**Description of Facility**

- Scanning electron microscope laboratory
- Phenom XL Desktop SEM
- Leica evaporative carbon coater
- Currently >50% of the time is available for visiting scientists and other outside users
- In person use (no remote access); training required; thereafter, unsupervised access is allowed.
- No restrictions other than required training and demonstration of competence to use the instrument.

**How to use the facility**

- Send email to Manager Goodrich and Co-Manager Balta to request time.
- Requests are evaluated based on training and need.
- LPI and ARES/JSC personnel are given priority, but currently demand is low.
- There is currently no charge for use of the LPI SEM.

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