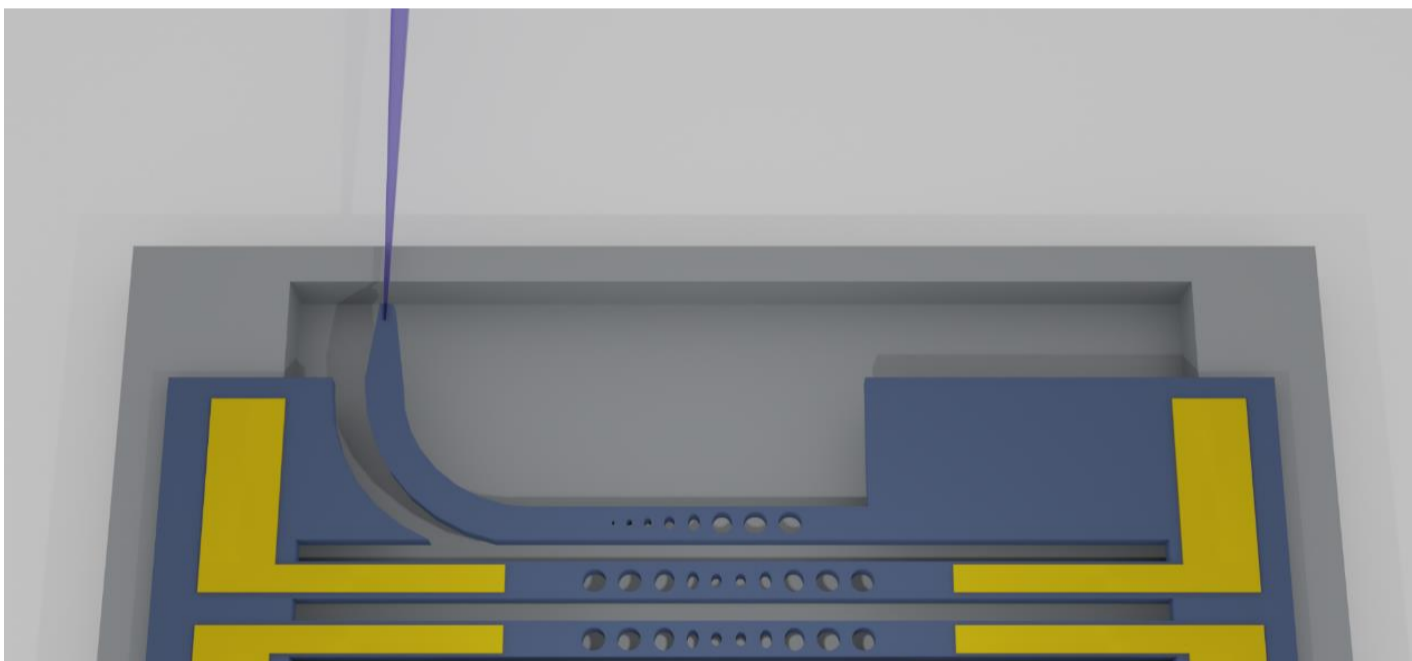


# Master's thesis project: Integrated on-chip spectrometer

On-chip 1D photonic crystals (PhC) allow to confine and manipulate light within a very small mode volume. Using the electrostatic force, one can create wavelength selective transmission/reflection with high resolution by tuning the resonance of the PhC. The aim of this project is to develop on-chip spectroscopy devices with using integrated tuneable opto-electromechanical structures.

**In order to** spectrally decompose an input light field using an integrated PhC device, this project will allow you to:

- 1) Simulation: evaluate the PhC's response to electrostatic force tuning, and its spectral response with simulation tools (e.g., COMSOL)
- 2) Design: create the layout for the devices to be fabricated in the Kavli cleanroom nanofabrication facility.
- 3) Characterization: measure and analyze the electrostatic and the spectral response of the devices, both at room temperature and in a cryogenic environment.



## When?

From March 2023 on or as soon as possible

## Interested?

We are looking forward to hearing from you and will be happy to answer any questions that you may have on this project. Please contact [x.yao-2@tudelft.nl](mailto:x.yao-2@tudelft.nl) for more details.

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