

Workshop III: Batteries and Fuel Cells

Monday November 4, 2013

- 8:00–9:00 *Check-In/Light Breakfast (Hosted by IPAM)*
- 9:00 *Session Chair: G. Henkelman*
- 9:00–9:15 *Welcome and Opening Remarks*
- 9:15–9:55 **Chris Wolverton** (Northwestern University)
Predicting Novel Materials for Li-ion and Li-O₂ Batteries
- 10:15–10:30 *Break*
- 10:30–11:10 **Klaus-Dieter Kreuer** (Max-Planck-Institut für Festkörperforschung (Solid State Research))
Proton and Hydroxide Ion Conducting Polymer Membranes for Fuel Cells: Fundamentals, Research Strategies and Implications for the Development of Separator Membranes for Redox-Flow and Alkaline-Ion Batteries
- 11:30–11:45 *Break*
- 11:45–12:25 **Axel Gross** (Universität Ulm)
Towards a first-principles description of structures and processes in electrochemical energy storage and conversion
- 12:30–2:30 *Lunch (on your own)*
- 2:30 *Session Chair: C. Wolverton*
- 2:30–3:10 **Adam Weber** (Lawrence Berkeley Laboratory)
Macroscopic Modeling of Performance Concerns in Proton-Exchange-Membrane Fuel-Cell Catalyst Layers
- 3:30–4:00 *Pre-Poster Session Introductions: Presenters will give brief introductions of their posters for Tuesday's Session*
- 4:30 *4:30 PM: IPAM Public Lecture: Korn Convocation Hall, Anderson School (UCLA)*
- 4:30–5:30 **Emily Carter** (Princeton University)
Public Lecture: Quantum Mechanics and the Future of the Planet
- 6:00–7:00 *Private Reception (by invitation only)*



Tuesday November 5, 2013

- 8:00–9:00 *Continental Breakfast*
- 9:00 *Session Chair: A. Gross*
- 9:00–9:40 **Bruce Dunn** (University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA))
Three-Dimensional Battery Architectures
- 10:00–10:15 *Break*
- 10:15–10:55 **Anton van der Ven** (University of California, Santa Barbara (UC Santa Barbara))
Connecting electronic structure to phenomenological descriptions of dynamic processes in electrodes
- 11:15–11:30 *Break*
- 11:30–12:10 **Emily Carter** (Princeton University)
First Principles Quantum Mechanics Methods for Simulating Fundamental Phenomena in Batteries and Fuel Cells
- 12:30–2:30 *Lunch (on your own)*
- 2:30 *Session Chair: M. Tuckerman*
- 2:30–3:10 **Troy Farrell** (Queensland University of Technology)
Mathematical Modelling and Numerical simulation of LiFePO₄ Cathodes
- 3:30–4:00 *Break*
- 4:00–4:40 **Keith Promislow** (Michigan State University)
Network Structures in Amphiphilic Materials: Morphology and Transport
- 5:00–6:00 *Reception and Poster Session (Hosted by IPAM)*

Wednesday November 6, 2013

- 8:00–9:00 *Continental Breakfast*
- 9:00 *Session Chair: K. Persson*
- 9:00–9:40 **Venkat Subramanian** (Washington University in St. Louis)
Mathematics in the Driver's Seat
- 10:00–10:15 *Break*
- 10:15–10:55 **Richard Braatz** (Massachusetts Institute of Technology)
A Roadmap for the Multiscale Simulation of Lithium-ion Batteries
- 11:15–11:30 *Break*

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- 11:30–12:10 **Vidvuds Ozolins** (University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA))
Sparse physics and its applications to energy materials
- 12:30–2:30 *Lunch (on your own)*
- 2:30 *Session Chair: B. Wetton*
- 2:30–3:10 **Kristin Persson** (Lawrence Berkeley Laboratory)
The Coupling Between Cation Ordering And Phase Evolution And Its Implications For Single-Phase Cathode Design: A case study of the high-voltage $\text{Li}_{x}\text{Ni}_{0.5}\text{Mn}_{1.5}\text{O}_4$ spinel from first-principles modeling
- 3:30–4:00 *Break*
- 4:00–4:40 **Katsuyo Thornton** (University of Michigan)
Smoothed-Boundary-Method Electrochemical Simulation Framework for Battery Materials

Thursday November 7, 2013

- 8:00–9:00 *Continental Breakfast*
- 9:00 *Session Chair: K.D. Kreuer*
- 9:00–9:40 **Jacob White** (Massachusetts Institute of Technology)
Model Reduction Based Battery Modeling for Simulating Vehicle Cooling Systems
- 10:00–10:15 *Break*
- 10:15–10:55 **Stephen Paddison** (University of Tennessee)
Structure/function modeling of Polymer Electrolytes: Effects of confinement and hydrophobicity
- 11:15–11:30 *Break*
- 11:30–12:10 **Brian Wetton** (University of British Columbia)
Modelling fuel cells in start-up and reactant starvation conditions
- 12:30–2:30 *Lunch (on your own)*
- 2:30 *Session Chair: M. Bazant*
- 2:30–3:10 **Edwin Garcia** (Purdue University)
Spatially-Resolved Modeling of Three-Dimensionally Reconstructed Li-Ion Battery Electrode Microstructures
- 3:30–4:00 *Break*
- 4:00–4:40 **Martin Bazant** (Massachusetts Institute of Technology)
Nonequilibrium Thermodynamics of Li-ion Batteries

Friday November 8, 2013

- 8:00–9:00 *Continental Breakfast*
- 9:00 *Session Chair: K. Promislow*
- 9:00–9:40 **Mark Tuckerman** (New York University)
Understanding the mechanisms of proton transport in hydrogen bonded media from first-principle molecular dynamics
- 10:00–10:15 *Break*
- 10:15–10:55 **Daniel Cogswell** (Samsung Advanced Inst. of Technology)
Modeling non-equilibrium microstructure in electrochemistry
- 11:15–11:30 *Break*
- 11:30–12:10 **Richard Hennig** (Cornell University)
Computational Methods for Structure Prediction and Solid/Liquid Interfaces for Energy Materials
- 12:30 *Conclusion*

