The SINS dragon type beamline (http://ssls.nus.edu.sg/facility/beamlines/sins/sins.htm) at SSLS will deliver a tunable monochromatized photon source with high resolution (Δ (E)/ $^{-3}$), high intensity (10 to 10 photons/s) and changeable polarization in a wide energy range (50 to 1000 eV). It offers unique opportunities for research in surface science as well as materials-related research in physics, chemistry, biology, materials and environmental sciences.

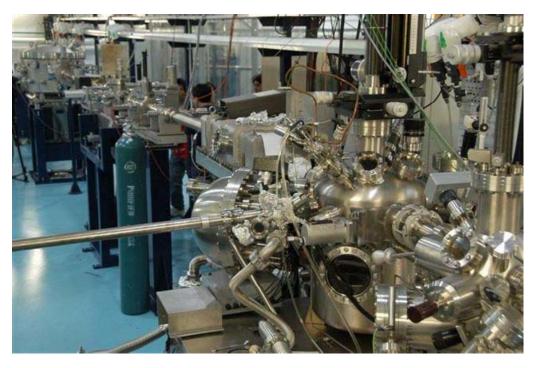


Fig.1 SINS beamline and its endstation.

Experimental station at SINS beamline:

1. Tunable highly monochromatized light source with high flux besides a standard x-ray tube (Mg and Al).

2. VG Scienta - R4000 Analyzer with 2D detector works both for angular-resolved UPS and XPS.

- 3. 5-axis VG manipulator with Liquid Nitrogen and liquid Helium cooling.
- 4. LEED system for the structure analysis of the studied sample
- 5. An ion sputter source to clean the sample
- 6. AFM/STM for microscopy study with atomic resolution
- 7. e-beam evaporators for metals and effusion cell evaporators for molecules.
- 8. Currently is being upgraded with a small chamber with superconducting magnet of over
- 2 Tesla for XMCD measurement with applied field.

| Instrumentation | Description | Availability |
|-----------------|--|--------------|
| PES | Photoemission spectroscopy (mainly XPS;UPS with photon energy above 50 eV including angular-resolved PES for band mapping) | yes |
| XPD | x-ray photoelectron diffraction | yes |
| XAS | soft x-ray absorption including NEXAFS/XANES (near-edgeX-ray absorption spectroscopy | yes |
| XMCD | x-ray magnetic circular dichroism | yes |

Figure 2 shows work on high resolution XPS on F4-TCNQ which prove the controllable p-type doping of hydrogenated diamond (001) surface.

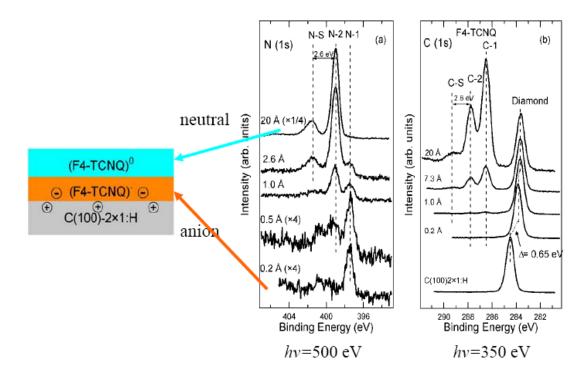
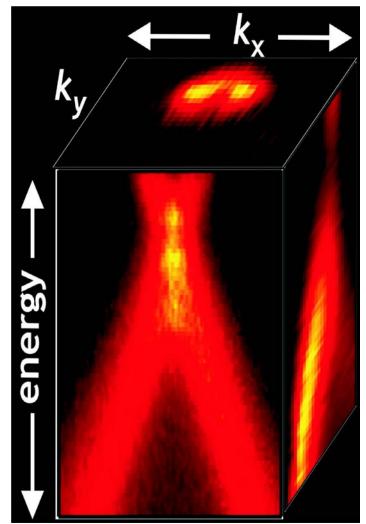


Fig.2 Using a model molecular acceptor (F4-TCNQ), a controllable p-type doping of hydrogenated diamond (001) surface was achieved with a areal hole density of 1.6×10^{13} cm⁻², as demonstrated by the XPS results. This will pave the way for better selection of organic molecular acceptors to control the surface conductivity of semiconductors (see *J. AM. CHEM. SOC.*, *129*, 8084 (2007)).



ARPES electronic structure mapping of epitaxial graphene on SiC around *K* point