



# Interactive Visual Analysis of Scientific Data

*Welcoming*

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# Tutorial Speakers

Two Germans and two Austrians spread over four countries,  
reunited by research on interactive visual analysis (IVA)



# Helwig Hauser

- 1994-2000 assistant professor at the TU Vienna, Austria
- 2000-2003 key researcher at the VRVis Research Center
- 2003-2007 scientific director of VRVis Research Center
- Since 2007, professor in visualization at University of Bergen
- Is promoting IVA for about twelve years



# Helmut Doleisch

- 2004 PhD from the TU Vienna, Austria
- 2004-2008 key researcher at the VRVis Research Center, heading the “Visual Interactive Analysis” group
- 2008-2012 founded spin-off company SimVis GmbH
- Since September, leader of CD-adapco’s Vienna office



# Gunther Weber

- 2003 PhD from University of Kaiserslautern, Germany
- 2003-2006 PostDoc at the Institute for Data Analysis and Visualization at UC Davis, CA, USA
- Since 2007, research scientist at LBNL's Computational Research Division and adjunct assistant professor of computer science at UC Davis



# Steffen Oeltze

- 2004 M.Sc. from University of Magdeburg, Germany
- 2010 PhD from University of Magdeburg
- Since 2010, PostDoc in visualization at Univ. of Magdeburg
- Research on visual analysis of medical and biological data
- Speaker at three VisWeek-tutorials (2006/2007/2008)



# Tutorial Outline

2:00pm-5:55pm

## Introduction, Oeltze (5 min)

- Basics of IVA, Hauser (35 min)
- IVA of Engineering Data, Doleisch (20 min)
- IVA of Biological Data, Weber (20 min)
- IVA of Medical Data, Oeltze (20 min)

## Coffee break

- IVA of Climate Data, Hauser (25 min)
- IVA of Very Large Data, Weber (20 min)
- IVA Tools, Weber, Doleisch, Oeltze (45min)
- Lessons Learned and Challenges, Oeltze (10 min)

# What You Will Learn

- Theoretical foundation of IVA
  - Various application examples from automotive engineering, climate research, biology, and medicine
- Theory and practice will help in transferring the subject matter to your own data and application area
- Techniques from statistics and knowledge discovery
  - Handling of very large data
  - Overview of off-the-shelf IVA solutions

# What You Should Already Know

- Basic understanding of visualization techniques in:
  - Physical space, e.g., surface and volume rendering, rendering modalities, glyphs
  - Attribute space, e.g., histograms, scatter plots, parallel coordinates

# Tutorial Material

Tutorial slides as well as additional material will be available at:

[http://www.vismd.de/doku.php?id=teaching\\_tutorials:start#ieee\\_visualization\\_conference\\_ieee\\_visweek](http://www.vismd.de/doku.php?id=teaching_tutorials:start#ieee_visualization_conference_ieee_visweek)

TinyURL: <http://tinyurl.com/IVAtutorial>

