## **A PARADIM for Jumpstarting Academic Careers**

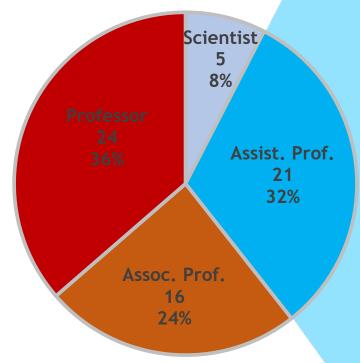
**User Program** 

Materials Innovation Platforms provide free access and training at state-of-the-art equipment. Based

on accepted projects to use **PARADIM**, our User Program is particularly interesting for young researchers and faculty at the start of their own research group, when required equipment or well-trained personnel might not be readily available at their home institutions.

Most importantly, access to PARADIM includes support by scientific staff. Independent research projects can be pursued immediately and the projects' associated users—usually graduate students—receive invaluable hands-on training

Academic Rank of External Pls



**Examples of Assistant Professors whose success in PARADIM facilities directly led to subsequent funding** 



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and guidance on all aspects of their Materials-by-Design discoveries.

