## MQ Photonics Research Centre Seminar



**Guest speaker:** Prof. Philip Hemmer from the Electrical & Computer Engineering, Texas A&M University.

**Title:** Engineering diamond color centers for quantum information and bio-sensing.

Abstract: The performance of diamond color centers for quantum information and bio-sensing depends strongly on the quality of the material. Specifically, ultra-pure, lowstrain diamond is preferred. However, in order to create color centers, non-carbon atoms must be incorporated into the lattice either by rapid growth or implantation. To overcome these problems, we show a molecule-seeded growth technique that decouples the doping and growth processes. The result is creation of specific color centers in chemically pure, lowstrain diamond. Future application to other color centers like silicon, germanium, and tin vacancies will be discussed. Also the possibility of direct growth of more complex quantum registers.

When: Friday 31st January 2020

Time: 1-2pm

Where: 7 WW 149, Level 1 (Ground floor entry)

