



Nuclear Science User Facilities (NSUF)

Annual Program Review

Monday April 15 to Thursday April 18, 2024

Objective: Review Progress and provide feedback on the NSUF

Hybrid Meeting

Meeting Links:

Monday, April 15: <https://events.gcc.teams.microsoft.com/event/6ab7734c-dc72-4400-bcb9-51193207a02d@4cf464b7-869a-4236-8da2-a98566485554>

Tuesday, April 16: <https://events.gcc.teams.microsoft.com/event/3ff94070-b807-4616-b3a7-b9e346ec9bc8@4cf464b7-869a-4236-8da2-a98566485554>

Wednesday, April 17: <https://events.gcc.teams.microsoft.com/event/45211c96-9de5-4add-b830-b7ed25d229d9@4cf464b7-869a-4236-8da2-a98566485554>

Thursday, April 18: <https://events.gcc.teams.microsoft.com/event/4f93e9ff-5f1b-4c4e-90cd-c0245d509fe5@4cf464b7-869a-4236-8da2-a98566485554>

Monday April 15 Morning Session - Program Review

Center for Advanced Energy Studies (CAES) Auditorium & Hybrid

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9:00 Welcome and Introductions Brenden Heidrich
NSUF Director

9:15 DOE-NE Perspective and FY 2024 Outlook Christopher Barr
DOE-NE NSUF Program Manager

9:45 NSUF Overview Brenden Heidrich
NSUF Director

10:45 Break

11:00 CINR Experiment Awards and Status Lindy Bean
NSUF Program Administrator



11:30 RTE Experiment Awards and Status Anna Podgorney
NSUF Program Administrator

12:00 Lunch



Monday, April 15 Afternoon Panel Session - NSUF User Access Awards: Structural Materials

Panel Chair – Rongjie Song, NSUF Chief Scientist

- 1:00 Session Introduction – Structural Materials Related R&D under NSUF
- 1:10 Irradiation Influence on Alloys Fabricated by Powder Metallurgy and Hot Isostatic Pressing for Nuclear Applications Janelle Wharry
Purdue University
- 1:30 NuScale SMR Materials Irradiation and Testing..... Carlen Donahue
NuScale Power, LLC
- 1:50 Irradiation Testing of LWR Additively Manufactured Materials Drew Johnson
Idaho National Laboratory
- 2:10 Synergy of Radiation Damage with Corrosion Processes through a Separate Effect Investigation Approach..... Djamel Kaoumi
North Carolina State University
- 2:30 Examining Microstructures and Mechanical Properties of Neutron and Ion Irradiated T91, HT9 and 800H Alloys Pengcheng Zhu
University of Tennessee, Knoxville
- 2:50 Wrap-up and Discussion
- 3:30 Adjourn

Tuesday, April 16 NSUF Program Update

Center for Advanced Energy Studies (CAES) Auditorium & Hybrid

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- 9:00 Neutron Irradiation as a Function of Temperature - Experiment Simon Pimblott
Idaho National Laboratory
- 9:20 Nuclear Fuels and Materials Library..... Rongjie Song
NSUF Chief Scientist
- 9:40 INL Irradiation Capacities Nicolas Woolstenhulme
Idaho National Laboratory
- 10:00 NSUF User Organization Overview..... Maria Okuniewski
NSUF Organization Chair
- 10:30 Break



Tuesday, April 16 NSUF Program Update

- 10:45 Nanodispersion Strengthened Metallic Composites with Enhanced Neutron Irradiation Tolerance Ju Li
Massachusetts Institute of Technology
- 11:15 New NSUF Supported Capability Development - Hodoscope Luis Ocampo Giraldo
Idaho National Laboratory
- 11:30 Advanced Photon Source and AML Xuan Zhang
Argonne National Laboratory
- 11:45 Silicon Carbide (SiC) Temperature Measurements in NSUF Experiments Troy Unruh
Idaho National Laboratory
- 12:00 Lunch

Tuesday, April 16 Panel Session – NSUF User Access Awards: Fuel and Cladding Materials

- Panel Chair – Jeffrey Giglio, NSUF Chief Scientist*
- 1:00 Session Introduction – Fuel Related R&D under NSUF
- 1:10 High Power Irradiation Testing of TRISO Fuel Particles with UCO and UO₂ Kernels in Miniature Fuel Specimen Capsules in HFIR Ryan Latta
Kairos Power
- 1:30 UN Multi-design Irradiation Campaign: A Critical Assessment of Accelerated Burnup and Main Correlations for Mechanistic Fuel Performance Modeling Elizabeth Sooby
University of Texas at San Antonio
- 1:50 Investigation of Degradation Mechanisms of Cr-coated Zirconium Alloy Cladding in Reactivity Initiated Accidents (RIA) WooHyun Jung
University of Wisconsin
- 2:10 Assessment of Irradiated Microstructure and Mechanical Properties of FeCrAl Alloy Fabrication Routes Haozheng Qu
GE Research
- 2:30 Thermal Conductivity Measurement of Irradiated Metallic Fuel Using TREAT Heng Ban
University of Pittsburgh



2:50 Wrap-Up and Discussion

3:30 Adjourn

Wednesday, April 17 NSUF Program Updated – High Performance Computing

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9:00 High Performance Computing Accomplishments Matthew Anderson
Idaho National Laboratory

9:45 HPC User Experience – Updates and Opportunities Matthew Anderson
Idaho National Laboratory

10:45 Break

11:00 Nuclear Research Data System (NRDS)..... Bradlee Rothwell
Idaho National Laboratory

11:30 Outlook on the Future of Computing Resources for Nuclear Energy Studies -
NEAMS Cody Permann
Idaho National Laboratory

12:00 Lunch

Wednesday, April 17 Panel Session – NSUF User Access Awards, Sensor Materials

Panel Chair – Jeffrey Giglio, NSUF Chief Scientist

1:00 Session Introduction – Sensor Related R&D under NSUF

1:10 Integral Fuel Rod Real-Time Wireless Sensor & Transmitter Irradiation Test and
Post Irradiation Examination (WIRE 21 Experiment)..... Chris Petrie
Oak Ridge National Laboratory

1:30 Demonstration of Self Powered Neutron Detectors Performance and Reliability
..... Kevin Tsai
Idaho National Laboratory

1:50 Understanding Irradiation Behaviors of Ultrawide Bandgap Ga203 High
Temperature Sensor Materials for Advanced Nuclear Reactor SystemsGe Yang
North Carolina State University

2:10 Radiation-induced Attenuation and Nonlinear Optical Properties of Fused Silica
and Single-crystal Sapphire Chris Petrie
Oak Ridge National Laboratory



2:30 Wrap-Up and Discussion

3:00 Adjourn

Thursday, April 18 NSUF Program – PIE Capabilities and Instrument Scientists

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- 9:00 NSUF Post-Irradiation Capabilities Overview Rongjie Song
NSUF Chief Scientist
- 9:20 NSUF Instrument Scientist Program. Jeffrey Giglio
NSUF Chief Scientist
- 9:30 Instrument Creating a Data Collection and Processing Workflow for Three-Dimensional Slice-by-Slice Reconstruction of Nuclear Structural Materials Using Focused Ion-Beam Microscopy Trishelle Copeland-Johnson
Idaho National Laboratory
- 9:45 High Temperature Portable Positron Annihilation Spectroscopy Operation (HiPPO) Sample Chamber Chuting Tsai
Idaho National Laboratory
- 10:00 Electron Energy Loss Spectroscopy at High Energy Losses to Study Chemical Interactions in Nuclear Materials. Kaustubh Bawane
Idaho National Laboratory
- 10:15 Data Acquisition and Analysis Techniques for X-ray Computer Tomography William Chuirazzi
Idaho National Laboratory
- 10:30 Development of FIB-TOF-SIMS Methods for Irradiated Fuels and Materials Daniel Murray
Idaho National Laboratory
- 10:45 Break

Thursday, April 18 Panel Session – NSUF *In Situ* Irradiation Capabilities

Panel Chair – Rongjie Song, NSUF Chief Scientist

11:00 **Session 1: NSUF *In Situ* Irradiation Corrosion Testing**

11:00 *In Situ* Irradiation and Molten Salt Corrosion Cole Evered
University of Wisconsin

11:15 *In Situ* Irradiation and Molten Salt Corrosion Lin Shao
Texas A&M University

11:30 *In Situ* Proton Irradiation in High Temperature Water Peng Wang
University of Michigan

11:45 Session 1 Discussion

12:00 Lunch

1:00 **Session 2: NSUF *In Situ/Post-* Irradiation Mechanical Testing/Corrosion Capabilities**

1:00 *In Situ* Ion Irradiated Creep and Mechanical Testing Charlie Hirst
University of Michigan

1:15 IASCC Testing Peng Wang
University of Michigan

1:30 Session 2 Discussion

1:45 **Session 3: NSUF *In Situ* Irradiation Characterization Capabilities**

1:45 Modern *In Situ* TEM Ion Irradiation with Real-Time AI-Powered Data Analysis Kevin Field
University of Michigan

2:00 *In Situ* TEM Ion Irradiation Wei-Ying Chen
Argonne National Laboratory

2:15 *In Situ* TEM Ion Irradiation Christopher Smyth
Sandia National Laboratory

2:30 *In Situ* Helium Ion Irradiation Peter Hosemann
University of California, Berkeley

2:45 Session 3 Discussion

3:00 Adjourn