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Research Interests:

Understanding novel phases of quantum matter that arise because of strong electronic correlations. Development of experimental techniques, especially thermodynamic and transport measurements.

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