## Seminario de Análisis y Aplicaciones

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## The spectrum of the plasmonic problem for polyhedra

## Resumen:

In this talk we will see how to describe the spectrum of the *plasmonic problem* for polyhedra  $\Omega$  in  $\mathbb{R}^3$ , where the plasmonic problem consists of seeking a potential U,

$$U(x) = o(1), \qquad |x| \to \infty,$$

such that

$$\Delta U(x) = 0, \qquad x \in \mathbb{R}^3 \setminus \partial \Omega,$$

and satisfies

$$\operatorname{Tr}_{+}U = \operatorname{Tr}_{-}U, \qquad \epsilon \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial n}U\right)_{+} - \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial n}U\right)_{-} = g \quad \text{ on } \partial\Omega.$$

Here,  $\operatorname{Tr}_{\pm}U$  and  $\left(\frac{\partial}{\partial n}U\right)_{\pm}$  denote the interior/exterior traces and limiting outward normal derivatives of U on  $\partial\Omega$ . For that aim, we will interpret the plasmonic problem as a spectral problem through an integral operator in the boundary, the direct value of the layer potential, also known as the **Neumann–Poincaré** operator. Therefore, we will study the spectrum of the double layer potential in infinite polyhedral cones and after that, by using localization techniques, we will get the result for bounded polyhedra.

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