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**ABSTRACT:** Advances in packaging drives miniaturization, lower power and reliability of future health-monitoring systems. These advances are the key for low-cost and continuous health monitoring. Packaging is enhanced through device or component-level innovations or through integration of such advanced devices and components for functional density, performance and reliability. This talk will highlight recent advances in both components and device-component-flex co-packaging to realize wearable and implantable neural recording and biophotonic systems. The first part of this talk describes embedded multiferroic flexible films or tiny multiferroic chiplets to advance power and data telemetry beyond current inductive and antenna links for both neural recording and also neurostimulation applications. The second part reviews embedding devices in miniaturized flex packages for future wearable wireless ECG systems. The third part describes heterogeneous package integration of power, RF and biophotonic components to realize future multimodal sensing systems. Advances in device embedding and 3D rigid-flex integration and associated material, tool and process advances in collaboration with the industry partners at FIU will be highlighted.

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