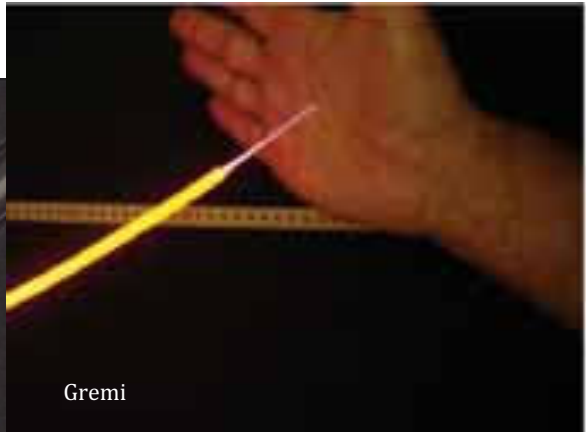
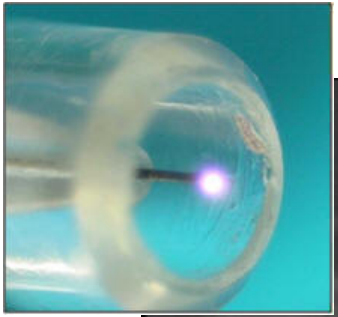
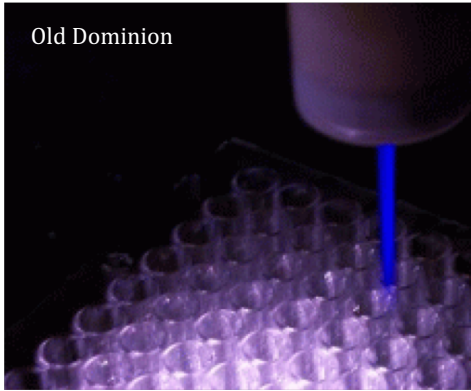


# Project 3

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# Plasma jets for surface treatment/medicine



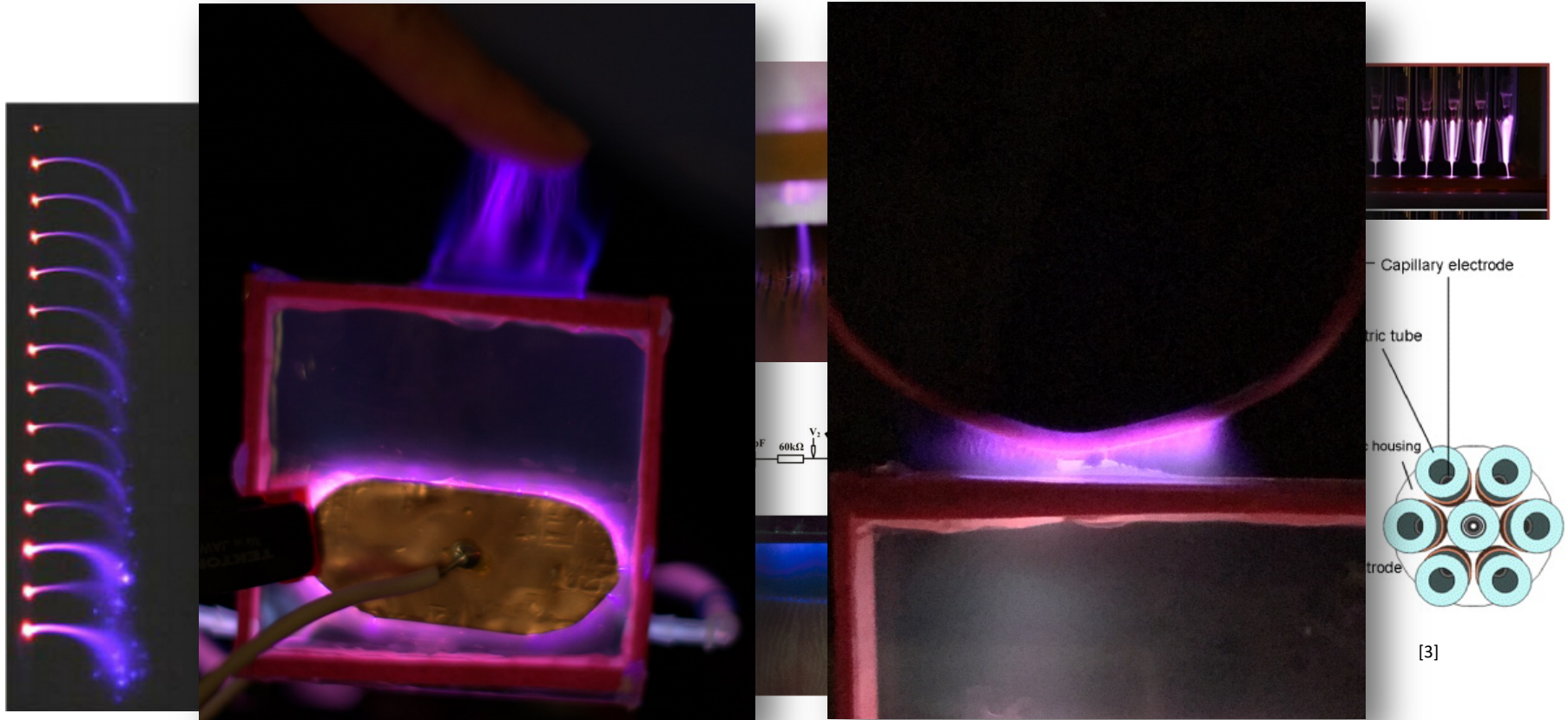
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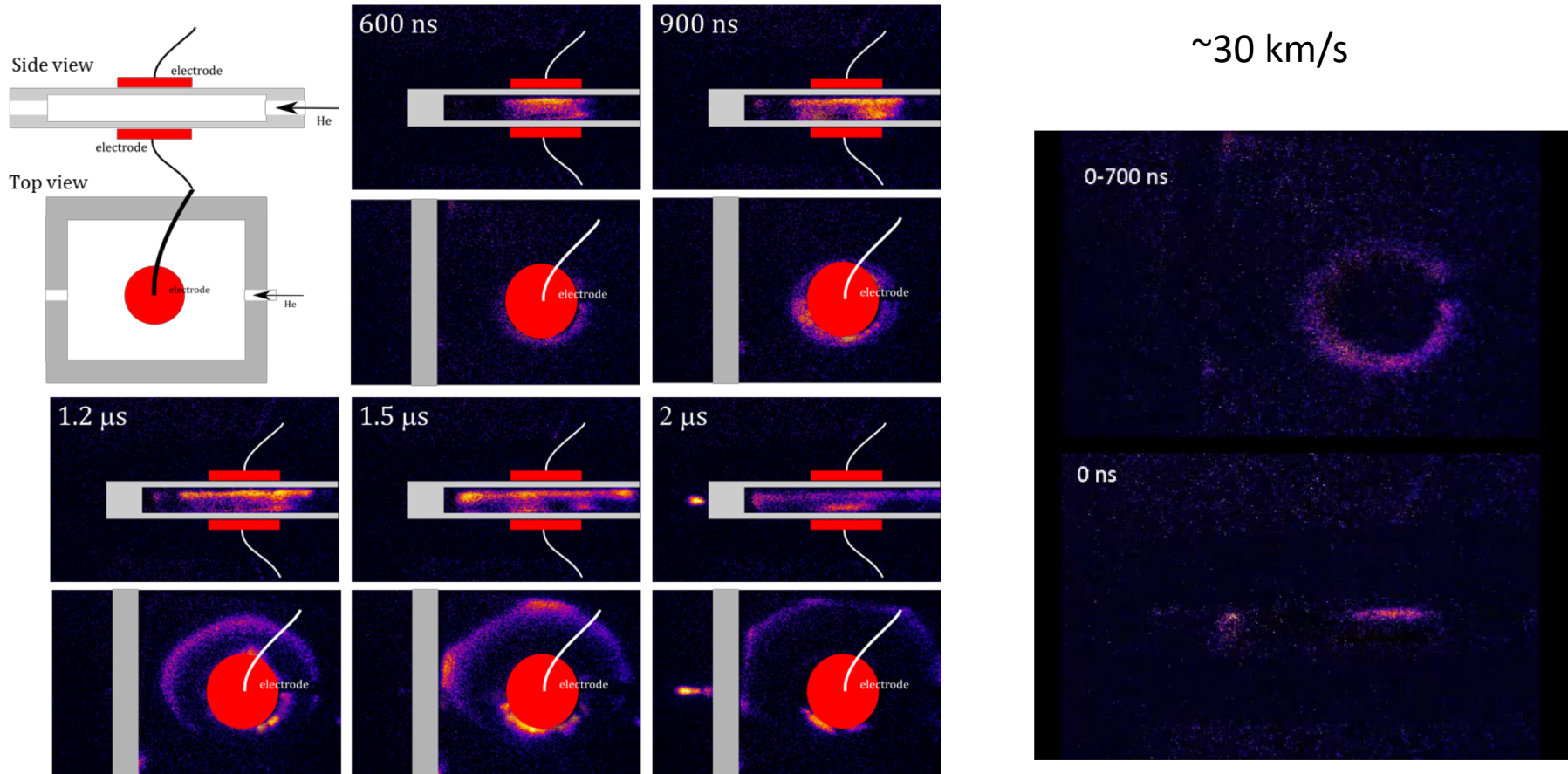
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# Multi-jets, arrays, "brushes" for large surface treatment

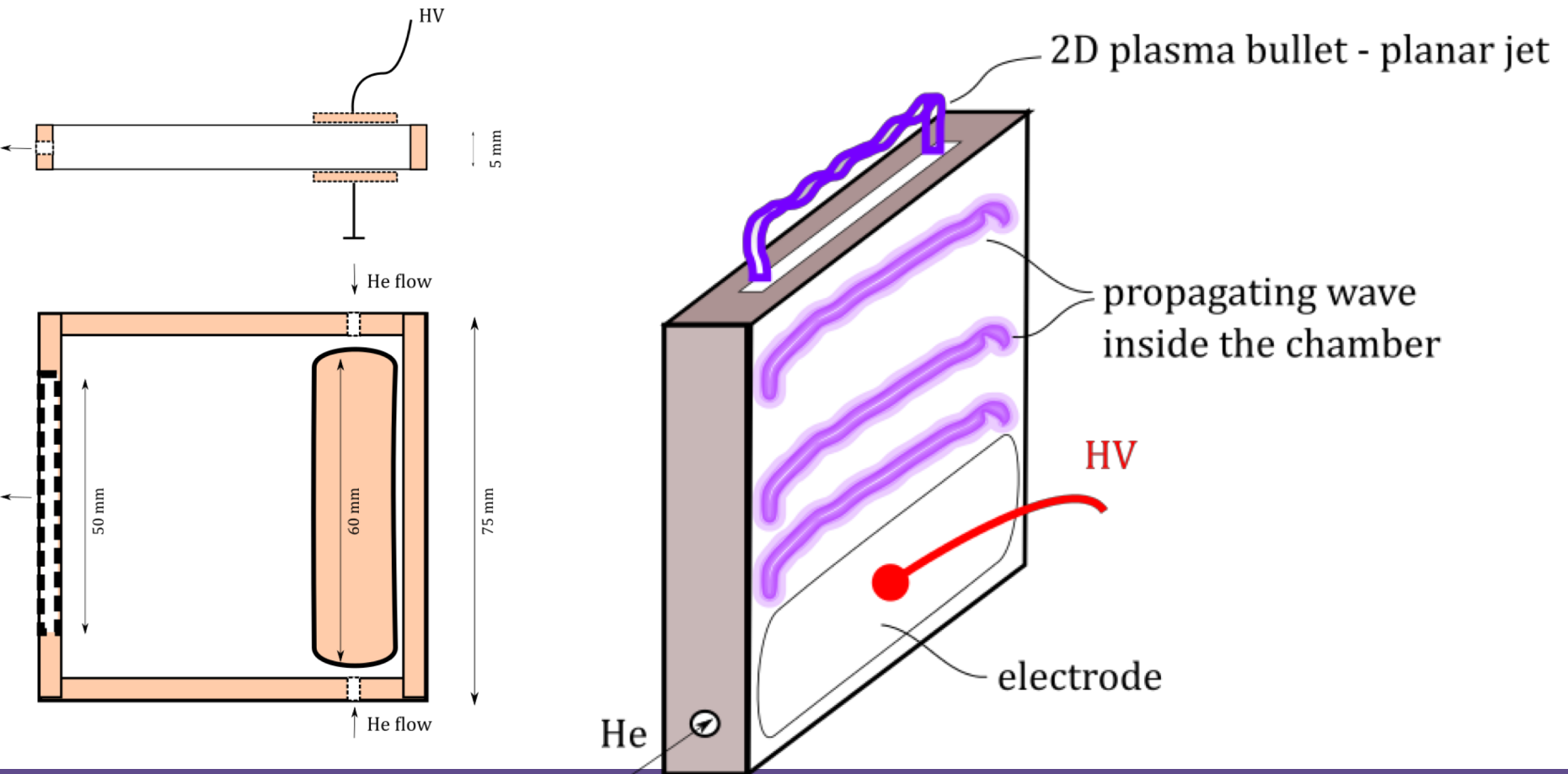


# Surface wave propagation

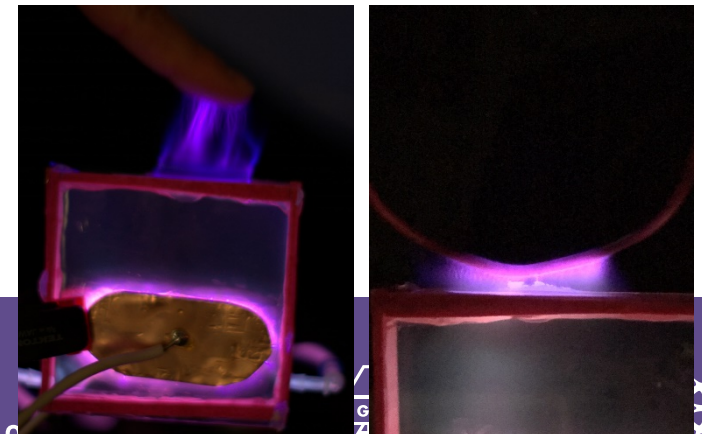
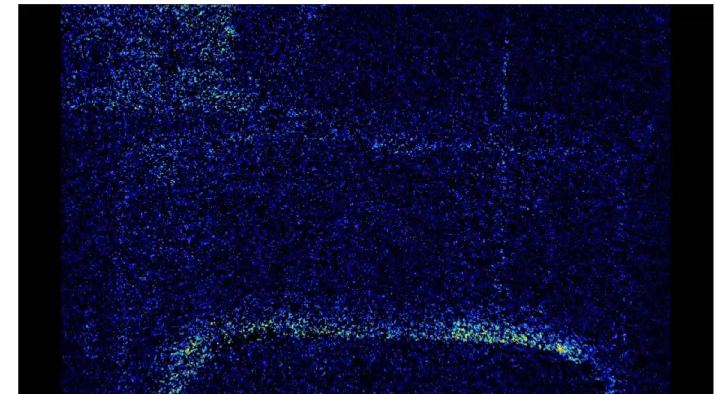
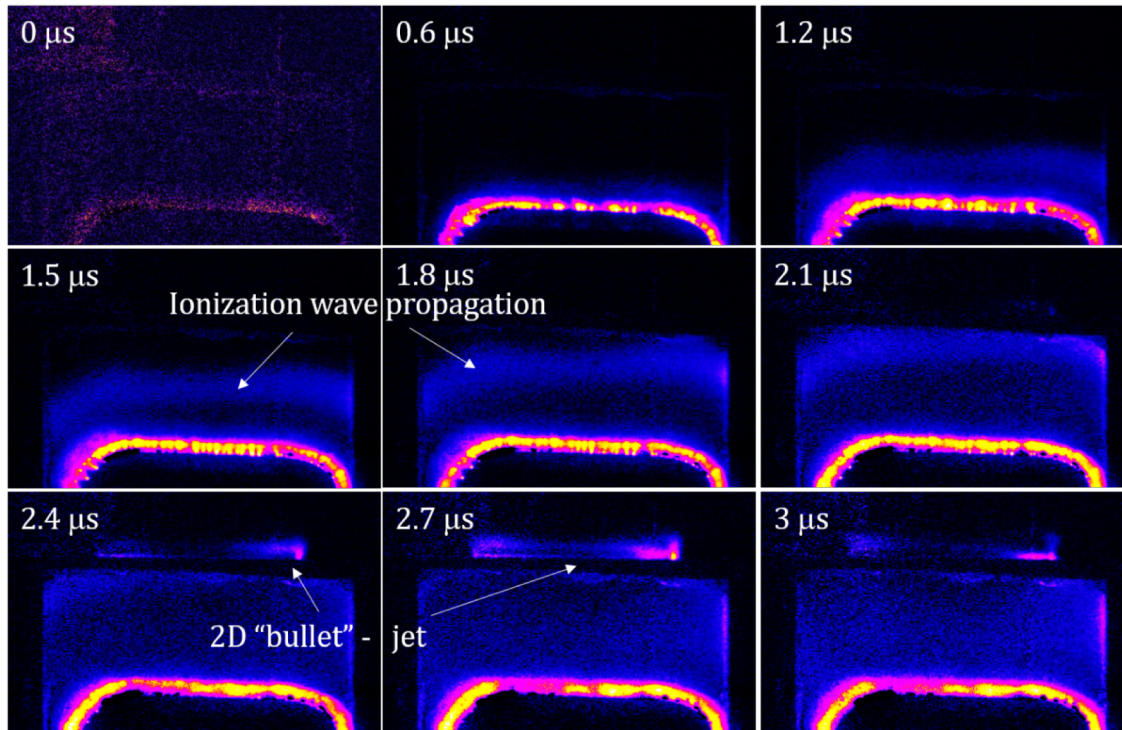


In noble gases, the anode glow can propagate as ionization wave along the dielectric surface outside of the discharge gap. For the case of traditional dielectric tubes, the ionization wave appears as what is known as a “plasma bullets”, often with characteristic “donut” shape

# Planar He DBD plasma jet



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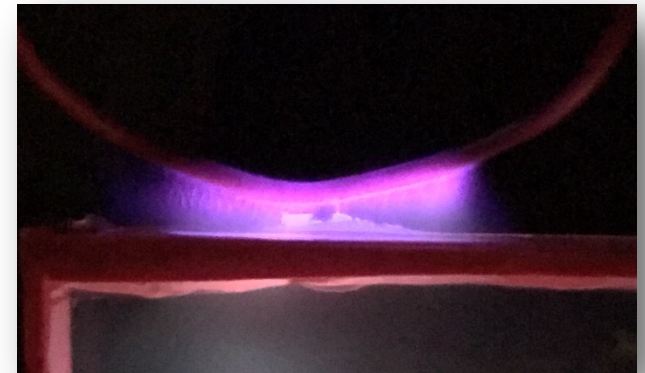


# Need and Industrial Relevance

- Uniform plasma treatment with controllable parameters

## Materials and Manufacturing

- E.g., Plasma deposition
- Plasma etching
- Surface treatment



## Plasma Medicine

# Project Goals

- **The goal of the proposed efforts** is to carry out a fundamental study of the planar DBD-based plasma jet, and especially to understand physical mechanisms of jet formation via measurements of electric fields, jet attachment and interaction with the treated surface and to measure reactive chemistry (e.g., gas phase OH and liquid phase H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>)
- and to explore possibility of using Raman scattering for in situ detection/measurement of reactive chemistry

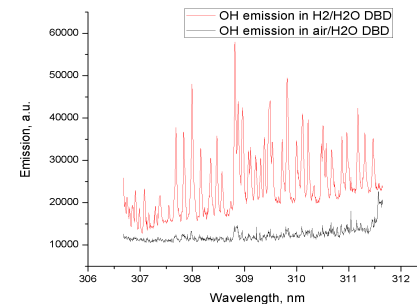
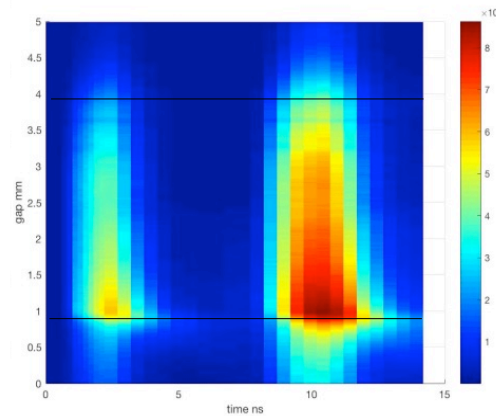
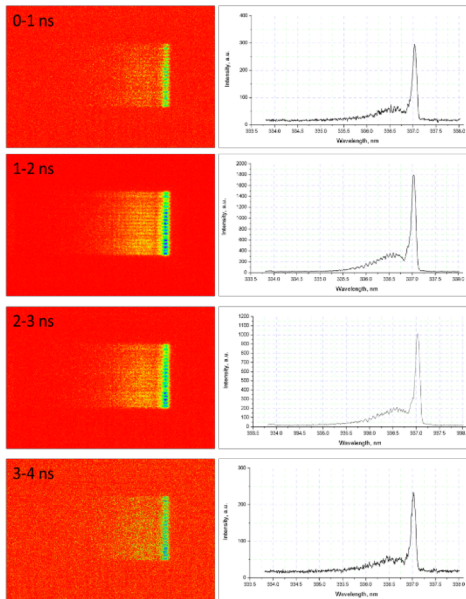


# Objectives

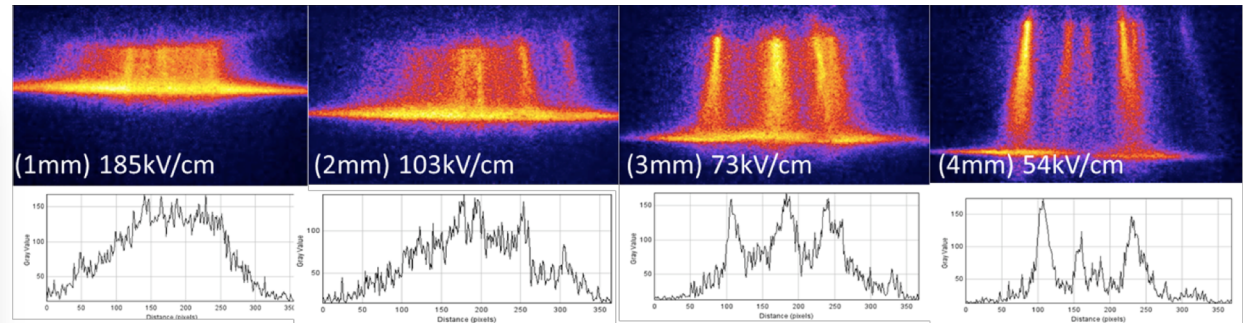
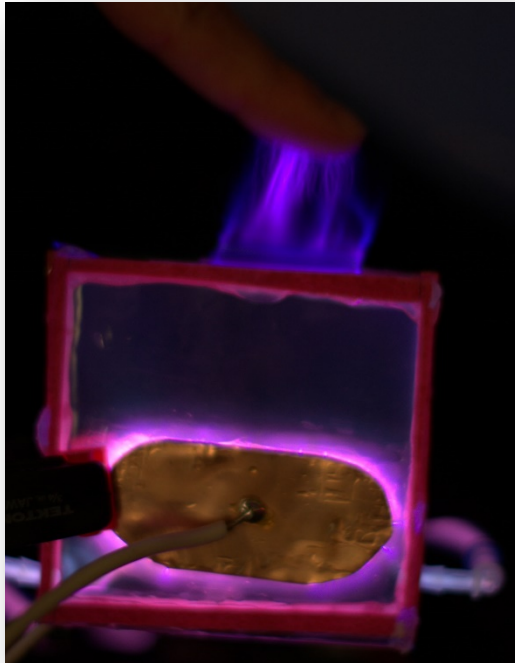
- **Quantitative characterization of planar He plasma jet uniformity and reactive chemistry**
  - imaging of the discharge dynamics and development and quantification of plasma uniformity
  - measurements of electric fields inside the plasma chamber, during propagation and at the treated surface
  - spatially resolved spectroscopy to determine plasma characteristics (temperature)
  - spatially resolved measurements of OH generation in gas phase and its delivery into liquid ( $\text{H}_2\text{O}_2$ )
- Explore possibility of using Raman scattering for in situ detection/measurement of reactive chemistry

# Approach/Methods

- Fast imaging
- Optical emission spectroscopy
- Absorption spectroscopy
- Fluorescence spectroscopy

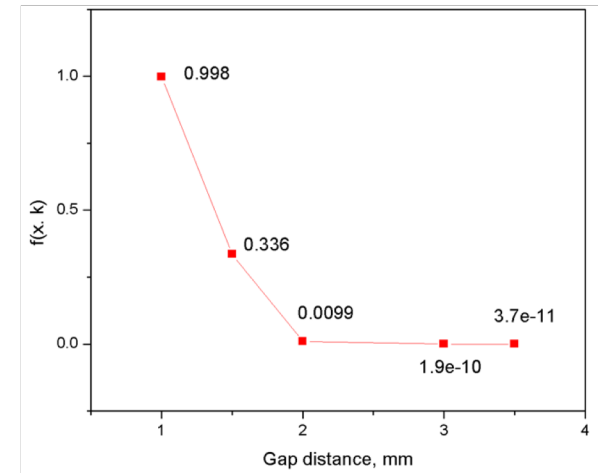


# Task 1: quantification of uniformity

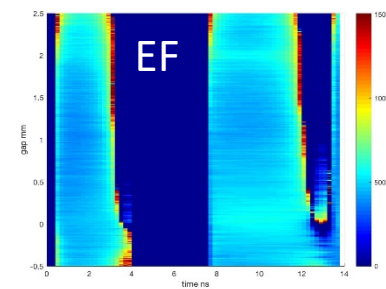
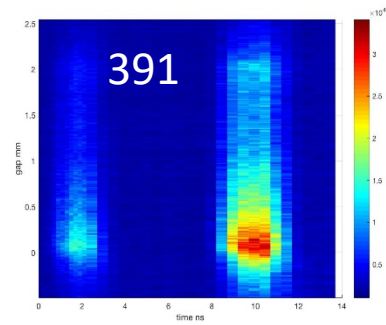
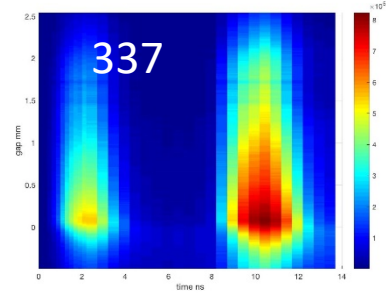
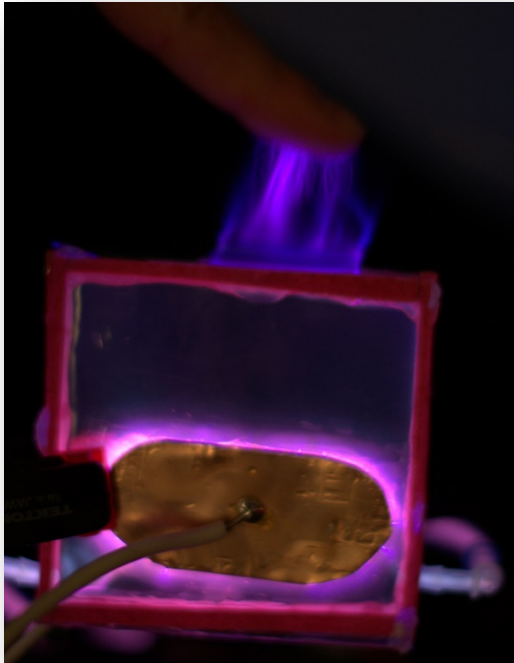


Chi-Square test: distribution of “brighter” pixels as measure of uniformity

$$f(x, k) = \begin{cases} \frac{x^{(k/2)-1} e^{-x/2}}{2^{k/2} \Gamma\left(\frac{k}{2}\right)}, & x \geq 0; \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$



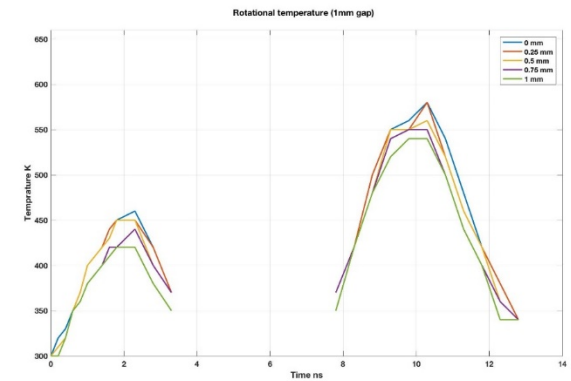
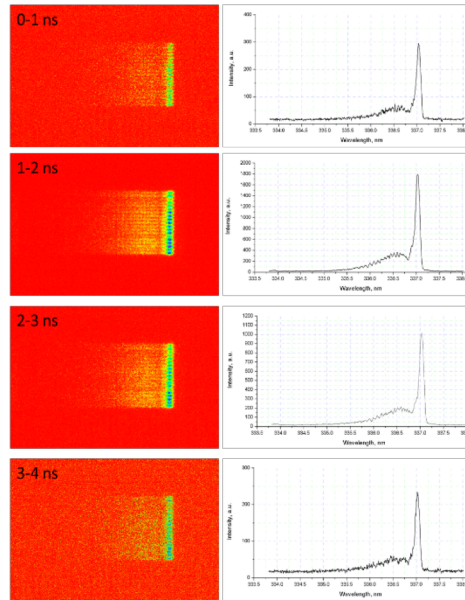
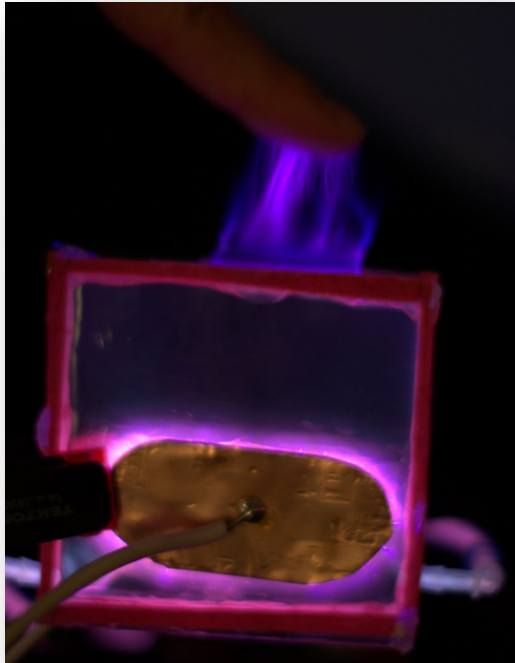
# Task 2a: measurements of electric field



$$R_{391/337} \left( \frac{E}{N} \right) = 46 \cdot A \cdot \exp \left[ -89 \left( \frac{E}{N} \right)^{-0.5} \right] - 0.065 \exp \left[ -402 \left( \frac{E}{N} \right)^{-1.5} \right]$$

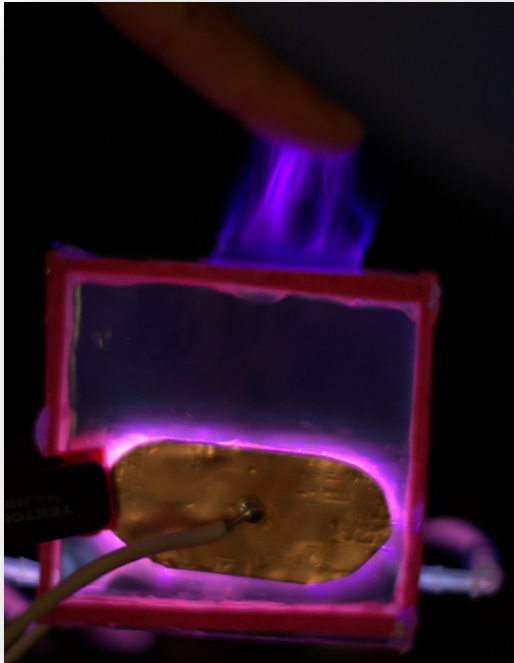
$$\frac{dI(t)_{391}}{dt} + \frac{I(t)_{391}}{\tau_{391}} \cdot \frac{\tau_{391}}{\tau_{337}} = R_{391/337} \frac{dI(t)_{337}}{dt} + \frac{I(t)_{337}}{\tau_{337}}$$

# Task 2b: temperature measurements

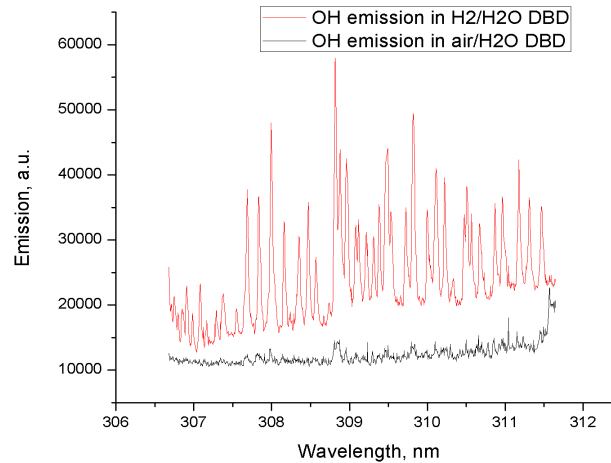


# Task 3a: measurements of OH

- Absorption spectroscopy



$$A(\lambda) = 1 - \frac{L_{\text{plasma+LED}}(\lambda) - L_{\text{plasma}}(\lambda)}{L_{\text{LED}}(\lambda) - L_{\text{back}}(\lambda)}$$



# Raman spectroscopy for in situ diagnostics of liquid chemistry?

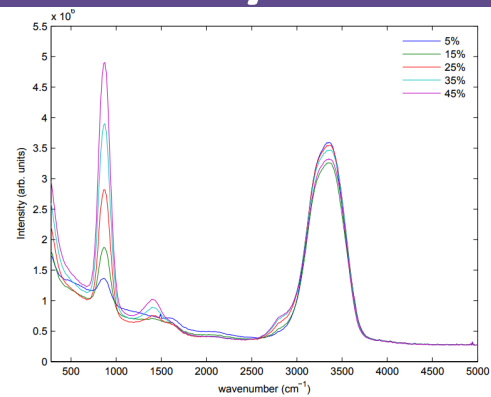
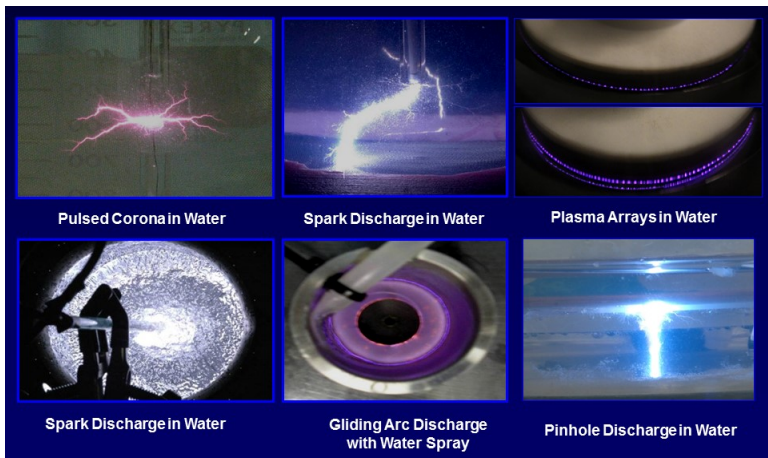


Figure 16. Raman spectra of various  $H_2O_2/H_2O$  solutions in a cuvette. Measurements were made on eleven different concentrations of  $H_2O_2$  ranging from 0% to 49.8 wt%, only five of which are plotted here for better clarity.

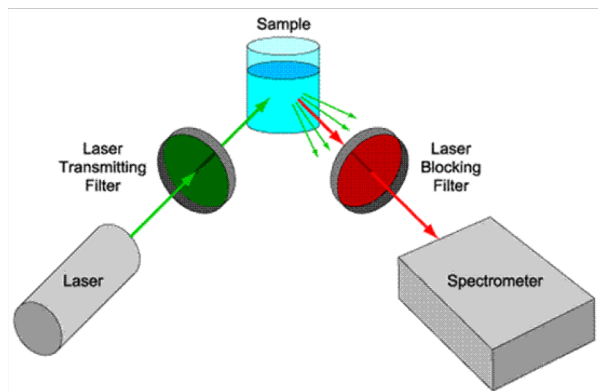


Table 1. Raman band assignments.

Raman shift ( $cm^{-1}$ )	Assignment
878	OO stretch
1646	OH bend
1280	CO stretch
1388	CO stretch
2330	NN stretch
ca. 3400	OH stretch

# Project Budget (per year)

Item	Cost
Salaries/stipend	\$ 35000.00
Supplies	\$ 5000.00
Purchased services	\$ 0.00
Equipment	\$ 0.00
Travel	\$ 0.00
<b>Project total*</b>	<b>\$ 40,000</b>

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