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Fundamentals and New Concepts: Light Concentration
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Wednesday, June 6

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Crystalline Silicon: Crystallization and Wafering (Orals)
1:30 - 3:00 PM (Blrm G)

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Friday, June 8

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Tuesday, June 5

Thin-Film Silicon: Solar Cells, Novel Concepts, Thin Crystalline Silicon Film, Solar Cells and Modules (Posters)
10:30 - 12:00 PM (EH4-E)

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Wednesday, June 6

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Organic Photovoltaics: OPV Materials and Devices
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1:30 - 3:00 PM (17A)

Organic Photovoltaics: Device Concepts (Orals)
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PV Characterization: Plenary
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PV Characterization: Session 2 (Posters)
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PV Characterization: Challenges in Characterization
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Solar Cells (Orals)
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Tuesday, June 5

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Thursday, June 7

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9:30 - 10:00 AM (Blrm D)

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10:30 - 12:00 PM (EH4-F)

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1:30 - 3:00 PM (16AB)

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Monday, June 4

PV Velocity Forum: Equipment-Related PV ESH
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PV Velocity Forum: Sustainability and PV EHS (Orals)

3:30 - 5:00 PM (19B)

Tuesday, June 5

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9:30 - 10:00 AM (Blrm D)

PV Velocity Forum: PV Executive Forum

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PV Velocity Forum: National Programs (Orals)

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3:30 - 5:00 PM (19B)

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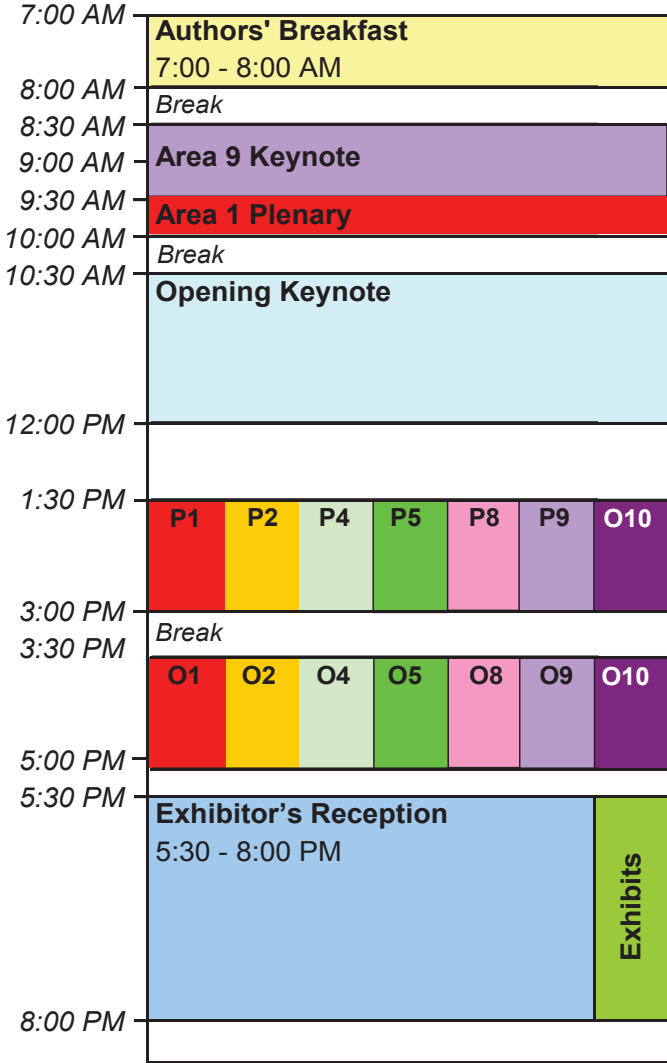
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Area 9: Modules and Systems: Keynote

Chair(s): Greg Ball, Barry Mather

8:30 Residential PV and Smart Grid Activities N/A

1 Scott Hinson
Pecan Street Project

**8:45 High-Penetration PV Deployment in the
Arizona Public Service System, Phase 1
Update 1**

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Golden, CO, USA*

**9:00 Large PV System Control and Utility
Integration Strategies N/A**

Robert Johnson
SunPower Corporation

**9:15 Battery Storage for PV and Smart Grid
Applications N/A**

Richard Fioravanti
DNV KEMA

9:30 - 10:00 AM **Blrm D**

Area 1: Fundamentals and New Concepts: Plenary

Chair(s): Ryne Raffaele, Yoshitaka Okada

**9:30 High-Performance Photovoltaics from
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5 David B. Mitzi
*IBM T. J. Watson Research Center, Yorktown
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10:30 - 12:00 PM

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Welcoming Session and Keynotes

Chair(s): BJ Stanbery, Angus Rocket

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6 BJ Stanbery
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- 10:45 **Cherry Award Presentation** N/A
7 Stuart Wenham
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Sarah Kurtz
National Renewable Energy Laboratory
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Samuel Baldwin
EERE US DOE, Washington, DC, USA

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- 4:45 **19.8% Efficiency on Large Area n-Type Czochralski Silicon Solar Cells with Aluminum Rear Emitter** N/A
188 Xi Xi, Wenjuan Wu, Liping Chen, Jin Xu, Feng Gao, Zhengxin Wang, Haidong Zhu, Yongfei Jiang, Cheng Huang, Jingjia Ji, Zhengrong Shi
Suntech Power Co., Ltd., Wuxi, China

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Chair(s): Olindo Isabella, Matthieu Despeisse

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Laura M. Sivec, Baojie Yan, Guozhen Yue, Jessica M. Owens-Mawson, Jeffrey Yang, Subhendu Guha
United Solar Ovonic LLC, Troy, MI, USA
- 4:00 **Gen5 Production Tool for Light Management Textures** 690
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A.J.M. van Erven, M. Steltenpool, M. Bos, J. Rutten, G. van der Hofstad, J. Muller, H. de Groot, J. de Ruijter, B. Titulaer, G. Rajeswaran
OM&T B.V. / Moser Baer Technologies, Eindhoven, Netherlands
- 4:30 **Stencil-Nanopatterned Back Reflectors for Thin-Film Amorphous Silicon n-i-p Solar Cells** 694
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Celine Pahud¹, Veronica Savu², Mona Klein³, Oscar Vazquez-Mena⁴, Karin Söderström¹, Franz-Joseph Haug¹, Jürgen Brugger², Christophe Ballif¹
¹*EPFL, IMT, Photovoltaics and Thin Film Electronics Laboratory, Neuchatel, Switzerland*, ²*EPFL, IMT, Microsystem Laboratory, Lausanne, Switzerland*, ³*IBM Research, Zurich, Switzerland*, ⁴*Berkeley University, San Francisco, CA, USA*
- 4:45 **Investigation of Textured Back Reflectors with Periodic Honeycomb Patterns in Thin-Film Silicon Solar Cells for Improved Photovoltaic Performance** N/A
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Hitoshi Sai¹, Kimihiko Saito², Michio Kondo¹
¹*National Institute of Advanced Industrial Science and Technology (AIST), Tsukuba, Japan*, ²*Photovoltaic Power Generation Technology Research Association (PVTEC), Tsukuba, Japan*

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and Standards (Orals)**

Chair(s): Michael Kempe, Gerald Siefer

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Procedure with PV Modules in a Side-by-
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Matthew T. Muller, Bill Marion, Jose Rodriguez
NREL, Golden, CO, USA
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System Energy Forecasting Models 703
Kenneth J. Sauer¹, Thomas Roessler²
¹*Yingli Green Energy Americas, Inc., San*
Francisco, CA, USA, ²*Yingli Green Energy*
Europe GmbH, Munich, Germany
- 4:00 **Non-Destructive Determination of the**
195 **Degree of Cross-Linking of EVA Solar**
Module Encapsulation Using DMA Shear
Measurements 710
Rafal A. Mickiewicz, Edward Cahill, Po-I Wu
Fraunhofer Center for Sustainable Energy
Systems (CSE), Cambridge, MA, USA
- 4:15 **Analytical Techniques Used to Determine**
196 **Chemical Degradation of Polymeric**
Materials Used in PV Modules After
Sustained Exposure to Partial Discharge
Voltages 714
Nancy H. Phillips¹, Bradley L. Givot¹, William
D. O'Brien¹, Jaylon J. Loyd², Gary A. Korba¹
¹*3M Company, Saint Paul, MN, USA,* ²*3M*
Company, Austin, TX, USA
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197 **Photovoltaic Arc-Faults 720**
Jay Johnson¹, Scott McCalmont², Gil Katzir²,
Sigifredo Gonzalez¹, Jennifer Granata¹,
Armando Fresquez¹, Michael Montoya¹
¹*Sandia National Laboratories, Albuquerque,*
NM, USA, ²*Tigo Energy, Los Gatos, CA, USA*
- 4:45 **Qualification of Arcing Risks in PV**
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Florian Reil¹, Annett Sepanski¹, Mirco Vosen¹,
Willi Vaassen¹, Werner Herrmann¹, Heribert
Schmidt²
¹*TÜV Rheinland Energie und Umwelt GmbH,*
Cologne, Germany, ²*Fraunhofer Institute ISE,*
Freiburg, Germany

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199 Holly Thomas¹, Kevin Lynn², Alvin Razon²
¹US DOE, Golden, CO, USA, ²US DOE, Washington, DC, USA
- 3:45 **Economic Value of Photovoltaic Generation at High Penetration Levels** N/A
200 Andrew D. Mills, Ryan H. Wiser
Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory, Berkeley, CA, USA
- 4:00 **Initial Operating Experience of the 1.2-MW La Ola Photovoltaic System** N/A
201 Jay Johnson¹, Benjamin Schenkman¹, Abraham Ellis¹, Jimmy Quiroz¹, Carl Lenox²
¹Sandia National Laboratories, Albuquerque, NM, USA, ²SunPower Corporation, Richmond, CA, USA
- 4:15 **Integrating High Penetrations of PV into Southern California: Year 2 Project Update** 737
202 Barry Mather¹, Russell Neal²
¹National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden, CO, USA, ²Southern California Edison, Westminster, CA, USA
- 4:30 **Evaluation of Alternatives to the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) Small Generator Interconnection Procedures (SGIP) Screens for PV Interconnection Studies** 742
203 Robert J. Broderick, Abraham Ellis
Sandia National Laboratories, Albuquerque, NM, USA
- 4:45 **Guidelines Document for Helping Utility Protection Engineers Determine When Additional Anti-Islanding Studies Are Prudent** 748
204 Michael E. Ropp¹, Abraham Ellis²
¹Northern Plains Power Technologies, Brookings, SD, USA, ²Sandia National Laboratories, Albuquerque, NM, USA

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EHS (Orals)**

Chair(s): Amy Galland, Troy McCuskey

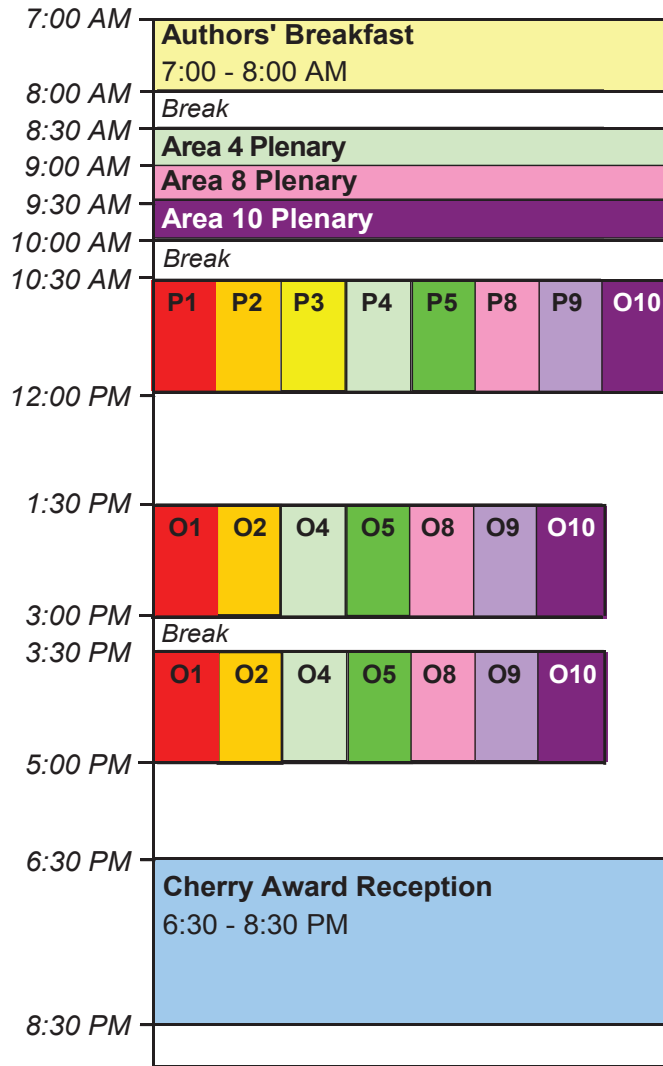
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Annick Anctil, Vasilis Fthenakis
Brookhaven National Laboratory, Upton, NY, USA
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206 **PV Recycling 757**
Angelo Doni, Fabrizio Dughiero
*Department of Industrial Engineering - University
of Padua, Padua, Italy*
- 4:00 **Exploring Large-Scale Solar Deployment in**
207 **DOE's SunShot Vision Study 763**
Easan Drury¹, Greg Brinkman¹, Paul Denholm¹,
Robert Margolis²
*¹National Renewable Energy Laboratory,
Golden, CO, USA, ²National Renewable Energy
Laboratory, Washington DC, DC, USA*
- 4:15 **Direct Te Mining: Resource Availability and**
208 **Impact on CdTe PV Life Cycles N/A**
Vasilis Fthenakis^{1,2}, Annick Anctil²
*¹Columbia University, New York, NY, USA,
²Brookhaven National Laboratory, Upton, NY,
USA*
- 4:30 **Life Cycle Water Usage in CdTe Photovoltaics N/A**
209 Parikhit Sinha¹, Amy Meader², Mariska de Wild-
Scholten³
*¹First Solar, Tempe, AZ, USA, ²First Solar,
Perrysburg, OH, USA, ³SmartGreenScans, Groet,
Netherlands*
- 4:45 **Current and Conceivable Supply-Chain**
210 **Dynamics of Tellurium and Indium Within the
Context of PV Module Manufacturing Costs N/A**
Michael A. Woodhouse¹, Alan Goodrich¹, Martin
Lokanc², Roderick Eggert²
*¹Strategic Energy Analysis Center, The National
Renewable Energy Lab, Golden, CO, USA,
²Department of Mineral and Energy Economics,
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Exhibitor's Opening Reception

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Eicke Weber

Fraunhofer ISE, Freiburg, Germany

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Chair(s): Gerald Siefer

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212 Keith A. Emery

NREL, Golden, CO, USA

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Investment & Technology Decisions** N/A

Dave Parrillo

The Dow Chemical Company

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Marwa Salem Basyoni
Ain Shams University, Cairo, Egypt
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215 **Broadband Quantum Dots-in-a-Well Solar Cells 778**
C. H. Chang¹, T. E. Tzeng¹, T. S. Lay¹, H. Cho², David J.Y. Feng²
¹National Sun Yat-Sen University, Kaohsiung, Taiwan, ²National University of Kaohsiung, Kaohsiung, Taiwan
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216 **Photovoltaic Response for High Density InGaAs Coupled Quantum Dots 781**
Kuei-Ya Chuang¹, K. D. Tzeng¹, T. E. Tzeng¹, T. S. Lay¹, Chien-chung Lin², H. Cho³, David J. Y. Feng³
¹Department of Photonics, National Sun Yat-Sen University, Kaohsiung, Taiwan, ²Institute of Photonic Systems, College of Photonics, National Chiao-Tung University, Tainan, Taiwan, ³Department of Electrical Engineering, National University of Kaohsiung, Kaohsiung, Taiwan
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Bingfei Dou, Rui Jia, Haofeng Li, Chen Chen, Xinyu Liu, Tianchun Ye
Institute of Microelectronics, Chinese Academy of Sciences, Beijing, China
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Hamid Fardi¹, Mohammed Jan¹, Bart Van Zeghbroeck²
¹University of Colorado Denver, Denver, CO, USA, ²University of Colorado at Boulder, Boulder, CO, USA
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Jateen S. Gandhi, Choong-un Kim, Wiley P. Kirk
University of Texas at Arlington, Arlington, TX, USA

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W. Hu^{1,2}, M. F. Budiman^{1,2}, M. Igarashi^{1,2}, M.-Y. Lee³, Y. Li³, S. Samukawa^{1,2}
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221 **Effect of Variation in Energy Bandgap and Intrinsic Layer Thickness on Silicon Quantum Dot Solar Cell Performance N/A**
Paresh Kale, Chetan Solanki
Indian Institute of Technology Bombay, Mumbai, India
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222 **Effect of Variation in Energy Bandgap and Intrinsic Layer Thickness on Silicon Quantum Dot Solar Cell Performance N/A**
Paresh Kale, Chetan Solanki
Indian Institute of Technology Bombay, Mumbai, India
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223 **SnS Quantum Dot Solar Cells with Cu₂S as Counter Electrode 798**
Deepa K.G., Anantha Sunil M., Nagaraju J.
Department of Instrumentation and Applied Physics, Bangalore, India
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224 **Application of Ge Quantum Wells Fabricated by Laser Annealing as Energy Selective Contacts for Hot-Carrier Solar Cells 801**
Sammy Lee, Shujuan Huang, Gavin J. Conibeer, Martin A. Green
ARC Photovoltaics Centre of Excellence, Sydney, Australia
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Narasimha Rao Mavilla^{1,2}, Dharmendra Kumar R. Rai^{1,3}, Chetan S. Solanki^{1,3}, Vasi Juzer^{1,2}
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Dharmendra kumar R. Rai¹, Narasimha Rao Mavilla², Ashish K. Panchal³, Chetan S. Solanki¹
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Yeliao Tao, Yuhua Zuo, Jun Zheng, Qian Cao, Tianwei Zhou, Chunlai Xue, Buwen Cheng, Xiangbo Zeng, Qiming Wang
State Key Laboratory on Integrated Optoelectronics, Institute of Semiconductors, Chinese Academy of Sciences, Beijing, China
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National Chung Hsing University, Taichung, Taiwan
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Kuang-Chung Wang, Yuh-Renn Wu Wu
Natiional Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan
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Emily L. Warren¹, Daniel B. Turner-Evans², Ron L. Grimm¹, Harry A. Atwater², Nathan S. Lewis¹
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231 **(In)GaAsN Materials and Solar Cells for Super-High-Efficiency Multijunction Solar Cells 831**
Masafumi Yamaguchi¹, Boussairi Bouzazi¹, Hidetoshi Suzuki², Nobuaki Kojima¹, Yoshio Ohshita¹
¹Toyota Technological Institute, Nagoya, Japan, ²Miyazaki University, Miyazaki, Japan
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232 **Photovoltaic Performances Enhanced by Novel Indium Nanoparticles Using Surface Plasmonic in GaAs-Based 3-Junction Solar Cells 835**
Cheng-Ming Yu¹, Wen-Jeng Ho¹, Yi-Yu Lee¹, Jheng-Jie Liu¹, Chin-Cing Liao¹, Wei-Ting Wang¹, Shu-Chia Shiu², Ching-Fuh Lin², Hung-Pin Shiau³
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234 **Cu Effects on CdS/CdTe Thin-Film Solar Cells Prepared on Flexible Substrates 843**
Xianjin Feng, Kartikay Singh, Sushma Bhavanam, Vasilios Palekis, Don L. Morel, Chris Ferekides
University of South Florida, Tampa, FL, USA
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Ana Kanevce, Darius Kuciauskas, Timothy A. Gessert, Dean H. Levi
National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden, CO, USA
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Jason M. Kephart, Russell Geisthardt, W.S. Sampath
Colorado State University, Fort Collins, CO, USA
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237 **Plasma Cleaning of TCO Surfaces Prior to CdS/CdTe Deposition 859**
Drew E. Swanson, Ryan M. Lutze, W.S. Sampath, John D. Williams
Materials Engineering Lab, NSF IUCRC for Next Generation Photovoltaic, Colorado State University, Fort Collins, CO, USA
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238 **3-D Simulations for the Optimization of Antireflection Subwavelength Structures in CIGS Solar Cells 864**
Sehyun Hwang¹, Jae-Hyung Jang^{1,2}
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239 **Study of Point Defects in ns-Pulsed Laser-Annealed CuInSe₂ Thin Films N/A**
Ashish Bhatia¹, Helen Meadows², Mitchell C. Hymas¹, Elizabeth M. Smith¹, Phillip J. Dale², Michael A. Scarpulla^{1,3}
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240 **Reverse Stress Metastability of Shunt Current in CIGS Solar Cells 868**
Sourabh Dongaonkar¹, Erik Sheets², Rakesh Agrawal², Muhammad A. Alam¹
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241 **J_{sc} Improvement of CdS/Cu(In,Ga)Se₂ Solar Cells After Rapid Thermal Annealing 873**
D.S. Chen^{1,2}, J. Yang¹, F. Xu¹, H.W. Du¹, J.W. Shi¹, Z.S. Yu³, Y.H. Zhang³, Z.Q. Ma¹
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242 **Effects of Annealing in Sulfur Vapor on Electrodeposited CuInSe₂ Films 879**
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243 **Analysis of (Ag,Cu)(In,Ga)Se₂ Solar Cells Deposited by a Hybrid Process 884**
Scott Little¹, Vikash Ranjan², Robert W. Collins¹, Sylvain Marsillac²
¹University of Toledo, Toledo, OH, USA, ²Old Dominion University, Norfolk, VA, USA
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244 **The Impact of Selenisation on Damp Heat Degradation of the CIGS Back Contact Molybdenum N/A**
Mirjam Theelen^{1,2,3}, Mathieu Tomassini⁴, Nicolas Barreau⁴, Henk Steijvers¹, Annalisa Branca¹, Sylvie Harel⁴, Zeger Vroon¹, Miro Zeman²
¹TNO, Eindhoven, Netherlands, ²Delft University of Technology, Delft, Netherlands, ³M2i, Delft, Netherlands, ⁴IMN-UMR, Nantes, France

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245 **Determination of Moisture Ingress Through Various Encapsulants Used in CIGS PV Module Under Continuously Varying Environment 887**
Namsu Kim¹, Chanwoon Han¹, Dohyun Baek², Jaehoon Lee², Dongseop Kim²
¹*Components and Materials Physics Research Center, Korea Electronic Research Center, Gyeonggi-Do, South Korea*, ²*Solar Energy Business Division, Samsung SDI Co., Ltd., Gyeonggi-Do, South Korea*
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246 **Reliability Studies of Mo Layer Deposited on Polyimide Substrate for CIGS Solar Cell Applications 891**
Dung-Ching Perng, Ming-Chen Hung, Kuo-Yu Wang
National Cheng Kung University, Tainan, Taiwan
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247 **Development of a High-Pressure CdS Sputtering Process for Improved Efficiency in CIGS-Based Photovoltaic Devices 895**
Melissa Mushrush, Rebekah Feist, Steve Rozeveld, Gary Mitchell, Jeffrey Fenton
The Dow Chemical Company, Midland, MI, USA
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Mathew N Rekow¹, Dominik Bartl², Christian Sandfort³, Andreas Letsch²
¹*ESI-PyroPhotonics, Montreal, QC, Canada*, ²*Robert Bosch GmbH, Stuttgart, Germany*, ³*Bosch Solar CISTech GmbH, Brandenburg, Germany*
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249 **Growth and Characterization of Cu₂ZnSnS₄ Single Crystal N/A**
Akira Nagaoka¹, Kenji Yoshino¹, Hideto Miyake²
¹*University of Miyazaki, Miyazaki, Japan*, ²*Mie University, Mie, Japan*
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Yu-Han Chang¹, Chia-Hsiang Chen¹, Yan-huei Wu¹, Shih-Yuan Wei¹, Chih-Huang Lai^{1,2}
¹*Department of Materials Science and Engineering, National Tsing Hua University, Hsinchu, Taiwan*, ²*Low Carbon Energy Research Center, National Tsing Hua University, Hsinchu, Taiwan*
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251 **Batch Simulation of Solar Cells by Using Matlab and wxAMPS 902**
Yiming Liu¹, Yun Sun¹, Angus Rockett²
¹*Nankai University, Tianjin, China*, ²*University of Illinois at Urbana Champaign, Urbana, IL, USA*
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252 **Graded Band gap CIGS Solar Cells Considering the Valence Band Widening 906**
Nima Eshaghi Gorji¹, Ugo Reggiani¹, Leonardo Sandrolini¹
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**Area 3: III-V's and Concentrators: Cells, Modules,
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Multijunction Solar Cells 909**
Gerard J. Bauhuis, Peter Mulder, Erik J.
Haverkamp, John J. Schermer
*Radboud University Nijmegen, Nijmegen,
Netherlands*
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254 **Towards High-Efficiency GaAs Thin-Film Solar
Cells Grown via Close Space Vapor Transport
from a Solid Source 913**
Shannon W. Boettcher, Andrew J. Ritenour
*Department of Chemistry and the Materials
Science Institute, University of Oregon, Eugene,
OR, USA*
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255 **Nonpolar Substrates for III-V-Based Solar
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Ge(100) Surfaces in MOVPE Process Ambient N/A**
Sebastian Brueckner^{1,2}, Henning Doescher^{1,2},
Anja Dobrich¹, Enrique Barrigón³, Oliver Supplie¹,
Claas Loebbel¹, Johannes Luczak¹, Ignacio
Rey-Stolle³, Peter Kleinschmidt^{1,4}, Thomas
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²Ilmenau University of Technology, Ilmenau,
Germany, ³Instituto de Energía Solar, Madrid,
Spain, ⁴CiS Research Institute, Erfurt, Germany*
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Jorge López
Isototon, S.A., Málaga, Spain
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for Low-Dislocation Density GaInP/GaAsP/Si
Solar Cells 918**
Andrew M. Carlin¹, Tyler J. Grassman¹, Mark R.
Brenner¹, Javier Grandal¹, Chris Ratcliff¹, Limei
Yang², Michael Mills², Prithu Sharma³, Eugene A.
Fitzgerald³, Steven A. Ringel¹
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Ohio State University, Columbus, OH, USA,
³Dept. of Materials Science & Engineering,
Massachusetts Institute of Technology,
Cambridge, MA, USA*
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258 **Quantifying the Impact of Individual
Atmospheric Parameters on CPV System
Power and Energy Yield 922**
Ngai L.A. Chan, Helen E. Brindley, Nicholas J.
Ekins-Daukes
*Department of Physics, Imperial College London,
London, United Kingdom*

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Chia-Wei Chen¹, Xudong Chen², Kenneth Church², Haixin Yang³, Keith Tate¹, Ian B. Cooper¹, Ajeet Rohatgi⁴
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338 **Si Thin-Film Solar Cell with Asymmetric p-n Junction 1212**
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 357 Juan Jimeno¹, Carmen Ikarán¹, Joseba Ezquerra¹,
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 362 Bijaya B Paudyal¹, Steve Johnston², David House¹
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 than One Maximum Power Point Tracking
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 363 Stephen G. Pisklak¹, Michael E. Mills¹, Conor
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 364 Mauro Pravettoni¹, Raffaele Fucci², Matthew
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365 **PV Fire Safety: Examining the Conductivity of Water Jets and Nozzles at a Simulated PV Solar Array of 1kV** N/A
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366 **Characterization of Diffuse Anisotropic Illumination Effects to the Output of Bifacial and Holographic Planar Concentrating Photovoltaic Panel Configurations** 1312
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 Ricardo Castañeyra, Eduardo I. Ortiz-Rivera
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 Photovoltaics 1357
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377 **Interoperability and Functionality** 1362
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383 **A Survey of Maximum PPT Techniques of PV Systems N/A**
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- V1
384 **Impact of PV Module Mismatch on the PV Array Energy Yield and Comparison of Module, String and Central MPPT 1393**
Panagiotis Bakas, Antonis Marinopoulos, Bengt Stridh
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Vicente Salas
Universidad Carlos III de Madrid, Leganes, Spain
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386 **A Control Strategy to Reduce the Effect of Intermittent Solar Radiation and Wind Velocity in the Hybrid Photovoltaic/Wind SCIG System Without Losing MPPT 1399**
Rupesh G. Wandhare, Vivek Agarwal
Indian Institute of Technology- Bombay, Mumbai, India
- V13
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Moumita Das, Vivek Agarwal
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- W1
390 **Development of a Field Programmable Gate Array (FPGA)-Based Photovoltaic Panel Emulator Based on a DC/DC Converter** 1417
Hayrettin Can, Koray Sener Parlak, Damla Ickilli
Firat University, Elazig, Turkey
- W5
391 **Switched Capacitor DC-DC Converter-Based Current Equalization Scheme for Maximum Power Extraction from Partially-Shaded PV Modules Without Bypass Diodes** 1422
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- W9
392 **High-Gain, High-Efficiency DC-DC Converter with Soft Switching Feature** 1428
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- W13
393 **Maximum Power Point Tracking Method Under Partial Shading Conditions** 1434
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- W17
394 **Analysis of Photovoltaic Array with Reconfigurable Modules Under Partial Shading** 1437
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395 **Switch-Based Reconfigurable Photovoltaic Array for Power Maximization** N/A
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- W24
396 **Controlled-Partial-Shading Evaluation of PV Arrays During Realistic Operation** N/A
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397 **String-Level (Kw-Scale) IV Curves from Different Types Of Modules Under Partial Shade 1442**
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398 **Architecture of a Smart Photovoltaic Module N/A**
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- X9
399 **Evaluation of Economical Benefit of Cleaning of Soiling and Snow in PV Plants at Three Selected Locations in Europe 1448**
Bengt Stridh
ABB Corporate Research, Västerås, Sweden
- X12
400 **Output Performance and Payback Analysis of a Residential Photovoltaic System in Colorado 1452**
Steven W. Johnston
National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden, CO, USA

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Area 10: PV Velocity Forum: PV Executive Forum

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Danielle Merfeld
GE Global Research
- 402 **PV Executive Forum N/A**
Zhengrong Shi
Suntech
- 403 **PV Executive Forum N/A**
Cai Steger
Energy Analyst, NRDC
- 404 **PV Executive Forum N/A**
Frank Mierlo
1366 Technologies
- 405 **PV Executive Forum N/A**
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New Enterprise Associates, Washington, DC, USA

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Area 1: Fundamentals and New Concepts: Quantum Well Solar Cells (Orals)

Chair(s): Ryne P. Raffaele, Martha Symko-Davies, Greg Wilson

1:30 **Best Student Presentation Award**
406 **Finalist**

High-Aspect-Ratio Structures for Efficient Light Absorption and Carrier Transport in InGaAs/GaAsP Multiple Quantum Well Solar Cells N/A

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2:00 **The Optimization of High Phosphorus Content InGaAs/GaAsP Strained Layer Superlattices for Use in Multijunction Solar Cells 1456**

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2:15 **Best Student Presentation Award**
408 **Finalist**

Multijunction Solar Cell with Dilute Nitride Cascaded Quantum Wells Design 1461

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University of Houston, Houston, TX, USA

2:30 **Effect of GaAs Step Layer Thickness in InGaAs/GaAsP Stepped Quantum Well Solar Cell N/A**

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2:45 **Optimization of MOCVD-Grown MQW Structures for Triple-Junction Solar Cells 1465**

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**Area 2: Polycrystalline Thin Films: Absorber and
Device Modeling (Orals)**

Chair(s): Susanne Siebentritt, Jim Sites

- 1:30 **Characterization and Understanding of**
411 **Performance Losses in a Highly-Efficient**
Solution-Processed CZTS_{Se} Thin-Film Solar
Cell 1471
Kaushik Roy Choudhury, Yanyan Cao, Jonathan
V. Caspar, William E. Farneth, Qijie Guo, Alex
S. Ionkin, Lynda K. Johnson, Meijun Lu, Irina
Malajovich, Daniela Radu, H David Rosenfeld,
Wei Wu
The DuPont Company, Central Research and
Development, Experimental Station, Wilmington,
DE, USA
- 1:45 **Best Student Presentation Award**
412 **Finalist**
Influence of Ge Doping on the Defect
Distributions of Cu₂Zn(Sn_xGe_{1-x})(S_ySe_{1-y})
Fabricated by Nanocrystal Ink Deposition
with Selenization 1475
James Moore¹, Charles Hages², Mark
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USA, ²Department of Chemical Engineering,
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- 2:00 **2-D Finite Element Model of a CIGS Module 1481**
413 Gaby J.M. Janssen, Lenneke H. Slooff, Evert E.
Bende
ECN Solar Energy, Petten, Netherlands
- 2:15 **Determination of Grain-Boundary Charging in**
414 **Cu(In,Ga)Se₂ Thin Films 1486**
Chun-Sheng Jiang, Miguel A. Contreras, Ingrid
Repins, Helio R. Moutinho, Rommel Noufi,
Mowafak M. Al-Jassim
National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden,
CO, USA
- 2:30 **Modeling the Effects of Na Incorporation on**
415 **CIGS Solar Cells N/A**
Elif S. Mungan, Xufeng Wang, Muhammad A.
Alam
Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN, USA
- 2:45 **Toward Ultrathin CIGS Solar Cells 1492**
416 Sylvain Marsillac¹, Vikash Ranjan¹, Krishna Aryal¹,
Scott Little², Yunus Erkaya¹, Grace Rajan¹, Patrick
Boland¹, Dinesh Attygalle², Puruswottam Aryal²,
Puja Pradhan², Robert W. Collins²
¹Old Dominion University, Norfolk, VA, USA, ²The
University of Toledo, Toledo, OH, USA

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Area 4: Crystalline Silicon: Fundamentals (Orals)

Chair(s): Mariana Bertoni, Gianluca Coletti

- 1:30 **Diffusion Gettering of Metal Impurities in**
417 **Crystalline Silicon 1495**
Hele I. Savin
Aalto University, Espoo, Finland
- 2:15 **Quantification of Atomic-Scale Defects in Poly**
418 **Si PV Devices Using Atom Probe Tomography 1498**
Brian P. Gorman¹, Harvey L. Guthrey^{1,2}, Mowafak
Al-Jassim², David R. Diercks¹
¹*Colorado School of Mines, Golden, CO, USA,*
²*National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden,
CO, USA*
- 2:30 **Effect of Dislocation-Impurity Interaction on**
419 **Dislocation Annihilation in Solar-Grade Silicon N/A**
Hyunjoo Choi, Mariana Bertoni, Jasmin Hofstetter,
David Fenning, Sergio Castellanos, Douglas
Powell, Tonio Buonassisi
*Massachusetts Institute of Technology,
Cambridge, MA, USA*
- 2:45 **Impurity-Related Limitations of Next-**
420 **Generation Industrial Silicon Solar Cells N/A**
Jan Schmidt^{1,2}, Bianca Lim¹, Karsten Bothe¹,
Sebastian Gatz¹, Thorsten Dullweber¹, Pietro P.
Altermatt²
¹*Institute for Solar Energy Research Hamelin
(ISFH), Emmerthal, Germany,* ²*Institute of Solid-
State Physics, Leibniz University of Hanover,
Hanover, Germany*

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**Area 5: Thin-Film Silicon: Solar Cells and Modules
(Orals)**

Chair(s): Christophe Ballif, Arno Smets

- 1:30 **Towards High-Efficiency Thin n-i-p**
421 **Micromorph Solar Cells on Plastic** N/A
Rémi Biron, Grégory Bugnon, Escarré Jordi,
Franz-Josef Haug, Christophe Ballif
*Ecole Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne
(EPFL), Institute of Microengineering (IMT),
Photovoltaics and Thin Film Electronics
Laboratory, Neuchâtel, Switzerland*
- 2:00 **Deposition of High-Efficiency Microcrystalline**
422 **Silicon Solar Cells Using SiF₄/H₂/Ar Mixtures** N/A
Jean-Christophe Dornstetter^{1,2}, Samir Kasouit¹,
Pere Roca i Cabarrocas²
¹TOTAL S.A. Gas & Power, Paris La defense,
France, ²LPICM-CNRS, Palaiseau, France
- 2:15 **Best Student Presentation Award**
423 **Finalist**
**On the Interplay Between Material Quality and
Interfaces in High-Efficiency Microcrystalline
Silicon Solar Cells** N/A
Simon Hänni, Mathieu Boccard, Laura Ding,
Corsin Battaglia, Grégory Bugnon, Peter Cuony,
Jordi Escarré, Gaetano Parascandolo, Sylvain
Nicolay, Matthieu Despeisse, Fanny Meillaud,
Ballif Christophe
*Institute of Microengineering (IMT), Ecole
Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne (EPFL),
Laboratory of Photovoltaics and Thin Film
Electronics, Neuchâtel, Switzerland*
- 2:30 **Progress in Research and Mass Production of**
424 **Large-Scale Thin-Film Si Solar Cells** 1501
Xinwei Niu, Minghua Wang, Xin Zhu, Cao Yu,
Guijun Li, Bing Cheng, Junmei Rong, Zhen Chen,
Jian Ding, Liyou Yang
Chint Solar (Zhejiang) Co. Ltd., Hangzhou, China
- 2:45 **Correlations Between Mapping Spectroscopic**
425 **Ellipsometry Results and Solar Cell**
Performance for Evaluations of Non-Uniformity N/A
in Thin-Film Silicon Photovoltaics
Lila Dahal¹, Zhiquan Huang¹, Dinesh Attygalle¹,
Carl Salupo¹, S. Marsillac², N.J. Podraza¹, R.W.
Collins¹
¹Center for Photovoltaics Innovation and
Commercialization, University of Toledo, Toledo,
OH, USA, ²Department of Electrical and Computer
Engineering, Old Dominion University, Norfolk,
VA, USA

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**Area 8: PV Characterization: Challenges in
Characterization of Multijunction Devices (Orals)**

Chair(s): Keith Emery, Gerald Siefer

- 1:30 **Electro- and Photoluminescence**
426 **Characterization of Multijunction Solar Cells** N/A
Helmut Nesswetter¹, Paolo Lugli², Claus G.
Zimmermann¹
¹EADS Astrium GmbH, Munich, Germany,
²Institute for Nanoelectronics, Technical University
of Munich, Munich, Germany
- 2:00 **Best Student Presentation Award**
427 **Finalist**
Elimination of Measurement Artifacts of
External Quantum Efficiency of Multijunction
Solar Cells Using a Pulse Light Bias N/A
Jing-Jing Li, Yong-Hang Zhang
Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ, USA
- 2:15 **Spatial Characterization Techniques for Dye-**
428 **Sensitized Solar Cells** 1507
Matevz Bokalic, Ursa Opara Krasovec, Mateja
Hocevar, Marko Topic
University of Ljubljana, Faculty of Electrical
Engineering, Ljubljana, Slovenia
- 2:30 **A Low-Cost Weather-Balloon Borne Solar Cell**
429 **Calibration Payload** 1512
David B. Snyder, David S. Wolford
NASA Glenn Research Center, Cleveland, OH,
USA
- 2:45 **Best Student Presentation Award**
430 **Finalist**
Characterization of a TS-Space Quad-Source
Solar Simulator 1517
Kyle H. Montgomery^{1,2}, David M. Wilt¹, Alex
Howard¹, Bill Williams, Sr.³, Bill Williams, Jr.³
¹Air Force Research Laboratory Space Vehicles
Directorate, Kirtland AFB, NM, USA, ²School of
Electrical and Computer Engineering, Purdue
University, West Lafayette, IN, USA, ³TS-Space
Systems, Marlow, United Kingdom

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**Area 9: Modules and Systems: Systems Design,
Control, and Performance (Orals)**

Chair(s): Greg Ball, Angele Reinders

- 1:30 **PV Output Smoothing with Energy Storage** 1523
431 Abraham Ellis, David Schoenwald
*Sandia National Laboratories, Albuquerque, NM,
USA*
- 1:45 **New Approaches for Characterizing**
432 **Photovoltaic System Performance** 1529
Owen W. Westbrook, Beth H. Copanas, Forrest
D. Collins
Juwi solar, Inc., Boulder, CO, USA
- 2:00 **Photovoltaic Prognostics and Health**
433 **Management Using Learning Algorithms** 1535
Daniel Riley, Jay Johnson
*Sandia National Laboratories, Albuquerque, NM,
USA*
- 2:15 **Best Student Presentation Award**
434 **Finalist**
**A Modified Control Strategy for Centralized
PV – Grid Systems for Assisting Dynamic
Stability to Overcome Penetration Issues** 1540
Rupesh G. Wandhare, Vivek Agarwal
*Indian Institute of Technology - Bombay, Mumbai,
India*
- 2:30 **Interconnection Wiring Considerations**
435 **in Evaluating Large Photovoltaic System
Designs** 1545
Jumie N. Yuventi
*Electrical Engineering, Stanford University,
Stanford, CA, USA*
- 2:45 **System Performance Analysis and**
436 **Estimations of Degradation Rates Based on
500 Years of Monitoring Data** 1551
Nils Reich, Alexander Goebel, Daniela Dirnberger,
Christian Reise, Klaus Kiefer
Fraunhofer ISE, Freiburg, Germany

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**Area 10: PV Velocity Forum: National Programs
(Orals)**

Chair(s): Elaine Ulrich

1:50 **Overview of Korean PV programs** N/A
437 Donghwan Kim
Korea University, Seoul, Korea

2:10 **Importance of PV and Overview of Japanese
PV Programs** N/A
438 Sadao Wasaka
NEDO

2:30 **Overview of Chinese PV Programs** N/A
439

2:50 **US Department of Energy SunShot Initiative** ~~N/A~~
440 Ramamoorthy Ramesh
US Dept of Energy

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**Area 1: Fundamentals and New Concepts: Light
Concentration and Light Trapping 1 (Orals)**

Chair(s): Ryne P. Raffaele, Seth Hubbard

- 3:30 **The Opto-Electronic Physics That Broke the**
441 **Efficiency Limit in Solar Cells 1566**
Eli Yablonovitch^{1,2}, Owen D. Miller^{1,2}, Sarah R.
Kurtz³
*¹Material Sciences Division, Lawrence Berkeley
National Laboratory, Berkeley, CA, USA,
²University of California, Berkeley, Dept. of
Electrical Engineering & Computer Science,
Berkeley, CA, USA, ³National Renewable Energy
Laboratory, Golden, CO, USA*
- 4:00 **Two-Photon Excitation in a Dilute Nitride**
442 **Intermediate-Band Solar Cell N/A**
Nazmul Ahsan¹, Naoya Miyashita¹, Muhammad
Monirul Islam¹, Kin Man Yu², Wladek
Walukiewicz², Yoshitaka Okada¹
*¹The University of Tokyo, Tokyo, Japan,
²Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory,
Berkeley, CA, USA*
- 4:15 **Mid-IR Photovoltaic Devices Based on**
443 **Interband Cascade Structures 1560**
Zhaobing Tian¹, Robert T. Hinkey^{1,2}, Rui Q. Yang¹,
John F. Klem³, Matthew B. Johnson²
*¹School of Electrical and Computer Engineering,
University of Oklahoma, Norman, OK, USA,
²Homer L. Dodge Department of Physics and
Astronomy, Norman, OK, USA, ³Sandia National
Laboratories, Albuquerque, NM, USA*
- 4:30 **Performance Benefits for Thin-Film Solar Cells**
444 **Incorporating Semiconductor Heterostructures
and Light Trapping 1566**
Claiborne O McPheeters¹, Dongzhi Hu², Xiaohan
Li¹, Daniel M Schaadt², Edward T Yu¹
*¹Microelectronics Research Center, Department
of Electrical and Computer Engineering, The
University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX, USA,
²Institute of Energy Research and Physical
Technologies/Energy Research Center of Lower
Saxony, Clausthal University of Technology,
Goslar, Germany*
- 4:45 **Best Student Presentation Award**
445 **Finalist**
Inverse Electromagnetic Design for
Subwavelength Light Trapping 1572
Vidya Ganapati^{1,2}, Owen D. Miller^{1,2}, Eli
Yablonovitch^{1,2}
*¹University of California, Berkeley, Berkeley, CA,
USA, ²Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory,
Berkeley, CA, USA*

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**Area 2: Polycrystalline Thin Films: Junctions and
Device Stability (Orals)**

Chair(s): Rommel Noufi, Marcus Bär

- 3:30 **Buffer and Transparent Conducting Oxide**
446 **Layers for CIGS-Based Thin-Film Solar Cells** N/A
Tokio Nakada
Aoyama Gakuin University, Kanagawa, Japan
- 4:00 **Buffer-Less Cu(In,Ga)Se₂ Solar Cells with New**
447 **Transparent Electrode for Band Offset Control** 1577
Takashi Minemoto, Jasmeen Julayhi
Ritsumeikan University, Kusatsu, Japan
- 4:15 **Optical Properties of Zn(O,S) Thin Films**
448 **Deposited by RF Sputtering, Atomic Layer**
Deposition, and Chemical Bath Deposition 1580
Jian Li^{1,2}, Stephen Glynn¹, Steven Christensen¹,
Jonathan Mann¹, Bobby To¹, Kannan
Ramanathan¹, Rommel Noufi¹, Thomas E.
Furtak², Dean Levi¹
*¹National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden,
CO, USA, ²Department of Physics, Colorado
School of Mines, Golden, CO, USA*
- 4:30 **Accelerated Aging and Contact Degradation of**
449 **CIGS Solar Cells** N/A
Thomas Ott¹, Thomas Walter¹, Dimitrios
Hariskos², Oliver Kiowski², Raymund Schäffler³
*¹University of Applied Sciences, Ulm, Germany,
²Zentrum für Sonnenenergie- und Wasserstoff-
Forschung Baden Württemberg, Stuttgart,
Germany, ³Manz CIGS Technology GmbH,
Schwäbisch Hall, Germany*
- 4:45 **The Effects of Device Geometry and TCO/**
450 **Buffer Layers on Damp Heat Accelerated**
Lifetime Testing of Cu(In,Ga)Se₂ Solar Cells N/A
Christopher P. Thompson¹, Steven S. Hegedus¹,
Peter F. Carcia², R. Scott McLean²
*¹Institute of Energy Conversion, University of
Delaware, Newark, DE, USA, ²DuPont Research
and Development, Experimental Station,
Wilmington, DE, USA*

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**Area 4: Crystalline Silicon: Advanced Devices
(Orals)**

Chair(s): Dave Carlson, Tonio Buonassisi

- 3:30 **Rear-Surface Passivation Technology for**
451 **Large-Scale Manufacturing of High-Efficiency**
Crystalline Silicon Solar Cells N/A
A. Metz, Y. Gassenbauer, J. D. Moschner, M.
Fiedler, K. Dressler, E. Brower, B. Bethmann, M.
Feldhaus, N. Lenck
SCHOTT Solar AG, Alzenau, Germany
- 3:45 **Effects of Process Conditions for the n⁺-**
452 **Emitter Formation in Crystalline Silicon 1584**
Amir Dastgheib-Shirazi¹, Hannes Wagner²,
Michael Steyer¹, Giso Hahn¹
¹*Div. Photovoltaics, Dep. of Physics, University*
of Konstanz, Konstanz, Germany, ²Dep. Solar
Energy, Inst. Solid-State Physics, Leibniz
University of Hannover, Hannover, Germany
- 4:00 **High-Efficiency Heterojunction Solar Cells on**
453 **Crystalline Silicon and Germanium Substrates**
Enabled by Low-Temperature Epitaxial Growth
of Silicon 1590
Bahman Hekmatshoar, Davood Shahrjerdi,
Stephen W. Bedell, Devendra K. Sadana
IBM T.J. Watson Research Center, Yorktown
Heights, NY, USA
- 4:15 **Generation III High-Efficiency Lower-**
454 **Cost Technology: Transition to Full-Scale**
Manufacturing 1594
David D. Smith, Peter J. Cousins, Asnat Masad,
Staffan Westerberg, Michael Johnson, Xiuwen Tu,
Tim Dennis, Gabriel Harley, Genevieve Solomon,
Seung Rim, Michael Shepherd, Scott Herrington,
Michael Defensor, Arjelene Leygo, Princess
Tomada, Junbo Wu
SunPower Corp., San Jose, CA, USA
- 4:30 **Stack-Junction Approach to Overcome Silicon**
455 **Single-Junction Limit 1598**
Dongkyun Kim, Youngmoon Choi, Eun Cheol Do,
Chulki Kim, Yeonil Lee, Yun Gi Kim
Energy Lab, Samsung Advanced Institute of
Technology, Yongin-si, Korea
- 4:45 **SLASH Concept: A Novel Approach for**
456 **Simplified Interdigitated Back Contact Solar**
Cells Fabrication 1602
Thibaut Desrues, Sylvain De Vecchi, Florent
Souche, Delfina Munoz, Pierre-Jean Ribeyron
CEA-INES, Le Bourget du Lac, France

**Area 5: Thin-Film Silicon: Novel Concepts: Hybrid,
Plasmonics and Diagnostic Tools (Orals)**

Chair(s): Hitoshi Sai, Yasushi Sobajima

- 3:30 **Ultra Light-Trapping Filters with Broadband
Reflection Volume Holograms N/A**
457 Deming Zhang¹, Shelby Vorndran², Juan M. Russo¹, Michael Gordon², Raymond K. Kostuk¹
¹University of Arizona Electrical and Computer Engineering Department, Tucson, AZ, USA, ²University of Arizona College of Optical Sciences, Tucson, AZ, USA
- 3:45 **Novel Hybrid Amorphous Si/Organic Solar
Cell N/A**
458 Vikram Dalal, Sambit Pattnaik, Teng Xiao, Ruth Shinar, Joseph Shinar
Iowa State University, Ames, IA, USA
- 4:00 **Best Student Presentation Award
Finalist**
459 **Nanoparticles-Based Plasmonic Back
Reflector for High-Efficiency Thin-Film Silicon
Solar Cells N/A**
Hairan Tan, Rudi Santbergen, Guangtao Yang, Miro Zeman, Arno Smets
Photovoltaic Materials and Devices Laboratory, Delft University of Technology, Delft, Netherlands
- 4:15 **Coupled Optical and Electrical Design of
Plasmonic and Nanophotonic Thin-Film
Amorphous Silicon Solar Cells N/A**
460 Michael G. Deceglie¹, Vivian E. Ferry², A. Paul Alivisatos², Harry A. Atwater¹
¹Thomas J. Watson Laboratories of Applied Physics, California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, CA, USA, ²Materials Science Division, Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory, Berkeley, CA, USA
- 4:30 **Light Trapping for Thin Silicon Solar Cells by
Femtosecond Laser Texturing 1606**
461 Benjamin G. Lee¹, Yu-Ting Lin², Meng-Ju Sher³, Eric Mazur^{2,3}, Howard M. Branz¹
¹National Center for Photovoltaics, National Renewable Energy Lab, Golden, CO, USA, ²School of Engineering and Applied Sciences, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA, USA, ³Department of Physics, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA, USA
- 4:45 **In Situ Determination of Silane Gas Utilization
and Deposition Rate for Different Deposition
Regimes of $\mu\text{-Si:H}$ Using FTIR and OES In
Situ 1609**
462 A.J. Flikweert, J. Woerdenweber, A. Gordijn
IEK-5 Photovoltaik, Forschungszentrum Juelich GmbH, Juelich, Germany

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**Area 8: PV Characterization: Defects in PV
Materials and Solar Cells (Orals)**

Chair(s): Manuel Romero, Martin Schubert

- 3:30 **Nanoprobe-XRF and Micro-Raman Studies of** **1613**
463 **Metal Impurity Decoration Around Dislocations**
Mariana I. Bertoni¹, David P. Fenning¹, George Sarau², Markus Rinio³, Volker Rose⁴, Jorg Maser⁵, Tonio Buonassisi¹
¹Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, MA, USA, ²Max Planck Institute for the Science of Light, Erlangen, Germany, ³Fraunhofer ISE, Laboratory and Servicecenter, Gelsenkirchen, Germany, ⁴Advanced Photon Source, Argonne National Laboratory, Argonne, IL, USA, ⁵Center for Nanoscale Materials, Argonne National Laboratory, Argonne, IL, USA
- 4:00 **Best Student Presentation Award Finalist**
464 **Non-Destructive Defect Characterization of Saw-Damage-Etched Multicrystalline Silicon Wafers Using Scanning Electron Acoustic Microscopy** **N/A**
Lei Meng^{1,4}, Satyavolu S. Papa Rao², Charanjit S. Bhatia^{1,4}, Steven E. Steen², Alan G. Street³, Jacob C.H. Phang^{1,3}
¹Centre for Integrated Circuit Failure Analysis and Reliability (CICFAR), Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, National University of Singapore, Singapore, Singapore, ²IBM, Thomas J. Watson Research Center, Yorktown Heights, NY, USA, ³Inscope Labs Pte. Ltd., Singapore, Singapore, ⁴Solar Energy Research Institute of Singapore (SERIS), National University of Singapore, Singapore, Singapore
- 4:15 **A Model for Electron-Beam-Induced Current**
465 **Analysis of mc-Si Addressing Defect Contrast Behavior in Heavily Contaminated PV Material** **1617**
Harvey L. Guthrey^{1,2}, Brian P. Gorman¹, Gianluca Coletti³, Mowafak M. Al-Jassim²
¹Colorado School of Mines, Golden, CO, USA, ²National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden, CO, USA, ³ECN Solar Energy, Petten, Netherlands
- 4:30 **Large-Area Plan-View Transmission Electron**
466 **Microscopy Sample Preparation for Multijunction Metamorphic Solar Cell Devices** **1620**
M. Jackson¹, B. Jackson¹, N. Bodzin¹, A. Zakaria², X.-Q. Liu², R. King², M.S. Goorsky¹
¹UCLA Department of Materials Science and Engineering, Los Angeles, CA, USA, ²Spectrolab, Inc., Sylmar, CA, USA
- 4:45 **A Comparison of Photoluminescence Imaging**
467 **and Confocal Photoluminescence Microscopy in the Study of Diffusion near Isolated Extended Defects in GaAs** **1624**
Timothy H. Gfroerer¹, Yong Zhang², Mark W. Wanlass³
¹Davidson College, Davidson, NC, USA, ²University of North Carolina at Charlotte, Charlotte, NC, USA, ³National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden, CO, USA

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**Area 9: Modules and Systems: Inverters and
Balance-of-System Devices (Orals)**

Chair(s): Mike Fife, Sigifredo Gonzalez

- 3:30 **Thermal Study of Inverter Components** N/A
468 N. Robert Sorensen¹, Edward V. Thomas¹,
Michael A. Quintana¹, Steven Barkaszi², Andrew
Rosenthal³
*¹Sandia National Labs, Albuquerque, NM, USA,
²Florida Solar Energy Center, Cocoa, FL, USA,
³New Mexico State University, Las Cruces, NM,
USA*
- 3:45 **A High Power Density DC-DC Converter for**
469 **Distributed PV Architectures** N/A
Mohammed Agamy, Yan Jiang, Maja Harfman
Todorovic, Ahmed Elasser, Fengfeng Tao, Song
Chi, Lei Wang
GE Global Research Center, Niskayuna, NY, USA
- 4:00 **Partial-Shadow Evaluation of Distributed Power**
470 **Electronics for Photovoltaic Systems** 1627
Chris Deline¹, Jenya Meydbray², Matt Donovan²
*¹National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden,
CO, USA, ²PV Evolution Labs, Davis, CA, USA*
- 4:15 **Light-Generated Effect on Power Switches**
471 **Used in a Planar PV Power System with** N/A
Monolithically-Embedded Power Converters
Abusaleh M. Imtiaz, Faisal H. Khan
University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT, USA
- 4:30 **A New Model-Based Method for Hot Spot**
472 **Suppression in Photovoltaic Modules** N/A
Sorin Spanoche¹, David Stewart¹, Shiloh Hawley¹,
Ion Opris²
*¹ArrayPower Inc., Sunnyvale, CA, USA, ²Opris
Consulting, San Jose, CA, USA*
- 4:45 **Dynamic Loss Comparison Between Fixed-**
473 **State and Reconfigurable Solar Photovoltaic**
Array % ' '
Bhawani Patnaik, Jyotsna Mohod, Siddhartha P.
Dutttagupta
*Indian Institute of Technology Bombay, Mumbai,
India*

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Area 10: PV Velocity Forum: Markets and Scalability (Orals)

Chair(s): Martha Symko-Davies

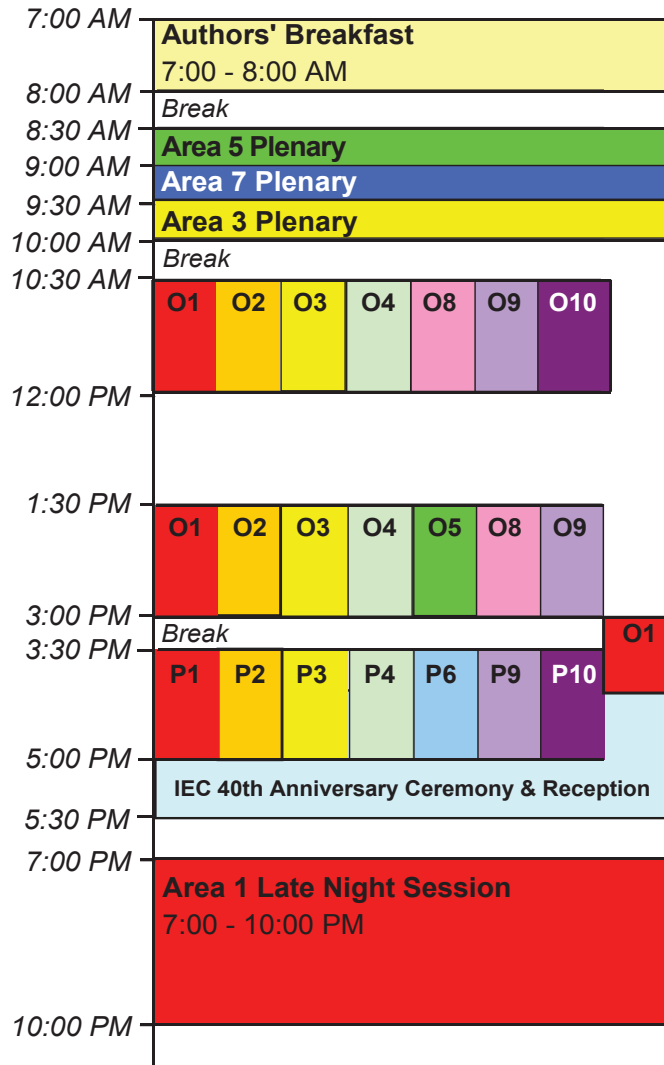
- 3:30 **PV Manufacturing Cost Analysis** N/A
474 Alan Goodrich
NREL, Golden, CO, USA
- 3:45 **Best Practices in Manufacturing: Photovoltaics** 1639
475 Amy Galland
As You Sow, San Francisco, CA, USA
- 4:00 **Increasing Predictability and Investor Confidence in PV Power Plants Through Latent Defect Screening** 1643
476 Alex C. Mayer, Jenya Meydbray
PV Evolution Labs, Berkeley, CA, USA
- 4:15 **The History of Photovoltaic Industry Pricing and Future Direction in a Low Incentive Environment** N/A
477 Paula J. Mints
Navigant, Palo Alto, CA, USA
- 4:30 **The Impact of a Rapidly Changing Global PV Market on the PV Manufacturing Supply Chain** 1648
478 Ray E Morgan¹, Bettina Weiss¹, Joseph Berwind³,
Stephan Raithe²
¹SEMI PV Group, San Jose, CA, USA, ²SEMI PV Group, Berlin, Germany, ³AEI Research, Summit, NJ, USA
- 4:45 **Strategic Innovation for Accelerated Grid Penetration and Competitive Domestic Manufacturing** N/A
479 Douglas M. Powell, Mark T. Winkler, Hyunjoo Choi, Christie B. Simmons, David Berney Needleman, Tonio Buonassisi
Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, MA, USA

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WEDNESDAY PROGRAM SUMMARY



AREA LEGEND

- Area 1: Fundamentals and New Concepts for Future Technologies
- Area 2: Thin Film Polycrystalline Photovoltaics
- Area 3: III-V and Concentrator Technologies
- Area 4: Crystalline Silicon Photovoltaics
- Area 5: Thin Film Silicon Based PV Technologies
- Area 6: Organic Photovoltaics
- Area 7: Space Technologies
- Area 8: Characterization Methods
- Area 9: PV Modules and Terrestrial Systems
- Area 10: PV Velocity Forum

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Area 5: Thin-Film Silicon: Plenary

Chair(s): Arno Smets

8:30 **Thin-Film Silicon Solar Cells Based on**
480 **Amorphous and Microcrystalline Silicon and**
Silicon Alloys: New Approaches for High-
Efficiency Devices and Perspectives for the
Terawatt Solar Society N/A
Christophe Ballif
Ecole Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne
(EPFL), Institute of Microengineering (IMT),
Photovoltaics and Thin-Film Electronics
Laboratory (PV-Lab), Neuchâtel, Switzerland

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Area 7: Space Technologies: Plenary

Chair(s): David Wilt, Steve Taylor, Mitsuru Imaizumi

9:00 **NASA Space Technology Program Plans for**
481 **Advanced Space Power N/A**
James Reuther
NASA Headquarters

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Area 3: III-V's and Concentrators: Plenary

Chair(s): Mark Stan

9:30 **Low-Cost Reliable Highly-Concentrating**
482 **Photovoltaics: A Reality 1651**
Andreas Gombert
Soitec Solar GmbH, Freiburg, Germany

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**Area 1: Fundamentals and New Concepts:
Simulation and Modeling of Advanced Concept Solar
Cells (Orals)**

Chair(s): Ryne P. Raffaele, Seth Hubbard

- 10:30 **Simulation of Carrier Relaxation in Hot-Carrier Solar Cells** 1657
483 Stephen Goodnick, Christiana Honsberg
Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ, USA
- 11:00 **The Shockley-Queisser Limit and Practical Limits of Nanostructured Photovoltaics** 1663
484 Robert F. McCarthy¹, Hugh W. Hillhouse²
¹*Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN, USA,*
²*University of Washington, Seattle, WA, USA*
- 11:15 **A New Methodology for Calculating the Efficiency of Multijunction Solar Cells** N/A
485 Zeev R. Abrams
University of California, Berkeley, Berkeley, CA, USA
- 11:30 **Device Simulation of Intermediate-Band Solar Cells: Dependence on Number of Intermediate-Band Layers** 1669
486 Katsuhisa Yoshida^{1,2}, Yoshitaka Okada^{1,2},
Nobuyuki Sano³
¹*School of Engineering, The University of Tokyo, Tokyo, Japan,* ²*Research Center for Advanced Science and Technology, The University of Tokyo, Tokyo, Japan,* ³*Institute of Applied Physics, University of Tsukuba, Ibaraki, Japan*
- 11:45 **The Effect of Photonic Bandgap Materials on the Shockley-Queisser Limit** N/A
487 Jeremy N. Munday^{1,2}
¹*Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, University of Maryland, College Park, MD, USA,* ²*Institute for Research in Electronics and Applied Physics, University of Maryland, College Park, MD, USA*

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**Area 2: Polycrystalline Thin Films: Window Layers
and Flexible Devices (Orals)**

Chair(s): Tokio Nakada, Joel Duenow

- 10:30 **Review of Progress Towards 20%-Efficiency Flexible CIGS Solar Cells and Manufacturing Issues of Solar Modules** N/A
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Adrian Chirila, Patrick Bloesch, Shiro Nishiwaki, Stephan Buecheler, Ayodhya Tiwari
EMPA, Dubendorf, Switzerland
- 11:00 **Using Amorphous Zinc-Tin Oxide Alloys in the Emitter Structure of CIGS PV Devices** 1673
489
Peter A. Hersh¹, Maikel van Hest², Vincent Bollinger², Joseph J. Berry², David S. Ginley², Billy J. Stanbery¹
¹*HelioVolt Corporation, Austin, TX, USA,*
²*National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden, CO, USA*
- 11:15 **Comparison in Cell Performance of ZnS(O,OH)/CIGS Solar Cells Using MOCVD-ZnO:B and Sputter-Deposited ZnO:Al Window Layers** N/A
490
Taizo Kobayashi, Kotaro Yamauchi, Tokio Nakada
Aoyama Gakuin University, Sagamihara, Japan
- 11:30 **A Comparative Study of ZnS Buffer Layer CIGS Solar Cells Fabricated by CBD, ALD and Sputtering** 1677
491
Kannan Ramanathan, Jonathan Mann, Steve Glynn, Steve Christensen, Jian Li, John Scharf, Miguel Contreras, Lorelle Mansfield, Rommel Noufi
NREL, Golden, CO, USA
- 11:45 **Cu(In,Ga)Se₂ Thin-Film Solar Cell Absorbers on Flexible Polyimide: Effect of Na on the Chemical and Electronic Surface and Interface Structure** 1682
492
Regan G. Wilks¹, Xin Song¹, Raquel Caballero^{1,2}, Roberto Félix¹, Dominic Gerlach¹, Christian A. Kaufmann¹, Hans-Werner Schock¹, Marcus Bär^{1,3}
¹*Helmholtz-Zentrum Berlin für Materialien und Energie GmbH, Berlin, Germany,* ²*Universidad Autónoma de Madrid, Madrid, Spain,*
³*Brandenburgische Technische Universität Cottbus, Cottbus, Germany*

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Area 3: III-V's and Concentrators: Cells (Orals)

Chair(s): Mark Stan, Scott Burroughs

- 10:30 **Metal Pillar Interconnection Topology for Bonded Two-Terminal Multijunction III-V Solar Cells** N/A
493
W.E. McMahon¹, C.-T. Lin², J.S. Ward¹, J.F. Geisz¹, M.W. Wanlass¹, J.J. Carapella¹, W. Olavarria¹, M. Young¹, M.A. Steiner¹, R.M. France¹, A.E. Kibbler¹, A. Duda¹, J.M. Olson¹, E.E. Perl², D.J. Friedman¹, J.E. Bowers²
¹National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden, CO, USA, ²University of California at Santa Barbara, Santa Barbara, CA, USA
- 10:48 **Temperature Coefficients of Concentrator Solar Cells up to Ultrahigh Irradiance** 1688
494
Avi Braun, Baruch Hirsch, Alexis Vossier, Eugene A. Katz, Jeffrey M. Gordon
Department of Solar Energy and Environmental Physics, Blaustein Institutes for Desert Research, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev, Sede Boqer Campus, Israel
- 11:06 **Demonstration of Multiple Substrate Reuses for Inverted Metamorphic Solar Cells** N/A
495
Jessica G.J. Adams, Victor C. Elarde, Alexander Hains, Christopher Stender, Francis Tuminello, Christopher T. Youtsey, Andree Wibowo, Mark Osowski
MicroLink Devices, Inc., Niles, IL, USA
- 11:24 **Best Student Presentation Award Finalist**
496
Metamorphic GaAsP Solar Cells on GaP Grown by Molecular Beam Epitaxy 1692
Stephanie Tomasulo, Kevin Nay Yaung, John Simon, Minjoo L. Lee
Yale University, New Haven, CT, USA
- 11:42 **Best Student Presentation Award Finalist**
497
Epitaxial Liftoff of GaAs Thin-Film Solar Cells Followed by Substrate Reuse 1698
Kysang Lee¹, Jeremy D. Zimmerman¹, Yifan Zhang², Stephen R. Forrest^{1,2,3}
¹Department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, USA, ²Department of Physics, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, USA, ³Department of Material Science and Engineering, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, USA

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Area 4: Crystalline Silicon: Passivation (Orals)

Chair(s): Ron Sinton, Stefan Glunz

- 10:30 **Progress in n-Type Si Solar Cell and Module**
498 **for High Efficiency and Low Cost 1701**
Dengyuan Song, Jingfeng Xiong, Zhiyan Hu,
Gaofei Li, Hongfang Wang
*Yingli Green Energy Holding Co., TLD, Baoding,
China*
- 11:00 **a-Si:H/c-Si Heterojunctions: A Future**
499 **Mainstream Technology for High-Efficiency**
Crystalline Silicon Solar Cells? 1705
Christophe Ballif, Loris Barraud, Antoine
Descoedres, Zachary Holman, Sophie Morel,
Stefaan De Wolf
*Ecole Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne
(EPFL), Institute of Microengineering (IMT),
Photovoltaics and Thin-Film Electronics
Laboratory, Neuchâtel, Switzerland*
- 11:15 **Design Considerations for Industrial Rear-**
500 **Passivated Solar Cells 1710**
Thomas Laueremann, Benjamin Fröhlich, Giso
Hahn, Barbara Terheiden
University of Konstanz, Konstanz, Germany
- 11:30 **Best Student Presentation Award**
501 **Finalist**
Process Control of Reactive Sputter
Deposition of AlO_x and Improved Surface
Passivation of Crystalline Silicon N/A
Xinyu Zhang, Andres Cuevas, Andrew Thomson
*Research School of Engineering, The Australian
National University, Canberra, Australia*
- 11:45 **Multifunctional Dielectrics: Dopant Source,**
502 **Passivation and Optics N/A**
Johannes Seiffe, Florian Pillath, Daniel Trogus,
Andreas Brand, Christian Savio, Marc Hofmann,
Jochen Rentsch, Ralf Preu
*Fraunhofer Institute for Solar Energy Systems,
Freiburg, Germany*

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**Area 8: PV Characterization: Characterization of
Thin Films (Orals)**

Chair(s): Chun-Sheng Jiang, Yanfa Yan

- 10:30 **Best Student Presentation Award**
503 **Finalist**
**Identification and Analysis of Distinct Features
in Imaging Thin-film Solar Cells 1716**
Katherine N. Zaunbrecher^{1,2}, Steve W. Johnston¹,
James R. Sites²
*¹National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden,
CO, USA, ²Colorado State University, Fort Collins,
CO, USA*
- 10:45 **Best Student Presentation Award**
504 **Finalist**
**Large-Area Compositional Mapping of
Cu(In_{1-x}Ga_x)Se₂ Materials and Devices with
Spectroscopic Ellipsometry N/A**
Puruswottam Aryal¹, Dinesh Attygalle¹, Nikolas J.
Podraza¹, Sylvain X. Marsillac¹, Robert W. Collins²
*¹Center for Photovoltaics Innovation &
Commercialization and Department of Physics
& Astronomy, University of Toledo, Toledo, OH,
USA, ²Department of Electrical and Computer
Engineering, Old Dominion University, Norfolk,
VA, USA*
- 11:00 **Optical-Fiber-Based Time-Resolved**
505 **Photoluminescence Spectrometer for Rapid
Thin-Film Absorber Characterization and
Analysis of TRPL Data for CdS/CdTe 1721**
Darius Kuciauskas, Joel N. Duenow, Ana
Kanevce, Jian V. Li, Dean H. Levi
NREL, Golden, CO, USA
- 11:15 **Analysis of CuIn_xGa_{1-x}Se₂ Solar Cells Using**
506 **Admittance Spectroscopy Under Light Bias 1727**
Angus A Rockett¹, D. Westley Miller², J. David
Cohen²
*¹University of Illinois, Urbana, IL, USA, ²University
of Oregon, Eugene, OR, USA*
- 11:30 **Optoelectronic Methods for Characterizing**
507 **Uniformity in CIGS Thin-Film Solar Cells 1732**
Thomas D. Boone, David Soltz, Anika A.
Kinkhabwala, Geordie Zapalac, Mustafa
Pinarbasi
SoloPower Inc., San Jose, CA, USA
- 11:45 **Photovoltage Decay Measurements on**
508 **Cu(In,Ga)Se₂ Solar Cells by Photo-Assisted
Kelvin Probe Force Microscopy 1736**
Yu Nakajima¹, Masaki Takihara¹, Takashi
Minemoto³, Takuji Takahashi^{1,2}
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Tokyo, Tokyo, Japan, ²Institute for Nano Quantum
Information Electronics, The University of
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Ritsumeikan University, Shiga, Japan*

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Area 9: Modules and Systems: PV Reliability (Orals)

Chair(s): Mike Fife, Tassos Golnas

- 10:30 **Design for Reliability: A Low Concentration**
509 **PV Case Study 1739**
Jennifer E. Granata¹, Neil R. Sorensen¹, Zachary S. Judkins², Sy Olson²
¹Sandia National Laboratories, Albuquerque, NM, USA, ²SunPower Corporation, San Jose, CA, USA
- 10:45 **PVLife: An Integrated Model for Predicting PV**
510 **Performance Degradation over 25+ Years 1744**
Mark Mikofski, David F.J. Kavulak, David Okawa, Yu-Chen Shen, Akira Terao, Michael Anderson, Wendell Caldwell, Doug Kim, Nicholas Boitnott, Junrhey Castro, Laurice Ann Laurio-Smith, Ryan Lacerda, Ernest F. Hasselbrink, Jr.
SunPower Corp., San Jose, CA, USA
- 11:00 **Testing and Analysis for Lifetime Prediction**
511 **of Crystalline Silicon PV Modules Undergoing Degradation by System Voltage Stress 1750**
P. Hacke, R. Smith, K. Terwilliger, S. Glick, D. Jordan, S. Johnston, M. Kempe, S. Kurtz
NREL, Golden, CO, USA
- 11:15 **Reliability of a PV Module-Integrated Inverter**
512 **(PV-MII): A Usage Model Approach 1756**
Souhib Harb, Robert S. Balog
Texas A&M University, College Station, TX, USA
- 11:30 **PV Inverter Performance and Reliability: What**
513 **is the Role of the Bus Capacitor? N/A**
Jack D. Flicker, Matthew Marinella, Robert Kaplar, Jennifer Granata
Sandia National Laboratories, Albuquerque, NM, USA
- 11:45 **PV Reliability Session: Questions for**
514 **Discussion N/A**
Jennifer E. Granata
Sandia National Laboratories, Albuquerque, NM, USA

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**Area 10: PV Velocity Forum: Models and Markets
(Orals)**

Chair(s): Ardeth Banhart

- 10:30 **Quantifying Non-Hardware Balance of**
515 **System Costs for Photovoltaic Installations**
in the United States Using a Combined
Annual Expenditure-Labor Hour Productivity
Approach 1762
Kristen Ardani¹, Galen Barbose², David Feldman¹,
Robert Margolis¹, Sean Ong³
¹National Renewable Energy Laboratory,
Washington, DC, USA, ²Lawrence Berkeley
National Laboratory, Berkeley, CA, USA,
³National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden,
CO, USA
- 10:45 **Updating Interconnection Screens for PV**
516 **Integration 1768**
Michael H. Coddington¹, Benjamin D. Kroposki¹,
Barry A. Mather¹, Kevin Lynn², Abraham Ellis³
¹NREL, Golden, CO, USA, ²DOE, Washington,
DC, USA, ³Sandia National Laboratories,
Albuquerque, NM, USA
- 11:00 **Modeling the Grid Impacts of High**
517 **Penetration of Solar Photovoltaics N/A**
Paul Denholm¹, Greg Brinkman¹, Easan Drury¹,
Robert Margolis²
¹National Renewable Energy Laboratory,
Golden, CO, USA, ²National Renewable Energy
Laboratory, Washington, DC, USA
- 11:15 **Solar Installation Labor Market Analysis and**
518 **New NREL Models for PV Jobs and Economic**
Impacts Analysis N/A
Barry C. Friedman
NREL, Golden, CO, USA
- 11:30 **Do PV Systems Increase Residential Selling**
519 **Prices? If So, How Can Practitioners Estimate**
This Increase? ~~WWW~~ 1774
Ben Hoen¹, Ryan Wiser¹, Mark Thayer², Peter
Cappers¹
¹Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory,
Berkeley, CA, USA, ²San Diego State University,
San Diego, CA, USA
- 11:45 **IEA PVPS Task8: Study on Very-Large-Scale**
520 **Photovoltaic (VLS-PV) Systems 1778**
Keiichi Komoto¹, Edwin Cunow², Christian
Breyer³, David Faiman⁴, Karim Megherbi⁵, Peter
van der Vleuten⁶
¹Mizuho Information & Research Institute, Inc.,
Tokyo, Japan, ²LSPV Consulting, Groebenzell,
Germany, ³Reiner Lemoine Institut gGmbH,
Berlin, Germany, ⁴Ben Gurion University of the
Negev, Be'er Sheva, Israel, ⁵Helios Energie,
Paris, France, ⁶Free Energy Consulting,
Eindhoven, Netherlands

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**Area 1: Fundamentals and New Concepts: Quantum
Dot Solar Cells (Orals)**

Chair(s): Ryne P. Raffaele, Cory Cress, Annick Ancitil

- 1:30 **Carrier Dynamics in Intermediate States**
521 **of InAs/GaAs Quantum Dots Embedded in
Photonic Cavity Structure N/A**
Takashi Kita, Tsuyoshi Maeda, Yukihiro Harada
Kobe University, Kobe, Japan
- 2:00 **Growth and Characterization of In_xGa_{1-x}As**
522 **Quantum Dots on Metamorphic GaAs_yP_{1-y}**
Templates by Molecular Beam Epitaxy 1783
J. Grandal¹, T.J. Grassman¹, A.M. Carlin¹, M.R.
Brenner¹, L. Yang², M.J. Mills², S.A. Ringel¹
¹*Dept. of Electrical & Computer Engineering, The
Ohio State University, Columbus, OH, USA,* ²*Dept.
of Materials Science & Engineering, The Ohio
State University, Columbus, OH, USA*
- 2:15 **Optimization of Growth and Device**
523 **Performance for InAs Quantum Dot Solar Cells 1788**
Seth M. Hubbard, Adam Podell, Chelsea Mackos,
Stephen Polly, David Forbes
*Rochester Institute of Technology, Rochester, NY,
USA*
- 2:30 **Real Time During Growth Metrology and**
524 **Assessment of Growth Kinetics of Epitaxial
Quantum Dots by Rheed 1794**
Manori V Gunasekera, Alexandre Freundlich
University of Houston, Houston, TX, USA
- 2:45 **Correlation Between Quantum Dot**
525 **Morphology and Photovoltaic Performance 1798**
David V. Forbes¹, Christopher G. Bailey², Stephen
Polly¹, Chris Kerestes¹, Michael Slocum¹, Zachary
S. Bittner¹, Seth M. Hubbard¹
¹*Rochester Institute of Technology, Rochester,
NY, USA,* ²*U.S. Naval Research Laboratory,
Washington, DC, USA*

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**Area 2: Polycrystalline Thin Films: Thin-Film
Manufacturing (Orals)**

Chair(s): Harin Ullal, Bernhard Dimmler

- 1:30 **Advancing the Manufacturing of CdTe**
526 **Modules N/A**
Kevin Walters, Hiroshi Sakurai, W.S. Sampath
*NSF I/UCRC for Next Generation Photovoltaics,
Colorado State University, Fort Collins, CO, USA*
- 2:00 **Electrical Characterization of Cu Composition**
527 **Effects in CdS/CdTe Thin-Film Solar Cells with
a ZnTe:Cu Back Contact N/A**
Jian V. Li, Joel N. Duenow, Darius Kuciauskas,
Ana Kanevce, Ramesh G. Dhere, Dean H. Levi
*National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden,
CO, USA*
- 2:15 **Effect of Annealing Atmosphere and**
528 **Temperature on the Properties of Cd₂SnO₄
Thin Films 1803**
Tiejun Meng, Brian E. McCandless, Wayne A.
Buchanan, Robert W. Birkmire
*Institute of Energy Conversion, University of
Delaware, Newark, DE, USA*
- 2:30 **Achievement of 17.5% Efficiency with**
529 **30x30cm²-Sized Cu(InGa)(SeS)² Submodules 1807**
Motoshi Nakamura, Yoshiyuki Chiba, Kyouhei
Horiguchi, Yoshihiko Yanagisawa, Yuko Sawai,
Hideki Hakuma
Showa Shell Sekiyu K. K., Atsugi, Japan
- 2:45 **Development of High-Efficiency Cu₂ZnSnS₄**
530 **Submodule with Cd-Free Buffer Layer 1811**
Homare Hiroi, Noriyuki Sakai, Satoshi Muraoka,
Takuya Katou, Hiroki Sugimoto
Solar Frontier K.K., Atsugi, Japan

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**Area 3: III-V's and Concentrators: Modules and
Systems (Orals)**

Chair(s): Carlos Algora, Kenji Araki

- 1:30 **System Performance Considerations for Low-
Concentration Linear-Focus Silicon-Based
Photovoltaic Modules** N/A
531 Raphael V. Varieras, David L. King, Jusong Wang
Solaria Corporation, Fremont, CA, USA
- 1:48 **Advancing Efficiency and Scale in CPV Arrays** N/A
532 Geoffrey S. Kinsey, Mingguo Liu, William
Bagienski, Aditya Nayak, Vahan Garboushian
Amonix, Inc., Seal Beach, CA, USA
- 2:06 **Experiences After Four Years of Operation of
the CPV Plants in ISFOC** N/A
533 Francisca T. Rubio, Maria C. Martinez, Daniel
Sanchez, Pablo J. Trujillos
ISFOS, Puertollano, Spain
- 2:24 **Design and Development of 35%-Efficient and
1000X CPV Module with Sufficient Optical
Alignment Tolerance** 1815
534 Kenji Araki¹, Pablo Zamora², Hirokazu Nagai¹,
Pablo Benítez², Kenji Hobo¹, Juan C. Miñano²,
Masayoshi Futo¹, Gabriel Sala², Kazuyuki
Tamura¹, Isao Kumagai¹
¹*Daido Steel, Nagoya, Japan*, ²*Universidad
Politecnica de Madrid, Madrid, Spain*
- 2:42 **On the Effect of Ramp Rate in Damage
Accumulation of the CPV Die-Attach** 1820
535 Nick S. Bosco, Timothy J. Silverman, Sarah R.
Kurtz
*National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden,
CO, USA*

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**Area 4: Crystalline Silicon: Crystallization and
Wafering (Orals)**

Chair(s): Jिंगgang Lu, Paul Von Dollen

- 1:30 **Status of Mono²™ Gen5 Casting at IdealCast**
536 **Solar N/A**
Roger Clark¹, Christian Lehnert²
¹AMG IdealCast Solar Corp., Frederick, MD, USA, ²ALD Vacuum Technologies, GmbH, Hanau, Germany
- 1:45 **Integration and Reliability of Ultrathin Silicon**
537 **Solar Cells and Modules Fabricated using SOM Technology N/A**
Dharmesh Jawarani¹, Dewei Xu², Scott Smith¹, Rajesh Rao¹, Leo Mathew¹, Sayan Saha¹, Dabraj Sarkar³, Curt Vass¹, Sanjay Banerjee², Paul S. Ho²
¹AstroWatt, Inc., Austin, TX, USA, ²The University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX, USA, ³The University of Florida, Gainesville, FL, USA
- 2:15 **Laser Wafering 1826**
538 Stuart Bowden, James Lebeau
Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ, USA
- 2:30 **Structural Analysis of Longitudinal Si-C-N**
539 **Precipitates in Multicrystalline Silicon: Towards Intrinsic Growth of Current-Conducting and Current-Collecting Channels B#5**
Stefan Köstner¹, Angelika Hähnel¹, Horst Blumtritt¹, Rajmund Mokso², Jan Bauer¹, Peter Werner¹, Otto Breitenstein¹
¹Max Planck Institute of Microstructure Physics, Halle, Germany, ²Paul Scherrer Institute, Villigen, Switzerland
- 2:45 **Growth of Multicrystalline Si Ingots for Solar**
540 **Cells Using Noncontact Crucible Method Without Touching the Crucible Wall 1830**
Kazuo Nakajima¹, Ryota Murai¹, Kohei Morishita¹, Kentaro Kutsukake², Noritaka Usami²
¹Kyoto University, Kyoto, Japan, ²Tohoku University, Sendai, Japan

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**Area 5: Thin-Film Silicon: Thin-Crystalline Silicon
Technology (Orals)**

Chair(s): Ivan Gordon, Vikram Dalal

- 1:30 **High-Quality Epitaxial Foils, Obtained by a
541 Layer Transfer Process, for Integration in Back
Contacted Solar Cells Processed on Glass 1833**
Kris Van Nieuwenhuysen, Frederic Dross, Valerie
Depauw, Roberto Martini, Barry O'Sullivan, Twan
Bearda, Jonathan Govaerts, Riet Labie, Maarten
Debucquoy, Hariharsudan Sivaramakrishnan, Ivan
Gordon, Jozef Poortmans
IMEC, v.z.w., Leuven, Belgium
- 2:00 **Device Physics of Heteroepitaxial Film c-Si
542 Heterojunction Solar Cells N/A**
Sachit Grover¹, Charles W. Teplin¹, Jian V. Li¹,
David Bobela², Jon Bornstein², Paul Schroeter²,
Steve Johnston¹, Harvey Guthrey¹, Howard M.
Branz¹, David Young¹
¹*National Renewable Energy Lab., Golden, CO,
USA*, ²*Ampulse Corporation, Golden, CO, USA*
- 2:15 **A Low-Cost Kerfless Thin Exfoliated Si Solar
543 Cell Technology 1837**
Rajesh Rao¹, Leo Mathew¹, Dabraj Sarkar², Scott
Smith¹, Sayan Saha¹, Ricardo Garcia¹, Rachel
Stout¹, Ariam Gurmu¹, Moses Ainom¹, Emmanuel
Onyegam³, Dewei Xu¹, Dharmesh Jawarani¹,
Ujjwal Das⁴, Sanjay Banerjee³, Jerry Fossum²
¹*AstroWatt, Austin, TX, USA*, ²*University of
Florida, Gainesville, FL, USA*, ³*University of
Texas, Austin, TX, USA*, ⁴*Institute of Energy
Conversion, Newark, DE, USA*
- 2:30 **Best Student Presentation Award
544 Finalist**
**Remote Plasma Chemical Vapor Deposition
for High-Efficiency Ultra-Thin ~25-Microns
Crystalline Si Solar Cells B#5**
Dabraj Sarkar¹, Emmanuel U. Onyegam², Sayan
Saha³, Leo Mathew³, Rajesh A. Rao³, Mohamed
H. Hilali², Ryan S. Smith³, Dewei Xu², Dharmesh
Jawarani³, Ricardo Garcia², Rachel Stout³, Ariam
Gurmu³, Moses Ainom³, Jerry G. Fossum¹,
Sanjay K. Banerjee²
¹*University of Florida, Gainesville, FL, USA*,
²*University of Texas, Austin, TX, USA*, ³*AstroWatt
Inc., Austin, TX, USA*
- 2:45 **Characterization of Epitaxial Film Silicon Solar
545 Cells Grown on Seeded Display Glass 1841**
David L. Young¹, Sachit Grover¹, Charles Teplin¹,
Pauls Stradins¹, Vincenzo LaSalvia², Ta-Ko
Chuang², J. Greg Couillard², Howard M. Branz¹
¹*National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden,
CO, USA*, ²*Corning Incorporated, Corning, NY,
USA*

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**Area 8: PV Characterization: Advanced
Characterization Methods and Instruments (Orals)**

Chair(s): Yoshihiro Hishikawa, Jan Schmidt

- 1:30 **Novel Free Carrier Pump-Probe Analysis**
546 **of Carrier Recombination Lifetime in**
Semiconductors N/A
Richard K. Ahrenkiel¹, Ari Feldman^{1,2}, John
Lehman²
¹Colorado School of Mines, Golden, CO, USA,
²National Institute of Standards and Technology,
Boulder, CO, USA
- 1:45 **Multimodal System for the Characterization of**
547 **Photovoltaic Structures N/A**
Razvan Ciocan¹, Behrang Hamadani²,
Domenic Assalone¹, Zhuoyun Li¹, Tom Moriarty
³, Keith Emery³, Mike Carroll⁴, Shahram
Seyedmohammadi⁵, Eugenia Ciocan⁶, Mantu
Hudait⁷, Michael Slocum⁸, Aymeric Maros⁸, Chris
Kerestes⁸, Seth Hubbard⁸
¹Oriel Instruments, Newport Corporation, Stratford,
CT, USA, ²National Institute of Standards and
Technology, Gaithersburg, MD, USA, ³National
Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden, CO, USA,
⁴RFMD, Greensboro, NC, USA, ⁵Ferro Corp, Vista,
CA, USA, ⁶Wentworth Institute of Technology,
Boston, MA, USA, ⁷Virginia Tech, Blacksburg,
VA, USA, ⁸Rochester Institute of Technology,
Rochester, NY, USA
- 2:00 **A Novel Solar Simulator Based on a Super-**
548 **Continuum Laser 1845**
Tasshi Dennis¹, John B. Schlager¹, Hao-Chih
Yuan², Qi Wang², Daniel Friedman²
¹National Institute of Standards and Technology,
Boulder, CO, USA, ²National Renewable Energy
Laboratory, Golden, CO, USA
- 2:15 **Characterization of Three-Dimensional**
549 **Structures in Silicon Solar Cells by Spatially-**
Resolved Illuminated Lock-in Thermography 1849
Tobias M. Pletzer, Markus Lenz, Horst
Windgassen, Joachim Knoch
RWTH Aachen University, Aachen, Germany
- 2:30 **Spatially-Resolved Luminescence Imaging of**
550 **All Essential Silicon Solar Cell Parameters 1855**
C Shen, H Kampwerth, M.A Green
UNSW, Sydney, Australia
- 2:45 **Unified Lifetime Measurement for Silicon PV 1860**
551 Marshall Wilson¹, Jacek Lagowski¹, Andrew
Findlay¹, Sara Olibet², Valentin Mihailetchi²
¹Semilab SDI, Tampa, FL, USA, ²ISC Konstanz,
Konstanz, Germany

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**Area 9: Modules and Systems: Module Materials,
Durability, and Performance 1 (Orals)**

Chair(s): Peter Hacke, Govindasamy Tamizhmani

- 1:30 **Damp Heat Versus Field Reliability for**
552 **Crystalline Silicon 1864**
Kent L. Whitfield¹, Asher Salomon¹, Michael D.
Kempe², Tsuyoshi Shioda³
*¹Solaria, Fremont, CA, USA, ²NREL, Golden, CO,
USA, ³Mitsui Chemicals, Nagaura, Japan*
- 2:00 **A Field Evaluation of the Potential for Creep in**
553 **Thermoplastic Encapsulant Materials 1871**
Michael D. Kempe¹, David C. Miller¹, John H.
Wohlgemuth¹, Sarah R. Kurtz¹, John M. Moseley¹,
Qurat Shah⁴, Govindasamy Tamizhmani⁴,
Keiichiro Sakurai², Masanao Inoue³, Takuya Doi³,
Atsushi Masuda³
*¹National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden,
CO, USA, ²National Institute of Advanced
Industrial Science and Technology, Tsukuba,
Japan, ³National Institute of Advanced Industrial
Science and Technology, Tosu, Japan, ⁴Arizona
State University Polytechnic Campus, Mesa, AZ,
USA*
- 2:15 **Performance of Thermoplastic Ionomer**
554 **Encapsulant Material with Advanced Emitter**
Solar Cells 1877
Michael Z. Burrows¹, Andreas Meisel¹, Francesco
Lemmi¹, Homer Antoniadis¹, Silvia Schreiber²,
Lucie Garreau-Iles², Philip Boydell², Alison M.A.
Bennett³, Rebecca L. Smith⁴
*¹Innovallight, Inc., Sunnyvale, CA, USA, ²DuPont
de Nemours Int. SARL, Geneva, Switzerland,
³E. I. DuPont de Nemours & Co., Wilmington,
DE, USA, ⁴E. I. DuPont de Nemours & Co.,
Parkersburg, WV, USA*
- 2:30 **Soiling Test Methods and Their Use in**
555 **Predicting Performance of Photovoltaic**
Modules in Soiling Environments 1881
Kathy Brown, Tim Narum, Naiyong Jing
3M Company, St. Paul, MN, USA
- 2:45 **Best Student Presentation Award**
556 **Finalist**
The Effect of Dust Deposition on Photovoltaic
Modules 1886
Reinhart H. Appels¹, Buvaneshwari Muthirayan¹,
Alexander Beerten¹, Robin Paesen¹, Johan
Driesen¹, Jozef Poortmans²
*¹ESAT/ELECTA, KU Leuven, Heverlee, Belgium,
²IMEC vzm, Heverlee, Belgium*

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SCREAM Workshop

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Coffee Break

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EH4-A

**Area 1: Fundamentals and New Concepts: Session 3
(Posters)**

Chair(s): Annick Anctil, Chris Bailey, Seth Hubbard

- A3
557 **Synthesis and Characterization of PECVD-Grown, Silane-Terminated Silicon Quantum Dots** 1890
Ingrid E. Anderson¹, Rebecca A. Shircliff¹, Brian Simonds¹, Matt Bergren¹, Pauls Stradins², Reuben T. Collins¹
¹Colorado School of Mines, Golden, CO, USA, ²National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden, CO, USA
- A7
558 **Realization of an Intermediate-Band Solar Cell: The InAs/GaAsSb Quantum Dot System as a Candidate** N/A
Stephen P. Bremner¹, Keun Yong Ban², Christiana B. Honsberg²
¹University of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia, ²Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ, USA
- A11
559 **Investigation of Carrier Escape Mechanism in InAs/GaAs Quantum Dot Solar Cells** N/A
Yushuai Dai¹, Chris Bailey², Chris Kerestes¹, David Forbes¹, Seth Hubbard¹
¹Nanopower Research Laboratory, Rochester Institute of Technology, Rochester, NY, USA, ²Naval Research Lab, Washington, DC, USA
- A15
560 **Epitaxy of High Aspect Ratio and Wetting-Layer-Free InAs Quantum Dots on (Al)GaAs** 1895
Alex Freundlich¹, Manori Gunasekera¹, Chandani Rajapaksha¹, Irena Rusakova²
¹Center for Advanced Materials and Physics Department, University of Houston, Houston, TX, USA, ²Texas Center for Superconductivity and Physics Department, Houston, TX, USA

- A19
561 **Numerical Modeling of Axial Junction Compositionally Graded In_xGa_{1-x}N Nanorod Solar Cells 1898**
Jian-Wei Ho¹, Andrew A. O. Tay², Soo-Jin Chua³
¹NUS Graduate School of Integrative Sciences & Engineering, National University of Singapore, Singapore, Singapore, ²Department of Mechanical Engineering, National University of Singapore, Singapore, Singapore, ³Singapore-MIT Alliance, National University of Singapore, Singapore, Singapore
- A23
562 **Nanohole Structure as Efficient Antireflection Layer for Silicon Solar Cell Fabricated by Maskless Laser Annealing 1904**
Lei Hong^{1,2}, Rusli Rusli¹, Fei Wang¹, Lining He¹, Xincai Wang², Hongyu Zheng², Hao Wang¹, Hongyu Yu³
¹Nanyang Technological University, Singapore, Singapore, ²Singapore Institute of Manufacturing Technology, Singapore, Singapore, ³South University of Science and Technology of China, Shenzhen, China
- A27
563 **Photoelectrochemical Study of GaAs Nanowires for Tandem III-V/Si Solar Cells N/A**
Shu Hu^{1,3}, Chun-Yung Chi², Maoqing Yao², Chongwu Zhou², P. Daniel Dapkus², Nathan S. Lewis^{1,3}
¹Division of Chemistry and Chemical Engineering, California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, CA, USA, ²Ming Hsieh Department of Electrical Engineering, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, USA, ³Joint Center for Artificial Photosynthesis, Pasadena, CA, USA
- B3
564 **The Relation Between Photovoltaic Performance and Film Thickness in PbS Quantum Dot Solar Cells N/A**
Junhee Kim¹, Cholong Jung², Yongseok Jun², Donghwan Kim¹
¹Korea University, Seoul, South Korea, ²UNIST, Ulsan, South Korea
- B7
565 **Best Student Presentation Award Finalist InGaAs/GaAsP Asymmetric Quantum Wells for Enhancing Carrier Escape Through Resonant Tunneling 1908**
ShaoJun Ma¹, Hassanet Sodabanlu², YunPeng Wang², Kentaroh Watanabe², Masakazu Sugiyama¹, Yoshiaki Nakano^{1,2}
¹Department of Electrical Engineering and Information Systems, School of Engineering, The University of Tokyo, Tokyo, Japan, ²Research Center for Advanced Science and Technology, The University of Tokyo, Tokyo, Japan
- B11
566 **Silicon Nanowires Development for Solar Cell Devices 1911**
Gopal G. Pethuraja^{1,2}, Manisha V. Rane-Fondacaro¹, Harry Efstathiadis¹, Ashok K. Sood², Pradeep Haldar¹
¹Energy and Environmental Applications Center (E2TAC), College of Nanoscale Science and Engineering, University at Albany, State University of New York, Albany, NY, USA, ²Magnolia Solar Inc., Albany, NY, USA

- B15
567 **Numerical Study of GaAs-Based Dual-Junction Intermediate-Band Solar Cells 1917**
Ching-Yu Shih¹, Ming-hsuan Tan¹, Lung-Hsing Hsu¹,
Che-Pin Tsai¹, Chien-chung Lin¹, Hao-Chung Kuo²,
K.Y. Chuang³, T.S. Lay³
¹Institute of Photonic System, National Chiao Tung University, Tainan, Taiwan, ²Department of Photonic & Institute of Electro-Optical Engineering, National Chiao Tung University, Hsin-chu, Taiwan, ³Department of Photonics, National SunYat-Sen University, Kaohsiung, Taiwan
- B19
568 **Carrier Sweep-Out Time in InGaAs/GaAsP Multiple Quantum Well Solar Cells by Time-Resolved Photoluminescence: Effects of Well Depth and Barrier Thickness 1922**
Hassanet Sodabanlu¹, Shaojun Ma², Kentaroh Watanabe¹, Masakazu Sugiyama^{2,3}, Yoshiaki Nakano^{1,2}
¹Research Center for Advanced Science and Technology, the University of Tokyo, Tokyo, Japan, ²School of Engineering, the University of Tokyo, Tokyo, Japan, ³Institute of Engineering Innovation, the University of Tokyo, Tokyo, Japan
- B23
569 **Highly-Ordered Silicon Nanowire Arrays on Heterojunction Solar Cells 1926**
Hong-Jhang Syu¹, Yung-Jr Hung², Shu-Chia Shiu¹,
San-Liang Lee², Ching-Fuh Lin^{1,3,4}
¹Graduate Institute of Photonics and Optoelectronics, National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan, ²Department of Electronics Engineering, National Taiwan University of Science and Technology, Taipei, Taiwan, ³Graduate Institute of Electronic Engineering, National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan, ⁴Department of Electrical Engineering, National Taiwan University, Taipei, Taiwan
- B27
570 **High-Efficiency InAs/GaAs Quantum Dot Solar Cells by MOCVD 1929**
Katsuaki Tanabe, Denis Guimard, Damien Bordel,
Ryo Morihara, Masao Nishioka, Yasuhiko Arakawa
University of Tokyo, Tokyo, Japan
- C3
571 **Investigations of the Optical Properties of ZnO-Metal Oxide Core-Shell Nanowire Arrays for Use in Advanced Optoelectronics 1931**
M. Allan Thomas, Jingbiao Cui
University of Arkansas at Little Rock, Little Rock, AR, USA

- C7
572 **Growth and Characterization of III-Nitride-Based Multiple Quantum Wells for Photovoltaic Devices 1937**
P.V Wadekar¹, C.W Chang¹, T.W. Dung¹, Y.T. Lin¹, Q.Y. Chen^{1,2}, M.C. Chou³, S.W. Feng⁴, H.C. Huang³, N.J. Ho³, L.W. Tu¹, D. Wijesundera², W.K. Chu²
¹Department of Physics and Center for Nanoscience and Nanotechnology, National Sun Yat Sen University, Kaohsiung, Taiwan, ²Department of Physics and Texas Center for Superconductivity, University of Houston, Houston, TX, USA, ³Department of Materials and Opto-electronic Science, National Sun Yat Sen University, Kaohsiung, Taiwan, ⁴Department of Applied Physics, National University of Kaohsiung, Kaohsiung, Taiwan
- C11
573 **A Multi-Step Superlattice Solar Cell with Enhanced Sub-Band Absorption and Open Circuit Voltage 1940**
YunPeng Wang¹, ShaoJun Ma¹, Hassanet Sodabanlu¹, Hiromasa Fujii¹, Kentaroh Watanabe¹, Masakazu Sugiyama², Yoshiaki Nakano¹
¹Research Center for Advanced Science and Technology, the University of Tokyo, Tokyo, Japan, ²Department of Electrical Engineering and Information Systems, School of Engineering, the University of Tokyo, Tokyo, Japan
- C15
574 **Macroporous Silicon Solar Cell on Upgraded Metallurgical-Grade Silicon Wafer N/A**
Lei Zhao, Zhaochen Li, Hongwei Diao, Hailing Li, Chunlan Zhou, Wenjing Wang
Institute of Electrical Engineering, The Chinese Academy of Sciences, Beijing, China
- C19
575 **Photovoltaic Measurements in Carbon Nanotube - Amorphous Silicon Core/Shell Nanowire 1944**
Hang Zhou^{1,2}, Georgis Lentaris², Pritesh Hiralal², Tim Butler², Emrah Unalan², Gehan Amaratunga², Alan Colli³
¹Peking University Shen Zhen Graduate School, Shen Zhen, China, ²University of Cambridge, Cambridge, United Kingdom, ³Nokia Research Center, Cambridge, United Kingdom
- C22
576 **Evaluating Photovoltaic Performance Indoors 1948**
Yasmin Afsar¹, John Sarik², Maria Gorlatova², Gil Zussman², Ioannis Kymissis²
¹Princeton University, Princeton, NJ, USA, ²Columbia University, New York, NY, USA
- C25
577 **Simulation-Guided Design of Flexible Photovoltaic Laminates 1952**
Siddharth Ram Athreya, Rahul Sharma, Keith Kauffmann, Leo Lopez, Jie Feng
The Dow Chemical Company, Midland, MI, USA

- C28 **The Pathway to Achieve More than 5% PbS**
578 **Quantum Dot Solar Cells** N/A
Jianbo Gao¹, Octavi Semonin², Joseph Luther¹,
Randy Ellingson³, Arthur Nozik¹, Matthew Beard¹
¹NREL, Golden, CO, USA, ²University of
Colorado, Boulder, CO, USA, ³University of
Toledo, Toledo, CO, USA
- D3 **Novel Modeling and Simulation of a-Si/c-Si_x**
579 **Ge_x/c-Si Hetrostructure Thin-Film Solar Cells** 1958
Muhammad Khizar, Md. Amimul Ehsan, Christina
Keller, Dongming Mei
*Department of Physics, University of South
Dakota, Vermillion, SD, USA*
- D6 **Development of Zinc Phosphide as a p-Type**
580 **Absorber** 1963
Parag S. Vasekar, Siva P. Adusumilli, Daniel
Vanhart, Tara Dhakal
*Center for Autonomous Solar Power, The
State University of New York at Binghamton,
Binghamton, NY, USA*
- D9 **Crystal Phase-Controlled Synthesis of**
581 **Cu₂FeSnS₄ Nanocrystals with Band Gap**
around 1.5 eV 1967
Xiaoyan Zhang^{1,2}, Ningzhong Bao³, Karthik
Ramasamy¹, Yu-Hsiang A. Wang¹, Yifeng Wang³,
Baoping Lin², Arunava Gupta¹
¹University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, AL, USA,
²Southeast University, Nanjing, China, ³Nanjing
University of Technology, Nanjing, China

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EH4-B

**Area 2: Polycrystalline Thin Films: Alternate
Substrates, Back Contact Materials, Buffer
Compounds, TCOs, Manufacturing, Metrology,
Process Control, and Reliability (Posters)**

Chair(s): Ayodhya Tiwari, Katsumi Kushiya

- E8 **Device Degradation Studies of CIGS Solar**
582 **Cells Using *In Situ* High-Temperature X-Ray**
Diffraction 1970
Rangarajan Krishnan¹, Tim Anderson¹, Ryan
Kaczynski², Urs Schoop², Andrew Payzant³, Woo
Kyoung Kim⁴
¹University of Florida, Gainesville, FL, USA,
²Global Solar Inc, Tucson, AZ, USA, ³Oak Ridge
National Laboratory, Oak Ridge, TN, USA,
⁴Yeungnam University, Dae-Dong, South Korea

- E12
583 **Optical Monitoring and Control of Three-Stage Co-Evaporated Cu(In_{1-x}Ga_x)Se₂ by Real Time Spectroscopic Ellipsometry** N/A
Dinesh Attygalle¹, Vikash Ranjan², Puruswottam Aryal¹, Puja Pradhan¹, S Marsillac², N. J Podraza¹, R. W. Collins¹
¹Center for Photovoltaics Innovation and Commercialization, University of Toledo, Toledo, OH, USA, ²Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, Old Dominion University, Norfolk, VA, USA
- E16
584 **Metrology and Process Optimization for Large-Area Monolithically-integrated Cu(In,Ga)Se₂ Modules** 1974
Dingyuan Lu, Eric P. Christiansen, Colm W. Walsh, Joseph F. Chase, Roy M. Miller, Michael F. Miller, B.J. Stanbery
HelioVolt Corporation, Austin, TX, USA
- E20
585 **First-Ever Full-Size CdTe Luminescent Down-Shifting Module** 1978
David Ross¹, Diego Alonso Álvarez¹, Jochen Fritsche², Michael Bauer², Bryce S. Richards¹
¹Heriot-Watt University, Edinburgh, United Kingdom, ²Calyxo GmbH, Bitterfeld-Wolfen, Germany
- E24
586 **Investigation of Post-Deposition and In Situ Cl Treatments for Fully-Sputtered CdTe/CdS Thin-Film Solar Cells** 1983
R. E. Treharne¹, K. Durose¹, L. Bowen², B. G. Mendis²
¹University of Liverpool, Liverpool, United Kingdom, ²University of Durham, Durham, United Kingdom
- E28
587 **In(O,OH)S/AgInS₂ Absorbent-Layer/Buffer-Layer System for Thin-Film Solar Cells** 1988
Carlos A. Arredondo¹, William A. Vallejo², Johann Hernandez³, Gerardo Gordillo⁴
¹Universidad Antonio Nariño, Bogota, Columbia, ²Universidad de America, Bogota, Columbia, ³Universidad Distrital Francisco Jose de Caldas, Bogota, Columbia, ⁴Universidad Nacional de Colombia, Bogota, Columbia
- F4
588 **Two-Stage Chemical-Bath Deposition for Well-Covered and Stoichiometric ZnS Thin Films** 1992
Po-Chuan Tsai¹, Ian Pai¹, Han-Ping D. Shieh²
¹Department of Photonics & Institute of Electro-Optical Engineering, National Chiao Tung University, Hsinchu, Taiwan, ²Department of Photonics & Display Institute, National Chiao Tung University, Hsinchu, Taiwan
- F8
589 **Influence of Cu(In,Ga)Se₂ Grain Orientation on Solution Growth of Zn(O,S) and CdS** 1995
Wolfram Witte¹, Daniel Abou-Ras², Dimitrios Hariskos¹
¹Zentrum für Sonnenenergie- und Wasserstoff-Forschung Baden-Württemberg (ZSW), Stuttgart, Germany, ²Helmholtz-Zentrum Berlin für Materialien und Energie, Berlin, Germany

- F12
590 **Mo Effect on One-Step Sputtering Chalcopyrite CIGS Thin Films 1999**
Tzu-Ying Lin¹, Chia-Hsiang Chen¹, Chih-Huang Lai^{1,2}
¹*Department of Materials Science and Engineering, National Tsing Hua University, Hsinchu, Taiwan,*
²*Low Carbon Energy Research Center, Tsing Hua University, Hsinchu, Taiwan*
- F16
591 **Metallic Grids for Low-Resistive Transparent Conductors: Modeling and Experiments 2003**
Joop van Deelen, Henk Rendering, Hero het Mannetje, Lennaert Klerk, Arjan Hovestad
TNO, Eindhoven, Netherlands
- F20
592 **In Situ Real Time Spectroscopic Ellipsometry Analysis of Ag Nanoparticle Layers for Back Contact Reflector Applications 2006**
Scott Little¹, Vikash Ranjan², Thomas Begou², Robert W. Collins¹, Sylvain Marsillac²
¹*University of Toledo, Toledo, OH, USA,* ²*Old Dominion University, Norfolk, VA, USA*
- F24
593 **High Quality Indium Tin Oxide (ITO) Film Growth by Controlling Deposition Pressure in RF Magnetron Sputtering 2009**
M. Mannir Aliyu¹, M. Sharafat Hossain¹, Jamilah Husna¹, Nripen Dhar², M. Qamarul Huda², Kamaruzzaman Sopian², Nowshad Amin^{1,2}
¹*Department of Electrical, Electronics and System Engineering, Faculty of Engineering and Built Environment, Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia, Bangi, Selangor, Malaysia,* ²*Solar Energy Research Institute (SERI), Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia, Bangi, Selangor, Malaysia*
- F28
594 **Atmospheric Pressure Deposition of SnO₂ and ZnO 2014**
Joop van Deelen, Bas Kniknie, Frank Grob, Ioanna Volintiru, Fred Roozeboom, Paul Poodt, Andrea Illiberi
TNO, Eindhoven, Netherlands
- G4
595 **Characterization of TCO Deposition for CIGS Solar Cells 2018**
Krishna Aryal¹, Grace Rajan¹, Yunus Erkaya¹, Nitin Hegde¹, Patrick Boland¹, Vikash Ranjan¹, Robert W. Collins², Sylvain Marsillac¹
¹*Old Dominion University, Norfolk, VA, USA,* ²*The University of Toledo, Toledo, OH, USA*
- G8
596 **The ZnO-Reflectance Effect on the Heterojunction ITO/ZnO/CdS/CdTe 2021**
Juan Luis Peña, Victor Rejón, Oscar Arés, Juan M. Camacho, Araceli Rios-Flores
Applied Physics Department, CINVESTAV-IPN, Mérida, Yucatán, Mexico
- G12
597 **Low-Resistivity and High-Transparency ZnO Thin Films on PET Substrate Grown by Atmospheric Spray Pyrolysis N/A**
Kenji Yoshino¹, Naomi Kamiya¹, Minoru Oshima¹, Akiko Ide¹, Yumi Yamamoto¹, Yujin Takemoto², Kouji Toyota², Koichiro Inaba², Ken-ichi Haga², Kouichi Tokudome²
¹*University of Miyazaki, Miyazaki, Japan,* ²*Tosoh Finechem Corporation, Syunan, Japan*

- G16
598 **Transparent Conductors for Full Spectrum Photovoltaics 2024**
Kin Man Yu¹, Marie M. Mayer^{1,2}, Derrick T. Speaks^{1,2}, Hongcai He^{3,4}, Ruying Zhao^{1,2}, Leon Hsu⁵, Samuel S. Mao³, Eugene E. Haller^{1,2}, Wladek Walukiewicz¹
¹Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory, Materials Sciences Division, Berkeley, CA, USA, ²University of California, Berkeley, Department of Materials Science and Engineering, Berkeley, CA, USA, ³Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory, Environmental Energy Technologies Division, Berkeley, CA, USA, ⁴University of Electronic Science and Technology of China, State Key Laboratory of Electronic Thin Films and Integrated Devices, Chengdu, China, ⁵University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN, USA
- G20
599 **Reflection Optimization for Alternative Thin-Film Photovoltaics N/A**
Jonathan R. Mann, Jian Li, Ingrid L. Repins, Kannan V. Ramanathan, Stephen C. Glynn, Clay M. DeHart, Rommel Noufi
National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden, CO, USA
- G24
600 **Green Electrodeposition of ZnO as a TCO in Terawatt Solar Cells 2030**
Bin Zhou¹, Xiaofei Han¹, Qing Feng², Meng Tao¹
¹School of Electrical, Computer and Energy Engineering, Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ, USA, ²Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, University of Texas at Arlington, Arlington, TX, USA
- G28
601 **Development of a Microreactor Assisted Solution Deposition Process for Fabrication of a PV Thin Film N/A**
Michael O'Halloran¹, Sudhir Ramprasad², Dan Palo², Clayton Hires³, Brian K. Paul³, Yu-Wei Su⁴, Chih-hung Chang⁴
¹CH2M HILL, Portland, OR, USA, ²Microproducts Breakthrough Institute, Pacific Northwest National Laboratory, Corvallis, OR, USA, ³School of Mechanical, Industrial and Manufacturing Engineering, Oregon State University, Corvallis, OR, USA, ⁴School of Chemical, Biological & Environmental Engineering, Oregon State University, Corvallis, OR, USA
- H3
602 **Flexible and Cd-free CIGS Solar Cell Yielding 13.37% Efficiency Produced by Non-Vacuum Process 2034**
Wei-Tse Hsu, Chien-Chih Chiang, Tsung-Yeh Chuang, Lung-Teng Cheng, Lih-Ping Wang, Sheng-Wen Cha, Ke-Yu Lai, Wei-Chien Chen, Hsien-Te Cheng, Chou-Cheng Li, Jen-Chuan Chang, Yan-Ying Tsai, Song-Yeu Tsai
Green Energy & Environment Research Laboratories (GEL), Industrial Technology Research Institute, Hsinchu, Taiwan

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EH4-C

**Area 3: III-V's and Concentrators: Cells, Modules,
and Systems 2 (Posters)**

Chair(s): Daniel Derkacs

- H10
603 **Absorption Performance of the Micro-Concentrating Photovoltaic with Multimode Waveguide and Slanted Micro-Hole Cell** 2038
Md. Mosaddek Hossain Adib¹, Arshad M. Chowdhury^{1,2}, Gee-Kung Chang², Nowshad Amin³
¹Department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, North South University, Dhaka, Bangladesh, ²School of Electrical and Computer Engineering, Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, GA, USA, ³Department of Electrical, Electronic & Systems Engineering, Faculty of Engineering and Built Environment, Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia, Bangi, Selangor, Malaysia
- H12
604 **Study of Wind Convection Coefficient Correlations for CPV Module Cooling** N/A
Deborah A. Adkins, Yuying Y. Yan
University of Nottingham, Nottingham, United Kingdom
- H14
605 **Improvement of CPV System Performance by NGCPV Collaboration** N/A
Kenji Araki¹, César Domínguez², Hirokazu Nagai¹, Ignacio Luque-Heredia³, Kensuke Nishioka⁴, Kenji Hobo¹, Ignacio Anton², Masayoshi Futo¹, Gabriel Sala², Kazuyuki Tamura¹, Isao Kumagai¹
¹Daido Steel, Nagoya, Japan, ²Universidad Politecnica de Madrid, Madrid, Spain, ³BSQ Solar, Madrid, Spain, ⁴University of Miyazaki, Miyazaki, Japan
- H16
606 **Design of Semiconductor-Based Back Reflectors for High-V_{oc} Monolithic Multijunction Solar Cells** 2042
Ivan Garcia, John Geisz, Myles Steiner, Jerry Olson, Daniel Friedman, Sarah Kurtz
National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden, CO, USA
- H18
607 **Trackless LCPV Modules: A Competitive Solution?** 2048
Giorgio Grasso¹, Francesco Morichetti², Aldo Righetti¹, Silvia M. Pietralunga³, Maria C. Ubaldi¹
¹CIFE, Milano, Italy, ²Politecnico di Milano, Dip. Elettronica e Informazione, Milano, Italy, ³CNR-IFN, Milano, Italy
- H20
608 **Numerical Modeling of In_xGa_{1-x}N/Silicon Multijunction Tandem Solar Cell** 2052
Ming-Han Hsieh, Yuh-Renn Wu
National Taiwan University, Tapei, Taiwan

- H22
609 **Design of Metamorphic Dual-Junction InGaP/GaAs Solar Cell on Si with Efficiency Greater than 29% Using Finite Element Analysis 2056**
Nikhil Jain, Mantu K Hudait
Virginia Tech, Blacksburg, VA, USA
- H24
610 **High-Bandgap Solar Cells for Underwater Photovoltaic Applications 2061**
Phillip P. Jenkins¹, Scott R. Messenger¹, Kelly M. Trautz¹, Sergey Maximenko², David Goldstein¹, David A. Scheiman¹, Robert J. Walters¹
¹*Naval Research Laboratory, Washington, DC, USA*, ²*Soltera, Alexandria, VA, USA*
- H26
611 **Analysis of Energy Production of Spectrolab Multijunction Solar Cells in Field Conditions 2065**
R. K. Jones, R. R. King, C. M. Fetzer, J. H. Ermer, K. M. Edmondson, P. Hebert
Spectrolab, Inc., Sylmar, CA, USA
- H28
612 **Device Modeling of an Optimized Monolithic All Lattice-Matched 3-Junction Solar Cell with Efficiency > 50% 2071**
Marina S. Leite^{1,2,3}, Harry A. Atwater¹
¹*Thomas Watson Laboratories in Applied Physics, CALTECH, Pasadena, CA, USA*, ²*CNST, National Institute for Standards and Technology, Gaithersburg, MD, USA*, ³*Institute for Research in Electronics and Applied Physics, University of Maryland, College Park, MD, USA*
- I2
613 **Mirror-Augmented Photovoltaic Designs and Performances 2076**
Wei-Chun Lin¹, Dave Hollingshead², Roger French¹, Kara Shell², Joseph Karas¹
¹*Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, OH, USA*, ²*Replex Plastics, Mount Vernon, OH, USA*
- I4
614 **Efficiency Enhancement of GaAs Single-Junction Solar Cells via Improved Optical Designs 2082**
Shi Liu, Ding Ding, Shane R. Johnson, Yong-Hang Zhang
Center for Photonics Innovation and School of Electrical, Computer, and Energy Engineering, Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ, USA
- I6
615 **An Examination of 1-D Solar Cell Model Limitations Using 3-D SPICE Modeling 2088**
William E. McMahon, Jerry M. Olson, John F. Geisz, Daniel J. Friedman
National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden, CO, USA
- I8
616 **An Alternative Arrangement to Triple-Junction Devices for Reduced Temperature Effects and Enhanced Spectrum Exploitation N/A**
Alaeddine Mokri, Mahieddine Emziane
Masdar Institute of Science and Technology, Masdar City, United Arab Emirates

- I10
617 **Annual Energy Yield: A Comparison Between Various Monolithic and Mechanically Stacked Multijunction Solar Cells 2092**
Yves Mols¹, Lu Zhao^{1,2}, Giovanni Flamand¹, Marc Meuris¹, Jef Poortmans¹
¹Imec, Leuven, Belgium, ²Du Pont Apollo Ltd., Shatin, N.T., Hong Kong
- I12
618 **Modeling of InAs/GaSb Tunnel Junction 2096**
Pradyumna Muralidharan¹, Dragica Vasileska¹, Y.-H. Zhang²
¹School of Electrical, Computer and Energy Engineering, Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ, USA, ²Center for Photonics Innovation and School of Electrical, Computer and Energy Engineering, Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ, USA
- I14
619 **Efficiency Simulations of Top Surface Light Management Structures for Concentrator Solar Cells Using RCWA and Detailed Balance Theory 2101**
Efrain Eduardo Tamayo Ruiz^{1,2}, Kentaroh Watanabe¹, Ryosuke Watanabe¹, Masakazu Sugiyama^{1,2}, Yoshitaka Okada^{1,2}, Kenjiro Miyano^{1,2}
¹Research Center for Advanced Science and Technology (RCAST), The University of Tokyo, Meguro-ku, Japan, ²School of Engineering, The University of Tokyo, Bunkyo-ku, Japan
- I16
620 **A CPV System Design Technique to Maximize Optical Concentration and Efficiency, Based on Site-Specific Irradiance Conditions 2105**
Shelby Vorndran¹, Juan Russo², Deming Zhang², Michael Gordon¹, Raymond Kostuk²
¹The University of Arizona College of Optical Sciences, Tucson, AZ, USA, ²The University of Arizona Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, Tucson, AZ, USA
- I18
621 **Optimizing the Design of 2-D Subwavelength ARC Gratings for Multijunction III-V Concentrator Cells 2111**
Wei Wang, Alex Freundlich
University of Houston, Houston, TX, USA
- I20
622 **Approaching the Shockley-Queisser Limit in GaAs Solar Cells 2117**
Xufeng Wang, Mohammad Ryyan Khan, Muhammad A. Alam, Mark S. Lundstrom
Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN, USA
- I22
623 **A Distributed Emitter Model for Solar Cells: Extracting a Temperature Dependent Lumped Series Resistance 2122**
John R. Wilcox, Jeffery L. Gray
Purdue, West Lafayette, IN, USA

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EH4-D

**Area 4: Crystalline Silicon: Industrial Cell
Technology (Posters)**

Chair(s): Bart Geerligs

- I26
624 **Inline Thermal Anneal to Improve Efficiency of
c-Si Solar Cells N/A**
Tianming Bao, Hui Tao, Frank Bottari
BTU International, Shanghai, China
- J2
625 **Value of Thermal Oxide for Ion Implanted
Silicon Solar Cells 2128**
Vikram Bhosle, Chris Dube, Nick Bateman
*Applied Materials, Varian Semiconductor
Equipment, Gloucester, MA, USA*
- J6
626 **Selective- and Homo-Emitter Junction
Formation Using Precise Dopant
Concentration Control by Ion Implantation
and Microwave, Laser or Furnace Annealing
Techniques 2132**
John O. Borland¹, Victor Moroz², Joanne Huang²,
John Chen³, Yao-Jen Lee⁴, Peter Oesterlin⁵, Peter
Venema⁶, Henri Geerman⁶, Peter Zhao⁷, Larry
Wang⁷
¹*J.O.B. Technologies, Aiea, HI, USA*, ²*Synopsys,
Mountain View, CA, USA*, ³*Kingstone, Shanghai,
China*, ⁴*Nano Device Lab, Hsinchu, Taiwan*,
⁵*Innovavent GmbH, Göttingen, Germany*,
⁶*Tempress Systems, Vaassen, Netherlands*,
⁷*Eavans Analytical Group, Sunnyvale, CA, USA*
- J10
627 **Metal Contact and Diffusion Optimization for
Selective Emitter 2138**
Michael Z. Burrows, Andreas Meisel, Giuseppe
Scardera, Francesco Lemmi, Homer Antoniadis
Innovalight, Inc., Sunnyvale, CA, USA
- J14
628 **The Investigation on the Front Surface
Oxidation for Aluminum Rear Emitter n-Type
Solar Cells 2142**
Liping Chen, Xi Xi, Wenjuan Wu, Feng Gao, Jin
Xu, Zhengxin Wang, Zhenqiu Yu, Qian Lu, Song
Zhang, Haidong Zhu, Rulong Chen, Jian Yang,
Jingjia Ji, Zhengrong Shi
Suntech Power Co., Ltd., Wuxi, China
- J18
629 **Shinsung Solar Energy High-Efficiency
Commercial-Crystalline Si Solar Cells 2145**
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714 **Probabilistic Design-for-Reliability (PDfR) of Photovoltaic (PV) Modules** N/A
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- X23
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Columbia University, New York, NY, USA
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Oberlin College, Oberlin, OH, USA
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Navigant Consulting, Inc., Burlington, MA, USA
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Power Analytics, San Diego, CA, USA
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Andrew C. Rudack
SEMATECH/PVMC, Albany, NY, USA

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IEC 40th Anniversary Reception and Ceremony

Established in 1972, the Institute of Energy Conversion (IEC) is celebrating its 40th anniversary. The hallmark of IEC's success has been the establishment of multidisciplinary core competencies to address R&D issues and the integration of industrial R&D needs with academic education and training. This has fostered a long history of contributions to the science and engineering of photovoltaics and the transfer of technology to the PV industry. Many concepts conceived at IEC during its 40 year history are now providing the foundation for the expanding PV industry. This reception and brief ceremony will highlight IEC's achievements.

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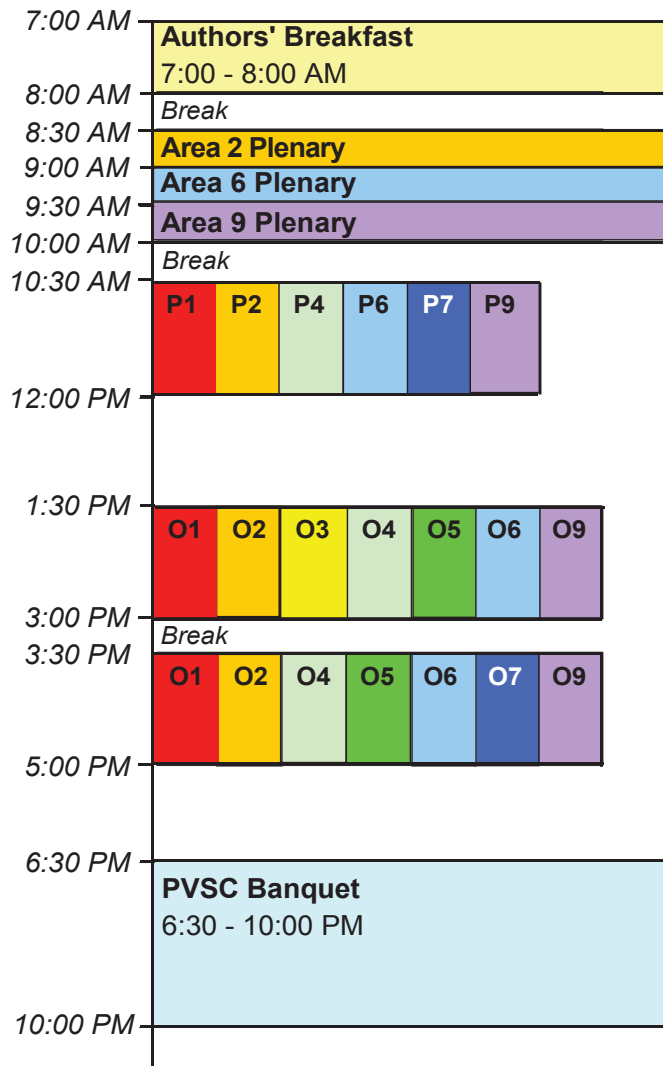
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Area 1 Late Night Session

Chair(s): Ryne Raffaele

The world premiere of "The Official Unofficial History of PV." We will debut a film of such monumental proportions that we are sure to garner serious academy consideration (disclaimer: not by any Academy of Science nor the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences). David Wilt of Albuquerque Times Daily proclaims "I have never witnessed anything quite like this in all my years in PV." Robert Walters of Northern Virginia Picayune writes "Congratulations David. Your review makes the most convincing argument for a sweeping overhaul of our public educational system I've read to date." B.J. Stanbery of the Austin Heckler writes "I must congratulate the filmmakers on their persistence! Most people would have given up and called someone competent long before finishing such a film." Don't miss this epic film which is guaranteed to change your life (no warranties expressed or implied). Coming soon to a pirated DVD location near you.

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Chair(s): Markus Beck

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Bernhard Dimmler
Manz AG, Schwaebisch Hall, Germany

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Area 6: Organic Photovoltaics: Plenary

Chair(s): Dana Olson

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730 **Solar Cells and Modules on Glass and PET N/A**
Martin Pfeiffer
Heliatek GmbH, Dresden, Germany

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Chair(s): Jennifer Granata

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Anastasios Golnas
SunEdison, Beltsville, MD, USA

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Sadia Ameen, Minwu Song, Young Soon Kim, M. Shaheer Akhtar, Hyung-Shik Shin
Chonbuk National University, Jeonju, South Korea
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735 **Properties and Modeling of InGaN for High-Temperature Photovoltaics 2509**
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736 **Molecular Beam Epitaxy of n-Type ZnS: A Wide-Bandgap Emitter for Heterojunction PV Devices 2513**
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California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, CA, USA
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Derek A Caselli, Cun-Zheng Ning
Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ, USA
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738 **Design Criteria for Nanostructured Omni-Directional Antireflection Coatings 2521**
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739 **Direct Liquid-Coated Cu₂SnS₃ as a New Absorber Material for Thin-Film Solar Cell N/A**
Tapas K Chaudhuri, Devendra Tiwari
Dr. K. C. Patel Research and Development Centre, Changa, India

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740 **ZnSnN₂: A New Earth-Abundant Element Semiconductor for Solar Cells 2524**
Nathaniel Feldberg¹, Benjamin Keen¹, James D. Aldous¹, David O. Scanlon², Patricia A. Stampe³, Robin J. Kennedy³, Roger J. Reeves⁴, Timothy D. Veal⁵, Steven M. Durbin^{1,6}
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741 **Si₃AIP: A New Promising Material for Solar Cell Absorber N/A**
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742 **Earth-Abundant Iron Oxysulfide (FeS_xO_y) for Bandgap Optimization 2528**
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Arizona State University, Tempe, AZ, USA
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744 **Dependence of Substrate Temperature of Cu₂ZnSnS₄ Thin Films Deposited by Radio-Frequency Sputtering Using Quaternary Cu₂ZnSnS₄ Target N/A**
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746 **Fabrication of GaAsN Solar Cell by Chemical Beam Epitaxy with Improved Minority-Carrier Lifetime 2540**
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Villanova University, Villanova, PA, USA
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AGH University of Science and Technology, Kraków, Poland
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751 **Growth and p-Type Doping of Cuprous Oxide Thin-Fims for Photovoltaic Applications 2557**
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752 **Raman-Based Strategies for Improved Solar Cell Optics 2559**
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753 **Ag-Assisted Electrochemical Etching of Silicon for Antireflection in Large Area Crystalline Thin-Film Photovoltaics 2563**
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754 **Enhanced Graphene/Silicon Heterojunction Solar Cells with Work Function and Antireflection Optimization 2566**
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755 **Epitaxial Growth of (100) GaAs on CeO_x-Coated Flexible Metal Substrates 2571**
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756 **Equivalent Deflection Angle of Textured Surfaces 2575**
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757 **Exfoliated 15-micron Thin-Crystalline Germanium Heterojunction Solar Cells 2578**
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758 **Mechanism of Electrical Passivation of Si Surfaces with Quinhydrone 2583**
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759 **Design Rules for Indoor Photovoltaic Cells 2588**
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760 **Single-Crystalline-Like Germanium Templates on Low-Cost, Flexible Substrates for High Efficiency Photovoltaics 2592**
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Southeast University, Nanjing, China

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Santosh Shrestha, Neeti Gupta, Pasquale Aliberti, Gavin Conibeer
Photovoltaics Centre of Excellence, School of Photovoltaic and Renewable Energy Engineering, The University of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia
- D24
763 **Low-Resistance Metal Contacts to Nitrogen-Doped Cuprous Oxide Thin Films 2605**
Sin Cheng Siah, Yun Seog Lee, Yaron Segal, Tonio Buonassisi
Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, MA, USA
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764 **Review on Up/Down Conversion Materials for Solar Cell Application 2608**
Deepak Verma, Tor O. Sætre, Ole-Morten Midtgård
University of Agder, Grimstad, Norway
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767 **Solution Processing of CdTe Nanocrystals for Thin-film Solar Cells 2621**
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768 **Silver Nanoparticles Incorporated in Aluminum-Doped ZnO for Heterojunction Solar Cells 2625**

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Area 2: Polycrystalline Thin Films: Absorber Formation and Characterization 2 (Posters)

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770 **Non-Hydrazine Solution-Processed CuIn(Se,S)₂ Photovoltaic Device 2632**

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771 **Selenization of CIS and CIGS Layers Deposited by Spray Pyrolysis N/A**

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772 **Preparation and Characterization of Electrodeposited CuInSe₂ Thin Films on Flexible Substrates for Solar Cell Applications 2636**

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773 **Molecular Precursor Species and Their Effects on the Energy Bandgap of Hydrazine Solution Processed Cu(In,S,Se)₂ Films 2640**
Choong-Heui Chung^{1,2}, Bao Lei^{1,2}, Brion Bob^{1,2}, Hsin-Sheng Duan^{1,2}, Sheng-Han Li^{1,2}, William W. Hou^{1,2}, Wenbing Yang^{1,2}, Yang Yang^{1,2}
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774 **Investigation of Na Out-Diffusion and Structural Properties of IGS Thin Film During Three-Stage Growth Process of CIGS Thin Film N/A**
Hamda A. Al-Thani, Falah S. Hasoon
National Energy & Water Research Center, Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates
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775 **Control of Na Diffusion from Soda-Lime Glass and NaF Film into Cu(In,Ga)Se₂ for Thin-Film Solar Cells N/A**
Dae-Hyung Cho¹, Yong-Duck Chung^{1,2}, Kyu-Seok Lee¹, Ju-Hee Kim^{1,2}, Soo-Jeong Park^{1,2}, Jeha Kim^{1,2}
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776 **Phase Separation in Cu(In,Ga)Se₂ Photovoltaic Absorber Film Due to Post-Deposition Na Treatment N/A**
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778 **Quantitative Elemental Analysis of Photovoltaic Cu(In,Ga)Se₂ Thin Films Using MCs⁺ Clusters 2647**
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780 **Grain Growth Enhancement of Selenide CIGSe Nanoparticles to Densified CIGSe Films Using Copper Selenide Additives 2654**
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821 Triple-Junction Solar Cells by Incorporation of
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827 **Non-Solar Photovoltaics for Small Space Missions 2819**
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829 **Innovative Technologies on Proton Irradiation Tests for Space Solar Cells 2831**
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830 **Increasing the TRL Level of New PV Technologies Using Modular Solar Panels 2835**
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831 **Solar Cell Short Circuit Current Errors and Uncertainties During High Altitude Calibrations 2840**
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832 **Change in I-V Characteristics of Subcells in a Multijunction Solar Cell Due to Radiation Irradiation 2846**
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835 **In Situ Control Over Ge(100):As Dimer Orientation in Vapor Phase Epitaxy Ambient N/A**
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- T15 **New Jersey International & Network**
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- T23 **Intelicell, Hybrid Photovoltaic System for**
842 **Energy Support 2883**
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- U3 **Selection of Photovoltaic Modules for Off-**
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849 **Biharmonic Spline Interpolation for Solar Radiation Mapping Using Puerto Rico as a Case of Study** N/A
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- W19
859 **Analysing Partial Shading of PV Modules by Circuit Modeling 2957**
Siyu Guo, Timothy M. Walsh, Armin G. Aberle, Marius Peters
Solar Energy Research Institute of Singapore, Singapore, Singapore
- W23
860 **LabVIEW-Based Emulation of Photovoltaic Array to Study Maximum Power Point Tracking Algorithms 2961**
Kapil S. Bhise, Nataraj Pragallapati, Sushil S. Thale, Vivek Agarwal
Dept of Elec Engg, IIT-Bombay, Mumbai, India

- X2
861 **Modeling of Annual DC Energy Losses Due to Off Maximum Power Point Operation in PV Arrays** 2967
Aron P. Dobos
National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden, CO, USA
- X5
862 **VLS-PV Intermittence and Stationary Storage** N/A
Aurélien BERTIN^{1,2}
¹*Hélios Energie, Paris, France*, ²*Institut de Physique du Globe de Paris, Paris, France*
- X8
863 **Changes in Cadmium Telluride Photovoltaic System Performance Due to Spectrum** N/A
Lauren Nelson, Mark Frichtl
First Solar, San Francisco, CA, USA
- X11
864 **A New Approach in Numerical Simulation of PV Systems for PV-Powered Boats** N/A
Tim Gorter¹, Ernst-Jan Voerman², Peter Joore^{2,3}, Angèle Reinders^{1,3}, Fred Van Houten¹
¹*University of Twente, Faculty of CTW, Department of Design, Production and Management, Enschede, Netherlands*,
²*University of Applied Sciences, NHL hogeschool, Leeuwarden, Netherlands*, ³*Delft University of Technology, Faculty of Industrial Design Engineering, Delft, Netherlands*

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Area 1: Fundamentals and New Concepts: Advanced Approaches for Photoconversion (Orals)

Chair(s): Ryne P. Raffaele, Martha Symko-Davies,
Loucas Tsakalakas

- 1:30 **Best Student Presentation Award**
865 **Finalist**
Characterization of a Quantum Dot *nipi* Photovoltaic Device 2970
Michael A. Slocum, David V. Forbes, Seth M. Hubbard
Rochester Institute of Technology, Rochester, NY, USA
- 2:00 **Infrared Optical Response of Geometric Diode Rectenna Solar Cells 2976**
866 Saumil Joshi¹, Zixu Zhu¹, Sachit Grover², Garret Moddel¹
¹*Department of Electrical, Computer, and Energy Engineering, University of Colorado, Boulder, CO, USA*, ²*National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden, CO, USA*
- 2:15 **Bandgap Engineering Achieved with Doping Superlattices 2979**
867 Michael K. Yakes¹, Cory D. Cress¹, Matthew P. Lumb^{1,2}, Jeffrey H. Warner¹, Christopher G. Bailey¹, Raymond Hoheisel^{1,2}, Robert J. Walters¹
¹*Naval Research Laboratory, Washington, DC, USA*, ²*The George Washington University, Washington, DC, USA*
- 2:30 **Modeling the Optical and Electrical Response of Nanostructured III-V Solar Cells 2985**
868 Kristina Driscoll, Seth M. Hubbard
Rochester Institute of Technology, Rochester, NY, USA
- 2:45 **GaAs/ PBnDT-FTAZ Nanopillar Hybrid Solar Cells: Study of Effect of Passivation Agent on the Morphology and Performance N/A**
869 Ramesh babu Laghumavarapu¹, Michael Anthony Haddad¹, Liang Yan², Wei You², Diana L. Huffaker¹
¹*University of California, Los Angeles, CA, USA*, ²*University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, CA, USA*

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**Area 2: Polycrystalline Thin Films: Kesterites
(Orals)**

Chair(s): Katsumi Kushiya, Greg Hanket

- 1:30 **Kesterite Successes, Ongoing Work, and Challenges: A Perspective from Vacuum Deposition** N/A
870
Ingrid L. Repins¹, Manuel J. Romero¹, Glenn Teeter¹, Jian V. Li¹, Su-Huai Wei¹, Darius Kuciauskas¹, Carolyn L. Beall¹, Clay M. DeHart¹, Jonathan R. Mann¹, Wan-Ching Hsu², Alan C. Goodrich¹, Rommel Noufi¹
¹National Renewable Energy Lab, Golden, CO, USA, ²Department of Materials Science and Engineering, University of California, Los Angeles, CA, USA
- 2:00 **Effect of Composition on High-Efficiency CZTS_{Se} Devices Fabricated by Co-Sputtering of Compound Targets** 2990
871
Vardaan Chawla¹, Bruce Clemens²
¹AQT Solar, Sunnyvale, CA, USA, ²Stanford University, Stanford, CA, USA
- 2:15 **A Simple Solution-Based Route to High-Efficiency CZTS_{Se} Thin-Film Solar Cells** 2993
872
Qijie Guo, Yanyan Cao, Jonathan V. Caspar, William E. Farneth, Alex S. Ionkin, Lynda K. Johnson, Meijun Lu, Irina Malajovich, Daniela Radu, Kaushik Roy Choudhury, H David Rosenfeld, Wei Wu
The DuPont Company, Central Research and Development, Experimental Station, Wilmington, DE, USA
- 2:30 **Over 8% Efficiency Cu₂ZnSnS₄ Submodules with Ultrathin Absorber** 2997
873
Hiroki Sugimoto, Homare Hiroi, Noriyuki Sakai, Satoshi Muraoka, Takuya Katou
Solar Frontier K.K., Atsugi, Japan
- 2:45 **Device Characteristics of High-Performance Cu₂ZnSnS₄ Solar Cell** 3001
874
Okí Gunawan, Tayfun Gokmen, Byungha Shin, Supratik Guha
IBM T J Watson Research Center, Yorktown Heights, NY, USA

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**Area 3: III-V's and Concentrators: High-Efficiency
Cells (Orals)**

Chair(s): Dan Aiken, Damien Buie

- 1:30 **Measuring IV Curves and Subcell**
875 **Photocurrents in the Presence of Luminescent
Coupling N/A**
Myles A. Steiner, John F. Geisz, Tom E. Moriarty,
Ryan M. France, William E. McMahon, Jerry M.
Olson, Sarah R. Kurtz, Daniel J. Friedman
*National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden,
CO, USA*
- 1:48 **Best Student Presentation Award**
876 **Finalist**
**Temperature Accelerated Life Test (ALT) on
III-V Concentrator Triple-Junction Solar Cells N/A**
Pilar Espinet-González¹, Carlos Algora¹, Jesús
Bautista¹, Neftalí Núñez^{1,2}, Manuel Vázquez^{1,2},
Kenji Araki³
¹*Institute of Solar Energy (IES), Technical
University of Madrid (UPM), Madrid, Spain,* ²*EUIT
de Telecomunicación, Universidad Politécnica de
Madrid, Madrid, Spain,* ³*Daido Steel Co., Nagoya,
Japan*
- 2:06 **Lattice-Matched Solar Cells with 40% Average**
877 **Efficiency in Pilot Production and a Roadmap
to 45% N/A**
Daniel J. Aiken, Pravin Patel, Fred Newman,
Edwin Dons
Emcore Corporation, Albuquerque, NM, USA
- 2:24 **Pushing Inverted Metamorphic Multijunction**
878 **Solar Cells Towards Higher Efficiency at
Realistic Operating Conditions N/A**
Ryan M. France, John F. Geisz, Myles A. Steiner,
Daniel J. Friedman, J. Scott Ward, Jerry M.
Olson, Waldo Olavarria, Michelle Young, Anna
Duda
*National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden,
CO, USA*
- 2:42 **Comparison of III-V Concentrator Multijunction**
879 **Solar Cells N/A**
Mingguo Liu, Geoffrey S. Kinsey, Aditya Nayak,
William Bagienski, Vahan Garboushian
Amonix Inc., Seal Beach, CA, USA

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**Area 4: Crystalline Silicon: Texture, Emitter, and
ARC (Orals)**

Chair(s): Joachim John

1:30 **Progress in N-type Si Solar Cell and Module Technology**
880 **for High Efficiency and Low Cost 3004**

L.J. Geerligs¹, I.G. Romijn¹, A.R. Burgers¹, A.W. Weeber¹, J.H. Bultman¹, Hongfang Wang², Fang Lang², Wenchao Zhao², Gaofei Li², Zhiyan Hu², Jingfeng Xiong², Ard Vlooswijk³
¹ECN Solar Energy, Petten, Netherlands, ²Yingli Solar, Baoding, China, ³Tempres Systems BV, Vaassen, Netherlands

2:00 **Crystalline Silicon Photovoltaic Solar Power :**
881 **Accelerating to Global Grid Parity N/A**

Charlie Gay
President, Applied Solar

2:15 **Etching Paste for Innovative Solar Cell**
882 **Applications N/A**

Mohamamdreza Nejati¹, Wen Zhang², Lun Huang²
¹GP Solar GmbH, Konstanz, Germany, ²Dongfang Electric (YiXing) MAGI Solar Power Technology Co., Ltd., Yixing Jiangsu, China

2:30 **Analysis of Cast Monocrystalline Ingot**
883 **Characteristics with Applications to Solar Cells 3009**

Brian C. Rounsaville, Ian Cooper, John K. Tate, Malka Kadish, Arnab Das, Ajeet Rohatgi
UCEP, Georgia Tech, Atlanta, GA, USA

2:45 **Immeasurably Low Surface Recombination**
884 **Velocity Passivated by Low Absorption Silicon Nitride on c-Si N/A**

Yimao Wan¹, Keith R. McIntosh², Andrew F. Thomson¹, Andres Cuevas¹
¹Research school of Engineering, Australian National University (ANU), Canberra ACT, Australia, ²PV Lighthouse, Coledale NSW, Australia

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Area 5: Thin-Film Silicon: Light Trapping in Solar Cells 2 (Orals)

Chair(s): Laura Sivec, AJM van Erven

- 1:30 **Light Harvesting Schemes for High-Efficiency Thin-Film Solar Cells 3015**
885
Matthieu Despeisse, Mathieu Boccard, Corsin Battaglia, Jordi Escarré, Karin Söderström, Laura Ding, Sylvain Nicolay, Jan-Willem Schüttauf, Simon Hänni, Gregory Bugnon, Michael Stuckelberger, Maximilien Bonnet-Eymard, Gaetano Parascandolo, Fanny Meillaud, Christophe Ballif
Institute of Microengineering (IMT), Ecole Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne (EPFL), Laboratory of Photovoltaics and Thin Film Electronics, Neuchatel, Switzerland
- 2:00 **Development of High-Efficiency Tandem Silicon Solar Cells on W-Textured Zinc Oxide-Coated Soda-Lime Glass Substrates 3020**
886
Yuki Moriya¹, Taweewat Krajangsang³, Porponth Sichanugrist¹, Makoto Konagai^{1,2}
¹*Department of Physical Electronics, Tokyo Institute of Technology, Tokyo, Japan,*
²*Photovoltaic Research Center (PVREC), Tokyo Institute of Technology, Tokyo, Japan,*
³*Solar Energy Technology Laboratory, National Electronics and Computer Technology Center, Pathumthani, Thailand*
- 2:15 **Quantification of Optical Deflection by Laser-Structured ZnO:Al N/A**
887
Marcel Berner, Marc Sämman, Ahmed Garamoun, Markus B. Schubert
Universität Stuttgart, Institut für Photovoltaik, Stuttgart, Germany
- 2:30 **Optical Modeling and Optimization of Flattened Light-Scattering Substrate for Thin-Film Silicon Solar Cells 3024**
888
Olindo Isabella¹, Hitoshi Sai², Michio Kondo², Miro Zeman¹
¹*Photovoltaic Materials and Devices Laboratory, Delft University of Technology, Delft, Netherlands,*
²*Research Center for Photovoltaic Technologies, National Institute of Advanced Industrial Science and Technology (AIST), Tsukuba, Japan*
- 2:45 **Lithographically-Definable Solar Cell Random Reflector Using Genetic Algorithm Optimization 3030**
889
Albert S. Lin¹, Sze-Ming Fu¹, Yan-Kai Chung²
¹*Institute of Electronic Engineering, National Chiao-Tung University, Hsinchu, Taiwan,*
²*Department of Electro-Physics, National Chiao-Tung University, Hsinchu, Taiwan*

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Area 6: Organic Photovoltaics: New Organic and Interface Materials (Orals)

Chair(s): Erin Ratcliff, Ivgenny Katz

1:30 **Wrinkles and Folds as Photonic Structures in**
890 **Polymer Photovoltaics N/A**

Y.-L. Loo
Princeton University, Princeton, NJ, USA

2:00 **Best Student Presentation Award**
891 **Finalist**

Efficiency Limitations in Organic Bulk Heterojunction Solar Cells 3035
Kejia Li^{1,3}, Lijun Li^{1,3}, Petr P. Khlyabich^{2,3}, Beate Burkhart^{2,3}, Barry C. Thompson^{2,3}, Joe C. Campbell^{1,3}
¹*University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA, USA,*
²*University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, USA,* ³*Center for Energy Nanoscience at University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA, USA*

2:15 **Recombination Barrier Layers in Solid-State**
892 **Quantum Dot-Sensitized Solar Cells 3040**

Katherine E. Roelofs¹, Thomas P. Brennan², Juan C. Dominguez², Stacey F. Bent²
¹*Department of Materials Science and Engineering, Stanford University, Stanford, CA, USA,* ²*Department of Chemical Engineering, Stanford University, Stanford, CA, USA*

2:30 **Electrical Study on Effects of 2-D Plasmonic**
893 **Grating on Organic Solar Cells N/A**

Wei E.I. Sha¹, Wallace C.H. Choy¹, Weng Cho Chew^{1,2}
¹*Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering, the University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong, Hong Kong,* ²*Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, Champaign, IL, USA*

2:45 **Thermally-Induced Morphological Changes in**
894 **PAT/PCBM Bulk Heterojunctions Studied by Time-Resolved Small- and Wide-Angle X-ray Scattering 3044**

Soo Kim¹, Eun Ji Lee², Jong Kwan Lee¹, Kwang Hee Lee², Michael H.-C. Jin¹
¹*Department of Materials Science and Engineering, University of Texas, Arlington, TX, USA,* ²*Department of Polymer Science and Engineering, Inha University, Incheon, South Korea*

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**Area 9: Modules and Systems: PV Performance
Modeling Collaborative (Orals)**

Chair(s): Dan Riley, Ben Bourne

- 1:30 **The Photovoltaic Performance Modeling Collaborative 3048**
895 Joshua S. Stein
Sandia National Laboratories, Albuquerque, NM, USA
- 1:45 **What Must Project Developers and Technology Providers Do to Support Performance Estimates During Project Development? 3053**
896 Evan Riley
Black & Veatch, San Francisco, CA, USA
- 2:00 **Solar Input Data for PV Performance Modeling 3056**
897 Marie A. Schnitzer, Christopher C. Thuman, Peter N. Johnson, Janine M. Freeman
AWS Truepower, LLC, Albany, NY, USA
- 2:15 **PV Technology Differences and Discrepancies in Modeling Between Simulation Programs and Measurements 3061**
898 Steve J. Ransome
srl, London, United Kingdom
- 2:30 **Calibration of the Sandia Array Performance Model Using Indoor Measurements 3067**
899 Clifford W. Hansen¹, Daniel M. Riley¹, Manuel Jaramillo²
¹Sandia National Laboratories, Albuquerque, NM, USA, ²CFV Solar Test Laboratory, Inc., Albuquerque, NM, USA
- 2:45 **Thermal Modeling Accuracy of Hourly Averaged Data for Large Free-Field Cadmium Telluride PV Arrays N/A**
900 William J. Hayes, Alex F. Panchula
First Solar, Inc., San Francisco, CA, USA

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**Area 1: Fundamentals and New Concepts: Novel
Materials 1 (Orals)**

Chair(s): Ryne P. Raffaele, Alex Freudlich

- 3:30 **Intermediate-Band to Conduction-Band Optical**
901 **Absorption in ZnTeO N/A**
Elisa Antolin^{1,2}, Iñigo Ramiro¹, Esther Lopez¹,
Estela Hernandez¹, Irene Artacho¹, Cesar Tablero¹,
Antonio Marti¹, Antonio Luque¹, Chihyu Chen³,
Justin Foley³, Jamie D. Phillips³
*¹Instituto de Energia Solar, Universidad
Politecnica de Madrid, Madrid, Spain, ²Instituto de
Microelectronica de Madrid, Consejo Superior de
Investigaciones Cientificas, Tres Cantos, Madrid,
Spain, ³Department of Electrical Engineering and
Computer Science, University of Michigan, Ann
Arbor, MI, USA*
- 4:00 **A Highly Efficient Hybrid CdS-GaAs Solar Cell** 3073
902 Hsin Chu Chen¹, Chien Chung Lin², Yu Lin Tsai¹,
Hau Vei Han¹, PeiChen Yu¹, Hao Chung Kuo¹
*¹Department of Photonic & Institute of Electro-
Optical Engineering, National Chiao Tung University,
Hsinchu, Taiwan, ²Institute of Photonic System,
National Chiao Tung University, Tainan, Taiwan*
- 4:15 **Heterogeneous Integration of InGaN and Silicon**
903 **Solar Cells for Enhanced Energy Harvesting** 3076
Naresh C Das¹, Meredith Reed¹, Mike Wraback¹,
Anand Sampath¹, Paul Shen¹, Robert Farrell², M.
Iza², S.C. Cruz², J.R. Lang², N.G. Young², Y. Terao²,
C.J. Neufeld³, S. Keller³, S Nakamura^{2,3}, U.K.
Mishra³, James Speck²
*¹Army Research Laboratory, Adelphi, MD, USA,
²Material Science Department, Santa Barbara, CA,
USA, ³Electrical Engineering Department, Santa
Barbara, CA, USA*
- 4:30 **High-Performance Patterned Arrays of Core-**
904 **Shell GaAs Nanopillar Solar Cells with *In Situ***
InGaP Passivation Layer 3080
Giacomo Mariani¹, Adam Scofield¹, Diana
Huffaker^{1,2}
*¹University of California, Los Angeles, Los Angeles,
CA, USA, ²California Nanosystem Institute, Los
Angeles, CA, USA*
- 4:45 **Fabrication and Modeling of Large-Scale Silicon**
905 **Nanowire Solar Cells for Thin-Film Photovoltaics** 3083
Yu-Chih Cheng¹, Ting-Gang Chen¹, Feng-Yu
Chang¹, Bo-Yu Huang¹, Huai-Te Pan¹, Peichen Yu¹,
Chi-Kang Li², Yuh-Renn Wu²
*¹Department of Photonic & Institute of Electro-
Optical Engineering, National Chiao Tung University,
Hsinchu, Taiwan, ²Graduate Institute of Photonics
and Optoelectronics, National Taiwan University,
Taipei, Taiwan*

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Area 2: Polycrystalline Thin Films: CIGS Absorber Processing (Orals)

Chair(s): Gregory Wilson, Shogo Ishizuka

- 3:30 **Hybrid Sputtering/Evaporation Deposition of**
906 **Cu(In,Ga)Se₂ Thin-Film Solar Cells 3087**
Maurizio Acciarri¹, Simona Binetti¹, Alessia Le Donne¹, Bruno Vodopivec¹, Leo Miglio¹, Stefano Marchionna², Maurilio Meschia², Raffaele Moneta²
¹Dip. of Material Science and Solar Energy Research Center, University of Milan-Bicocca, Milan, Italy, ²Voltasolar s.r.l, Turate (Co), Italy
- 3:45 **Three-Step H₂Se/Ar/H₂S Reaction of Metal**
907 **Precursors for Large-Area Cu(In,Ga)(Se,S)₂ with Uniform Ga Distribution N/A**
Kihwan Kim, Evan L. Kimberly, Andrew Damiani, Gregory M. Hanket, William N. Shafarman
University of Delaware, Newark, DE, USA
- 4:00 **Advances in Electroplating-Based CIGS Solar**
908 **Cell Fabrication 3092**
Serdar Aksu, Sarah Lastella, Shirish Pethe, Alan Kleiman-Shwarsstein, Sambhu Kundu, Mustafa Pinarbasi
SoloPower, Inc., San Jose, CA, USA
- 4:15 **Structural and Electronic Characteristics**
909 **of Cu(In,Ga)Se₂ Thin Films Sputtered from Quaternary Targets 3098**
Jesse A. Frantz¹, Robel Y. Bekele², Jason D. Myers¹, Vinh Q. Nguyen¹, Jasbinder S. Sanghera¹, Sergey I. Maximenko¹, Maria Gonzalez³, Joseph G. Tischler¹, Robert J. Walters¹, Marina S. Leite^{4,5}, Allan Bruce⁶, Sergey V. Frolov⁶, Michael Cyrus⁶
¹U.S. Naval Research Laboratory, Washington, DC, USA, ²University Research Foundation, Greenbelt, MD, USA, ³Sotera Defense Solutions, Crofton, MD, USA, ⁴CNST, National Institute for Standards and Technology, Gaithersburg, MD, USA, ⁵Maryland Nanocenter, University of Maryland, College Park, MD, USA, ⁶Sunlight Photonics Inc., South Plainfield, NJ, USA
- 4:30 **High-Efficiency CIGSe Solar Cells by**
910 **Sputtered Cu(In,Ga) Followed by Selenization 3102**
Haifan Liang, Wei Liu, Sang Lee, Jeroen van Duren, Tim Franklin, Michael Patten, Sandeep Nijhawan
Intermolecular Inc., San Jose, CA, USA
- 4:45 **Fabrication of Selenized/Sulfurized Cu(in,Ga)**
911 **(Se,S)₂ Solar Cells Based on High-Temperature Process Using High-Strain-Point Glass Substrate 3108**
Reo Usui, Takeshi Tomizawa, Takeshi Okato, Hidehumi Odaka
Asahi Glass Co, Ltd., Yokohama, Kanagawa, Japan

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**Area 4: Crystalline Silicon: Discussion and Harumph
(Workshop)**

Chair(s): Nathan Stoddard, Zhigang Rick Li



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Area 5: Thin-Film Silicon: Fundamentals and Defects in Solar Cells (Orals)

Chair(s): David Young, Nicolas Podraza

3:30 **Best Student Presentation Award Finalist**

912 **The Relation Between Vacancies and the Dominant Defects in Hydrogenated Amorphous Silicon N/A**

Jimmy Melskens¹, Arno H.M. Smets¹, Stephan W.H. Eijt², Henk Schut³, Miro Zeman¹

¹Photovoltaic Materials and Devices, Faculty of Electrical Engineering, Mathematics and Computer Science, Delft University of Technology, Delft, Netherlands, ²Fundamental Aspects of Materials and Energy, Faculty of Applied Sciences, Delft University of Technology, Delft, Netherlands, ³Neutron and Positron Methods in Materials, Faculty of Applied Sciences, Delft University of Technology, Delft, Netherlands

4:00 **Best Student Presentation Award Finalist**

913 **Valence Band Alignment of the ZnO:Al/a-Si:B Interface: Unraveling the Electronic Structure of a Poorly Performing Contact N/A**

D. Gerlach¹, D. Wippler², R.G. Wilks¹, M. Wimmer¹, M. Lozach³, S. Ueda³, H. Yoshikawa⁴, M. Sumiya³, K. Kobayashi³, J. Hüpkens², M. Bär¹

¹Helmholtz-Zentrum Berlin, Berlin, Germany,

²Forschungszentrum Jülich, Jülich, Germany,

³National Institute for Materials Science, Hyogo,

Japan, ⁴NIMS Beamline Station, SPring-8, Tsukuba, Japan

4:15 **Infrared Dielectric Functions of Hydrogenated**

914 **Amorphous Silicon Thin Films Determined by Spectroscopic Ellipsometry 3112**

David B. Saint John¹, Haoting Shen¹, Hang-Beum Shin², Thomas N. Jackson², Nikolas J. Podraza³

¹Department of Materials Science and Engineering, University Park, PA, USA, ²Department of Electrical Engineering, University Park, PA, USA, ³Department of Physics and Astronomy, Toledo, OH, USA

4:30 **Identification of Defects in Thin-Film Solar Cells for New-Generation Energy Devices 3118**

Yohko Naruse, Mitsuhiro Matsumoto, Takeyuki Sekimoto, Mitsuoki Hishida, Youichirou Aya, Wataru Shinohara, Atsushi Fukushima, Shigeo Yata, Akira Terakawa, Masahiro Iseki, Makoto Tanaka
Panasonic Corporation, Gifu, Japan

4:45 **Hydrogenation of Dislocation-Limited Heteroepitaxial Silicon Solar Cells 3124**

Michael L. Bolen¹, Sachit Grover¹, Charles W. Teplin¹, David Bobela², Howard M. Branz¹, Paul Stradins¹

¹National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden, CO, USA, ²Ampulse Corporation, Golden, CO, USA

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**Area 6: Organic Photovoltaics: Device Concepts
(Orals)**

Chair(s): Dana Olson, Barry Rand

- 3:30 **Modeling Low-Cost Hybrid Tandem**
917 **Photovoltaics with Power Conversion**
Efficiencies Exceeding 20% 3129
Michael D. McGehee, Zach M. Bailey
Stanford University, Department of Materials
Science and Engineering, Stanford, CA, USA
- 4:00 **OPV Technology Flow Accelerates from the**
918 **Laboratory to the Customer N/A**
James Buntaine
Konarka Technologies, Inc., Lowell, MA, USA
- 4:15 **Guided-Mode Absorption in Ultrathin Organic**
919 **Photovoltaics 3131**
Yutong Pang^{1,2}, Nanditha Dissanayake², Matthew
D. Eisaman^{1,2}
¹*Stony Brook University, Stony Brook, NY, USA,*
²*Brookhaven National Laboratory, Upton, NY, USA*
- 4:30 **Large-Area CVD Graphene as Transparent**
920 **Electrode for Efficient Organic Solar Cells 3137**
Golap Kalita¹, Masaki Tanemura², Koichi Wakita¹,
Masayoshi Umeno¹
¹*Department of Electronics and Information*
Engineering, Chubu University, Kasugai, Japan,
²*Department of Frontier Materials, Nagoya*
Institute of Technology, Nagoya, Japan
- 4:45 **Best Student Presentation Award**
921 **Finalist**
Fabrication and Device Modeling of Micro-
Textured Conductive Polymer/Silicon
Heterojunction Solar Cells 3142
Ting-Gang Chen¹, Bo-Yu Huang¹, Yang-Yue
Huang¹, En-Chen Chen², Peichen Yu¹, Hsin-Fei
Meng²
¹*Department of Photonics and Institute of*
Electro-Optical Engineering, National Chiao Tung
University, Hsinchu, Taiwan, ²Institute of Physics,
National Chiao Tung University, Hsinchu, Taiwan

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**Area 7: Space Technologies: High Performance PV
for Space Applications (Orals)**

Chair(s): Steve Taylor, Mitsuru Imazumi

- 3:30 **Initial Results of the Monolithically-Grown Six-
922 Junction Inverted Metamorphic Multijunction
Solar Cell N/A**
Pravin M. Patel, Daniel Aiken, Daniel Chumney,
Arthur Cornfeld, Yong Lin, Chelsea Mackos, Jim
McCarty, Nathaniel Miller, Paul Sharps, Mark Stan
EMCORE Corporation, Albuquerque, NM, USA
- 4:00 **Recent Progress of Spectrolab High-Efficiency
923 Space Solar Cells 3146**
Daniel C. Law, X.Q. Liu, J.C. Boisvert, E.M.
Rehder, C.M. Fetzer, S. Mesropian, R.R King, K.E
Edmondson, B. Jun, R.L. Woo, D.D. Krut, P.T.
Chiu, D.M. Bhusari, S.K. Sharma, N.H. Karam
*Spectrolab Inc, a wholly owned subsidiary of
Boeing, Sylmar, CA, USA*
- 4:15 **Best Student Presentation Award
924 Finalist**
**Superior Radiation and Dislocation Tolerance
of IMM Space Solar Cells 3150**
Akhil Mehrotra, Alex Freundlich
*Center for Advanced Materials, University of
Houston, Houston, TX, USA*
- 4:30 **The One-per-Wafer ZTJ Solar Cell from
925 Emcore- Confidence Testing and Volume
Manufacturing Performance 3155**
Benjamin Cho, Michael Winter, Ian Aeby, Pravin
Patel, Navid Fatemi, Paul Sharps
Emcore Photovoltaics, Albuquerque, NM, USA
- 4:45 **Best Student Presentation Award
926 Finalist**
**Characterization of InGaP Heterojunction
Emitter Quantum Dot Solar Cells 3158**
Zachary S. Bittner¹, Christopher G. Bailey²,
Stephen J. Polly¹, David V. Forbes¹, Seth M.
Hubbard¹
*¹Rochester Institute of Technology, Rochester,
NY, USA, ²U.S. Naval Research Laboratory,
Washington, DC, USA*

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**Area 9: Modules and Systems: Module Materials,
Durability, and Performance 2 (Orals)**

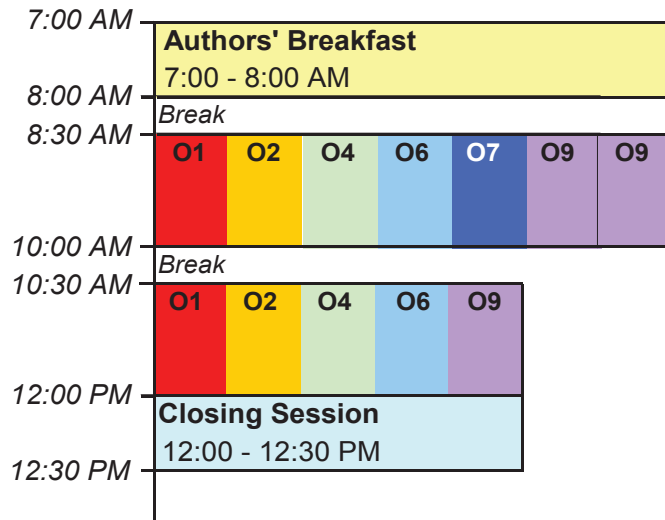
Chair(s): Wilfried van Sark, Howard O Barikmo

- 3:30 **How Can We Make PV Modules Safer?** 3162
927 John H. Wohlgemuth, Sarah Kurtz
NREL, Golden, CO, USA
- 3:45 **I-V Curves from 300 Modules Deployed over**
928 **2-Years in Tucson** 3166
Emily S. Kopp¹, Patricia L. Hidalgo-Gonzalez²,
Adria E. Brooks^{3,4}, Vincent P. Lonij³, Alexander D.
Cronin^{1,3}
*¹University of Arizona, College of Optical
Sciences, Tucson, AZ, USA, ²Pontificia
Universidad Católica de Chile, Santiago, Chile,
³University of Arizona, Department of Physics,
Tucson, AZ, USA, ⁴Arizona Research Institute for
Solar Energy, Tucson, AZ, USA*
- 4:00 **Stress Analysis of Silicon-Wafer-Based**
929 **Photovoltaic Modules in Operation** 3172
Yixian Lee^{1,2}, Andrew A.O. Tay^{1,2}
*¹Solar Energy Research Institute of Singapore,
National University of Singapore, Singapore,
Singapore, ²Department of Mechanical
Engineering, National University of Singapore,
Singapore, Singapore*
- 4:15 **Optimized Module Design: A Study of**
930 **Encapsulation Losses and the Influence of**
Design Parameters on Module Performance 3178
Max B. Koentopp, Robert Seguin
Q-Cells SE, Bitterfeld-Wolfen, Germany
- 4:30 **NICE Modules Technology from Concept to**
931 **Mass Production: A 10-Year Review** 3183
Julien Dupuis¹, Etienne Saint-Sernin¹, Oleksiy
Nichiporuk¹, Paul Lefillastre², Denis Busser³,
Roland Einhaus¹
*¹Apollon Solar, Lyon, France, ²CEA INES, LMPV
Modules, Le Bourget du Lac, France, ³Vincent
Industrie, Brignais, France*
- 4:45 **New Module Efficiency Record: 23.5% Under**
932 **1-Sun Illumination Using Thin-Film Single-**
Junction GaAs Solar Cells 3187
Laila S. Mattos, Shawn R. Scully, Maria Syfu, Eric
Olson, Linlin Yang, Gang He
Alta Devices, Inc., Santa Clara, CA, USA

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Area 1: Fundamentals and New Concepts: Novel
Materials 2 (Orals)

Chair(s): Ryne P. Raffaele

- 8:30 **Analysis of Current Transport Mechanisms**
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Chemical Beam Epitaxy N/A
Boussairi Bouzazi, Nobuaki Kojima, Yoshio
Ohshita, Masafumi Yamaguchi
Toyota Technological Institute, Nagoya, Japan
- 9:00 **Thin, Free-Standing Cu₂O Substrates via**
934 **Thermal Oxidation for Photovoltaic Devices 3191**
Samantha S. Wilson, Chengxiang Xiang, Yulia
Tolstova, Harry A. Atwater
California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, CA,
USA
- 9:15 **High-Efficiency Quantum Dot Solar Cells**
935 **Using 2-Dimensional 6.4-nm-Diameter Si**
Nanodisk with SiC Interlayer 3195
Makoto Igarashi^{1,4}, Mohd Fairuz Budiman^{1,4},
Wugen Pan², Yusuke Hoshi², Weiguo Hu^{1,4}, Mohd
Erman Syazwan^{1,4}, Kentarou Sawano³, Noritaka
Usami², Seiji Samukawa^{1,4}
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Crystal Physics, Tohoku University, Sendai,
Japan, ³Research Center for Silicon Nano-
Science, Advanced Research Laboratories, Tokyo
City University, Tokyo, Japan, ⁴Japan Science and
Technology Agency, CREST, Tokyo, Japan
- 9:30 **Enhanced Carrier Extraction Under Strong**
936 **Light Irradiation in Ge/Si Type-II Quantum Dot**
Solar Cells 3200
Takeshi Tayagaki^{1,2}, Noritaka Usami³, Wugen
Pan³, Yusuke Hoshi³, Yoshihiko Kanemitsu¹
¹Kyoto University, Uji, Japan, ²PRESTO-JST,
Kawaguchi, Japan, ³Tohoku University, Sendai,
Japan
- 9:45 **Bandgap Engineering of ZnSnxGe1-xN2 Alloys**
937 **as Earth-Abundant Photovoltaic Absorber**
Materials 3204
Naomi C. Coronel¹, Lise Lahourcade¹, Kris T.
Delaney², Amanda M. Shing¹, Harry A. Atwater^{1,3}
¹Thomas J Watson Laboratories of Applied
Physics, Caltech, Pasadena, CA, USA, ²Materials
Research Laboratory, UCSB, Santa Barbara,
CA, USA, ³Kavli Nanoscience Institute, Caltech,
Pasadena, CA, USA

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& Devices (Orals)**

Chair(s): Markus Gloeckler, Ayodhya Tiwari

- 8:30 **Development of Substrate Structure CdTe**
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Ramesh G. Dhere, Joel N. Duenow, Clay M.
DeHart, Jian V. Li, Darius Kuciauskas, Timothy A.
Gessert
*National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden,
CO, USA*
- 8:45 **Response of CdS/CdTe Devices to Te**
939 **Additions at Back Contact 3212**
Timothy A. Gessert, James Burst, Jie Ma, Darius
Kuciauskas, Teresa Barnes, William Rance
*National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden,
CO, USA*
- 9:00 **High-Resolution Local-Current Measurement**
940 **of CdTe Solar Cells 3217**
Heayoung P. Yoon^{1,3}, Dmitry Ruzmetov^{1,3}, Paul
M. Haney¹, Marina S. Leite^{1,3}, Behrang H.
Hamadani¹, Alec Talin¹, Nikolai B. Zhitenev¹
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National Institute of Standards and Technology,
Gaithersburg, MD, USA, ²Energy and
Environment Division, Engineering Laboratory,
National Institute of Science and Technology,
Gaithersburg, MD, USA, ³Institute for Research
in Electronics and Applied Physics, University of
Maryland, College Park, MD, USA*
- 9:15 **Improved Performance of CdTe Solar Cells**
941 **Grown at High Temperatures on Specialty**
Glass 3220
Teresa M. Barnes¹, James Burst¹, Matthew O.
Reese¹, Will Rance¹, Timothy A. Gessert¹, Kan
Zhang², Kim M. Fuller², Charles T. Hamilton²,
Bruce Aitken², Carlo A. Kosik-Williams²
*¹National Renewable Energy Lab, Golden, CO,
USA, ²Corning, Inc, Corning, NY, USA*
- 9:30 **Oxygen Incorporation During Fabrication of**
942 **Substrate CdTe Photovoltaic Devices 3225**
Joel N. Duenow, Ramesh G. Dhere, Darius
Kuciauskas, Jian V. Li, Joel W. Pankow, Patricia
C. Dippo, Clay M. DeHart, Timothy A. Gessert
*National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden,
CO, USA*
- 9:45 **Device Characteristics of a 17.1%-Efficient**
943 **Solar Cell Deposited by Non-Vacuum Printing**
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Gregory Brown, Peter Stone, Jacob Woodruff,
Ben Cardozo, David Jackrel
Nanosolar, San Jose, CA, USA

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Chair(s): Roland Einhaus

- 8:30 **19% Efficiency Heterojunction Solar Cells**
944 **on Cz Wafers from Non-Blended Upgraded Metallurgical Silicon 3234**
J. Kraiem¹, P. Papet², J. Degoulange¹, O. Nichiporuk¹, Y. Andrault², D. Grosset-Bourbange³, F. Cocco³, R. Einhaus¹
¹Apollon Solar, Lyon, France, ²Roth & Rau, Neuchatel, Switzerland, ³FerroPem, Chambéry, France
- 9:00 **Fluidized Bed Silicon for Solar Cells N/A**
945 Paul Ege, Alireza Abbasi
Reactech, Markham, ON, Canada
- 9:15 **The Value Proposition for High Lifetime Silicon in Solar PV Applications 3238**
946 Alan C. Goodrich, Michael Woodhouse, Peter Hacke
NREL, Golden, CO, USA
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947 **Incomplete Ionization and Carrier Mobility in Compensated Silicon N/A**
Maxime Forster^{1,2,3}, Andres Cuevas², Fiacre Emile Rougieux², Erwann Fourmond³, Mustapha Lemiti³
¹APOLLON SOLAR, Lyon, France, ²The Australian National University, Canberra, Australia, ³INSA de Lyon, Lyon, France
- 9:45 **Light-Induced Degradation in Compensated mc-Si p-Type Solar Cells 3242**
948 Simone Bernardini¹, Desislava Saynova¹, Simona Binetti², Gianluca Coletti¹
¹ECN Solar Energy, Petten, Netherlands, ²Materials Science Departement, University of Milano-Bicocca, Milano, Italy

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**Area 6: Organic Photovoltaics: Lifetime Processing
and Reliability (Orals)**

Chair(s): Yang Yang, Neal Armstrong

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949 Yulia Galagan
Holst Centre, Eindhoven, Netherlands
- 9:00 **Low-Bandgap Organic Solar Cells with Enhanced Optical Properties by Embedded PEDOT:PSS Gratings N/A**
950 Xiaolong Zhu¹, Chuihui Duan², Wallace C.H. Choy¹, Fengxian Xie¹, Chuandao Wang¹, Fei Huang², Yong Cao²
¹Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering, the University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong, Hong Kong, ²Institute of Polymer Optoelectronic Materials and Devices, State Key Laboratory of Luminescent Materials and Devices, South China University of Technology, Guangzhou, China
- 9:15 **Accelerated Stability Testing of Organic Photovoltaics Using Concentrated Sunlight 3249**
951 Eugene A. Katz¹, Assaf Manor¹, Asaf Mescheloff¹, Thomas Tromholt², Frederik C. Krebs²
¹Dept. of Solar Energy and Environmental Physics, J. Blaustein Institutes for Desert Research, Ben-Gurion University of the Negev, Sede Boker, Israel, ²Risø National Lab., Technical University of Denmark, Roskilde, Denmark
- 9:30 **A Methodology to Characterize OPV Temperature, Humidity and Irradiation Degradation: Preliminary Results 3253**
952 Elsa Kam-Lum
Total New Energies USA, Lowell, MA, USA
- 9:45 **The Effect of Anneal, Solar Irradiation and Humidity on the Adhesion/Cohesion Properties of P3HT:PCBM-Based Inverted Polymer Solar Cells 3259**
953 Stephanie R. Dupont¹, Eszter Voroshazi^{2,3}, Paul Heremans^{2,3}, Reinhold H. Dauskardt¹
¹Stanford University, Stanford, CA, USA, ²Imec, Leuven, Belgium, ³Katholieke Universiteit Leuven, ESAT, Leuven, Belgium

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Space PV Technologies (Orals)**

Chair(s): Scott Billets, Claus Zimmerman

- 8:30 **Test Program of Multijunction GaAs/Ge**
954 **Solar Array Coupons with Combined Space
Environmental Exposures 3263**
Bao Hoang¹, Frankie Wong¹, Ron Corey¹, George
Gardiner¹, Victor Funderburk¹, Richard Gahart¹,
Todd Schneider², Jason Vaughn², Kenneth Wright³
¹Space Systems Loral, Palo Alto, CA, USA,
²NASA Marshall Space Flight Center, Huntsville,
AL, USA, ³University of Alabama, Huntsville,
Huntsville, AL, USA
- 8:45 **High-Irradiance High-Temperature Vacuum**
955 **Testing of the Solar Probe Plus Array Design 3269**
Andreea Boca, Philip Blumenfeld, Kevin Crist,
Karen De Zetter, Richard Mitchell, Benjamin
Richards, Charles Sarver, Paul Sharps, Mark
Stan, Cory Tourino
Emcore Photovoltaics, Albuquerque, NM, USA
- 9:00 **The Influence of High Temperatures on the**
956 **Radiation Behaviour of GaInP₂/GaInAs/Ge
Triple-Junction Cells N/A**
Christan Brandt¹, Carsten Baur², Antonio Caon²,
Peter Müller-Buschbaum³, Claus Zimmermann¹,
Thomas Andreev¹
¹EADS Astrium GmbH Satellites, Munich,
Germany, ²European Space Agency (ESA/
ESTEC), Noordwijk, Netherlands, ³TU-München,
Physik-Department, Lehrstuhl für Funktionelle
Materialien, Garching, Germany
- 9:15 **Selected On-Orbit Data from the FTSC II**
957 **Aboard the MISSE 7 Testbed 3275**
Alexander D. Howard¹, David M. Wilt¹, Phillip P.
Jenkins², Kelly M. Trautz², John M. Merrill¹
¹Air Force Research Laboratory Space Vehicles
Directorate, Kirtland AFB, NM, USA, ²US Naval
Research Laboratory, Washington, DC, USA
- 9:30 **Advancements to SCREAM: Multiple Spectrum**
958 **Input and ShieldDose Options 3281**
Scott R. Messenger, Eric A. Jackson, Jeffrey H.
Warner, Phillip P. Jenkins, Robert J. Walters
*US Naval Research Laboratory, Washington, DC,
USA*
- 9:45 **Solar Cell and Array Technology Development**
959 **for NASA Solar Electric Propulsion Missions 3287**
Michael F. Piszczor¹, Jeremiah S. McNatt¹,
Carolyn R. Mercer¹, Thomas W. Kerlake¹,
Richard S. Pappa²
¹NASA Glenn Research Center, Cleveland, OH,
USA, ²NASA Langley Research Center, Hampton,
VA, USA

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**Area 9: Modules and Systems: Irradiance Resources
(Orals)**

Chair(s): Steve Ransome, Joshua Stein

- 8:30 **Performance Testing Using Silicon Devices:**
960 **Analysis of Accuracy 3290**
Manajit Sengupta, Peter Gotseff, Daryl Myers,
Thomas Stoffel
*National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden,
CO, USA*
- 8:45 **Spectrally Selective Sensors for PV System**
961 **Performance Monitoring 3294**
Anton Driesse, Daniela Dirnberger, Nils Reich,
Christian Reise
Fraunhofer ISE, Freiburg, Germany
- 9:00 **Over-Irradiance (Cloud Enhancement) Events**
962 **at High Latitudes N/A**
Georgi Hristov Yordanov^{1,2}, Ole-Morten
Midtgård^{1,2}, Tor Oskar Saetre¹, Henrik Kofoed
Nielsen¹, Lars Einar Norum²
¹*University of Agder (UiA), Grimstad, Norway,*
²*Norwegian University of Science and Technology
(NTNU), Trondheim, Norway*
- 9:15 **Best Student Presentation Award**
963 **Finalist**
**PV Output Variability Modeling Using Satellite
Imagery and Neural Networks N/A**
Matthew J. Reno^{1,2}, Joshua S. Stein¹
¹*Sandia National Laboratories, Albuquerque, NM,
USA,* ²*Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta,
GA, USA*
- 9:30 **Best Student Presentation Award**
964 **Finalist**
**Analyzing and Simulating the Reduction
in PV Powerplant Output Variability Due to
Geographic Smoothing in Ota City, Japan
and Alamosa, Colorado N/A**
Matthew Lave, Joshua S. Stein, Abraham Ellis
*Sandia National Laboratories, Albuquerque,
NM, USA*
- 9:45 **Improving Forecasts of PV Power Output**
965 **Using Real-Time Measurements of PV Output
of 100 Residential PV Systems 3300**
Vincent P. Lonij¹, Vijai T. Jayadevan¹, Adria E.
Brooks¹, Kevin Koch², Mike Leuthold¹, Alexander
D. Cronin¹
¹*University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ, USA,*
²*Technicians for Sustainability, Tucson, AZ, USA*

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**Area 9: Modules and Systems: Off-Grid Applications
(Orals)**

Chair(s): Robert Foster, Vaughn Nelson

- 8:30 **Afghanistan Photovoltaic Power Applications**
966 **for Rural Development N/A**
Robert Foster^{1,2}, Alma D. Cota¹
¹Winrock International, Arlington, VA, USA, ²New Mexico State University, Las Cruces, NM, USA
- 9:00 **New Growth Markets for PV: Mini-Grids in**
967 **Developing Countries – Implications for PV**
Technology 3306
Andy Skumanich, Shannon Fulton
SolarVision Co, Los Gatos, CA, USA
- 9:15 **Remote Markets for Photovoltaic**
968 **Technologies, 1974 to Present and Ten-Year**
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Paula J. Mints
Navigant, Palo Alto, CA, USA
- 9:30 **Mobile Solar Power N/A**
969 Kelly M. Trautz¹, Phillip P. Jenkins¹, Robert
J. Walters¹, David A. Scheiman¹, Raymond
Hoheisel^{1,2}, Rao Tatavarti³, Ray Chan³, Haruki
Miyamoto³, Jessica Adams³, Victor Elarde³,
James L. Grimsley⁴
*¹US Naval Research Laboratory, Washington,
DC, USA, ²George Washington University,
Washington, DC, USA, ³MicroLink Devices, Inc.,
Niles, IL, USA, ⁴Design Intelligence Incorporated,
LLC, Norman, OK, USA*
- 9:45 **PV System Data Analysis of a PV-Powered**
970 **Racing Boat During the Frisian Solar**
Challenge 2010 3316
Tim Gorter¹, Ernst-Jan Voerman², Peter Joore^{2,3},
Angèle Reinders^{1,3}, Fred Van Houten¹
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Management, Enschede, Netherlands,
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Leeuwarden, Netherlands, ³Delft University
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Engineering, Delft, Netherlands*

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**Area 1: Fundamentals and New Concepts: Light
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Chair(s): Ryne P. Raffaele, Peichen Yu

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971 **Triple-Junction Solar Cells based on TiO₂**
Biomimetic Structures 3322
Kuo-Hsuan Hung¹, Ting-Gang Chen¹, Tung-Ting Yang¹, Peichen Yu¹, Chung-Yu Hong², Yu-Rue Wu², Guo-Chung Chi¹
¹Department of Photonics and Institute of Electro-Optical Engineering, National Chiao Tung University, Hsinchu, Taiwan, ²Arima Photovoltaic & Optical Corp, Taoyuan, Taiwan
- 11:00 **Configuration Optimization of a Nanosphere**
972 **Array on Top of a Thin-Film Solar Cell 3325**
Jonathan Grandidier, Dennis M. Callahan, Harry A. Atwater
Caltech, Pasadena, CA, USA
- 11:15 **Design and Demonstration of Light Trapping**
973 **for Ge:Si Solar Cell Below Si Solar Cell in a**
Multijunction Solar Cell System 3328
Yi Wang¹, Andrew Gerger², Anthony Lochtefeld², Robert Opila^{1,3}, Allen Barnett^{1,4}
¹Department of Electrical Engineering, University of Delaware, Newark, DE, USA, ²AmberWave, Inc., Salem, NH, USA, ³Department of Materials Science, University of Delaware, Newark, DE, USA, ⁴School of Photovoltaic and Renewable Energy Engineering, The University of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia
- 11:30 **Flexible Luminescent Solar Concentrators**
974 **Utilizing Bio-Derived Tandem Fluorophores 3333**
Martyn Fisher¹, Daniel Farrell¹, Kelly Trautz², Maria González², Robert Walters², Christian Ippen³, Andreas Büchtemann³, John Morseman⁴, Amanda Chatten¹
¹Imperial College London, London, United Kingdom, ²Naval Research Laboratory, Washington, DC, USA, ³Fraunhofer Institute for Applied Polymer Research, Potsdam, Germany, ⁴Columbia Biosciences, Washington, DC, USA
- 11:45 **Broadband Nanostructured Antireflection**
975 **Coating on Glass for Photovoltaic**
Applications 3339
Roger Welsler¹, Xing Yan², David Poxson², Adam Sood¹, Jaehee Cho², Ashok Sood¹, Jennifer Harvey³, E. Fred Schubert²
¹Magnolia Solar, Albany, NY, USA, ²Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, NY, USA, ³NYSERDA, Albany, NY, USA

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**Area 2: Polycrystalline Thin Films: CIGS Processing
& Devices (Orals)**

Chair(s): Ingrid Repins, Chris Ferekides

- 10:30 **Roadmap for Manufacturing Cost-Competitive CIGS Modules** 3343
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Vijay Kapur, Vincent Kapur, Ashish Bansal, Steve Roth
International Solar Electric Technology Inc. (ISET), Chatsworth, CA, USA
- 10:45 **Why Are Cu-Rich CIS Solar Cells Not Living Up to Their Promises?** N/A
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Valérie Depredurand¹, Daisuke Tanaka^{1,2}, Yasuhiro Aida², Nicole Fevre¹, Susanne Siebentritt¹
¹*University of Luxembourg - LPV, Belval, Luxembourg*, ²*TDK Corporation, Ichikawa, Japan*
- 11:00 **Rapid Two-Step Selenization Growth of Cu(In,Ga)Se₂ Thin Films** N/A
978
Shogo Ishizuka^{1,2}, Lorelle M. Mansfield¹, Clay DeHart¹, Marty Scott¹, Bobby To¹, Matthew R. Young¹, Rommel Noufi¹
¹*National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden, CO, USA*, ²*National Institute of Advanced Industrial Science and Technology (AIST), Tsukuba, Japan*
- 11:15 **Best Student Presentation Award Finalist**
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High-Efficiency Ultrathin Cu(In,Ga)(Se,S)₂ Solar Cells by Three-Step H₂Se/Ar/H₂S Reaction of Cu-In-Ga Metal Precursor N/A
Kihwan Kim¹, Hyeonwook Park², Woo Kyoung Kim², Gregory M. Hanket¹, William N. Shafarman¹
¹*University of Delaware, Newark, DE, USA*, ²*Yeungnam University, Gyeongsan, South Korea*
- 11:30 **A Comparative Study of the Defect Point Physics and Luminescence of the Kesterites Cu₂ZnSnS₄ and Cu₂ZnSnSe₄ and Their Related Chalcopyrites Cu(In,Ga)S₂ and Cu(In,Ga)Se₂** 3349
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Manuel Romero¹, Ingrid Repins¹, Glenn Teeter¹, Miguel Contreras¹, Thomas Unold², Jo Klaer², Mowafak Al-Jassim¹, Rommel Noufi¹
¹*National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden, CO, USA*, ²*Helmoltz Zentrum Berlin für Materialien und Energie, Berlin, Germany*
- 11:45 **Influence of the Ga Content on the Optical and electrical Properties of CuIn_{1-x}Ga_xSe₂ Thin-Film Solar Cells** N/A
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Zhenhao Zhang^{1,2}, Wolfram Witte³, Oliver Kiowski³, Uli Lemmer¹, Michael Powalla^{1,3}, Hendrik Hölscher²
¹*Light Technology Institute, Karlsruhe Institute of Technology (KIT), Karlsruhe, Germany*, ²*Institute of Microstructure Technology, Karlsruhe Institute of Technology (KIT), Karlsruhe, Germany*, ³*Zentrum für Sonnenenergie- und Wasserstoff-Forschung Baden-Württemberg (ZSW), Stuttgart, Germany*

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Area 4: Crystalline Silicon: Metallization (Orals)

Chair(s): Zhigang Rick Li

- 10:30 **Silver Metallization for Crystalline Silicon**
982 **Cells N/A**
Weiming Zhang
Heraeus Precious Metals North America
Conshohocken LLC, Conshohocken, PA, USA
- 10:45 **Formation of Very Low Resistance Contact for**
983 **Silicon Photovoltaic Cells 3354**
Baomin Xu, Scott Limb, Alexandra Rodkin, Eric
Shrader, Sean Garner
Palo Alto Research Center, Palo Alto, CA, USA
- 11:00 **Low Resistance Screen-Printed Ag Contacts**
984 **to POCl_3 Emitters with Low Saturation Current**
Density for High-Efficiency Si Solar Cells 3359
Ian B. Cooper¹, Keith Tate¹, Alan F. Carroll², Kurt
R. Mikeska³, Ajeet Rohatgi¹
¹*Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, GA,*
USA, ²*DuPont Microcircuit Materials, Research*
Triangle Park, NC, USA, ³*Dupont Central*
Research & Development, Wilmington, DE, USA
- 11:15 **The Effect of Front-Side Ag Metallization on**
985 **Underlying n^+p Junction in Multicrystalline Si**
Solar Cells 3365
Chun-Sheng Jiang, Helio R. Moutinho, Mowafak
M. Al-Jassim
National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden,
CO, USA
- 11:30 **19.6% Cast Mono MWT Solar Cells and 268W**
986 **Modules N/A**
Weiwei Yin, Feng Zhang, Xusheng Wang,
Lingjun Zhang
Canadian Solar Inc., Suzhou, China
- 11:45 **Integration of High Sheet Resistance Front**
987 **Homogeneous Emitter in a Process Flow for**
PERI-Type Solar Cells with Cu Contacts 3371
Michel Ngamo¹, Loic Tous², Emanuele
Cornagliotti², Jorg Horzel², Tom Janssens²,
Richard Russell², Jeff Poortmans², Benoit
Lombardet¹
¹*TOTAL Gas & Power, Paris la défense, France,*
²*imec vzw, Leuven, Belgium*

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Area 6: Organic Photovoltaics: OPV Modeling and Inorganic Hybrids (Orals)

Chair(s): Darin Laird, Barry Rand

- 10:30 **Understanding Energy Level Alignment in**
988 **PCDTBT:PC₇₀BM Solar Cells 3377**
Erin L. Ratcliff¹, Andres Garcia², Sarah R. Cowan², Jens Meyer³, K. Xerxes Steirer¹, Sergio A. Paniagua⁴, Anthony Giorando⁴, Seth Marder⁴, Neal R. Armstrong¹, Antoine Kahn³, David Ginley², Dana C. Olson²
¹University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ, USA, ²National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden, CO, USA, ³Princeton University, Princeton, NJ, USA, ⁴Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, GA, USA
- 11:00 **Understanding the Origin of Free-Carrier**
989 **Generation in Organic Photovoltaic Devices N/A**
Garry Rumbles^{1,2}, Obadiah Reid¹, David Coffey², Nikos Kopidakis¹
¹National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden, CO, USA, ²University of Colorado, Boulder, CO, USA
- 11:30 **Plasmonic Au Nanoparticles Integration**
990 **into All Polymer Layers for Improving the Efficiency of Organic Solar Cells N/A**
Wallace C.H. Choy, Charlie C.D. Wang, Dixon D.S. Fung, Wei E.I. Sha, Feng-Xian Xie
Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering, the University of Hong Kong, Hong Kong, Hong Kong
- 11:45 **Optimizing Bulk Heterojunctions of Organic**
991 **Solar Cells via Multi-Scale Simulation N/A**
Fanan Wei¹, Lianqing Liu², Zaili Dong², Guangyong Li¹
¹University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA, USA, ²Shenyang Institute of Automation, Chinese Academy of Sciences, Shenyang, China

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**Area 9: Modules and Systems: Performance
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Chair(s): Bruce King, Rhonda Bailey

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992 **Finalist**
**Experimental Characterization of a
Thermoelectrical Model of Photovoltaic
Modules 3380**
Sharif Z. Aljoaba, Aaron M. Cramer, Bruce L.
Walcott
*Department of Electrical and Computer
Engineering, University of Kentucky, Lexington,
KY, USA*
- 10:45 **Prediction of Energy Effects on Photovoltaic**
993 **Systems Due to Snowfall Events 3386**
Rob Andrews¹, Joshua M. Pearce²
*¹Department of Mechanical and Materials
Engineering Queen's University, Kingston, ON,
Canada, ²Department of Materials Science &
Engineering and Department of Electrical &
Computer Engineering, Michigan Technological
University, Houghton, MI, USA*
- 11:00 **Beyond the Module Model and into the Array:**
994 **Mismatch in Series Strings 3392**
Sara MacAlpine, Michael Brandemuehl, Robert
Erickson
University of Colorado, Boulder, CO, USA
- 11:15 **Direct Monitoring of Energy Lost Due to**
995 **Soiling on First Solar Modules in California N/A**
Riley Caron, Bodo Littmann
First Solar, San Francisco, CA, USA
- 11:30 **Soiling Correction Model for Long-Term**
996 **Energy Prediction in Photovoltaic Modules 3397**
Hassan Qasem, Tom Betts, Ralph Gottschalg
*Centre for Renewable Energy Systems
Technology (CREST), School of Electronic,
Electrical and System Engineering,
Loughborough University, Loughborough, United
Kingdom*
- 11:45 **Influence of Atmospheric Variations on**
997 **Photovoltaic Performance and Modeling Their
Effects for Days with Clear Skies 3402**
Bill Marion
*National Renewable Energy Laboratory, Golden,
CO, USA*

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