



# **High-throughput experimental and Calphad screening of CCAs (Hi-TeCC) – towards new alloys with exceptional mechanical properties**

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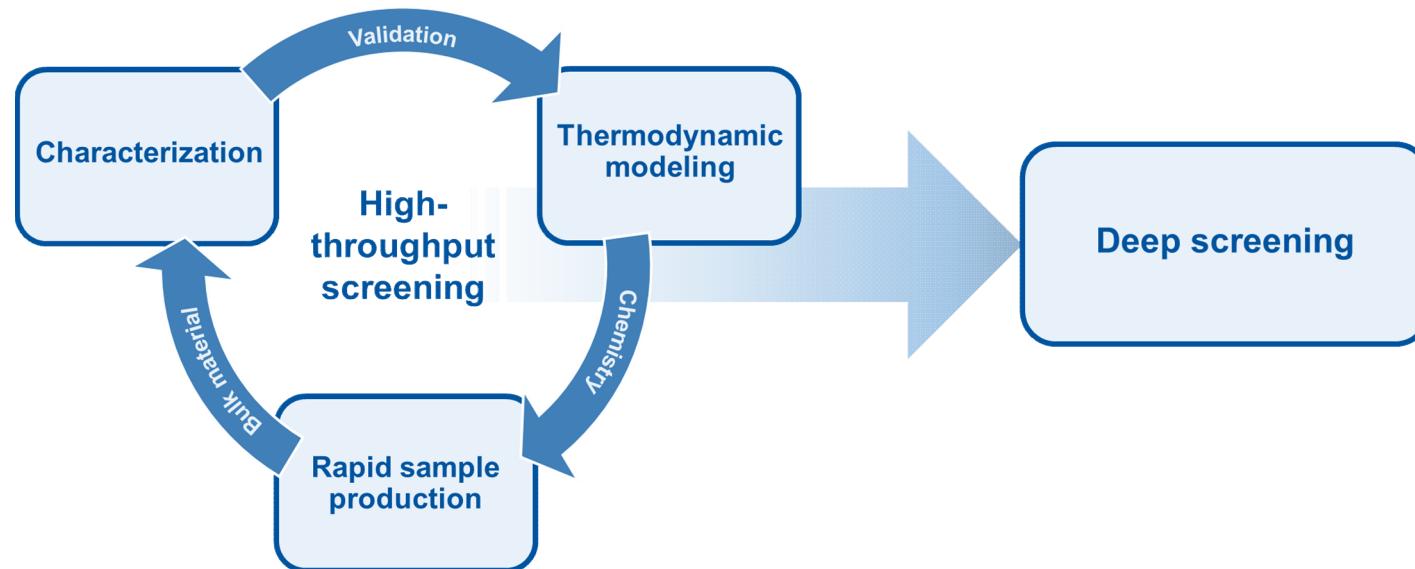
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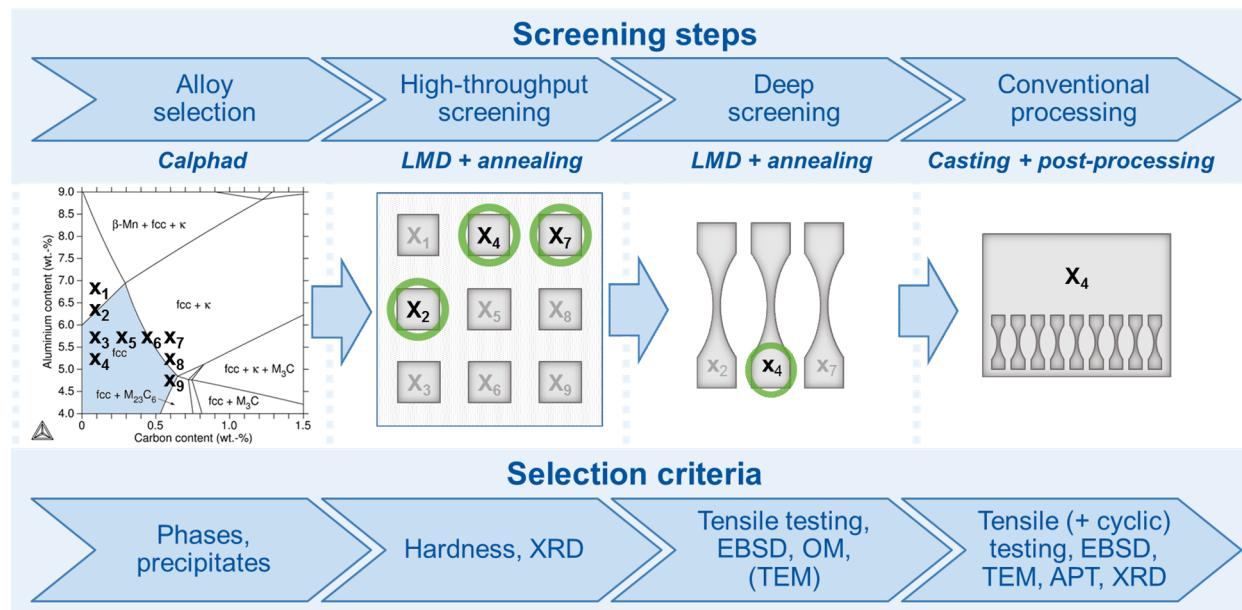
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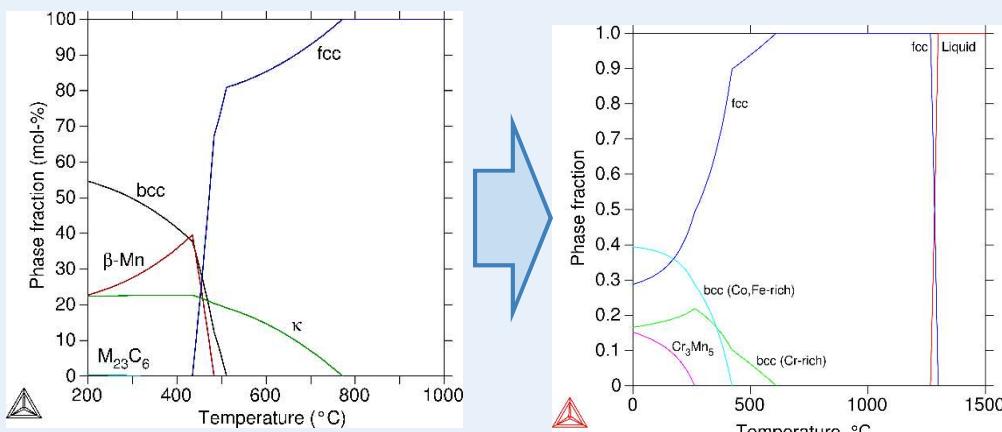
- improving mechanical properties by advancing from HEAs to CCAs
  - fcc => fcc + phase1 + phase2 + ...
- promising alloys can only be identified and developed using reliable thermodynamic predictions => so far there is no database for HEAs/CCAs
- high-throughput screening approach including simulations and experiments is needed to explore new CCAs => so far there is no methodology



- microstructure design of fcc-based CCAs in the Al-Co-Cr-Fe-Mn-Ni-C system
  - develop new alloys with high strength and ductility
- development of a thermodynamic database
- Calphad prediction of precipitates (e.g. B2,  $\kappa$ ) and phase stabilities
- new methodology for screening of CCAs: combination of Calphad calculations and rapid bulk material production by LMD



## Calphad modeling



Fe-Mn-Al-C

Al-Co-Cr-Fe-Mn-Ni-C

## Sample production



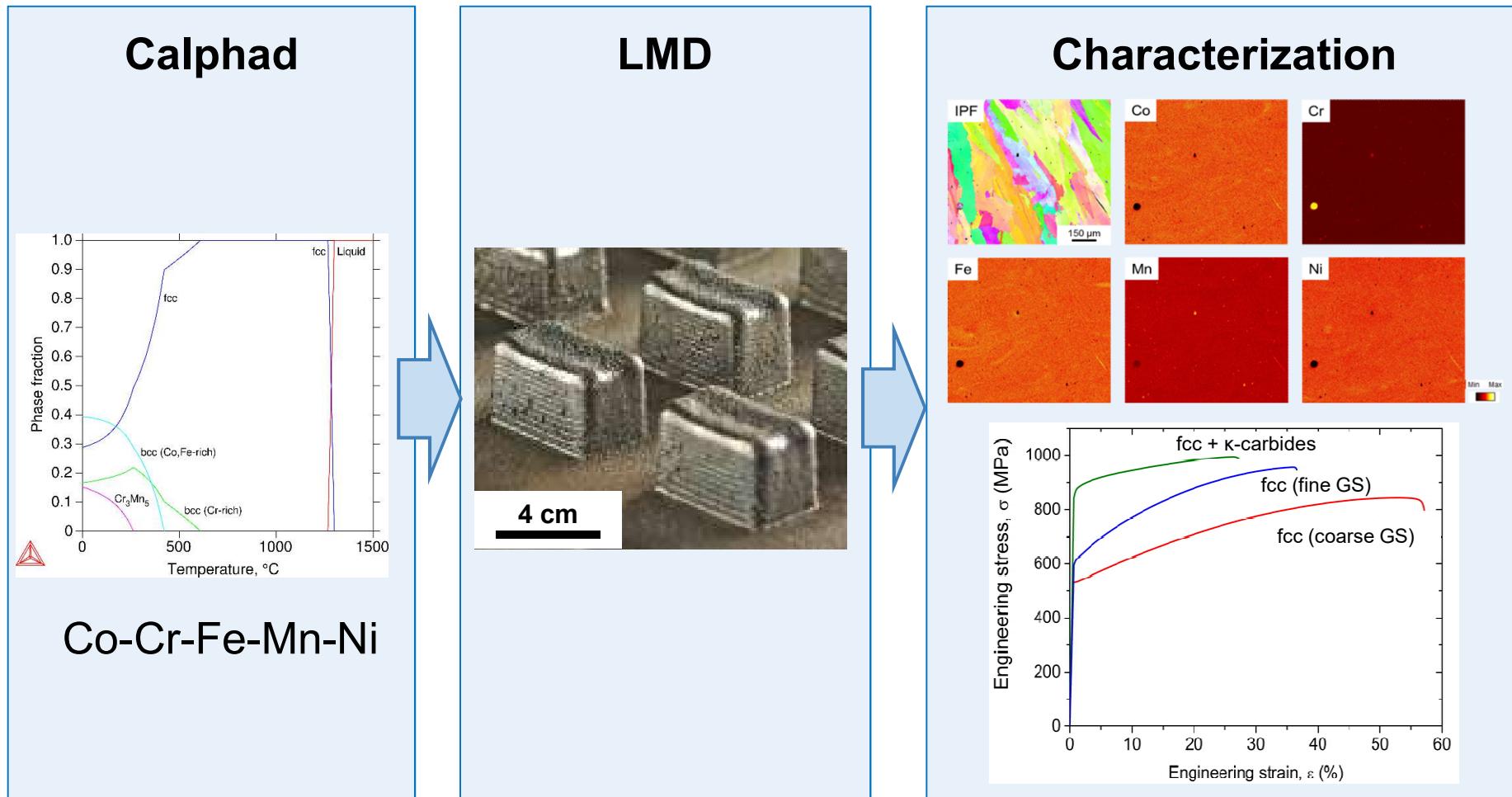
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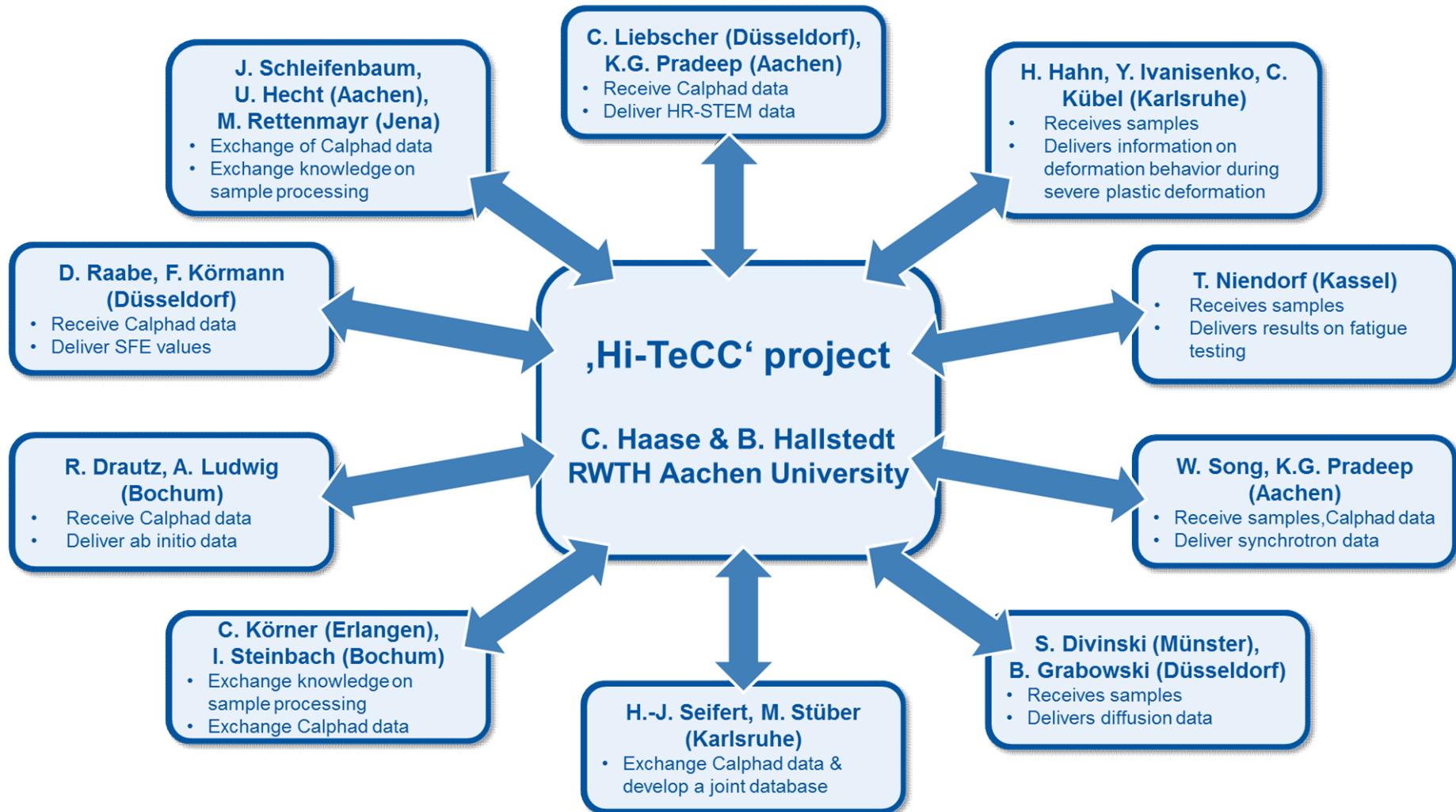


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- enable thermodynamic description of HEAs and CCAs, development of a database that will be accessible for the entire SPP
- explore a high number of CCAs to find alloys with improved mechanical properties
- understand the influence of chemistry and microstructure on the mechanical properties
- extensive microstructure characterization
- deformation behavior will be investigated on bulk tensile specimens under static and cyclic loading conditions at RT and elevated T  
=> application-oriented assessment of design criteria for new advanced structural materials based on the concepts of HEAs



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**Thank you very much for your attention!**