

## **STAMM 2018.**

As already announced, the next STAMM conference will take place in Oxford from June 24 to June 27 2018.

This will be a joint meeting with the Society for Natural Philosophy, with the day of Monday 25 June dedicated to John Ball's 70th birthday. The format is 3 and 1/2 days of talks, with 6 keynote talks and one public lecture.

The local organizers are Alain Goriely and Francesco della Porta. The other organizers are: from the SNP side, Chi-Sing Man and Roberto Paroni; from the ISIMM side, Anja Schlömerkemper, Giuseppe Saccomandi, and Giuseppe Tomassetti. In this occasion, Prof. Ball will be awarded the ISIMM Prize in view of his numerous contributions to the mathematical aspects of elasticity, and mechanics in general. The prize will be given in the form of a medal.