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SÉMINAIRE**

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Orme des Merisiers SPEC Salle Itzykson, Bât.774

Quantum Matter "On-a-chip"

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I will describe my quantum (hopefully not random) walk in the area of low temperature nanoscience, with the hope to elucidate "bizarre" quantum phenomena. I will discuss several experiments that are underway in my laboratory: these include

- our effort to detect bizarre particles that are neither boson or fermion,
 - the Coulomb drag of electrons in two closed-pack quantum wires, separated by only ~15 nm,
 - a nano-engineered quantum faucet (for real fluids!) and
 - an extreme camera that can take pretty pictures in 16 tesla and at a temperature of 100 mK.
- It's a lot of (quantum) fun!

A coffee break will be served at 11h00. The seminar will be given in English.