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Research activities:

- Transport at the scale of the nanopore capillarity, mass flow, entrance effects, filtration;
- Electrokinetic in charged nanopore nanofluidic diodes, noise analysis, polarisation effects;
- Mass transport at the macroscale bio-inspired membranes;
- Plant cell division modelling of the cytoskeleton dynamics.

Expertise:

- Molecular dynamics nanoscale flows, carbon nanofluidics, charged nanopores, electrokinetic effects;
- Finite element method transport through nanoporous media, electrokinetic effects;
- Analytical models membrane transport, thermoregulation;
- Fluorescence correlation spectroscopy mass flow measurements through slit nanochannel.

Publications:

Google Scholar profile

- Simon Gravelle, Hiroaki Yoshida, Laurent Joly, Christophe Ybert and Lydéric Bocquet: Carbon membranes for efficient ethanol-water separation J. Chem. Phys. 145 (2016):
- Simon Gravelle, Christophe Ybert, Lydéric Bocquet and Laurent Joly: Anomalous capillary filling and wettability reversal in nanochannels PRE 93 (2016);
- Simon Gravelle, Laurent Joly, Christophe Ybert, and Lydéric Bocquet: Large permeabilities of hourglass nanopores: from hydrodynamics to single file transport. J. Chem. Phys. 141 (2014);
- Alessandro Gadaleta, Catherine Sempere, Simon Gravelle, Alessandro Siria, Rémy Fulcrand, Christophe Ybert and Lydéric Bocquet: Sub-additive ionic transport across arrays of solid-state nanopores. Phys. Fluids 26, 012005 (2014);
- Clara B. Picallo, **Simon Gravelle**, Laurent Joly, Elisabeth Charlaix and Lydéric Bocquet : *Nanofluidic Osmotic Diodes: Theory and Molecular Dynamics Simulations*. **PRL** 111, 244501 [5 pages] (2013);
- Simon Gravelle, Laurent Joly, François Detcheverry, Christophe Ybert, Cécile Cottin-Bizonne and Lydéric Bocquet: Optimizing water permeability through the hourglass shape of aquaporins. PNAS 110 (41), 16367–16372 (2013).
- Adrien Guérin, **Simon Gravelle** and Jacques Dumais : Forces Behind Plant Cell Division (Comment) **PNAS** 113 (32), 8891-8893 (2016);
- Simon Gravelle: Nanofluidics: a theoretical and numerical investigation of fluid transport in nanochannels (Thesis manuscript) Université Claude Bernard, Lyon (2015);
- Simon Gravelle, Laurent Joly, François Detcheverry, Christophe Ybert, Cécile Cottin-Bizonne and Lydéric Bocquet : Perméabilité optimale des aquaporines : une histoire de forme ? (Vulgarisation) médecine/sciences 31 (2015).

Professional and academic record:

• 2016-today : **Posdoctorate**, UAI, Viña del mar, Chile. A biomimetic membrane with highly asymmetric water transport properties. Advisor: Jacques Dumais;

- 2012-2015: **PhD thesis**, ILM, Lyon, France. *Nanofluidics: a theoretical and numerical investigation of fluid transport in nanochannels*. Advisors: Christophe Ybert, Laurent Joly and Lydéric Bocquet;
 - July 2014: Invited student at the ICE group, University College London, London, England;
 - December 2013 and May-June 2014: Invited student at the MIT-CNRS-UMI, Cambridge, Massachusetts;
- 2010-12: Graduate student in physics at the **ENS** Lyon, Lyon, France;
 - 2012: Experimental internship, LPMCN. Experimental study of nanometric flow using fluorescence correlation spectroscopy. Advisors: Christophe Ybert and Lydéric Bocquet;
 - 2011 : Theoretical and numerical internship, LPMCN. Nanofluidic, study of an osmotic diode. Advisors: Laurent Joly and Lydéric Bocquet.
- 2007-10: Undergraduate student in physics at the University of Franche-Comté, Besançon, France;
- 2007: Baccalaureate S (Science stream), secondary school E. Belin, Vesoul, France.

Meetings (speaker):

- November 2016: Nanofluidics: a theoretical and numerical investigation of fluid transport in nanochannels. Ph.D. defense, Lyon, France;
- December 2014: Optimizing water permeability through the hourglass shape of aquaporins: From hydro-dynamics to single file transport. Computer Simulation of Combined Fluids, London, England;
- October 2014: Pink noise of ionic current, theory and modelisation. GdR Liquids at interfaces, Bordeaux, France;
- November 2013: Does the hourglass shape of aquaporins optimize water permeability? Division of Fluid Dynamics of the American Physical Society, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania;
- October 2013: Optimizing water permeability through the hourglass shape of aquaporin. GdR Liquids at interfaces, Lyon, France.

Supervision of research work:

• 2016-today: co-supervision of Paula Llanos, Ph.D. student Biophysical Analysis of Division Plane Selection in Plant Cells.

Teaching record:

- 2012-15: Supervisor in material physics in the University Institute of Technology of Lyon, practical work and tutorial classes, Lyon, France;
- 2011-13 : Interrogator in CPGE (preparatory course for entrance examinations in *Grandes Écoles*), Lyon, France.

References:

- Pr Jacques Dumais (UAI, Viña del Mar, Chile), Post-doctoral advisor; E-mail: jacques.dumais@uai.cl
- Pr Lydéric Bocquet (ENS, Paris, France), PhD thesis advisor; E-mail: lyderic.bocquet@ens.fr, phone: +33(0) 1 44 323 420
- Dr Christophe Ybert (ILM, Lyon, France), PhD thesis advisor; E-mail: christophe.ybert@univ-lyon1.fr, phone: +33(0) 4 72 448 253
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