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## The 27th International Symposium on Space Terahertz Technology

April 12-15, 2016, Nanjing, China

#### **Program**

#### Tuesday, April 12, 2016

14:00-20:30 Registration

18:30-20:30 Reception

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#### Wednesday, April 13, 2016

8:00-8:30 Registration

8:30-8:40 Welcome & Opening Remarks

#### 8:40-10:10 W1 Session: THz Projects & Instruments (I)

(Chair: Heinz-Wilhelm Hübers)

8:40	ALMA - Scientific Results and Future Developments (Invited) Tetsuo Hasegawa ( <i>National Astronomical Observatory of Japan</i> )
9:10	The Far-Infrared Spectroscopic Explorer (FIRSPEX): Probing the Life- Cycle of the Interstellar Medium in the Universe GhassanYassin ( <i>University of Oxford</i> )
9:30	CMB Polarization Experiment "GroundBIRD" ChikoOtani ( <i>RIKEN Center for Advanced Photonics</i> )
9:50	First Flight of the PILOT Balloon Borne Experiment

FrancoisPajot(Institut de Recherche en Astrophysique et Planetologie)

#### 10:10-10:40 Coffee Break

#### 10:40-12:20 W2 Session: THz Mixers& Detectors (I)

(Chair: Jonathan Kawamura)

10:40 (3) HEB Waveguide Mixers for the upGREAT4.7 THz Heterodyne Receiver Array PatrickPüetz (University of Cologne) 11:00 (3) Study of IF bandwidth of NbN Hot Electron Bolometers on GaNBuffer Layer using a Direct Measurement Method Sascha Krause (*Chalmers University of Technology*) 11:20 THz Sensors Based on Superconducting MgB2 BorisKarasik (Jet Propulsion Laboratory) 11:40 MgB2 HEB Mixers at Operation Temperatures above Liquid Helium Temperature EvgeniiNovoselov (Chalmers University of Technology) 12:00 Experimental Studies of IF impedance of MgB2 HEB Mixers at Various Bias Conditions and Operation Temperatures

#### 12:20-14:00 Lunch Break

#### 14:00-16:00 W3 Session: THz Receivers

(Chair: Valery Koshelets)

Sergey Cherednichenko (Chalmers University of Technology)

14:00	1.9 THz 4-Pixel Heterodyne Array Receiver Jonathan Kawamura ( <i>Jet Propulsion Laboratory</i> )
14:20	TheupGREAT THz Arrays for SOFIA: Successful Commissioning at 1.9 THz
	NettyHoningh( <i>University of Cologne</i> )

14:40 (4) 7 Pixels Prototype for a 230 GHz Multi-beam Receiver Doris Maier (Institut de Radioastronomie Millimetrique) 15:00 Ultra Low Noise 600/1200 GHz and 874 GHz GaAsSchottky Receivers for SWI and ISMAR Peter Sobis (Omnisys Instruments AB) 15:20 (3) 1200GHz and 600GHz SchottkyReceivers for JUICE-SWI Alain Maestrini (Observatoire de Paris) 15:40 874-GHz HeterodyneCubesat Receiver for Cloud Ice Measurements-Flight Model Data EricBryerton (Virginia Diodes, Inc.) 16:00-16:30 Coffee Break 16:30-18:30 W4 Session: THz Mixers &Detectors (II) (Chair: Boris Karasik) 16:30 Ultra-low Noise TES bolometer Arrays for SAFARI Instrument on **SPICA** PouryaKhosropanah (SRON Netherlands Institute for Space Research) 16:50 Readout of a 160 Pixel FDM System for SAFARI TES Arrays RichardHijmering (SRON Netherlands Institute for Space Research) 17:10 TheSpaceKIDsProject: Development of Kinetic Inductance Detector Arrays for Space Applications Pete Barry (Cardiff University) 17:30 Terahertz Superconducting Imaging Array (TeSIA) ShengCaiShi (*Purple Mountain Observatory*) 17:50 Frequency Division Multiplexing with Superconducting Tunnel Junctions as Rectifiers and Frequency Mixers

Gerhard de Lange (SRON Netherlands Institute for Space Research)

### 18:10 (4) A 230 GHz Finline SIS Receiver with Wide IF Bandwidth John Garrett (*University of Oxford*)

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Thursday, April 14, 2016

#### 8:30-10:20 T1 Session: THz Projects & Instruments (II)

(Chair: Tetsuo Hasegawa)

Beyond Herschel: Key Scientific Requirements for Future Far Infrared Facilities (Invited)
 Matt Griffin (*Cardiff University*)
 Millimetron Space Observatory as a Scientific Instrument with Excellent Astronomical Capabilities

Andrey Smirnov (The Lebedev Physical Institute of the Russian Academy of Sciences)

9:20 ICEMuSIC – A New Instrument Concept for Mm-wave Observations of Ice Clouds, and Temperature and Humidity Sounding from Space PeterHargrave (*Cardiff University*)

9:40 Terahertz Intensity Interferometry for Very High Angular Resolution

Observations

Hiroshi Matsuo (National Astronomical Observatory of Japan))

10:00 NOEMA: a Powerful mm Array in the Northern Hemisphere

FrédéricGueth (Institut de Radioastronomie Millimetrique)

10:20-10:50 Coffee Break

10:50-12:30 T2 Session: Quantum Cascade Lasers

(Chair: JianRongGao)

10:50	Integrating THz Quantum Cascade Lasers to Flexible Dielectric-metallic Waveguides: Moving beyond Free Space Optics HarveyBeere (University of Cambridge)
11:10	Frequency Instabilities of Terahertz Quantum-Cascade Lasers Induced by Optical Feedback Heinz-WilhelmHübers ( <i>German Aerospace Center, Institute of Optical Sensor Systems</i> )
11:30	Double Metal Quantum Cascade Laser with 2D Patch Array Antenna on a BCB Substrate with Gaussian Beam Shape for Local Oscillator Applications at 1.9THz MatthiasJusten ( <i>University of Cologne</i> )
11:50 (4)	Frequency Locking and Monitoring Based on Bi-directional Terahertz
	Radiation of a 3rd-order Distributed Feedback QCL
	JianRongGao (SRON Netherlands Institute for Space Research)
12:10	Spectral Modulation of Terahertz Quantum Cascade Lasers with Radio Frequency Injection Locking Hua Li ( <i>Shanghai Institute of Microsystem and Information Technology</i> )
12:30-14:00	Lunch Break&SOC Meeting
14:00-16:40	T3 Session: THz Sources &Optics
	(Chair: Scott Paine)
14:00 ( 5 )	Design Considerations for Amplifier/Multiplier Chain (AMC) for Low
	Noise Local Oscillator
	Edward Tong ( <i>Harvard-Smithsonian CfA</i> )
14:20 ( 4 )	A 600GHz Tripler with >5mW and 6% Efficiency Hugh Gibson ( <i>Gibson Microwave Design EURL</i> )
<mark>14:40 ( 3 )</mark>	Broadband Direct Machined Corrugated Horn for LiteBIRD

Shigeyuki Sekiguchi (*University of Tokyo*)

15:00 ( 2 )	The Global Phase Grating FabienDefrance ( <i>Observatoire de Paris</i> )
15:20	Modal Analysis of Far-Infrared Multimode Horns and Waveguides for Ultra-Low-Noise Detectors for Astronomy JiaJun Chen ( <i>University of Cambridge</i> )
15:40 ( 4 )	Research on High Precision Antenna for DATE5 Zheng Lou ( <i>Purple Mountain Observatory</i> )
16:00	Reconfigurable Beam Measurement System and Use for ALMA Band 11 (1.25-1.57 THz) Alvaro Gonzalez ( <i>National Astronomical Observatory of Japan</i>
16:20	Air Liquide Cryogenic Space Coolers for Science Applications – Past, Present and Future Thierry Wiertz ( <i>Air Liquide Advanced Technologies</i> )
16:40-18:40	T4 Session: Group Photo &Poster
19:00-21:00	Banquet
Friday, April 1	<mark>5, 2016</mark>
8:30-10:20	F1 Session: THz Projects & Instruments (II)
	(Chair: Matt Griffin)
8:30	Antarctic Observatory at Chinese Kunlun Station (Invited) Ji Yang ( <i>Purple Mountain Observatory</i> )
9:00	4.7-THz Quantum-Cascade Laser for the upGREAT Array Heterodyne Spectrometer on SOFIA Heinz-WilhelmHübers ( <i>German Aerospace Center, Institute of Optical Sensor Systems</i> )

9:20 Fast Terahertz Imaging using a Quantum Cascade Amplifier up to 20,000 pps
Yuan Ren (*University of Cambridge*)

9:40 ( 4 ) The Sardinia Radio Telescope Front-Ends

10:00 (3) Multi-Gbit/s Data Transmission in Sub-Terahertz Range
Zhe Chen (*University of Electronic Science and Technology of China*)

AlessandroNavarrini (INAF-Radio Astronomy Observatory)

#### 10:20-10:50 Coffee Break

#### 10:50-12:30 F2 Session: THz Mixers & Detectors (III)

(Chair: Sergey Cherednichenko)

Study of Image Rejection Ratio of 2SB SIS receiver
 AndreyKhudchenko (SRON Netherlands Institute for Space Research)

 A Zero-Bias Ultrasensitive THz Hot-Electron Direct Detector with
 Large Dynamic Range
 BorisKarasik (Jet Propulsion Laboratory)

 Room-temperature Direct and Heterodyne Detectors Based on Field-effect Transistors
 Hua Qin (Suzhou Institute of Nano-tech and Nano-bionics)

 Photon Counting Detector as a Mixer with Picowatt Local Oscillator Power Requirement

12:10 Development of a 2 THz Solid-state Radiometer for Atmospheric Sounding

JeanneTreuttel (*Jet Propulsion Laboratory*)

MichaelShcherbatenko (Moscow State Pedagogical University)

12:30-12:40 Closing

12:40-14:00 Lunch

#### 14:00-17:00 Tour to Purple Mountain Observatory & SMLab

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#### **T4: Poster Session**

P1 ( 4 )	Broken Photon-step Phenomenon in SIS Mixers  AndreyErmakov (Chalmers University of Technology)
	Andrey Emilianov (Chaimers Offiversity of Technology)
P2 ( 3 )	Development of 1.5 THz Cartridge-type Multi-pixel Receiver Based on HEB Mixers
	YenRu Huang (Institute of Astronomy and Astrophysics, Academia Sinica)
P3	Photon Noise Limited Performance over an Octave of Bandwidth of Kinetic Inductance Detectors for Sub-millimeter Astronomy JuanBueno ( <i>SRON Netherlands Institute for Space Research</i> )
P4	Gap Frequency and Photon Absorption in a Hot Electron Bolometer AndreyTrifonov ( <i>Harvard-Smithsonian CfA</i> )
P5	Frequency Agile Heterodyne Detector for SubmillimeterSpectroscopy of Planets and Comets Jonathan Kawamura ( <i>Jet Propulsion Laboratory</i> )
P6	Characterization of a Free-standing Membrane Supported Superconducting Ti Transition Edge Sensor Wen Zhang ( <i>Purple Mountain Observatory</i> )
P7	A HEB Waveguide Mixer Operating with a Waveguide QCL at 1.9 THz DenisBüchel ( <i>University of Cologne</i> )
P8	Single Junction Design for 790-950GHz SIS Receiver KirillRudakov ( <i>The Kotel'nikov Institute of Radio Engineering and Electronics</i> ))

P9	A 1080-1280 GHz Sub-Harmonic BiasableSchottkyFront-end Design for Planetary Science and Remote Sensing Diego Moro-Melgar ( <i>Observatoire de Paris</i> )
P10	Development of an RF Waveguide Frequency Multiplexer for a  Multiband Heterodyne System  Takefumi Kajima (National Astronomical Observatory of Japan)
	Takafumi Kojima ( <i>National Astronomical Observatory of Japan</i> )
P11	Concept Design of a Dual-Polarization Sideband-Separating Multi- Pixel SIS Receiver
	WenLei Shan (National Astronomical Observatory of Japan)
P12	Development of Terahertz SIS Mixers Using Nb/AIN/Nb Tunnel Junctions Integrated with All NbTiN Tuning Circuits YoshinoriUzawa ( <i>National Institute of Information and Communications Technology</i> )
P13 ( 2 )	Gas Cell Measurement using an HEBM with a Phase-locked THz-
	QCL as a Local Oscillator at 3 THz Band
	Yoshihisalrimajiri ( <i>National Institute of Information and Communications Technology</i> )
P14 ( 3 )	Critical Temperature Dependence of the Noise Temperature and IF
	Bandwidth of Superconducting Hot Electron Bolometer Mixers
	Wei Miao ( <i>Purple Mountain Observatory</i> )
P15	Study of the Properties of TiNSuperconducting Films for Microwave Kinetic Inductance Detectors
	Jing Li ( <i>Purple Mountain Observatory</i> )
P16	Shot Noise in NbN Distributed Superconducting Tunneling Junctions Dong Liu ( <i>Purple Mountain Observatory</i> )
P17 ( 3 )	A 4.7 THz HEB QCL Receiver for STO2
	DarrenHayton (SRON Netherlands Institute for Space Research)

710 ( 2 )	Unipolar Nanochannels
	FeiYang ( <i>Southeast University</i> )
P19	Development of Wideband 100-GHz SIS Mixers for a New Multi-beam Receiver YutoKozuki ( <i>Osaka Prefecture University</i> )
<sup>2</sup> 20 ( 4 )	Fabrication of NbN-based Hot Electron Bolometer Mixers by Standard
	UV Lithography
	Christine Chaumont (Observatoire de Paris)
P21	A new Two-way Power Divider/Combiner Based on Magic T in W-Band Hong Tang ( <i>University of Electronic Science and Technology of China</i> )
P22 ( 2 )	Electron Gun Design for a 170 GHz Megawatt-level Corrugated
	Coaxial Gyrotron
	Kun Dong ( <i>University of Electronic Science and Technology of China</i> )
P23 ( 4 )	Design of Q-band Broadband RectangularWaveguide TE <sub>10</sub> Mode to CircularWaveguide TE <sub>01</sub> Mode Converter ShuaiZong ( <i>University of Electronic Science and Technology of China</i> )
P24 ( 3 )	A Novel Wideband Antipodal Fin-line Waveguide-to-Microstrip
, ,	Transition Structure for Ka-band Applications
	Bo Fang ( <i>University of Electronic Science and Technology of China</i> )
P25	Design of a Novel Nonlinear Curve Coupling Waveguide Coupler for Sheet Beam Travelling Wave Tube LiYa Yang ( <i>University of Electronic Science and Technology of China</i> )
<sup>2</sup> 26 ( 4 )	Design of a Ka-band HE11 Mode Corrugated Horn for the Faraday Rotator Fang Li ( <i>University of Electronic Science and Technology of China</i> )

P27	High Current Density Impregnated Scandate Cathode for Terahertz Vacuum Devices YeFen Shang ( <i>University of Electronic Science and Technology of China</i> )
P28 ( 2 )	Research on Gyrotron Traveling Wave Amplifier with LossyDielectric-Load Waveguide
	Na Liu ( <i>University of Electronic Science and Technology of China</i> )
P29 (4)	Measurements of Dielectric Properties near100GHz using a
	Reflection-Type Hemispherical Open Resonator
	Hao Li ( <i>University of Electronic Science and Technology of China</i> )
P30 (3)	A Novel Design of Waveguide-Coax Millimeter-wave Equalizer
	LiuSha Yang ( <i>University of Electronic Science and Technology of</i>
	<mark>China)</mark>
P31	A TE13 Mode Input Converter for 0.1THz High Order Mode Gyrotron
	Travelling Wave Amplifiers
	Yan Wang (University of Electronic Science and Technology of China)
P32 ( 4 )	Optical Testing of the CAmbridge Emission Line Surveyor(CAMELS)
	LingZhenZeng ( <i>Harvard-Smithsonian CfA</i> )
P33	Design and Simulation of Interaction Structure for 110GHz Second-
	Harmonic Gyro-TWT
	Nan Huang (University of Electronic Science and Technology of China)
P34 ( 3 )	A 15Gps High Speed OOK Receiver Based on a 0.34THz Zero-bias
	SchottkyDiode Detector
	YaoLingTian ( <i>China Academy of Engineering Physics</i> )
P35 (3)	Improvement on 1.2 Hz Total Power Instability of KVN 129 GHz SIS  Mixer Receiver
	Jung-Won Lee ( <i>Korea Astronomy and Space Science Institut</i> e)
P36 (2)	Investigation of Tunnel Superconducting Junction Mixing Regimes

	AntonArtanov ( <i>The Kotel'nikov Institute of Radio Engineering and Electronics</i> )
P37 (4)	Development of a Millimeter Wave Grating Spectrometer for TIME Pilot
	ChaoTe Li (Academia Sinica Institute of Astronomy and Astrophysics)
P38	Terahertz Imaging Progress at Capital Normal University GuoZhong Zhao (Capital Normal University)
P39 ( 2 )	Development of a 71-116GHz RF Module for the EMIR Receiver
	<mark>Upgrade</mark>
	Anne-Laure Fontana (Institut de Radioastronomie Millimetrique)
P40 ( 6 )	Superconducting Local Oscillators: Development and Optimization PavelDmitriev(The Kotel'nikov Institute of Radio Engineering and
	Electronics)
P41	Improvement of the Planar Schottky Diode Capacity Model for the Implementation in the Non-linear Harmonic Balance ADS Simulator for Multipliers Design Diego Moro-Melgar ( <i>Observatoire de Paris</i> )
P42 ( 3 )	Design of a Terahertz Wire-wrap Backward-Wave Oscillator ChangPengXu ( <i>University of Electronic Science and Technology of China</i> )
P43 ( 3 )	Design and Analysis of a Y-band Extended Interaction Oscillator with a Pseudospark-Sourced Electron Beam  Zhang Zhang ( <i>University of Electronic Science and Technology of</i>
	China)
P44 ( 3 )	340 GHz Frequency Multiplier with Unbalance Circuit Based on One Schottky Diodes Chip Jun Jiang ( <i>Institute of Electronic Engineering</i> )
P45 ( 4 )	A Multiple-Bridges Planar Superconducting Switch at Millimetre Frequencies

	Boon Kok Tan ( <i>University of Oxford</i> )
P46	Broadband Antireflective Subwavelength Structures for Large Diameter Silicon Lenses Tom Nitta ( <i>University of Tsukuba</i> )
P47	Beam Pattern Measurements of a Picket-Potter Feed Hornat 1.9 THz Jenna Kloosterman ( <i>Jet Propulsion Laboratory</i> )
P48 ( 2 )	Transmission and Reflection Properties of Dielectric Materials for THz Instrumentation
	AnastasiiaPienkina ( <i>Observatoire de Paris</i> )
P49	Corrugated Horns for ALMA band 11 (1.25-1.57 THz) Alvaro Gonzalez ( <i>National Astronomical Observatory of Japan</i> )
P50 (3)	Fast On-the-Fly Near-field Antenna Measurement at 500GHz Jie Hu ( <i>Purple Mountain Observatory</i> )
P51	A Three-disc Window Based on Triangular Lattice of Dielectric Rods for High Power Gyro Amplifiers YeLei Yao ( <i>University of Electronic Science and Technology of China</i> )
P52 (3)	A WR-4 Optically-Tunable Waveguide Attenuator with 50 dB Tuning
	Range and Low Insertion Loss  Zhenguo Jiang ( <i>University of Notre Dame</i> )
P53 ( 2 )	Development of Sub-micron High Precision Carbon Fiber Reflector Liang Xu ( <i>Xi'an Institute of Optics and Precision Mechanics of CAS</i> )
P54 (3)	Development of Octave-band Planar Ortho-Mode Transducer with MKID for LiteBIRD Satellite ShiboShu ( <i>University of Tokyo</i> )
P55 ( 2 )	Metamaterials-based Terahertz Filter ZhenYu Zhao ( <i>Shanghai Normal University</i> )

P56 Investigation of Temperature Dependence of Terahertz Spectra of Amino Acids
Ling Jiang (Nanjing Forestry University)

P57 ( 2 ) Measurement of 460 GHz Atmospheric Opacity at Delingha Sheng Li (*Purple Mountain Observatory*)