# Project 30 – Microstructural Evolution of Metallic Alloys During Rapid Solidification

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### **Program Goal**

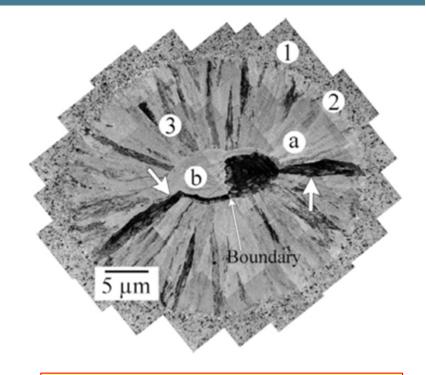
Understand the effect of rapid solidification on the as-solidified microstructure and subsequent solid-state phase transformations.

## **Approach**

Use ex-situ and in-situ imaging to capture and characterize the mechanisms controlling microstructural development during far from equilibrium and equilibrium solidification.

## **Benefits**

In-situ characterization of solid-liquid and solidstate phase transformations will give a full understanding of microstructural development during complex thermal cycling.



TEM image of a rapidly solidified Al-Cu alloy

### **Project Duration**

Ph.D. August 2017 – May 2021





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