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Professional Career

10/2024 –	**Head of Professorship of Simulation for Additive Manufacturing (SAM)** Technical University of Munich (TUM)
01/2024 –	**ERC Starting Grant *ExcelAM*: Group Leader and TUM Juniors Fellow** Technical University of Munich (TUM), Principal investigator of the ERC Starting Grant project: "Accelerated additive manufacturing: Digital discovery of a new process generation (ExcelAM)"
02/2018 –	**Lecturer, Deputy Head of Institute and Leader of AM Group** Institute for Computational Mechanics (Head: Prof. W.A. Wall), TUM, Scientific co-supervision of nine full-time Ph.D. students at TUM and one full-time Ph.D. student at MIT
08/2016 – 01/2018	**Postdoctoral Fellow** Mechanosynthesis Group (Head: Prof. A.J. Hart), Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT), Research project: "Advanced physics-based modeling of metal additive manufacturing processes across length scales"
07/2010 – 07/2016	**Research and Teaching Associate** Institute for Computational Mechanics, TUM

Education

07/2016	**Ph.D. Mechanical Engineering (Dr.-Ing.), TUM** Doctoral thesis: "Geometrically exact finite element formulations for slender beams and their contact interaction", Passed with high distinction (summa cum laude), GPA 1.0, Examination committee: Prof. Ewald Werner (chairman), Prof. Wolfgang A. Wall, Prof. Ignacio Romero (examiners)
07/2010	**Diploma Mechanical Engineering (Dipl.-Ing. Univ.), TUM** Diploma thesis: "Development of a finite element for non-linear beams based on the Frenet-Serret formulas", Institute for Computational Mechanics, TUM, Passed with high distinction (summa cum laude), GPA 1.0, Ranked no. 1 out of 3580 examinees in the period from summer term 2007 (begin of recordings) until winter term 2014/15
07/2005	**High-School Diploma (Fachgeb. Hochschulreife), BOS Landshut** Passed with high distinction (summa cum laude), GPA 1.0
07/2003	**Certificate of Apprenticeship (Gesellenbrief)** Passed with high distinction (summa cum laude), GPA 1.0

Honors and Awards

10/2017	**ERC Starting Grant Project *ExcelAM*** Principle investigator of the ERC Starting Grant project: "Accelerated additive manufacturing: Digital discovery of a new process generation (ExcelAM)"
07/2017	**Rudolf Schmidt-Burkhardt Memorial Prize of TUM** With an endowment of 10.000 Euro, this is the highest PhD award in the Department of Mechanical Engineering of TUM
04/2017	**Finalist of the ECCOMAS Award for the Best PhD Thesis of 2016 on Computational Methods in Applied Sciences and Engineering** The prize has been granted by the European Community on Computational Methods in Applied Sciences (ECCOMAS)
03/2017	**Dr.-Klaus-Körper Prize for the Best PhD Thesis of 2016 in the Fields of Applied Mathematics and Mechanics** The prize has been granted by the international Association of Applied Mathematics and Mechanics (GAMM)
01/2017	**GAMM Juniors Fellowship of the International Association of Applied Mathematics and Mechanics (GAMM)** Every year, only 10 candidates are selected based on an excellent Ph.D. thesis in the fields of Applied Mathematics or Mechanics
03/2016	**Postdoctoral Fellowship (18 months) of the German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD)**
07/2015	**Ranked as Best Diploma Graduate in Mechanical Engineering at TUM since recordings began in 2007** No. 1 out of 3580 examinees from summer term 07 - winter term 14/15
12/2012	**Teaching Award of the Bavarian State Government** One assistant lecturer of all Bavarian universities receives this annual award
05/2012	**Golden Needle and Award for Excellence in Teaching of TUM**
07/2012	**Teaching Award within the Annual Teaching Evaluation of the Department of Mechanical Engineering, TUM**
07/2011	**Teaching Award within the Annual Teaching Evaluation of the Department of Mechanical Engineering, TUM**
07/2011	**Award for the Best Final Degree in Mechanical Engineering in the Academic Year 2010/2011, TUM**
11/2010	**CADFEM and ANSYS Diploma Thesis Award** Awarded for an excellent diploma thesis in engineering
10/2007 – 07/2010	**Full Scholarship of the German National Academic Foundation** Less than 1% of all students were granted this scholarship
03/2007 – 06/2010	**Fastlane Fellowship of BMW** Less than 5% of former BMW trainees / interns were granted this fellowship

Professional Service

11/2021 –	**GAMM Fachausschuss "Moderne Lehre und Didaktik in der Mathematik und Mechanik"**
06/2018 –	**Organization of International Scientific Conferences, Advanced Teaching Courses and Minisymposia at Scientific Conferences**
01/2017 – 01/2020	**GAMM Juniors Committee**
08/2016 –	**Reviewer for about 30 Leading International Journals and Various Funding Agencies in Engineering Science**

Memberships

01/2017 –	**International Association of Applied Mathematics and Mechanics (GAMM)**
11/2016 –	**European Community on Computational Methods in Applied Sciences (ECCOMAS)**
11/2016 –	**German Association for Computational Mechanics (GACM)**
11/2016 –	**International Association for Computational Mechanics (IACM)**

Publications

Overview and Citation Metrics

- 38 articles in peer-reviewed scientific journals (plus 4 currently submitted)

- > 30 invited and contributed presentations at international conferences / workshops

- > 1800 citations in total / h-Index of 20 (Google Scholar)

- > 1200 citations in total / h-Index of 18 (Scopus)

Peer-Reviewed International Journal Articles

[1]   Schreter-Fleischhacker, M., Munch, P., Much, N., Kronbichler, M., Wall, W.A., Meier, C. (2024): A consistent diffuse-interface model for two-phase flow problems with rapid evaporation, **submitted for publication**, arXiv preprint arXiv:2401.07805

[2]   Weissbach, R., Praegla, P.M., Wall, W.A., Hart, A.J., Meier, C. (2024): Novel simulation-inspired roller spreading strategies for fine and highly cohesive metal powders, **submitted for publication**, arXiv preprint arXiv:2306.06013

[3]   Steinbrecher, I., Hagmeyer, N., Meier, C., Popp, A. (2024): A consistent mixed-dimensional coupling approach for 1D Cosserat beams and 2D solid surfaces, **submitted for publication**, arXiv preprint arXiv:2210.16010

[4]   Datz, J. C., Steinbrecher, I., Meier, C., Hagmeyer, N., Engel, L. C., Popp, A., Martin R. Pfaller, Heribert Schunkert & Wall, W. A. (2024). Patient-specific coronary angioplasty simulations - a mixed-dimensional finite element modeling approach, **submitted for publication,** *arXiv preprint arXiv:2407.13276.*

[5]   Satheesh, A., Schmidt, C.P., Wall, W.A., Meier, C. (2024): A novel mesh regularization approach based on finite element distortion potentials: Application to material expansion processes with extreme volume change, **accepted for publication**, arXiv preprint arXiv:2307.07582

[6]   Proell, S.D., Brotz, J., Kronbichler, M., Wall, W.A., Meier, C. (2024): A highly efficient computational approach for fast scan-resolved microstructure predictions in metal additive manufacturing on the scale of real parts. Additive Manufacturing, 92:104380

[7]   Much, N., Schreter-Fleischhacker, M., Munch, P., Kronbichler, M., Wall, W.A., Meier, C. (2024): Improved accuracy of continuum surface flux models for metal additive manufacturing melt pool simulations, Advanced Modeling and Simulation in Engineering Sciences, 11:16

[8]   Praegla, P.M., Mair, T., Wimmer, A., Fuchs, S.L., Zäh, M.F., Wall, W.A., Meier, C. (2024): Towards additively manufactured structures with powder inclusions for controllable dissipation: The critical influence of packing density, Powder Technology, 437:119587

[9]   Grill, M.J., Wall, W.A., Meier, C. (2024): Asymptotically consistent and computationally efficient modeling of short-ranged molecular interactions between curved slender fibers undergoing large 3D deformations, Advanced Modeling and Simulation in Engineering Sciences, 11:7

[10]   Penny, R.W., Oropeza, D., Praegla, P.M., Weissbach, R., Meier, C., Wall, W.A., Hart, A.J. (2024): Quantitative analysis of thin metal powder layers via transmission X-ray imaging and discrete element simulation: Blade-based spreading approaches, Powder Technology, 432:119106

[11]   Penny, R.W., Oropeza, D., Praegla, P.M., Weissbach, R., Meier, C., Wall, W.A., Hart, A.J. (2024): Quantitative analysis of thin metal powder layers via transmission X-ray imaging and discrete element simulation: Roller-based spreading approaches, Powder Technology, 432:119105

[12]   Satheesh, A., Schmidt, C.P., Wall, W.A., Meier, C. (2024): Structure-preserving invariant interpolation schemes for invertible second-order tensors, International Journal for Numerical Methods in Engineering, 125:e7373

[13]   Proell, S.D., Munch, P., Kronbichler, M., Wall, W.A., Meier, C. (2023): A highly efficient computational framework for fast scan-resolved simulations of metal additive manufacturing processes on the scale of real parts, Additive Manufacturing, 103921

[14] Meier, C., Grill, M.J., Wall, W.A. (2023): Generalized section-section interaction potentials in the geometrically exact beam theory: modeling of intermolecular forces, asymptotic limit as strain-energy function, and formulation of rotational constraints, International Journal of Solids and Structures, 276:112255

[15] Grill, M.J., Wall, W.A., Meier, C. (2023): Analytical disk-cylinder interaction potential laws for the computational modeling of adhesive, deformable (nano)fibers, International Journal of Solids and Structures, 112175

[16] Schneider, C., Schmidt, C.P., Neumann, A., Clausnitzer, M., Sadowski, M., Harm, S., Meier, C., Danner, T., Albe, K., Latz, A., Wall, W.A., Lotsch, B.V. (2023): Effect of particle size and pressure on the transport properties of the fast ion conductor t-Li7SiPS8, Advanced Energy Materials, 13: 2203873

[17] Faraji, M. , Seitz, A., Meier, C., Wall, W.A. (2023): A mortar finite element formulation for large deformation lubricated contact problems with smooth transition between mixed, elasto-hydrodynamic and full hydrodynamic lubrication, Tribology Letters, 71:11

[18] Fuchs, S.L., Praegla, P.M., Cyron, C.J., Wall, W.A., Meier, C. (2022): A versatile SPH modeling framework for coupled microfluid-powder dynamics in additive manufacturing: binder jetting, material jetting, directed energy deposition and powder bed fusion, Engineering with Computers, 1-25

[19] Proell, S.D., Wall, W.A., Meier, C. (2021): A simple yet consistent constitutive law and mortar-based layer coupling schemes for thermo-mechanical macroscale simulations of metal additive manufacturing processes, Advanced Modeling and Simulation in Engineering Sciences, 8:1-37

[20] Steinbrecher, I., Popp, A., Meier, C. (2021): Consistent coupling of positions and rotations for embedding 1D Cosserat beams into 3D solid volumes, Computational Mechanics, 1-32

[21] Meier, C., Fuchs, S.L., Much, N., Nitzler, J., Penny, R.W., Praegla, P.M., Proell, S.D., Sun, Y., Weissbach, R., Schreter, M., Hodge, N.E., Hart, A.J., Wall, W.A. (2021): Physics-based modeling and predictive simulation of powder bed fusion additive manufacturing across length scales, GAMM-Mitteilungen, published online, doi:https://doi.org/10.1002/gamm

[22] Penny, R.W., Praegla, P.M., Ochsenius, M., Oropeza, D., Weissbach, R., Meier, C., Wall, W.A., Hart, A.J. (2021): Spatial mapping of powder layer density for metal additive manufacturing via transmission X-ray imaging, Additive Manufacturing, 46:102197

[23] Nitzler*, J., Meier*, C., Müller, K.W., Wall, W.A., Hodge, N.E. (2021): A novel physics-based and data-supported microstructure model for part-scale simulation of laser powder bed fusion of Ti-6Al-4V, Advanced Modeling and Simulation in Engineering Sciences, 8:1-39
      *shared first-authorship

[24] Fuchs, S.L., Meier, C., Wall, W.A., Cyron, C.J. (2021): An SPH framework for fluid-solid and contact interaction problems including thermo-mechanical coupling and reversible phase transitions, Advanced Modeling and Simulation in Engineering Sciences, 8:15

[25] Fuchs, S.L., Meier, C., Wall, W.A., Cyron, C.J. (2021): A novel smoothed particle hydrodynamics and finite element coupling scheme for fluid-structure interaction: the sliding boundary particle approach, Computer Methods in Applied Mechanics and Engineering, 383:113922

[26] Grill, M.J., Eichinger, J.F., Koban, J., Meier, C., Lieleg, O., Wall, W.A. (2021): A novel modeling and simulation approach for the hindered mobility of charged particles in biological hydrogels, Proceedings of the Royal Society A, 477: 20210039

[27] Meier, C., Fuchs, S.L., Hart, A.J., Wall, W.A. (2021): A novel smoothed particle hydrodynamics formulation for thermo-capillary phase change problems with focus on metal additive manufacturing melt pool modeling, Computer Methods in Applied Mechanics and Engineering, 381:113812

[28] Steinbrecher, I., Mayr, M., Grill, M.J., Kremheller, J., Meier, C., Popp, A. (2020): A mortar-type finite element approach for embedding 1D beams into 3D solid volumes, Computational Mechanics, 66:1377-1398

[29] Grill, M.J., Meier, C., Wall, W.A. (2019): Investigation of the peeling and pull-off behavior of adhesive elastic fibers via a novel computational beam interaction model, The Journal of Adhesion, 1-30

[30] Grill, M.J., Wall, W.A., Meier, C. (2020): A computational model for molecular interactions between curved slender fibers undergoing large 3D deformations with a focus on electrostatic, van der Waals, and repulsive steric forces, International Journal for Numerical Methods in Engineering, 121:2285-2330

[31] Proell, S.D., Wall, W.A., Meier, C. (2020): On phase change and latent heat models in metal additive manufacturing process simulation, Advanced Modeling and Simulation in Engineering Sciences, 7:1-32

[32] Pattinson, S.W., Huber, M.E., Kim, S., Lee, J., Grunsfeld, S., Roberts, R. Dreifus, G. Meier, C.Liu, L., Hogan, N., Hart, A.J. (2019): Additive manufacturing of biomechanically tailored meshes for compliant wearable and implantable devices, Advanced Functional Materials, 29:1901815

[33] Meier, C., Weissbach, R., Weinberg, J., Wall, W.A., Hart, A.J. (2019): Modeling and characterization of cohesion in fine metal powders with a focus on additive manufacturing process simulations, Powder Technology, 343:855-866

[34] Meier, C., Weissbach, R., Weinberg, J., Wall, W.A., Hart, A.J. (2019): Critical influences of particle size and adhesion on the powder layer uniformity in metal additive manufacturing, Journal of Materials Processing Technology, 266:484-501

[35] Meier, C., Popp, A., Wall, W.A. (2019): Geometrically exact finite element formulations for slender beams: Kirchhoff-Love theory versus Simo-Reissner theory, Archives of Computational Methods in Engineering, 26:163-243

[36] Meier, C., Grill, M., Wall, W.A., Popp, A. (2018): Geometrically exact finite elements and smooth contact schemes for the modeling of fiber-based materials and structures, International Journal of Solids and Structures, 154:124-146

[37] Meier, C., Penny, R., Zou, Y., Gibbs, J.S., Hart, A.J. (2017): Thermophysical phenomena in metal additive manufacturing by selective laser melting: Fundamentals, modeling, simulation and experimentation, Annual Review of Heat Transfer, 20:241-316

[38] Meier, C., Wall, W.A., Popp, A.: Unified approach for beam-to-beam contact (2017), Computer Methods in Applied Mechanics and Engineering, 315:972-1010

[39] Meier, C., Popp, A., Wall, W.A.: A finite element approach for the line-to-line contact interaction of thin beams with arbitrary orientation (2016), Computer Methods in Applied Mechanics and Engineering, 308:377-413

[40] Müller, K.W., Meier, C., Wall, W.A. (2015): The resolution of sub-element length scales in Brownian dynamics of biopolymer networks with geometrically exact beam finite elements, Journal of Computational Physics, 303C:185-202

[41] Meier, C., Popp, A., Wall, W.A. (2015): A locking-free finite element formulation and reduced models for geometrically exact Kirchhoff rods. Computer Methods in Applied Mechanics and Engineering, 290:314-341

[42] Meier, C., Popp, A., Wall, W.A. (2014): An objective 3D large deformation finite element formulation for geometrically exact curved Kirchhoff rods. Computer Methods in Applied Mechanics and Engineering, 278:445-478

Peer-Reviewed Proceedings and Other Articles

[43] Wall, W.A., Cyron, C.J., Klöppel, T., Meier, C., Müller, K.W. (2011): Coupled problems on the cellular and sub-cellular scale, 4th International Conference on Computational Methods for Coupled Problems in Science and Engineering, Kos Island, Greece

[44] Müller, K.W., Meier, C., Wall, W.A. (2015): Brownian dynamics simulation of cellular protein networks, IACM expressions, 37:2-5

Ph.D. Thesis

[45]   Meier, C. (2016): Geometrically exact finite element formulations for slender beams and their contact interaction, TUM

10 Selected Presentations at International Scientific Conferences

[1]   Multi-Physics Modeling of Laser Powder Bed Fusion: From Powder- to Part-Scale (**plenary lecture**), 5th International Conference on Simulation for Additive Manufacturing (Sim-AM), Pavia, Italy, **scheduled for 2025**

[2]   Generalized section-section interaction potentials in the geometrically exact beam theory (**plenary lecture**), International Conference on Highly Flexible Slender Structures, Rijeka, Republic of Croatia, September 2023

[3]   Solids (and fluids) in (inter-)action (**plenary lecture**), given by W.A. Wall, 10th International Congress on Computational Mechanics, Virtual Congress, 2021

[4]   A mesoscale powder spreading and melt pool model for metal powder bed fusion additive manufacturing process simulation, 14th World Congress in Computational Mechanics (WCCM), Virtual Congress, 2021

[5]   Critical influences of particle size and adhesion on the powder layer uniformity in metal additive manufacturing (**keynote lecture**), 2nd International Conference on Simulation for Additive Manufacturing (Sim-AM), Pavia, Italy, 2019

[6]   Metal additive manufacturing by selective laser melting: modeling and simulation approaches across length scales, 13th World Congress on Computational Mechanics (WCCM), New York, USA, 2018

[7]   Geometrically exact finite element formulations for highly slender beams and their interaction: Kirchhoff-Love theory vs. Simo-Reissner theory, 6th European Conference on Computational Mechanics (ECCM), Glasgow, UK, 2018

[8]   Nonlinear contact modeling for geometrically exact beam finite element formulations (**plenary lecture**), given by A. Popp, 4th ECCOMAS Young Investigators Conference (YIC), Milan, Italy, 2017

[9]   Geometrically exact finite element formulations for slender beams: Kirchhoff-Love theory vs. Simo-Reissner theory, 14th US National Congress on Computational Mechanics (USNCCM), Montreal, Canada, 2017

[10]   Modeling of highly slender fibers based on geometrically exact Kirchhoff beam elements and a unified contact approach, Euromech Colloquium 569 – Multiscale modeling of fibrous and textile materials, Châtenay-Malabry, France, 2016

Research

Research Interests

Fields of Application

- Physics-based and data-integrated modeling and simulation of additive manufacturing (AM):
    - <u>different process technologies</u>:
      laser powder bed fusion (LPBF)
      binder jetting (BJ)
      directed energy deposition (DED)
      material jetting (MJ)
    - <u>different length scales</u>:
      macroscale (part-scale thermo-solid-mechanics)
      mesoscale (multi-phase flow with phase change, cohesive powders)
      microscale (microstructure evolution)
    - <u>objectives</u>:
      new insights and fundamental understanding through physics-based simulations
      multi-objective process and part optimization
      digital discovery of new process strategies and regimes
- Design-optimized structures and materials through additive manufacturing:
    - fiber-based materials and structures with complex fiber arrangements / interactions
    - metamaterials for controllable dissipation (e.g., with powder/polymer inclusions)
    - slender and thin-walled lightweight structures

Fundamental Research in Method Development

- Computational mechanics with focus on finite element methods (FEM), discrete element methods (DEM), and smoothed particle hydrodynamics (SPH)
- Computational solid and structural mechanics
- Mechanics of cohesive powders
- Multi-phase flow with solid-liquid and liquid-vapor phase transitions
- Mechanics of slender structures and their embedding in 3D continua
- Contact and interface mechanics (including, e.g., adhesion, lubrication, surface tension)
- Coupled thermomechanical modeling
- Material modeling and identification
- Multi-scale and multi-physics modeling
- Model order reduction / dimensional reduction
- Data-integration and machine learning
- Bayesian schemes for uncertainty quantification, inverse analysis and optimization
- Software development
- High performance computing (HPC)

General Research Philosophy

<u>Application-Motivated Fundamental Research</u>

- Guideline: Pushing state-of-the art in Computational Modeling AND in Additive Manufacturing (AM)
  - novel physics-based and data-supported modeling approaches and numerical methods
  - novel insights, fundamental understanding, and process strategies / technologies in AM

- Unique research infrastructure
  - research code *4C* at TUM ⎤ novel methods and highest flexibility far beyond
  - custom-built AM devices at MIT ⎦ the capabilities of commercial tools / systems

- Unique personal background and expertise
  - strong methodological expertise in computational mechanics (Ph.D, diploma studies)
  - well-founded application-oriented expertise in AM (postdoc time at MIT, apprenticeship)

<u>Integrated and Cross-Disciplinary Research</u>

- Multiphysics and multiscale modeling along entire process chain (i.e., multiple processing steps)

- Integration of related research disciplines and enabling technologies
  - AM applications and process technology
  - materials science and engineering fundamentals
  - data sciences and applied mathematics
  - code development and high-performance computing

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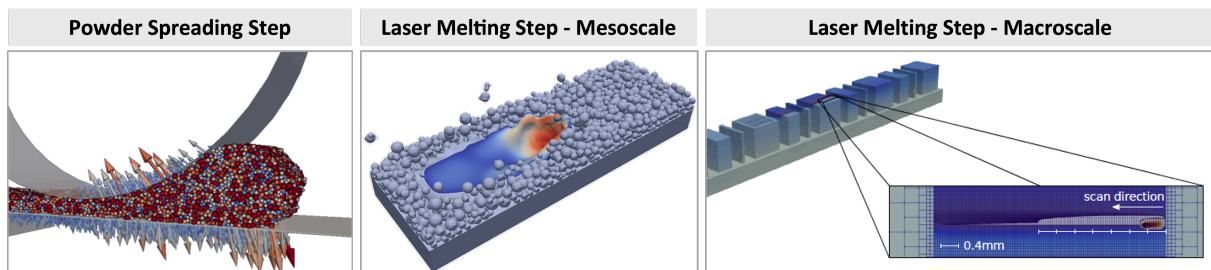
<u>Process- and Material-Overarching Research</u>

- Exploiting synergies in the modeling of multiple AM process classes such as
  - laser powder bed fusion (LPBF)
  - binder jetting (BJ)
  - directed energy deposition (DED)
  - material jetting (MJ)

- Exploiting synergies in the modeling of multiple AM material classes such as
  - metals
  - ceramics
  - polymers
  - concrete

| Binder Jetting | Powder Bed Fusion | Directed Energy Deposition | Material Jetting |

powder dynamics

thermo-hydrodynamics
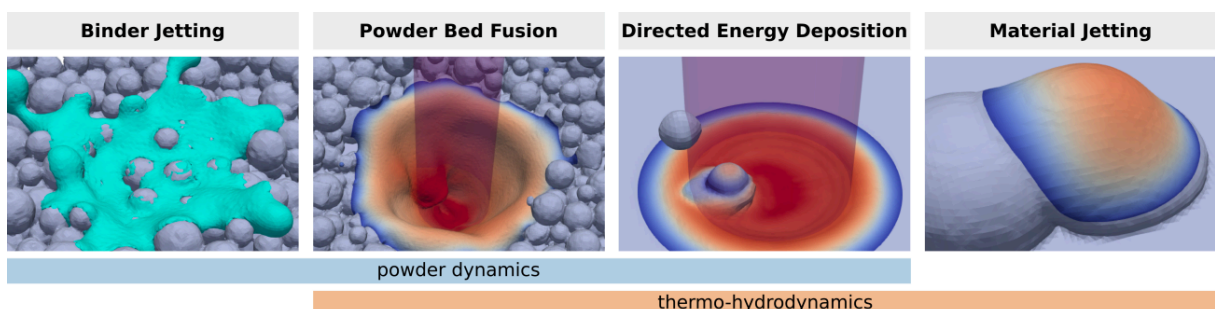
Raised Funding

- *Accelerated additive manufacturing: Digital discovery of a new process generation (ExcelAM)*
  ERC Starting Grant: European Research Council (ERC)
  Funding: **€ 1,500,000** / 5 years, 2024 – 2029
  Personal Role: PI
  Collaborators: Prof. A. John Hart (MIT, USA), Prof. Jürgen Eckert (Montanuniversität Leoben, Austria), Dr. Neil Hodge (Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory, USA)

- *In-situ metrology, inverse analysis and first-principle modelling for the physics- and data-based prediction of highly non-linear material behavior and failure in manufacturing processes*
  DFG Research Grant: German Research Foundation (DFG), Germany
  Funding: **€ 350,000** / 2 years, 2024 – 2026
  Personal Role: PI
  Further PIs: Prof. Wolfram Volk, Dr. Christoph Hartmann, Prof. Wolfgang A. Wall (all TUM)

- *Scale-up of metal AM by data-based synthesis of simulation and experiment*
  MIT-Germany Lockheed Martin Seed Fund: MIT, USA
  Funding: **€ 18,000** / 18 months, 2022 – 2024
  Personal Role: PI
  Further PI: Prof. A. John Hart (MIT, USA)

- *Highly efficient numerical model for forward and inverse problems in the physics-based simulation of metal additive manufacturing processes on part scale*
  DFG Research Grant: German Research Foundation (DFG), Germany
  Funding: **€ 245,000** / 3 years, 2020 - 2023
  Personal Role: PI
  Further PI: Prof. Wolfgang A. Wall (TUM)

- *Development, numerical simulation and experimental characterization of selective laser melting (SLM) microstructures with deliberately introduced dissipation*
  DFG Research Grant: German Research Foundation (DFG), Germany
  Funding: **€ 470,000** / 3 years, 2020 - 2023
  Personal Role: Co-PI
  Further PIs: Prof. Michael Zäh (TUM), Prof. Wolfgang A. Wall (TUM)

- *Advanced finite element modeling of selective laser melting processes*
  Postdoctoral Research Fellowship: German Academic Exchange Service (DAAD), Germany
  Funding: **€ 60,000** / 18 months, 2016 - 2018
  Personal Role: PI
  Collaborator and Host: Prof. A. John Hart (MIT, USA)

Selected Funding with Significant Contribution

- *Combined phase field/DG-FEM modeling of multi-phase flow problems – a modern approach for high-fidelity metal additive manufacturing process simulations*
  Erwin Schrödinger Fellowship: Austrian Science Fund (FWF), Austria
  Funding: **€ 55,000** / 18 months, 2021 – 2022
  Personal Role: Proposal conceptualization and writing (co-author), host of the PI
  PI: Magdalena Schreter, University of Innsbruck, Austria

- *A multiscale experimental–computational study of the mechanobiology of tissue shaping*
  EuroTech PhD Program: EuroTech Universities alliance
  Funding: **€ 172,000** / 4 years, 2023 – 2027
  Personal Role: Proposal conceptualization and writing (co-author), host of the PhD candidate
  PI: Prof. Nicholas Kurniawan, Technical University of Eindhoven, the Netherlands

Organization of Scientific Conferences and Courses

- Member of the Scientific Committee: 2nd International Conference on Highly Flexible Slender Structures (HFSS), Kaiserslautern, Germany, 2025

- Meier*+, C., Hart*+, A.J., Colosimo+, B.M., Eckert+, J., Gusarov+, A., Hodge+, N.: Metal additive manufacturing: fundamentals, modeling, materials, and implementation, CISM advanced course at the International Centre for Mechanical Science (CISM), Udine, Italy, scheduled for 2025

- Meier*+, C., Hart*+, A.J., Colosimo+, B.M., Eckert+, J., Gusarov+, A., Hodge+, N.: Metal additive manufacturing: fundamentals, modeling, materials, and implementation, CISM advanced course at the International Centre for Mechanical Science (CISM), Udine, Italy, 2021
  *main organizers, +lecturers

Organization of Minisymposia at International Scientific Conferences

- Hattel, J., Lundbäck, A., Kollmannsberger, S., Chiumenti, M., Meier, C., To, A.: Modeling and simulation for additive manufacturing, Organization of minisymposium at the 9th European Congress on Computational Methods in Applied Sciences and Engineering (ECCOMAS), *Lisboa, Portugal, 2024*

- Chiumenti, M., Bartel, T., Osaka, Y.K., Kollmannsberger, S. Lundback, A., Meier, C., Spear, A., To, A., Wagner, G., Zhao, Y.F.: Modeling and simulation for additive manufacturing, Organization of minisymposium at the 16th World Congress on Computational Mechanics (WCCM), Vancouver, Canada, 2024

- Escalona, J., Gerstmayr, J., Meier, C. and Vetyukov, Y.: Contact and friction in mechanics of flexible slender structures, Organization of minisymposium at the International Conference on Highly Flexible Slender Structures (HFSS), Rijeka, Republic of Croatia, 2023

- Meier, C., Wudy, K., Bartel, T., Menzel, A., Chiumenti, M., Hodge, N.: Simulation and experimental validation of metal additive manufacturing processes on part-scale, Organization of invited session at the 4th International Conference on Simulation for Additive Manufacturing (Sim-Am), Munich, Germany, 2023

- Meier, C., Kollmannsberger, S., Bartel, T., Auricchio, F.: Modeling and simulation of metal additive manufacturing processes, Organization of minisymposium at the 9th GACM Colloquium on Computational Mechanics (GACM), Essen, Germany, 2022

- Meier, C., Chiumenti, M. Hodge, N., Cervera, M., Wall, W.A.: Modeling and simulation approaches of metal additive manufacturing on part scale, Organization of minisymposium at the 15th World Congress on Computational Mechanics (WCCM), Yokohama, Japan, 2022

- Romero, I., Meier, C., Linn, J., Oesterle, B.: New numerical methods for slender bodies and their interactions, Organization of minisymposium at the 15th World Congress on Computational Mechanics (WCCM), Yokohama, Japan, 2022

- Meier, C., Hodge, N., Chiumenti, M., Wall, W.A.: Modeling and simulation approaches in metal additive manufacturing, Organization of minisymposium at the 14th World Congress on Computational Mechanics (WCCM), Paris, France, 2021

- Meier, C., Romero, I., Linn, J., Durville, D., Gerstmayr, Zupan, D., Betsch, P.: Advances in the modeling and discretization of slender continua and their interaction, Organization of minisymposium at the 14th World Congress on Computational Mechanics (WCCM), Paris, France, 2020 [shifted to digital version in 2021 due to COVID-19 pandemic]

- Eisenträger, J., Kaiser, T., Meier, C.: Organization of the YAMM (Young Academics Meet Mentors) Lunch at the 90th Annual Meeting of the International Association of Applied Mathematics and Mechanics (GAMM), Vienna, Austria, 2019

- Meier, C., Durville, D., Brüls, O., Gerstmayr, J., Linn, J.: Modeling and discretization approaches for slender continua and their interaction, Organization of minisymposium at the 6th European Conference on Computational Mechanics (ECCM), Glasgow, UK, 2018

Reviewing Activities for International Journals

- Acta Mechanica
- Additive Manufacturing
- Applied Mathematical Modelling
- Applied Physics A
- Archive of Applied Mechanics
- Computers and Fluids
- Computers and Structures
- Computational Mechanics
- Computer Methods in Applied Mechanics and Engineering
- Finite Elements in Analysis & Design
- GAMM-Mitteilungen
- Granular Matter
- Integrating Materials and Manufacturing Innovation
- International Journal for Numerical Methods in Engineering
- International Journal of Mechanical Sciences
- International Journal of Non-Linear Mechanics
- International Journal of Solids and Structures
- Journal of Computational Physics
- Journal of Materials Science
- Journal of Theoretical, Computational and Applied Mechanics
- Mechanics Based Design of Structures and Machines
- Mechanical Sciences
- Metals
- Multibody System Dynamics
- Nature Communications
- Nonlinear Dynamics
- Powder Technology
- Progress in Additive Manufacturing
- Zeitschrift für Angewandte Mathematik und Mechanik

Reviewing Activities for Research Agencies

- European Union: Marie Skłodowska-Curie COFUND doctoral programs
- European Research Council (ERC): ERC Consolidator Grant
- German Research Foundation (DFG)
- Czech Science Foundation (CSF)
- Swiss National Science Foundation (SNSF)
- National Science Centre Poland (NCN)

National and International Collaborations (Joint Publications or Research Funding)

- Prof. Karsten Albe – Technical University of Darmstadt, Germany
- Prof. Christian J. Cyron – Hamburg University of Technology / Helmholtz Centre Hereon in Geesthacht, Germany
- Prof. A. John Hart – Massachusetts Institute of Technology, USA
- Dr. Christoph Hartmann – TUM, Germany
- Dr. Neil E. Hodge – Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory, USA
- Prof. Stefan Kollmannsberger – Bauhaus Universität Weimar, Germany
- Prof. Martin Kronbichler – University of Augsburg, Germany
- Prof. Arnulf Latz – University of Ulm, Germany
- Prof. Bettina von Lotsch – Ludwig-Maximilians University in Munich / Max Planck Institute for Solid State Research in Stuttgart, Germany
- Prof. Oliver Lieleg – TUM, Germany
- Dr. Matthias Mayr – University of the Bundeswehr Munich, Germany
- Dr. Daniel Oropeza – Massachusetts Institute of Technology, USA
- Prof. Sebastian W. Pattinson – University of Cambridge, UK
- Prof. Alexander Popp – University of the Bundeswehr Munich / German Aerospace Center (DLR) in St. Augustin, Germany
- Dr. Magdalena Schreter – University of Innsbruck, Austria
- Dr. Ivo Steinbrecher – University of the Bundeswehr Munich, Germany
- Prof. Wolfram Volk – TUM, Germany
- Prof. Wolfgang A. Wall – TUM, Germany
- Dr. Thomas Wimmer – TUM, Germany
- Prof. Katrin Wudy – TUM, Germany
- Prof. Michael Zäh – TUM, Germany

Extended Scientific Network (Joint Organization of Scientific Events)

- Prof. Ferdinando Aurricchio – University of Pavia, Italy
- Dr. Thorsten Bartel – Technical University of Dortmund, Germany
- Prof. Peter Betsch – University of Siegen, Germany
- Prof. Olivier Brüls – University of Liège, Belgium
- Prof. Miguel Cervera – Technical University of Catalonia, Spain
- Prof. Michele Chiumenti – Technical University of Catalonia, Spain
- Prof. Bianca Colosimo – Polytechnic University of Milan, Italy
- Dr. Damien Durville – Centrale Supélec, France
- Prof. Jürgen Eckert – Montan Universität Leoben, Austria
- Prof. José L. Escalona - University of Seville, Spain
- Prof. Johannes Gerstmayr – University of Innsbruck, Austria
- Prof. Andrey Gusarov – Moscow State Technological University, Russia
- Dr. Joachim Linn – Fraunhofer Institute for Industrial Mathematics Kaiserslautern, Germany
- Prof. Andreas Menzel – Technical University of Dortmund, Germany
- Dr. Bastian Oesterle – University of Stuttgart, Germany
- Prof. Ignacio Romero – Universidad Politécnica de Madrid, Spain
- Dr. Yury Vetyukov – Technical University of Vienna, Austria
- Prof. Dejan Zupan – University of Ljubljana

Teaching

Teaching Experience as Lecturer

- *Physics-Based Modeling and Simulation of Metal Additive Manufacturing*, lecture, M.Sc.
  Department of Mechanical Engineering, TUM,
  winter terms 2024/25[+^], 2023/24[+^], 2022/23[+^], 2021/22[+^]

- *Nonlinear Structural Mechanics*, lecture, M.Sc..
  Department of Mechanical Engineering, TUM,
  winter terms 2024/25

- *Nonlinear Continuum Mechanics*, lecture, M.Sc.
  Department of Mechanical Engineering, TUM
  winter terms 2023/24, 2022/23, 2021/22, 2020/21, 2019/20, 2018/19

- *Computational Solid and Fluid Dynamics*, lecture, B.Sc.
  Munich School of Engineering (MSE), TUM
  winter terms 2020/21[+], 2019/20[+], 2018/19[+]

- *Research Topics in Computational Mechanics – Additive Manufacturing*, lecture, M.Sc.
  Department of Mechanical Engineering, TUM
  winter terms 2020/21[^], 2019/20

- *Finite Elements*, lecture, M.Sc.
  Department of Mechanical Engineering, TUM
  winter term 2023/24

- *Nonlinear Finite Element Methods*, lecture, M.Sc.
  Department of Mechanical Engineering, TUM
  summer terms 2024, 2023, 2022, 2021, 2020
  summer terms 2019, 2018 - selected chapters (with W.A. Wall)

- *Engineering Mechanics 1 – Statics*, lecture, B.Sc.
  Department of Mechanical Engineering, TUM
  winter term 2018/19* – selected chapters (with W.A. Wall)

- *Engineering Mechanics 2 – Elastostatics*, lecture, B.Sc.
  Department of Mechanical Engineering, TUM
  summer term 2019* – selected chapters (with W.A. Wall)

- *Engineering Mechanics 3 – Dynamics*, exercises and tutorials, B.Sc.
  Department of Mechanical Engineering, TUM
  winter term 2011/12*

- *Engineering Mechanics 2 – Elastostatics*, exercises and tutorials, B.Sc.
  Department of Mechanical Engineering, TUM
  summer term 2011*

- *Engineering Mechanics 1 – Statics*, exercises and tutorials, B.Sc.
  Department of Mechanical Engineering, TUM
  winter term 2010/11*

  *Attended by up to 1000 undergraduate students
  [+]English lecture
  [^]joint lecture for students from TUM, MIT and Polimi

Invitation as Guest Lecturer

- A highly efficient computational approach for fast scan-resolved simulations of metal additive manufacturing processes on the scale of real parts, seminar, École Polytechnique Paris, 2024

- *Scan Path-Resolved Simulation of Laser Powder Bed Fusion Additive Manufacturing on the Scale of Realistic Parts,* seminar, MIT, 2023

- *Summer school in Computational Mechanics of Materials and Structures*, lecture, M.Sc. COMMAS program, University of Stuttgart, 2019

- *Additive Manufacturing: From 3D Printing to the factory floor*, short course, M.Sc. MIT, 2018 and 2017

Supervised Ph.D. Students (independent supervision)

- Computational models for the coupled fluid-powder dynamics in binder jetting and laser powder bed fusion additive manufacturing
(Julian Brotz, Institute for Computational Mechanics, TUM, starting in 2024)

- Computational models for the rapid evaporation dynamics in binder jetting and laser powder bed fusion additive manufacturing
(Andreas Koch, Institute for Computational Mechanics, TUM, starting in 2024)

- Model order reduction techniques for fast part-scale simulations of AM processes
(Torsten Schmid, Institute for Computational Mechanics, TUM, since 2023)

- Microstructure modeling and microstructure-informed material laws for metal AM
(Nils Much, Institute for Computational Mechanics, TUM, since 2020)

- Modeling of cohesive powders and coupled fluid-powder dynamics in AM
(Patrick Praegla, Institute for Computational Mechanics, TUM, since 2020)

Supervised Ph.D. Students (accountable supervision)

- Experimental and model-based characterization of AM processes on the mesoscale
(Reimar Weissbach, Mechanosynthesis Group, MIT, since 2020)

- Fast computational models for the part-scale simulation of AM processes
(Sebastian Pröll, Institute for Computational Mechanics, TUM, since 2018)

- Material laws and self-contact modeling in the complex swelling process of foams
(Abhiroop Satheesh, Institute for Computational Mechanics, TUM, since 2018)

- Two-phase flow and coupled fluid-powder dynamics based on SPH
(Sebastian Fuchs, Institute for Computational Mechanics, TUM, 2016 - 2021)

- Molecular interactions of slender beams in complex biophysical systems
(Maximilian Grill, Institute for Computational Mechanics, TUM, 2014 - 2020)

Other Supervision Activities

- (Co-)Supervision of more than 30 Bachelor and Master Theses, TUM

- Mentoring of 9 Ph.D. Students in TUM Graduate School, TUM