

## Laboratory of Composites & Nanocomposites

## The main objectives and activities

- Development of composite structures with basalt and carbon fibers,
- Development of nanoparticulate and nanocomposite systems with the aim of acquiring multifunctional effects (antistatic, antimicrobial, increased heat resistance, improved mechanical properties, selfcleaning effects, etc.),
- Standard methods of testing of mechanical and thermomechanical properties of composites,
- Development and application of new and non-standard measurement methods for reviews of hierarchical structures,
- Modeling the geometry and properties of textile structures, simulation
  of behavior of composite, comprehensive review of hierarchical
  structures, quality of textiles and special criteria for the design of textile
  structures.

## **Specialization of the laboratory**

- Preparation of Nanoparticles (mechanically by grinding or chemically),
- Creation of composite structures with different geometry of reinforcement,
- Testing 3-point bending statically and dynamically,
- Analysis of impact toughness, fortress and ductility of the composites.





## **Specific devices and outcomes**

- Nano noughts and crosses
- High-temperature furnace
- Charpy impact tester
- · High pressure compression device
- Diamond circular saw
- · Vacuum equipment for the production of composites
- Devices for preparation of thin sections
- Laser particle size distribution

