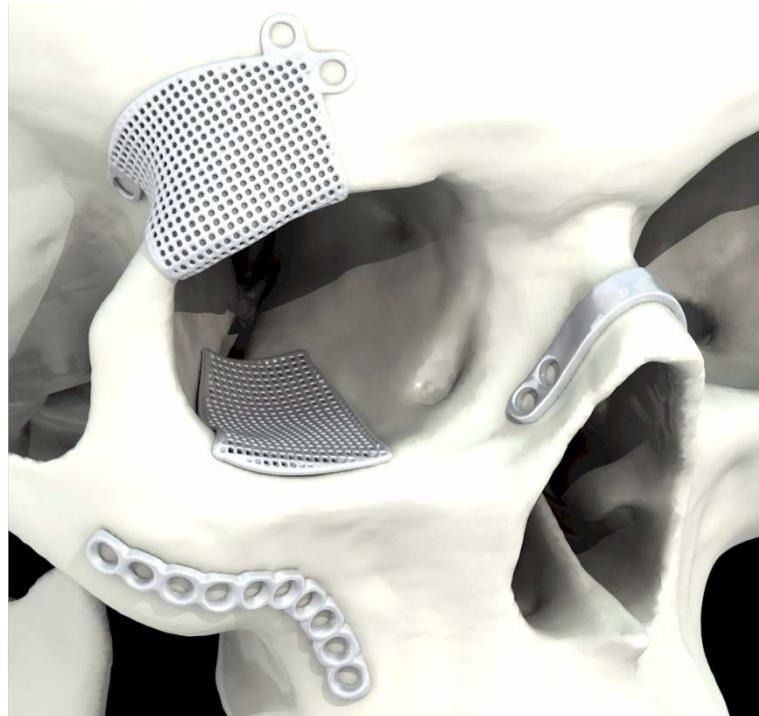


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# Open-porous shape memory implants for temporary or permanent bone replacement



virtual representation

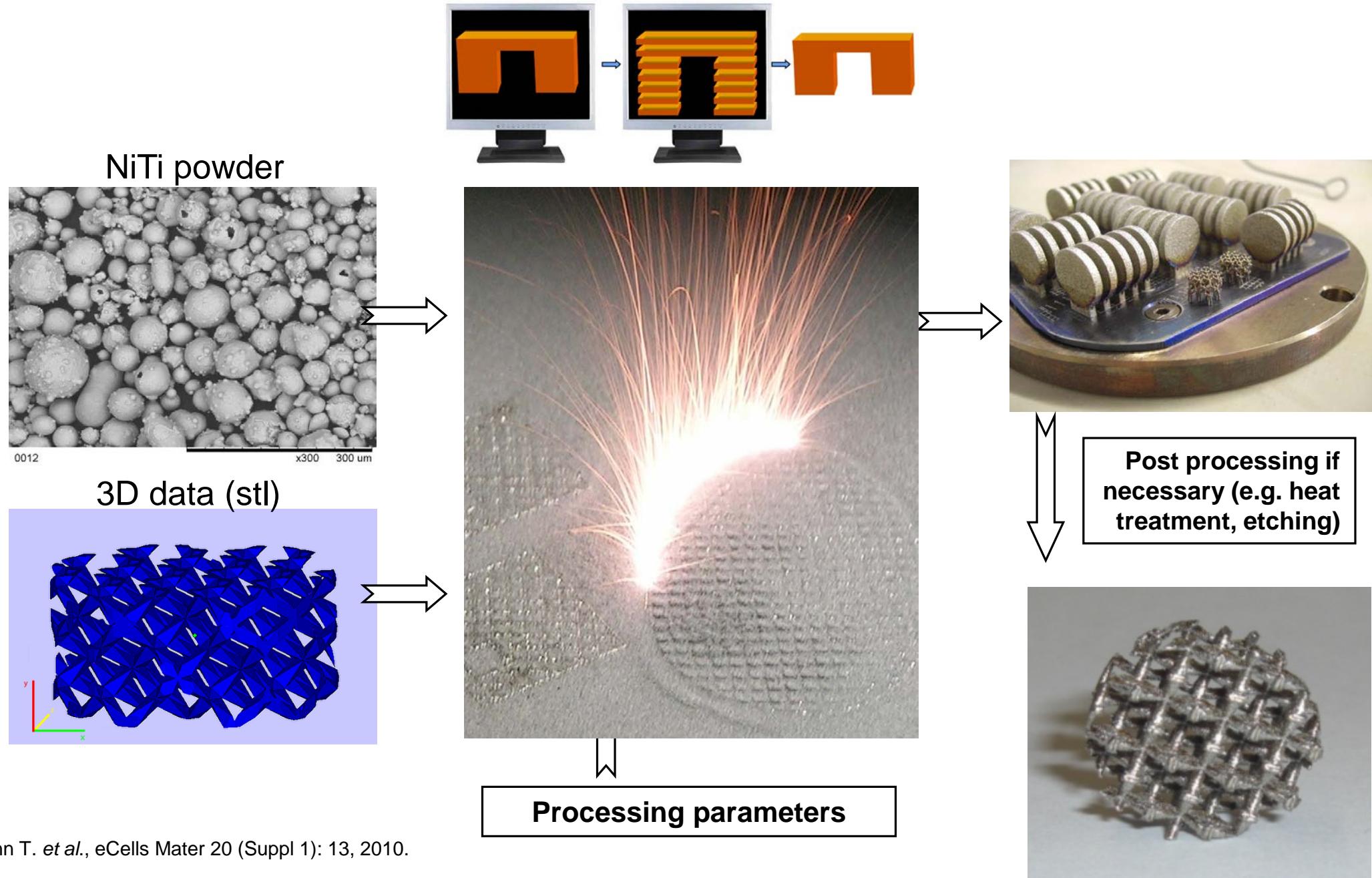


physical representation

R. Schumacher, M. de Wild, S. Fabbri, A. Yildiz, E. Schkommodau, *Rapid Manufacturing of Individualized Ti-6Al-4V Bone Implants*, European Cells and Materials Vol. 17/22, 1 (2009).

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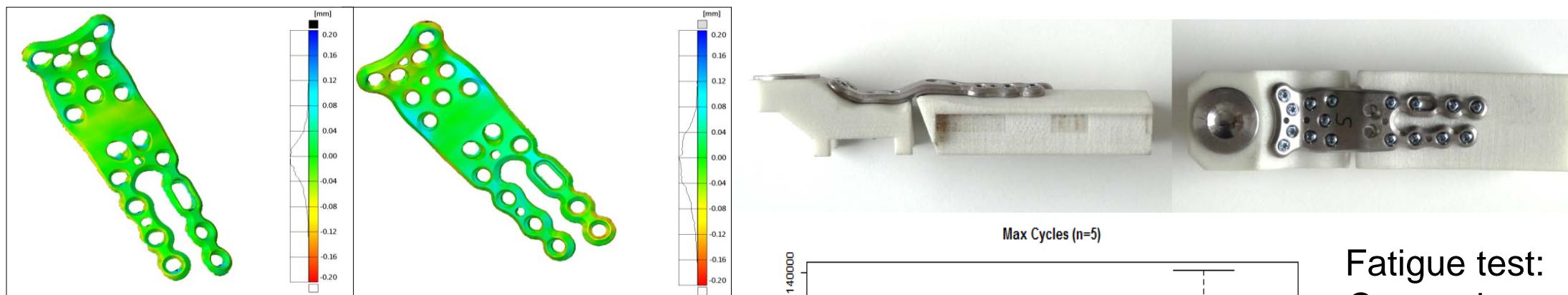
# Fabrication of NiTi samples by selective laser melting



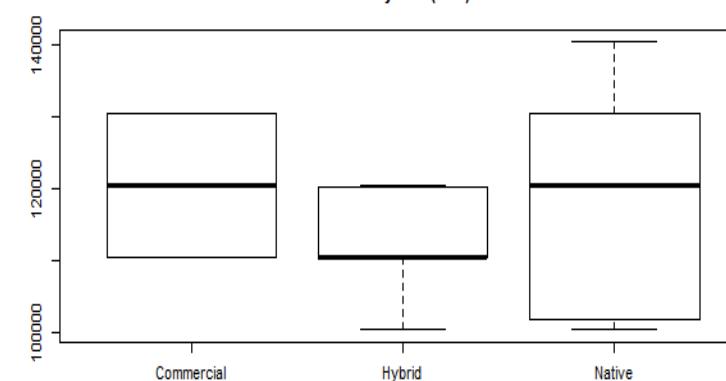
# Individualized implants for temporary or permanent bone replacement



Left: Medartis® wrist fusion plate spanning the radio-carpal and mid-carpal joint. Right: SLM replica.

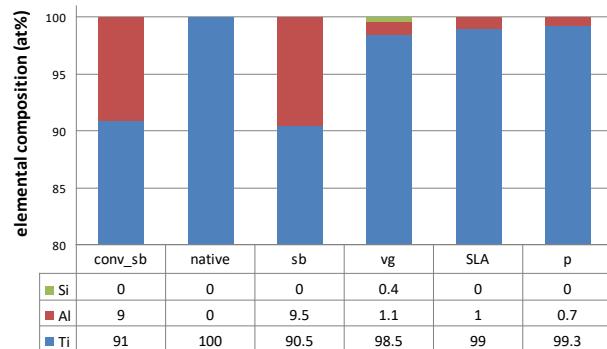
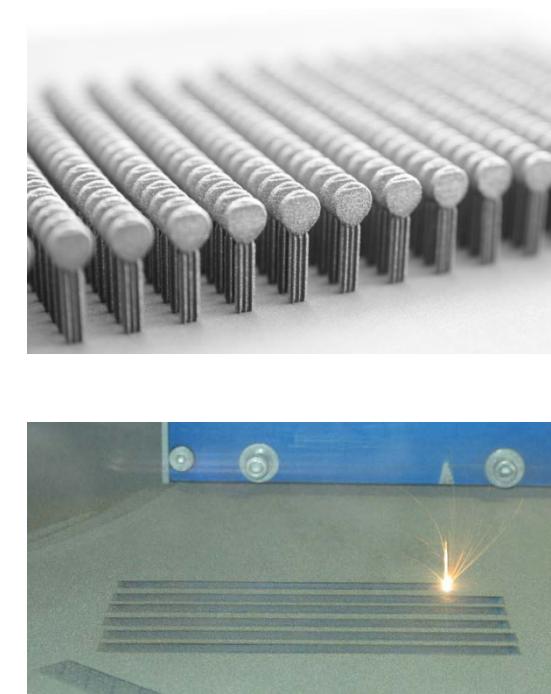
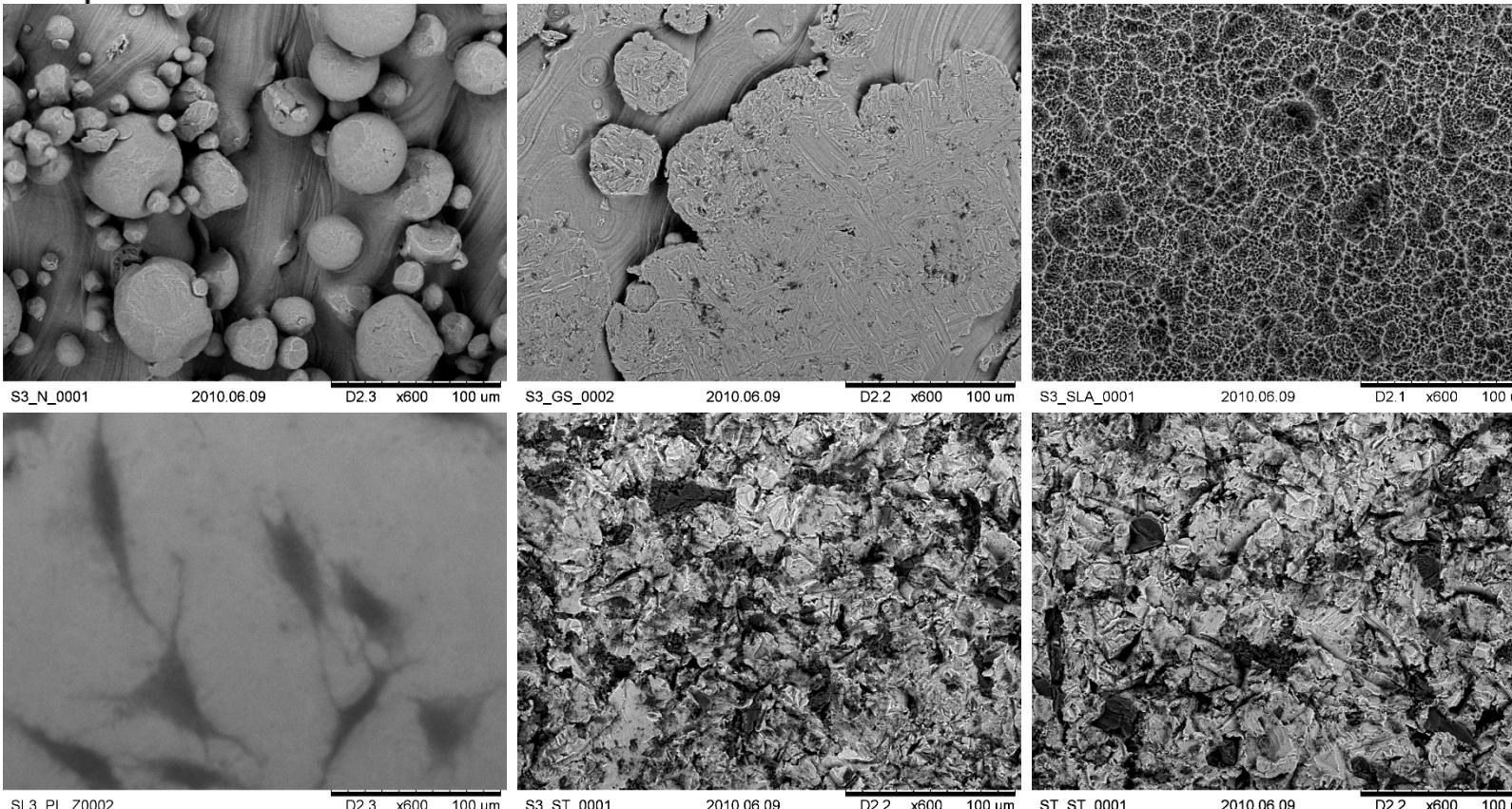


Geometrical accuracy check. Left: before heat treatment. Right: after heat treatment.

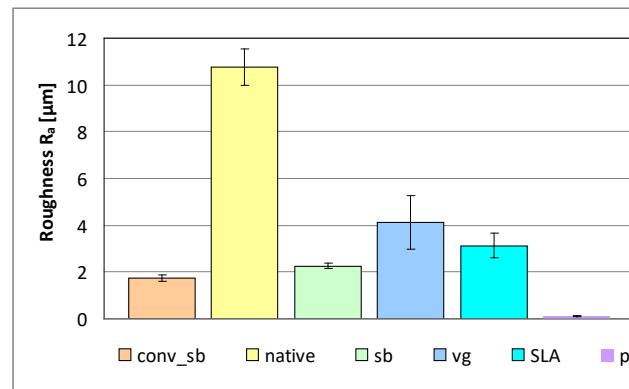


Fatigue test:  
Comparison  
between  
commercially  
machined plates  
and SLM plates.

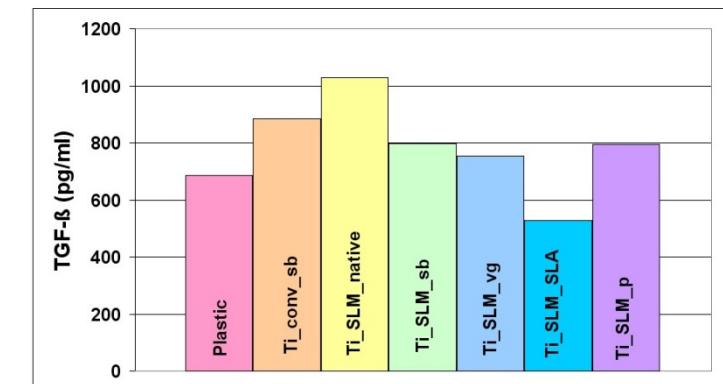
medartis®



EDX elemental analysis.



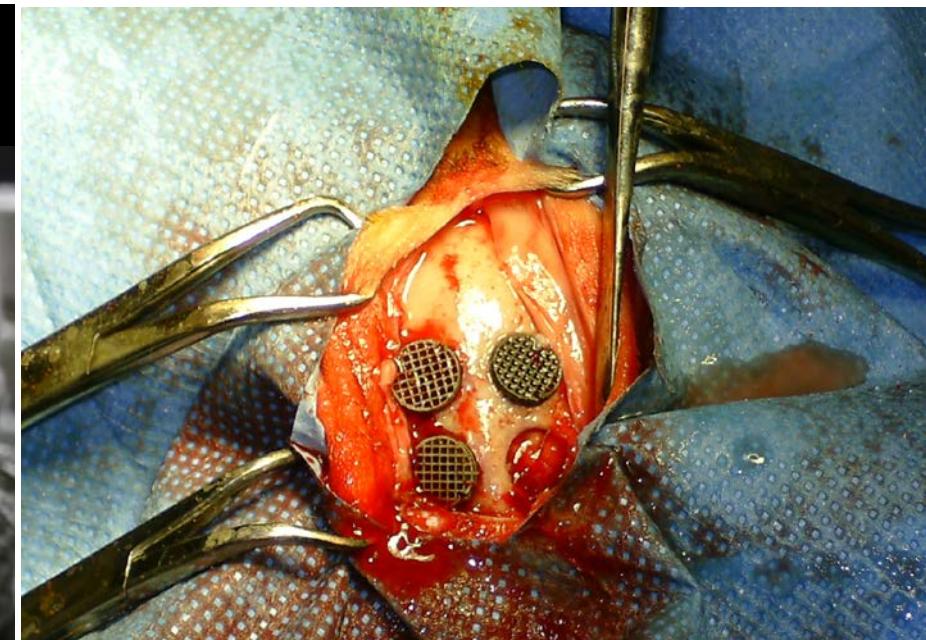
Roughness analysis.



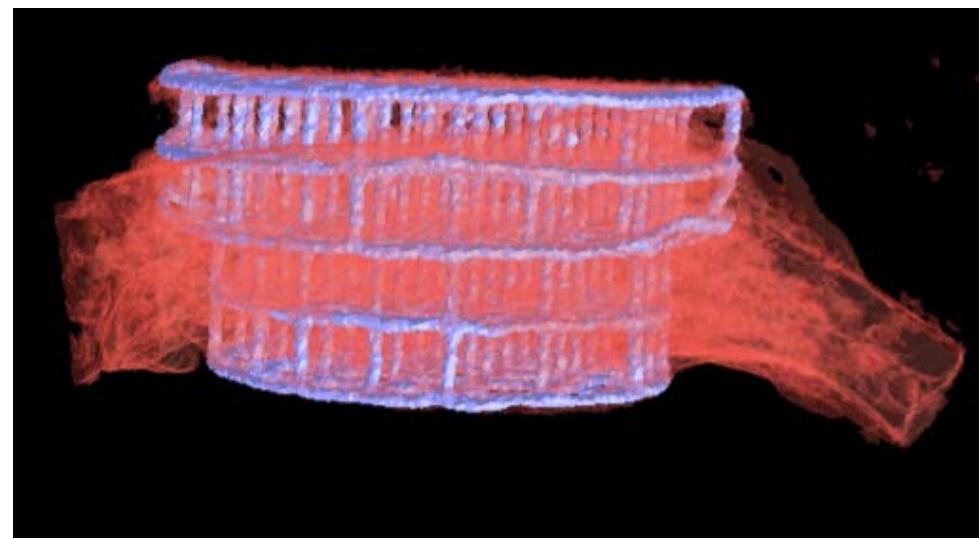
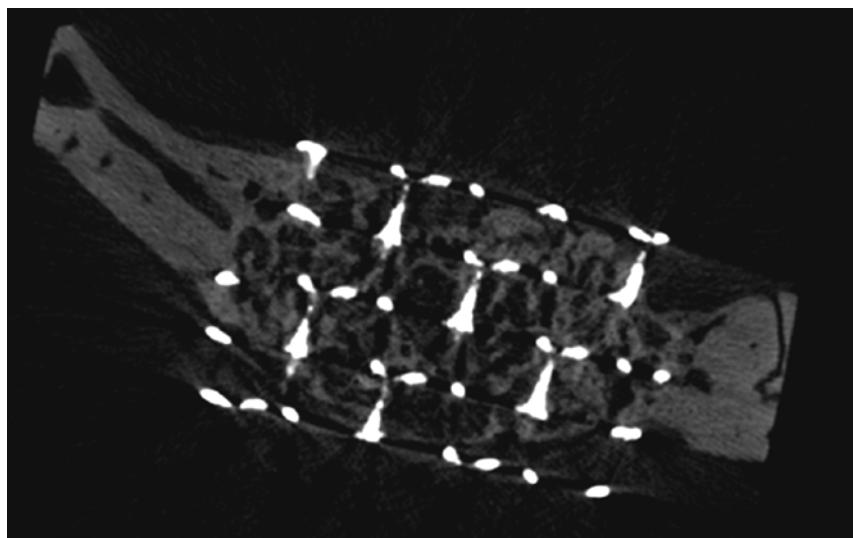
TGF-β expression of MG63 cells on different surface topographies after 14 days.



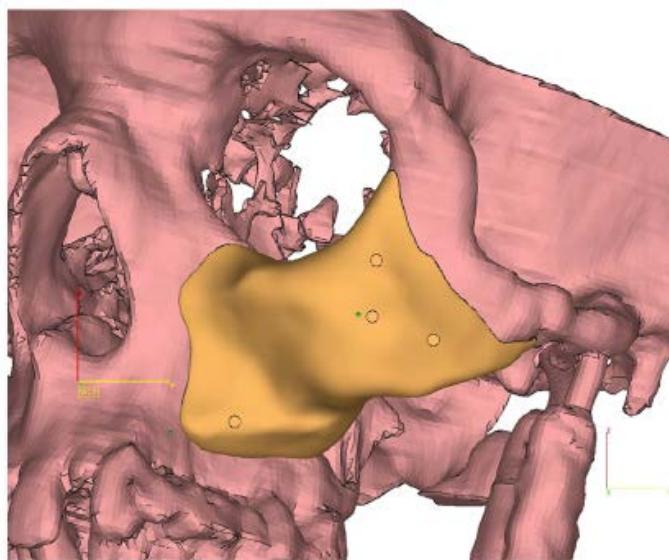
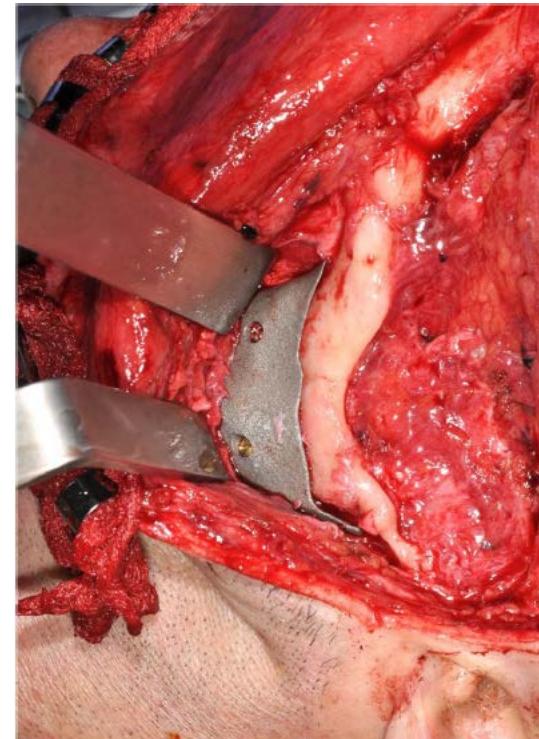
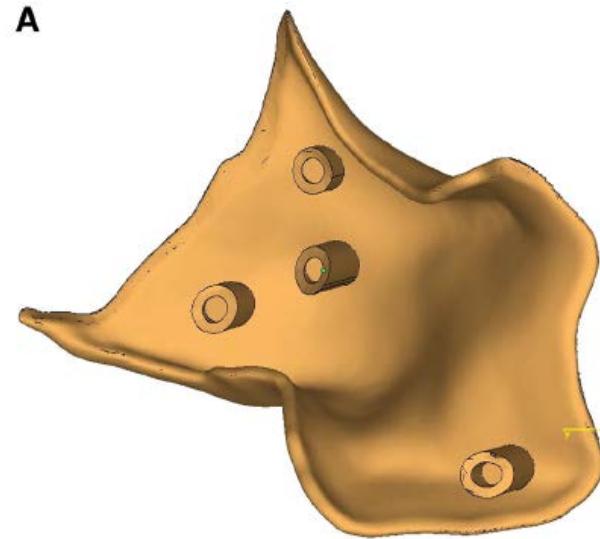
Titanium



porous cpTi implants



M. de Wild, R. Schumacher, K. Mayer, E. Schkommmodau, D. Thoma, M. Bredell, A. Kruse, K.W. Grätz, F.E. Weber, *Bone regeneration by the osteoconductivity of porous titanium implants manufactured by selective laser melting: A histological and  $\mu$ CT study in the rabbit*, Tissue Engineering Part A, 19(23-24):2645-54 (2013).

**trauma event during which the bone segments were lost****A**

Intraoperative placement and fixation of the implant using 2.0-mm titanium lag-screws(arrows).



Postoperative axial CT scan showing the restoration of the symmetry of the zygomatic bone.

The virtual zygoma implant. (A) Internal side with fixation rods. (B) Position on the skull.

Rotaru et al., *Selective laser melted titanium implants: a new technique for the reconstruction of extensive zygomatic complex defects*, Maxillofacial Plastic and Reconstructive Surgery (2015) 37:1

# Medartis kauft Mimedis

Fr 07.07.2017 - 11:00 Uhr | Aktualisiert 07.07.2017 - 11:00  
von [Tamara Schüle](#)

Medartis hat das Start-up Mimedis aufgekauft. Beide Hersteller von medizinischen Produkten haben ihren Hauptsitz in Basel.



Basel

## Medizintechnik-Spinoff Mimedis an Medartis verkauft

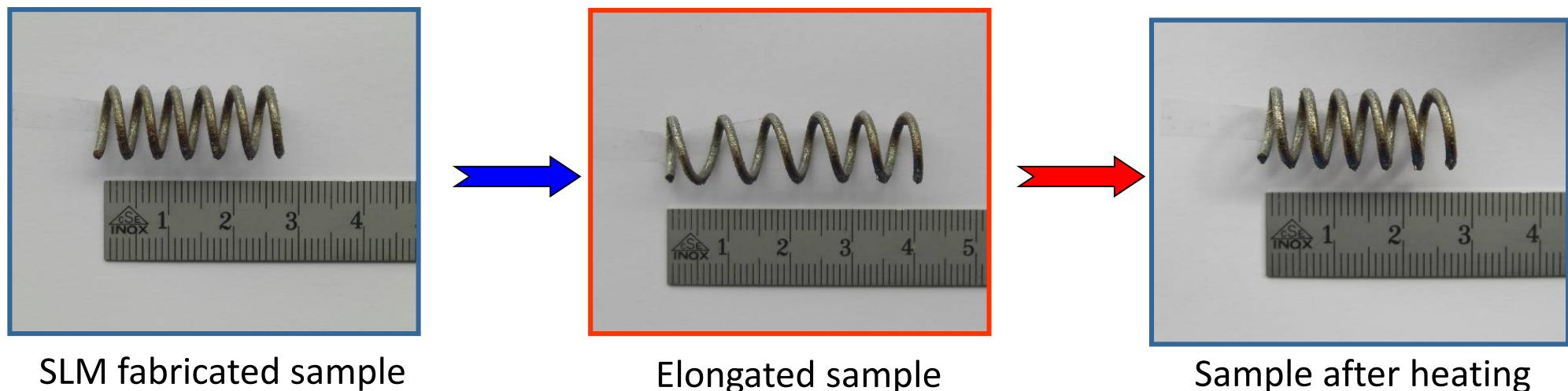
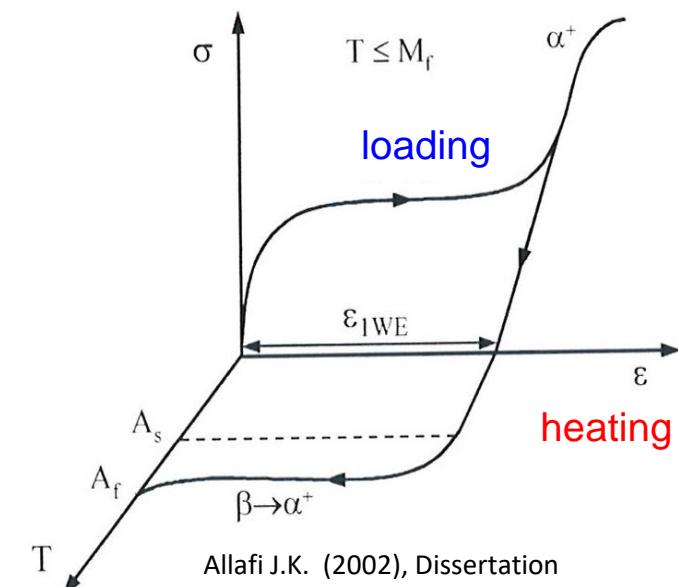
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Das Basler Medizintechnik-Jungunternehmen Mimedis ist an den Implantat-Spezialisten Medartis verkauft worden. Das Fachhochschul-Spin-off Mimedis hat eine neue Technologie mit 3D-Druckern entwickelt, die exakte individuelle Implantate schnell verfügbar macht.

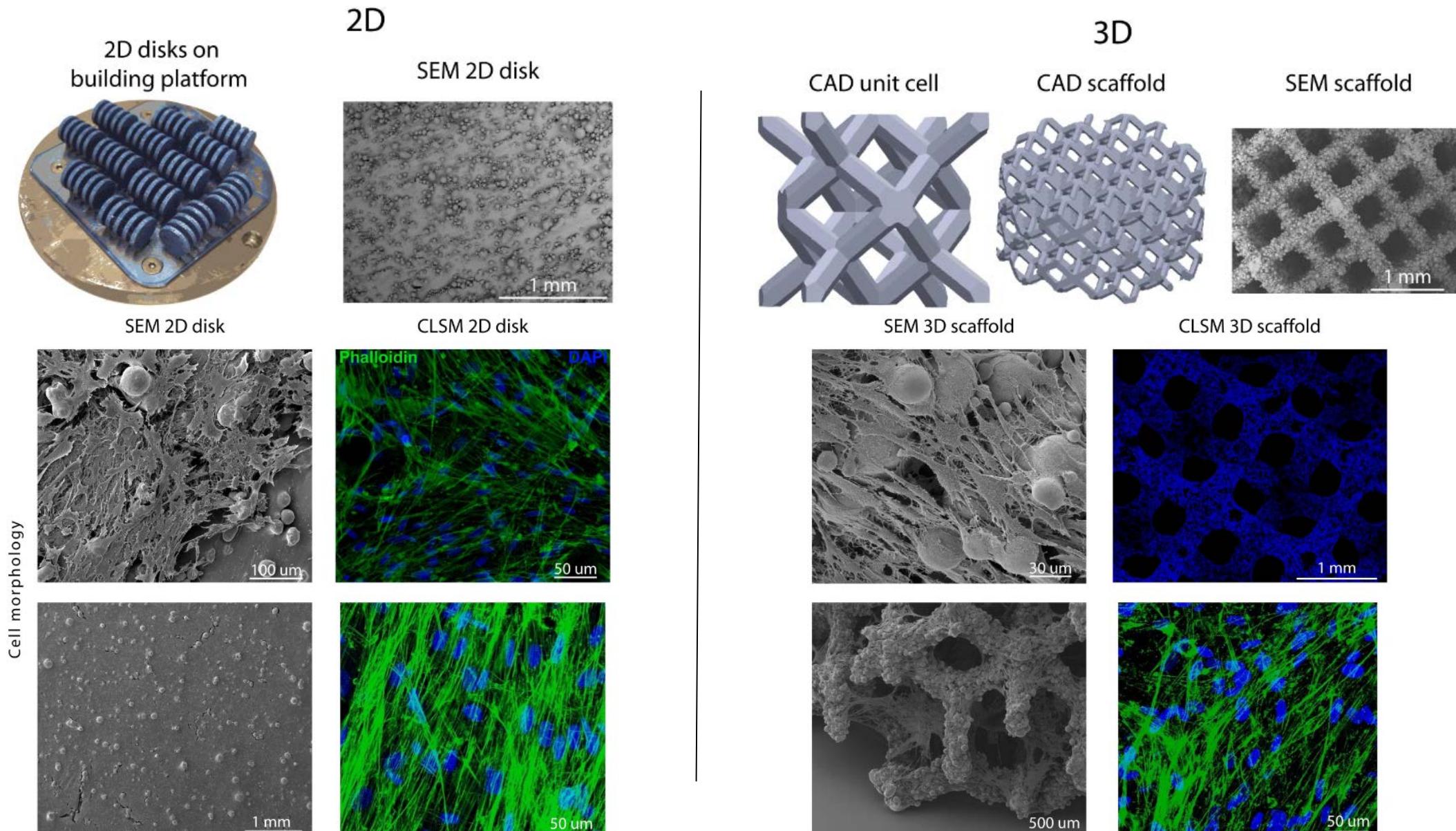
# The shape memory effect



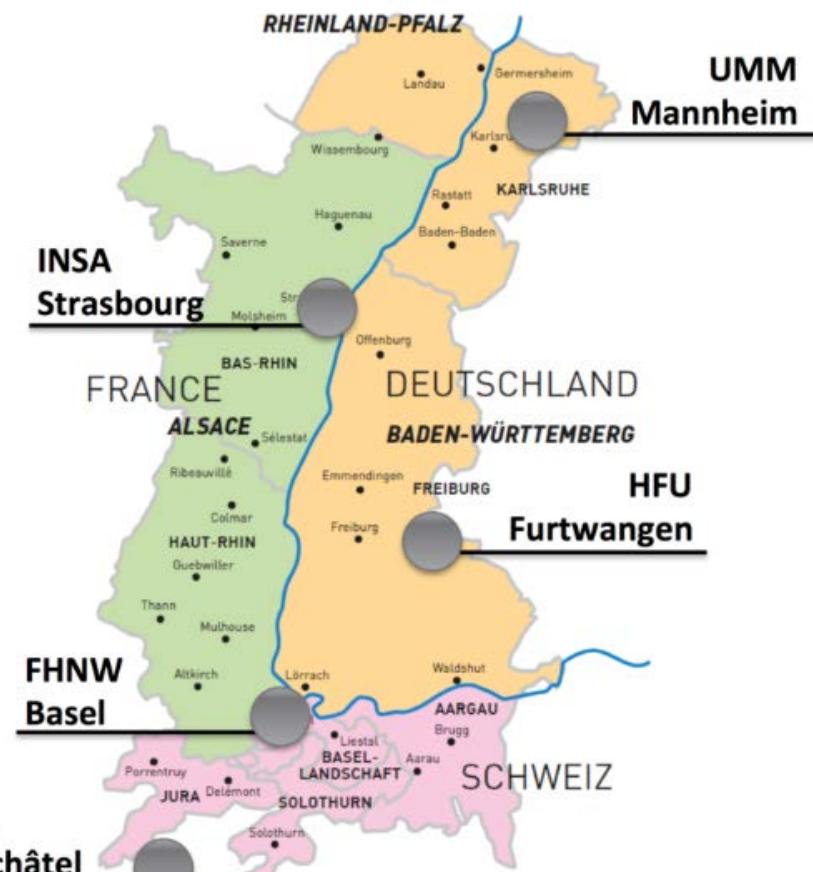
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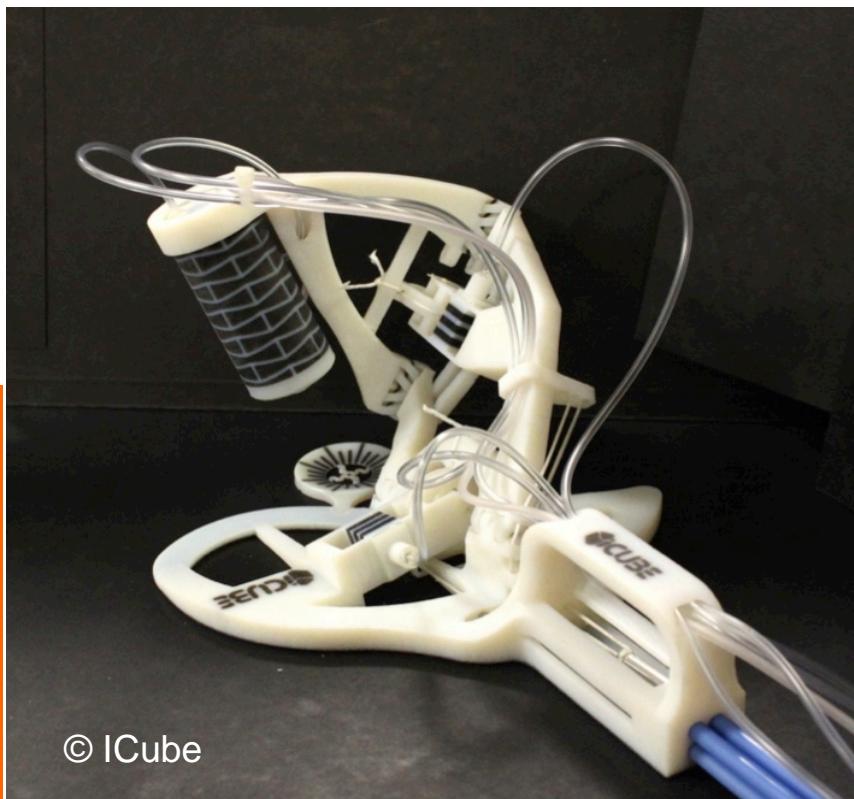
# Smart NiTi constructs for 3D cell culture applications



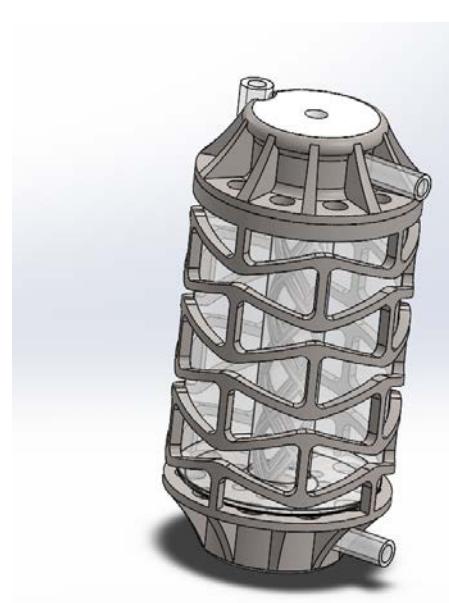
# SPIRITS: Smart Printed Interactive Robots for Interventional Therapy and Surgery



## Innovative robotics for interventional radiology and image-guided surgery



A multimodal versatile robotic device  
for smart needle manipulation



schematic CAD design of an auxetic drive  
structure for biopsy needles



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M. de Wild, SPIRITS: Ein neues Roboter-Unterstützungssystem für die interventionelle Radiologie,  
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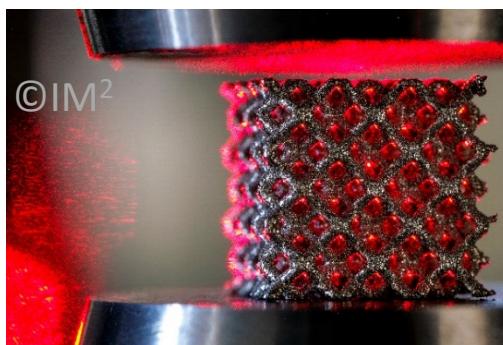
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Conference dinner:

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- **Prof. Dr. Regine Willumeit-Römer** (Helmholtz-Zentrum Geesthacht, Germany)  
“The Interplay Between Biodegradable Mg Implants And Cells And Tissues”
- **Dr. Thomas Hefti and Mrs. Philine Baumann-Zumstein** (Vascular Interventions, Biotronik AG, Bülach)  
“Resorbable Magnesium Scaffolds For Coronary Vascular Intervention; From Bench To Clinics”
- **Dr. Joëlle Amédée-Vilamitjana** (Tissue Bioengineering, Université de Bordeaux)  
“Vascularisation and innervation in regenerative medicine”
- **Dr. Maurizio Gullo** (FHNW, Institute for Medical Engineering and Medical Informatics IM<sup>2</sup>)  
“Challenges In 3D Biofabrication - From Organs On Chip Towards Organ Replacement”
- **Prof. Dr. Martin A. McNally** (University of Oxford, President of the European Bone and Joint Infection Society)  
“Biodegradable Antibiotic Carriers In Prevention And Treatment Of Bone And Joint Infections”
- **Prof. Dr. Leonard Charles Marais** (Orthopedic Surgery, University Kwazulu-Natal, Durban, South Africa)  
“Reconstruction Of Bone Defects”.

Scientific Committee:  
Dr. med. Mario Morgenstern (University Hospital Basel)  
PD Dr. Arnaud Scherberich (Departement Biomedizin, University Basel )  
Prof. Dr. Michael de Wild (Institute for Medical Engineering and Medical Informatics IM<sup>2</sup>, FHNW)



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