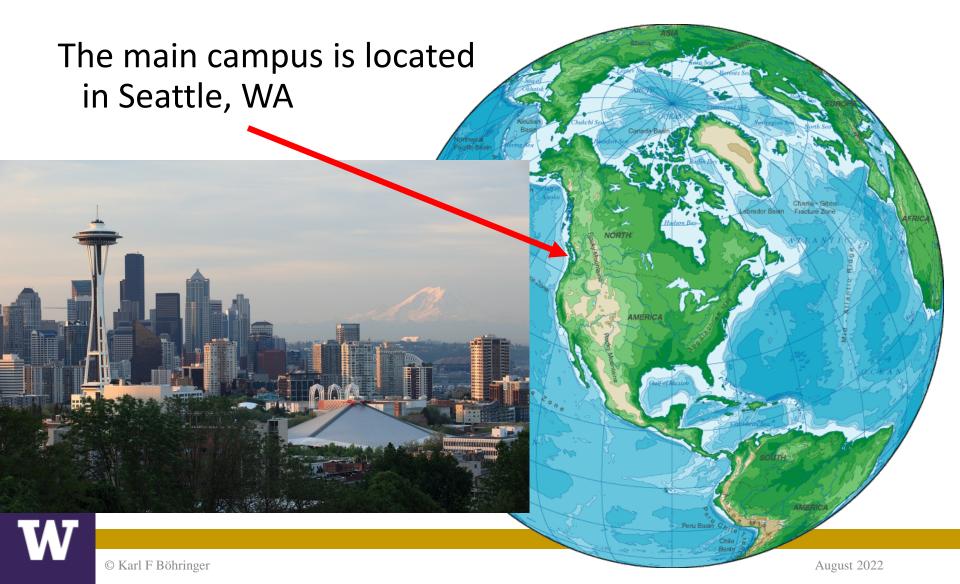
# Self-assembly of Microsystems

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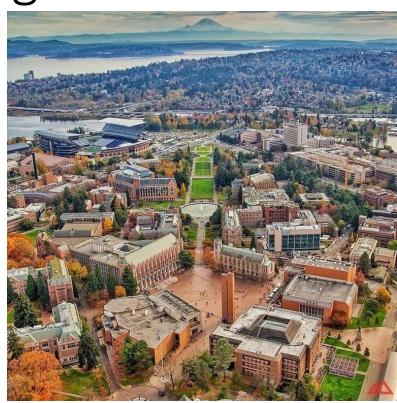


## University of Washington

- Founded November 4, 1861
- Public research university:
  - Campuses in Seattle, Tacoma, Bothell
- University community:
  - Instructional faculty: 5,800
  - Faculty and staff: 35,000
  - Student enrollment:
    - 60,000 (49,000 on Seattle campus)
    - Undergraduate: 42,500
    - Graduate and professional: 17,500
    - International: 8,400

#### Research

- Budget: \$1.89B grants and contracts (total UW budget \$8.3B)
- Since 1969, among top 5 US institutions in research funding
- Since 1989, 7 Nobel Prize winners
- U.S. News & World Report 2022: #7 world, #6 U.S., #2 U.S. public







# INSTITUTE FOR NANO-ENGINEERED SYSTEMS

- Vision: Catalyzing innovative, interdisciplinary, and industryrelevant research in the design, fabrication, and integration of scalable nano-engineered devices and systems at the University of Washington
- Mission: Developing solutions to grand challenges in nano science and engineering: the scalable, high-yield manufacture of nanoengineered systems in information processing, energy, health, and interconnected life.

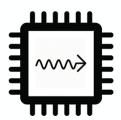


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#### Focus Areas



Photonic & Quantum Devices – from single sensors to large-scale integrated networks of photonic devices for cutting-edge optical communication, quantum computing and biosensing.



<u>Augmented Humanity</u> – portable, wearable, implantable and networked technology for personalized medical care or a more efficient interconnected life.



<u>Scalable Nanomanufacturing</u> – development of low-cost, high-volume nanomanufacturing solutions and bio-3D-printing for cells, tissues and scaffolds.



### NNCI



- NSF network of leading nanofabrication and characterization facilities
- 16 sites plus partner sites, funded at \$84M until
   2025
- Major NSF program for more than 25 years
- More than 1M user hours per year

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#### Molecular Analysis Facility (MAF)

- Fully staffed instrumentation facility for microscopy, spectroscopy, and surface science
- Housed on MolES/NanoES ground floor
- moles.washington.edu/facilities/molecular-analysis-facility

#### Washington Nanofabrication Facility (WNF)

- Full-service nanotechnology user facility focused on enabling basic and applied research, advanced R&D, and prototype production
- Housed in Fluke Hall
- wnf.uw.edu



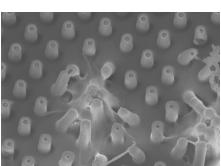


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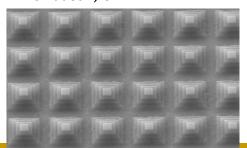
- Located at the University of Washington, Seattle
- Largest publicly accessible cleanroom facility in the Pacific Northwest of the US
- Foundry capabilities
  - Si photonics
  - JEOL JBX 6300FS (8 nm e-beam litho)
  - Packaging
  - General MEMS fab



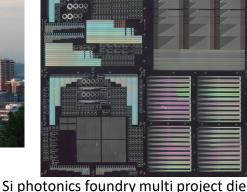
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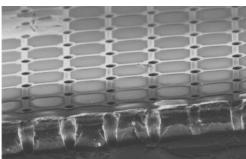


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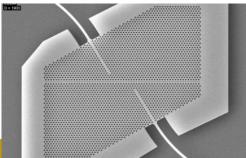


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