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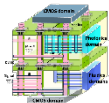


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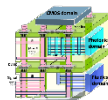


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WELCOME LETTER

On behalf of the organizing committee, it is a great pleasure to welcome you to *ITherm 2025*, the leading international conference for the scientific and engineering exploration of thermal, thermo-mechanical, and emerging technology issues associated with electronic devices, packages, and systems. *ITherm* is once again being held along with the *Electronic Components and Technology Conference (ECTC)*, a premier electronic packaging conference.

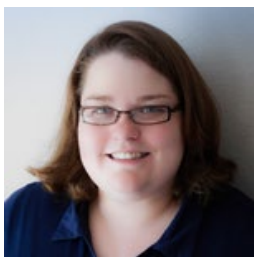
ITherm 2025 is packed with many activities, including over 175 technical presentations across four technical tracks. Each morning will feature a keynote addressing the critical topics to the community: Dr. Raja Swaminathan will highlight the future of AI hardware enabled by advanced packaging, Mr. Scott Parent will discuss accelerating the energy transition through digital engineering and simulation, and Mr. Cullen Bash will focus on data center energy efficiency in the post-exascale era. *ITherm 2025* is also excited for the invited presentation by Mr. Chandrakant Patel, the 2025 recipient of the Richard Chu *ITherm* Award for Excellence. Five technical Panel Sessions will provide highly interactive engagement with experts and five Technology Talk Sessions will feature deep dive talks on high profile topics. New this year, hear from successful start-up companies, small businesses, and government experts at our special panel on *Technology Transition: From Concept to Commercialization*, which will discuss the process, challenges, and best practices of moving emerging technologies from research and development into operational use. *ITherm 2025* proudly continues a long tradition of supporting the next generation of thermal and packaging researchers and engineers with over an interactive poster session featuring over 50 student presenters and the final presentations for the 2026 ASME/K-16 and IEEE/EPST Student Cold Plate Design Competition.

Attendees are also highly encouraged to take advantage of networking opportunities with *ECTC*. Several exciting joint *ITherm* and *ECTC* events will be held starting on Tuesday with 16 professional development courses, followed by the Young Professionals Networking Panel. On Wednesday, check out a new Student & Start-Up Innovation Challenge where pitches will be evaluated by a panel of experts.

This year we have had unbelievable sponsorship from both industry and academia, which enables student travel grants to expand student participation at *ITherm*, along with enhancing our conference activities. Our thanks go out to each of this year's sponsors and exhibitors for the critical role their sponsorship provides to *ITherm*. Please visit their exhibition booths, benefit from the exchange of information.

Thank you for participating in the *ITherm 2025* conference! Building upon the success of previous conferences, *ITherm* continues to find innovative ways to grow and serve our community. *ITherm* wouldn't be possible without the hard work of the organizers. Thanks to everyone who has contributed to the success of *ITherm* including our track chairs/co-chairs, session chairs/co-chairs, panel/technology talk organizers, all reviewers, and many others! Finally, the support of our Executive Committee is highly appreciated. A complete list of key contributors and reviewers is listed later in this program.

Whether this is your first time attending or are regular at *ITherm*, we hope that you will feel energized by the interaction with your fellow attendees. For our first-time attendees, we hope you take advantage of all the networking opportunities to continue to grow your careers. *ITherm 2026* will be held in Orlando, FL, USA on May 26 – May 29, 2026, and we hope that you mark your calendars to be there as well. Please join us for the *ITherm 2026* Program Planning meeting (open to all) to volunteer on Friday during the morning coffee break (10:30 – 11:30 am). We appreciate the dedication of this community and are eager to see you all again.



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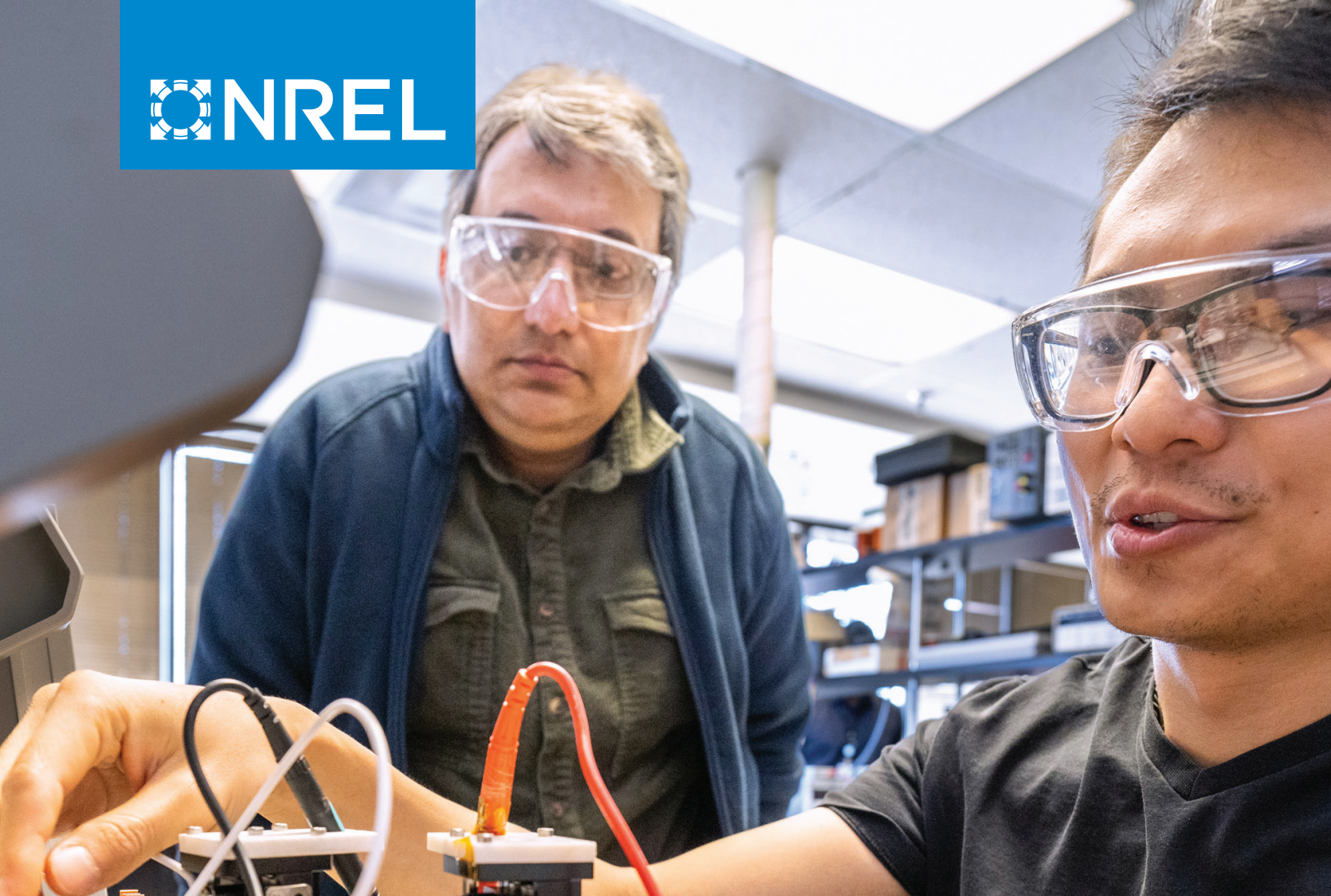
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CONFERENCE DESCRIPTION & SUMMARY

Sponsored by the IEEE's Electronics Packaging Society (EPS), ITherm 2025 is the leading international conference for the scientific and engineering exploration of thermal, thermomechanical and emerging technology issues associated with electronic devices, packages and systems. ITherm 2025 will be held along with the 75th Electronic Components and Technology Conference (ECTC 2025 - <http://www.ectc.net>), a premier electronics packaging conference at the Gaylord Texan Resort & Convention Center (Dallas, TX).

- **Over 175 Technical Papers and Presentations** organized across four Technical Tracks: Component-Level Thermal Management (TI), System-Level Thermal Management (TII), Mechanics & Reliability (M), and Emerging Technologies & Fundamentals (E)
- **3 Keynote Talks** on the future of AI hardware enabled by advanced packaging, energy transition through digital engineering and simulation, and data center energy efficiency in the post exascale era
- **Richard Chu ITherm Award and Seminar** by Chadrakant D. Patel, former HP SVP, Chief Engineer and Senior Fellow
- **8 Technology Talks** providing deep-dive talks on high-profile topics
- **4 Panels** discussing the latest industry challenges and trends
- **2 Special Interest Panels** on ARPA-E COOLERCHIPS and Technology Transition
- **54 Student Posters** showcasing the latest research in an interactive networking environment
- **ASME/K16 & IEEE/EPS Student Design Challenge Presentations**
- **ECTC/ITherm Young Professional Networking Event**
- **2025 ECTC Student and Start-Up Innovation Challenge** (open to ITherm delegates)
- **16 Professional Development Courses** offered as a collaboration with ECTC



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Web Registration Link:

<https://www.ieee-itherm.net/itherm-2025-registration/>.

On-Site Registration Location:

Level 1, Vineyard Pre-Function

On-Site Registration Hours:

Tuesday, May 27: 3:30 PM – 5:30 PM
 Wednesday, May 28: 6:30 AM – 5:30 PM
 Thursday, May 29: 7:00 AM – 5:30 PM
 Friday, May 30: 7:00 AM – 11:30 AM

Conference Registration Includes:

- Admission to All Conference Sessions and the ITherm Exhibit Hall
- Breakfast and Luncheons (Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday)
- Digital Conference Proceedings
- Access to select events at ECTC: the Young Professionals Networking Event, the ECTC Student & Start-Up Innovation Challenge, the EPS President's Panel, and limited access to the ECTC Exhibit Hall (Thursday 2 – 4 pm).

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Joint ITherm/ECTC Registration	\$1665	\$1995		
ITherm Registration	\$925	\$1075	\$525	\$625
One-Day Registration	\$775	\$925		

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ITHERM 2026 PROGRAM PLANNING

Friday, May 30, 10:30 to 11:30 AM.

Level 2, Tate A3

Open to all current and future contributors.

ASME K-16 COMMITTEE AND JOURNAL OF ELECTRONIC PACKAGING

Wednesday, May 28, 7:00 to 8:00 PM.

Level 2, Tate A1

Open to all interested in becoming involved with K-16 and the Journal of Electronic Packaging

ITHERM EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Thursday, May 29, 7:00 to 7:30 PM.

Level 1, Davis 3-4

By invitation only.

ITHERM 2025 ORGANIZERS' DINNER

Thursday, May 29, 7:30 to 9:30 PM.

By invitation only.

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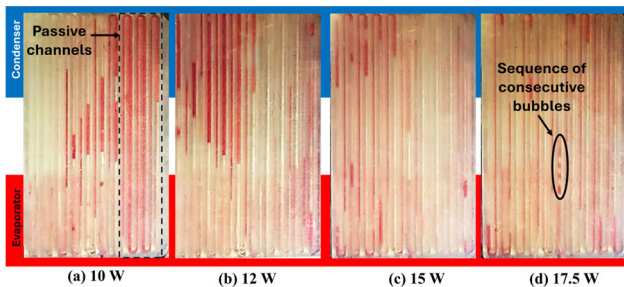


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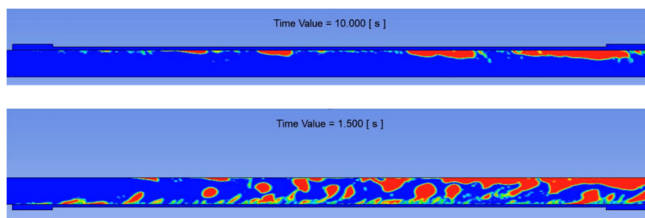
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Flow behavior of an oscillating heat pipe, printed using transparent polymeric material, at different power inputs.

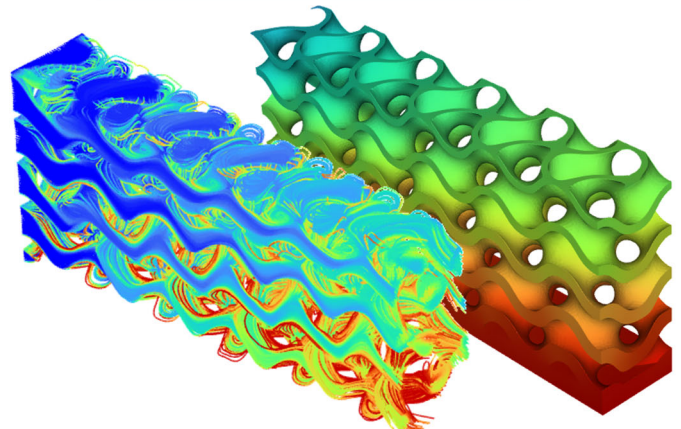


Top: Spatial vapor distribution of PF-5060 fluid in a mini channel with top wall heating at $t = 10$ s. Mass flux: $395.5 \text{ kg/m}^2\text{s}$, and hot spot heat flux: 4.17 W/cm^2 (54% of Critical Heat Flux).

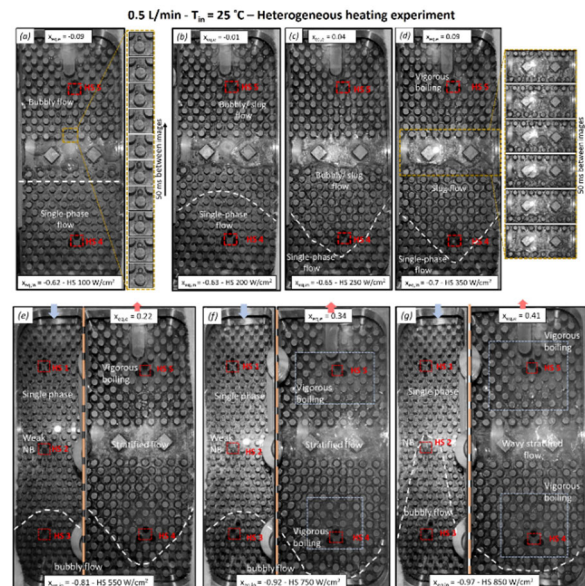
Bottom: Spatial vapor distribution of PF-5060 fluid a mini channel with bottom wall heating at $t = 1.5$ s. Mass flux: $419.3 \text{ kg/m}^2\text{s}$, and hot spot heat flux: 15.11 W/cm^2 (58% of Critical Heat Flux).

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PROF. AVRAM BAR-COHEN BEST PAPER

AUTOMATED GIMBALING OF CONICAL NOZZLES FOR JET VECTORING IMPINGEMENT COOLING TO MITIGATE WORKLOAD DEPENDENT HOTSPOTS IN HIGH POWER DENSITY SILICON

Prabhakar Subrahmanyam, Sankarananda Basak, Vishnu P. Sugumar, Ying-Feng Pang,
Arunkumar Krishnamoorthy, Mark Bianco

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RUNNER UP

DEVELOPMENT OF A HYBRID
SINGLE/TWO-PHASE CAPILLARY-
BASED MICRO-COOLER USING
COPPER INVERSE OPALS WICK
WITH SILICON 3D MANIFOLD FOR
HIGH-HEAT-FLUX COOLING

H. Kwon, Q. Wu, D. Kong, S.
Hazra, K. Jiang, C. Ahn, S.
Narumanchi, H. Lee, J. Palko,
E. M. Dede, M. Asheghi,
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THERMAL CHARACTERIZATION OF
TWO-PHASE COOLING USING
EMBEDDED MICROCHANNELS IN A
HIGH CURRENT DENSITY
ELECTRIC MOTOR

Ryan Regan, Kimberly Saviers,
Wenping Zhao, Andrzej Kuczek,
Jagadeesh Tangudu,
Justin A. Weibel

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AN INTEGRATED SIMULATION
FRAMEWORK FOR THERMAL-
MECHANICAL PERFORMANCE
ANALYSIS OF TWO-PHASE
MICROCHANNEL EVAPORATORS

Sarwesh N. Parbat, David J.
Apigo, Haoyun Qiu, Pouya
Kabirzadeh, Rishav Roy, Syed
Faisal, Nenad Miljkovic,
Todd Salamon

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ULTRATHIN BLOWERS: A STUDY ON PARAMETERS INFLUENCING FLOW AND THERMAL PERFORMANCE IN NOTEBOOK APPLICATIONS

Ravishankar Srikanth, Amit Kumar, Arnab Sen

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DESIGN AND CHARACTERIZATION OF A
THERMAL TEST VEHICLE WITH EMBEDDED
PHASE CHANGE MATERIAL

Meghavin Bhatasana, Amy Marconnet

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AN ADVANCED 48U SINGLE PHASE IMMERSION
COOLING SYSTEM DESIGN FOR COMMERCIAL
DATA CENTER DEPLOYMENTS

Brant Chang, Jimmy Chang, Allen Liang, Jun
Zhang, Carrie Chen, Jiahong Wu, Hu Tang,
QingYi Kong

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MECHANICS AND RELIABILITY TRACK

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ACCELERATED TESTING OF THERMAL GREASE DEGRADATION: COMBINED THERMAL GRADIENTS AND FORCED MECHANICAL CYCLING

Pranay P. Nagrani, Amy M. Marconnet

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INVESTIGATION OF THE EFFECTS OF SUSTAINED HIGH-TEMPERATURE ON THE RELIABILITY OF LEAD-FREE SOLDER JOINT ASSEMBLIES IN VIBRATION

Pradeep Lall, Vishal Mehta, Jeff Suhling, David Locker

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EMERGING TECHNOLOGIES AND FUNDAMENTALS TRACK

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STATIC AND DYNAMIC THERMAL MODELLING OF SI PHOTONIC THERMO-OPTIC PHASE SHIFTER

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RUNNER UP

CHARACTERIZATION OF ENHANCED TWO- PHASE JET IMPINGEMENT ON FEMTOSECOND LASER SURFACE PROCESSED (FLSP) ALUMINUM SURFACES

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DEVELOPMENT AND PERFORMANCE EVALUATION OF ADDITIVELY PRINTED IN- MOLD-ELECTRONIC SENSORS

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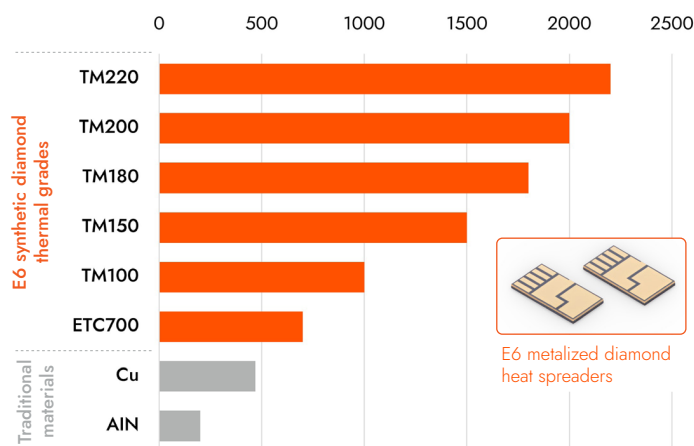
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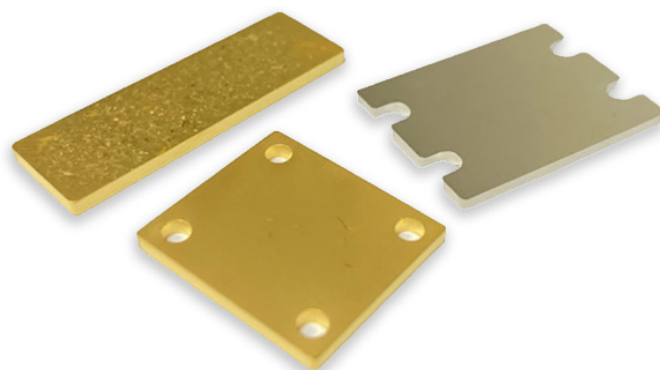
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KEYNOTES

Chairs: Justin Weibel (Purdue University) and Vadim Gektin (Qualcomm)

K-1: FUTURE OF AI HARDWARE ENABLED BY ADVANCED PACKAGING

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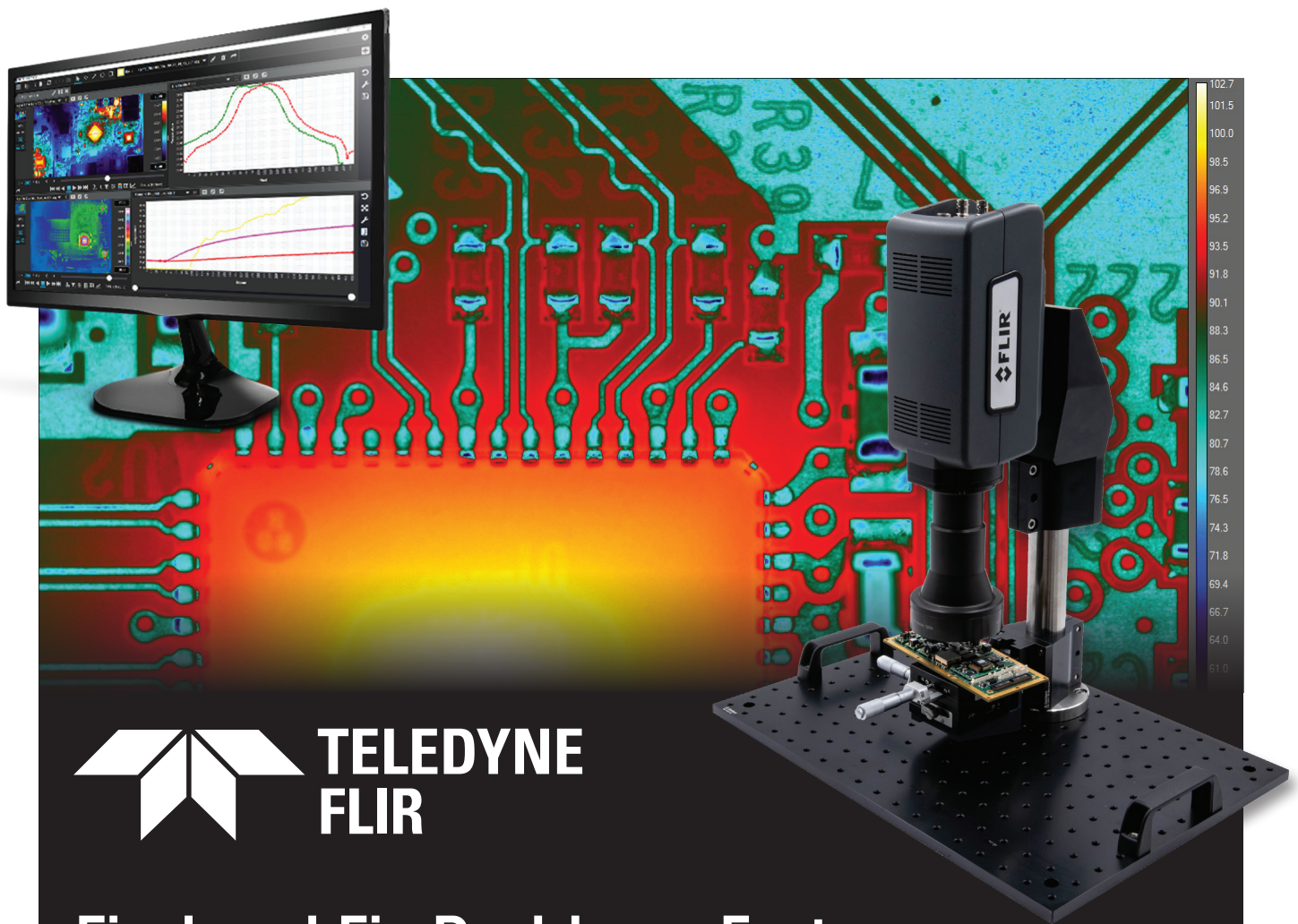


Raja Swaminathan
Corporate Vice President

AMD

Abstract: Chiplet architectures are fundamental to the continued economic viable growth of power efficiency of AI, 5G and edge computing. The slowing of Moore's law has also placed advanced packaging at the critical juncture of technology-architecture intersection driving unique product capabilities. New heterogeneous architectures like 2.5D architectures and 3D Hybrid bonded architectures driving AMD's industry leading advanced technology roadmap to enable power, performance, area, and cost (PPAC) will be discussed. Other topics including Chiplets for AI, challenges and solutions for large chiplet modules etc. will also be discussed.

Bio: Dr. Raja Swaminathan is the Corporate Vice President of Packaging at AMD, spearheading the development of AMD's advanced packaging and heterogeneous integration roadmap. With a distinguished career spanning roles at Intel, Apple, and now AMD, Dr. Swaminathan's expertise in design-technology co-optimization and dedication to optimizing power, performance, area, and cost (PPAC) have led to significant technological advancements such as EMIB, Apple's Mx packages, 3D V-Cache, and 3.5D architectures for AI accelerators. Dr. Swaminathan holds a PhD from Carnegie Mellon University and an undergraduate degree from IIT Madras. With over 100 patents and more than 40 published papers to their name, Dr. Swaminathan was recently recognized as an IEEE Fellow and serves as a technical advisor to multiple startups. His unwavering commitment to heterogeneous integration continues to drive the boundaries of silicon technology.



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K-2: ACCELERATING THE ENERGY TRANSITION THROUGH DIGITAL ENGINEERING AND SIMULATION

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Scott Parent

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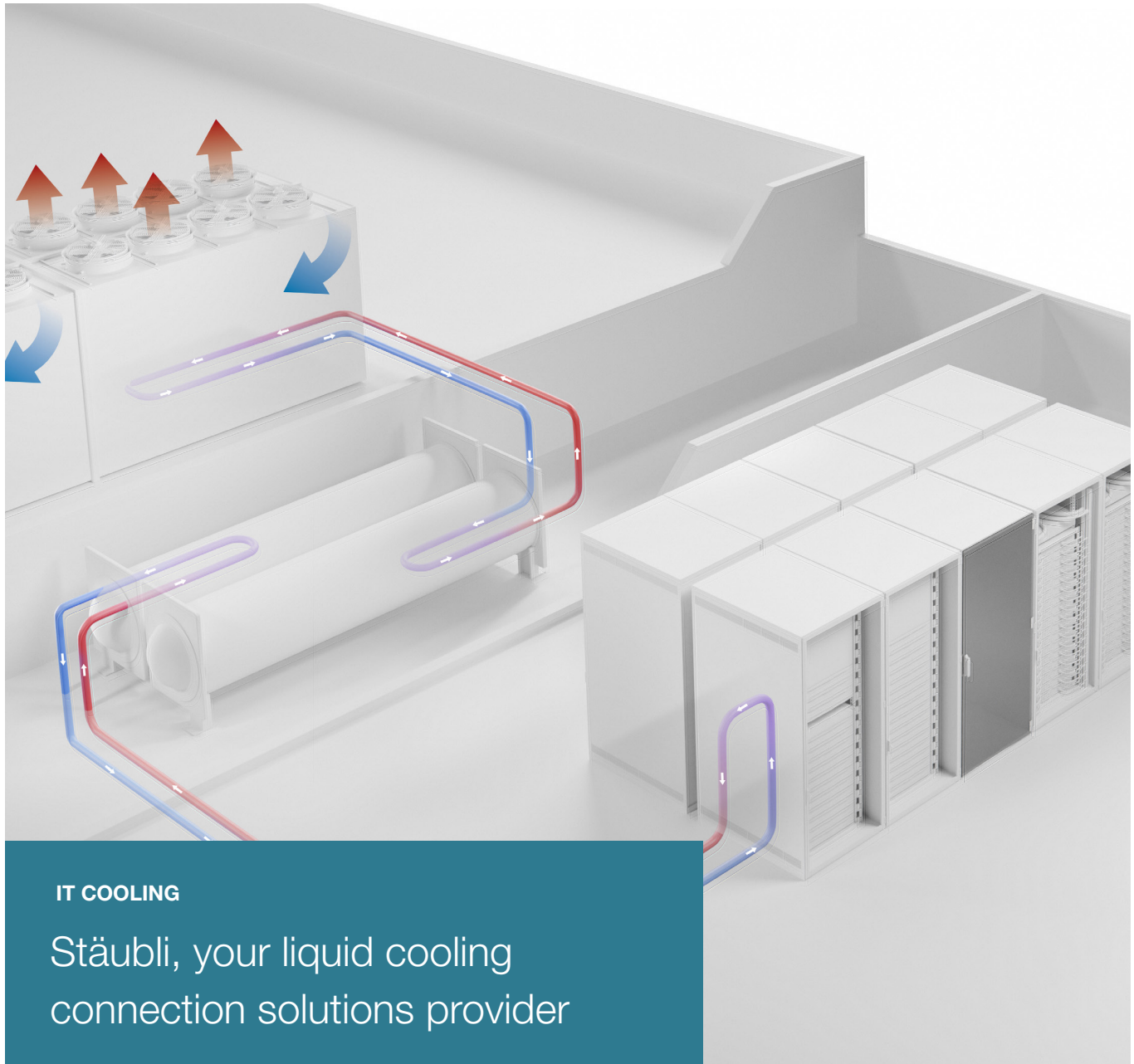
Ansys

Abstract: The energy transition depends on three critical pillars. First, better efficiency as the world wastes over 65% of the energy produced, converted and consumed. Secondly, we need to have reliable, securable energy for a growing global demand. And thirdly, we need to mature rapidly new low-carbon energy solutions such as renewables, hydrogen, SMR and Fusion. There are five digital scalars: 1- High performance multi-physics simulation 2- High performance computing 3- AI/ML methodologies 4- IoT, cloud and connected sensing and 5- Digital engineering, comprised of model-based systems development, digital twinning and mission engineering. These five technologies, when brought together, become a digital hyper scaling ecosystem. This enables engineers to develop, adapt, deploy, mature and scale new products & technologies faster with less risk, accelerating our transition to a more efficient and sustainable future.

Bio: Scott is currently VP & Field CTO at Ansys, connecting globally with customers to understand their digital engineering development needs and aligning methodologies Ansys has to support their transitions. Scott had a number of preceding CTO/COO roles with GE, BP and Baker Hughes.

Scott has a broad leadership background in technology from multi-physics simulation to robotics, analytics, sensors development, asset health monitoring, AI/ML, additive, computer vision, edge analytics and other associated 5-IR technologies. He sits on Pennsylvania State University's Nuclear Engineering Advisory Council and is a Trained Six Sigma Blackbelt.

Scott has a bachelor's degree in mechanical engineering from the University of Maine, and a master's degree in aerospace engineering from Pennsylvania State University.

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K-3: DATA CENTER ENERGY EFFICIENCY IN A POST-EXASCALE ERA

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Cullen Bash

Vice President of Research & Development

Hewlett Packard Labs

Abstract: The growth of generative AI has led to unprecedented advances in information processing not thought possible a decade ago. It's also resulted in significant increases in energy consumption that are putting pressure on scalability and operations. This talk will cover recent research in improving the energy efficiency of data center and IT infrastructure.

Bio: Cullen is a Vice President of R&D at Hewlett Packard Labs and currently serves as Director of the Systems Architecture Lab. Focusing on a wide range of inter-related topics including system and fabric architecture, system software, simulation and modeling, software-hardware co-design, optimization and sustainability. The multidisciplinary lab is tasked with advancing next generation systems architecture from research to revenue.

Prior to his current focus on systems, he served as Director of the Platform Architecture Lab where he led a cross-functional hardware, software and architecture team that spanned several organizations and business units as part of the Machine program within Hewlett Packard Labs.

Cullen also served as interim Director of the Sustainable Ecosystems Research Group at HP Labs where he led wide-ranging research into the sustainability of IT equipment, and the use of IT to improve the sustainability of customer ecosystems. During this time, he was also Principal Investigator of the Sustainable Data Center project which investigated the design and operation of data centers to reduce overall resource consumption. In previous roles, he has led research in thermal technologies over a variety of different length scales, from integrated circuits to data centers. Cullen has also taught undergraduate and graduate level courses in heat transfer and electronics cooling. He is a Fellow of both IEEE and the American Society of Mechanical Engineers.



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Chandrakant D. Patel, P.E.

HP Chief Engineer and Senior Fellow (retired)

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Abstract: The mainframe era of high-performance computers led to innovative approaches in heat removal. The cooling solutions developed by Dr. Richard Chu and colleagues at IBM, including the thermal conduction module and multi-tier air-liquid hybrid cooling, were based on engineering fundamentals. Many individuals, including myself, referred to classic textbooks and models created by researchers at industrial and academic labs for heat transfer design and analysis. This comprehensive approach also included structural analysis due to the emergence of multi-chip modules in computer mainframes. In the late 20th century, compute utilities evolved into large-scale data centers with densely packed standard computing, storage, and networking equipment. Power requirements for these modern data centers are in multi-megawatts, while AI data centers using planetary-scale data may reach gigawatt levels, comparable to hydroelectric power plants. The electrical energy supplied to chips converts to heat, requiring active cooling methods that also consume power. Although many innovative measures have been implemented for heat removal and energy management in data centers, there is a notable gap in the application of engineering principles compared to the methods used by early contributors in Dr. Chu's era. For instance, early contributors often performed exergy (2nd law of thermodynamics) analysis for a comprehensive understanding. Indeed, many data centers today rely on power infrastructure established during the 19th century machine age. Contributors from that era, grounded in the 2nd law of thermodynamics, prioritized building hydro-electric power plants before constructing Aluminum factories. Given the continuous growth of data centers driven by AI and the associated energy demands, it is crucial to revisit these engineering fundamentals, especially considering environmental challenges. In my talk, I will present a holistic approach that traces the energy flow from a power plant to a chip, and from the chip core to the cooling tower.

Bio: A former SVP, Chief Engineer, and Senior Fellow at HP Inc., Chandrakant has been a Silicon Valley contributor for 42 years. Formerly leading HP Labs, he has shaped advancements in chips, high performance computing systems, storage, networking, 3D additive manufacturing systems, and software platforms. Pioneering energy-efficient data center solutions, he founded the Smart Data Center research program at HP Laboratories that led to multi-billion-dollar data center infrastructure and services business. He is a recognized leader in AI, energy efficient computing, and sustainability. With deep passion for fundamentals, and workforce development, he has also served as adjunct faculty in engineering at UC Berkeley, San Jose State, Santa Clara University and Chabot College for two decades. An IEEE Fellow, ASME Fellow, member of the National Academy of Engineering (NAE) and the Silicon Valley Engineering Hall of Fame, Chandrakant holds 167 US patents and has published more than 150 papers. He is a registered professional mechanical engineer in the State of California. Chandrakant has served on the company board of Mphasis, an IT Services Company in India. He has also served on the Industrial Advisory Boards in EECS at UC Berkeley and Mechanical Engineering at Santa Clara University.



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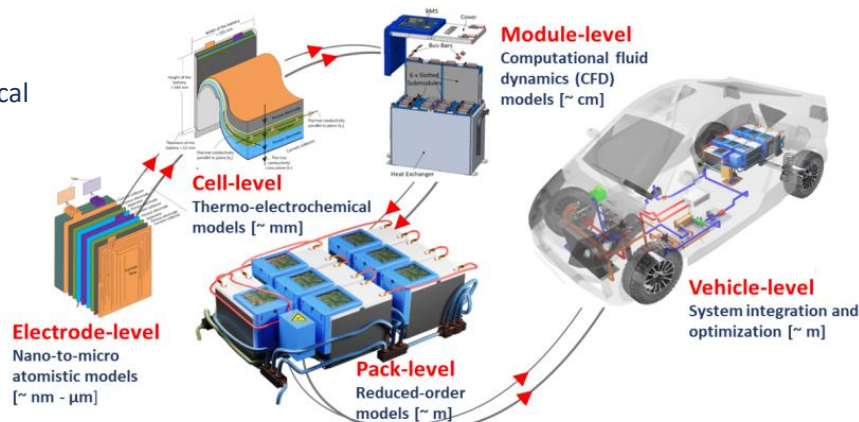
ATOMS Lab's Thermal Management Systems (TMS) Experimental Facility

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Research Scope

ATOMS Lab's experimental-numerical research program on lithium-ion batteries and electric vehicles

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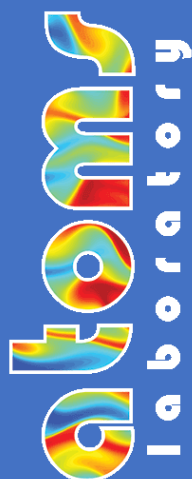
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MORNING COURSES 8:00 AM – 12:00 PM

1. High Reliability Soldering in Semiconductor Packaging

Course Leader: Ning-Cheng Lee – Shinepure Hi-Tech

2. Photonic Technologies for Communication, Sensing, and Displays

Course Leader: Torsten Wipiejewski – Huawei Technologies

3. From Wafer to Panel Level Packaging

Course Leaders: Tanja Braun and Piotr Mackowiak – Fraunhofer IZM

4. Eliminating Failure Mechanisms in Advanced Packages

Course Leader: Darvin Edwards – Edwards Enterprises

5. Introduction to and Advances in 2.3d Fan-Out Wafer Level Packaging (FO-WLP)

Course Leader: Beth Keser – Zero ASIC

6. Wafer-to-Wafer and Die-to-Wafer Hybrid Bonding for Advanced Interconnects

Course Leader: Viorel Dragoi – EV Group

7. Fundamentals of Fabrication Processes and RF Design of Advanced Packages including Fan-Out, Chiplets, Glass and Polymer Interposers

Course Leaders: Ivan Ndiip – Brandenburg University of Technology/Fraunhofer IZM and Markus Wöhrmann – Fraunhofer IZM

8. Design of Reliable Data Center Cooling Systems

Course Leaders: Patrick McCluskey and Damena Agonafer – University of Maryland

AFTERNOON COURSES 1:30 PM – 5:30 PM

9. 3D Packaging Failure Analysis - Failure Mechanisms and Analytical Tools

Course Leader: Deepak Goyal – Independent Consultant

10. Diamond for Heterogeneous Integration

Course Leader: Joana Mendes – University of Aveiro

11. Chiplet, Heterogeneous Integration, and Co-Packaged Optics

Course Leader: John Lau – Unimicron

12. Analysis of Fracture and Delamination in Microelectronic Packages

Course Leader: Andrew Tay – National University of Singapore

13. Advanced Fan-Out Developments and Applications

Course Leaders: John Hunt and Jan Vardaman – Techsearch International, Inc.

14. Flip Chip Technologies

Course Leader: Shengmin Wen – TATA Electronics

15. Design-On-Simulation for Advanced Packaging Reliability and Life Prediction

Course Leaders: Kuo-Ning Chiang – National Tsing Hua University and Xuejun Fan – Lamar University

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Course Leader: Gamal Refai-Ahmed – AMD

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TUESDAY, MAY 27, 8:00 AM – 5:30PM

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Chairs: Ravi Mahajan (Intel) and William Chen (ASE)

- IoT & AI at the Edge
- Advancing Heterogeneous Integration through Metrology & AI
- Integrating Photonics in HPC & Network Systems
- Advances in Panels, Substrates and Printed Circuit Boards

YOUNG PROFESSIONALS NETWORKING PANEL

TUESDAY, MAY 27, 7:00 – 7:45 PM

ECTC, TEXAS C

Chair: Aakrati Jain (IBM)

Join us for an invaluable opportunity to connect with industry leaders and fellow emerging talents! Tailored specifically for young professionals, including current graduate students, this event is crafted with your needs in mind. Engage in dynamic interactions with senior EPS members and professionals through a series of active and engaging activities. Seize the chance to delve deeper into packaging-related topics, pose career questions, and connect with industry professionals for a valuable learning experience.

STUDENT & START-UP INNOVATION CHALLENGE

WEDNESDAY, MAY 28, 6:30 – 8:30 PM

ECTC, TEXAS A-B

Chair: Rozalia Beica (Rapidus), Farhang Yazdani (BroadPak) and Jason Rouse (Taiyo America, Inc.)

This session is organized as a competition and will have competing pitches of both student teams and start-ups followed by deliberation of a jury panel, awards announcements, and networking session. We will have three student pitches and six start-up pitches (7 min. each) followed by Q&A from the jury panel. The Q&A will be open to the audience. The jury will deliberate and choose the winning student team and start-up. The session will end with the announcement of the winners and a networking session.

EPS PRESIDENT'S PANEL SESSION

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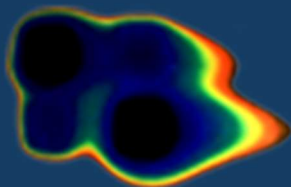
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STUDENT POSTER & NETWORKING SESSION

THURSDAY, MAY 29, 5:30 – 7:00 PM

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Chairs: Aakrati Jain (IBM), Kalind Baraya (IBM), Karthik Sridhar (TI)

In this interactive session, students present their research and network with conference attendees from industry and academia. For employers, this is a great chance to find your next talented engineering hire! Outstanding posters will be selected for awards and will be judged based on technical merit, clarity and self-sufficiency of the content, novelty and originality of the work, overall impact of the poster display, and oral presentation at the poster session.



COMPONENT-LEVEL THERMAL MANAGEMENT

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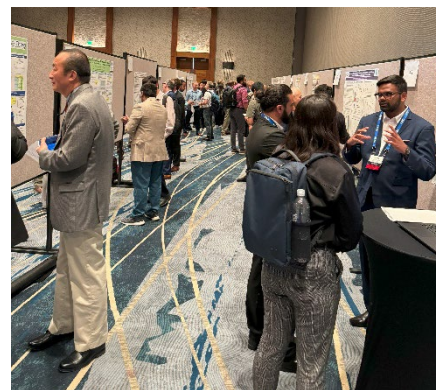
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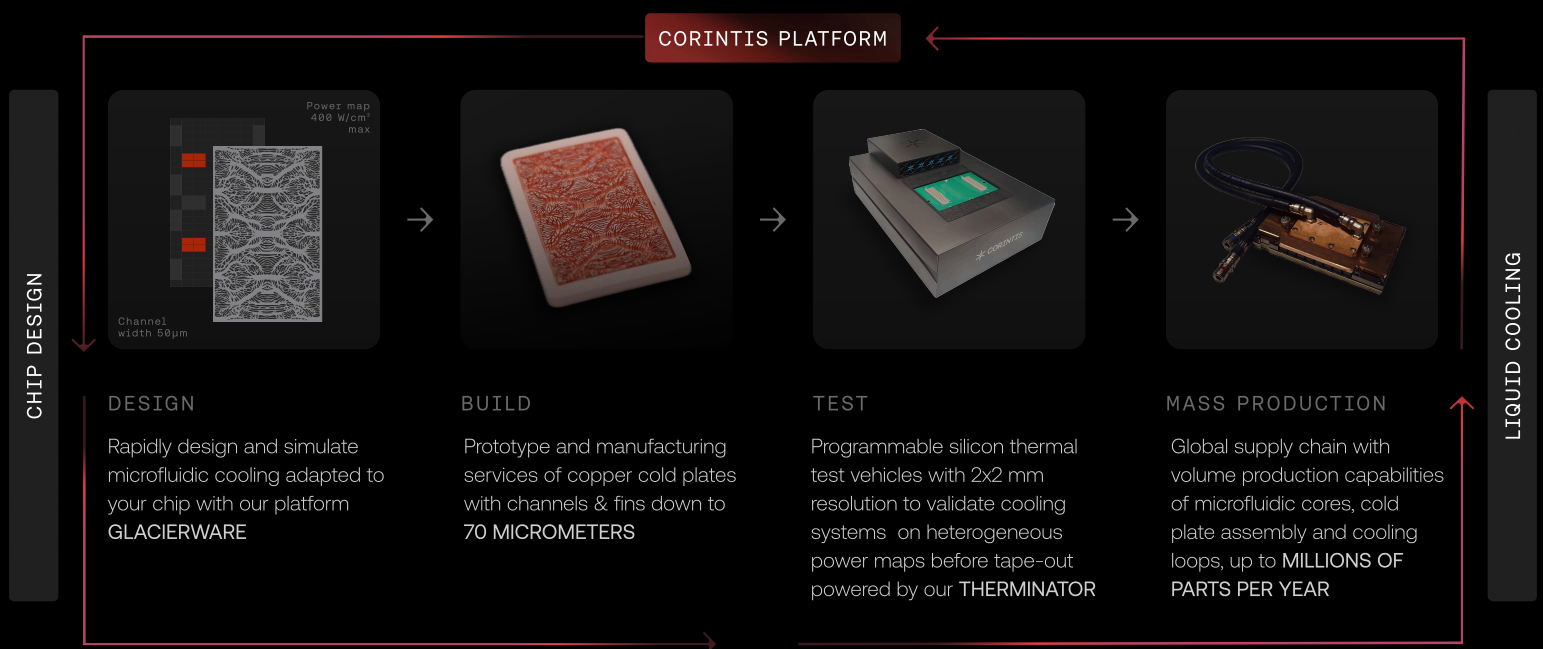


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ASSESSMENT OF BUBBLE PUMP MODEL FOR FLUID DIRECTIONAL MOTION FROM ASYMMETRIC HEATED RATCHETS

G. Prudhvi Reddy (UC Davis)

COMPONENT-LEVEL THERMAL MANAGEMENT TRACK

BEST POSTER

TWO-PHASE COOLING WITH EMBEDDED MICROCHANNELS IN A HIGH CURRENT DENSITY ELECTRIC MOTOR FOR AVIATION APPLICATIONS

Ryan Regan (Purdue University)

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MODELING OF BACKSIDE POWER DELIVERY AND THERMAL MANAGEMENT IN SEMICONDUCTOR DIE PACKAGES

Zekun Wu (Purdue University)

SYSTEM-LEVEL THERMAL MANAGEMENT TRACK

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NOVEL SUBCOOLED BOILING CHAMBER WITH SUBMERGED CONDENSATION FOR HIGH HEAT FLUX REMOVAL FOR DATA CENTER APPLICATION

Maharshi Shukla (RIT)

RUNNER-UP

CLOSED-LOOP ANALYSIS OF THERMAL ENERGY STORAGE DEVICE ARRANGEMENT IN A THERMAL MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

Pandu Dewanatha (Purdue University)

EMERGING TECHNOLOGIES AND FUNDAMENTALS TRACK

BEST POSTER

MODIFICATION OF FLOW BOILING REGIMES AND MECHANISMS IN NEAR-CRITICAL FLOWS

Trevor Whitaker (University of Utah)

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ADVANCING SUSTAINABILITY IN PRINTED ELECTRONICS: LOW TEMPERATURE INTERCONNECTS AND WATER-BASED INK PERFORMANCE

Sabina Bimali (Auburn University)

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REPAIRABILITY OF ADDITIVELY PRINTED CIRCUITS USING SUSTAINABLE AQUEOUS-BASED SILVER NANOPARTICLE INK ON POLYIMIDE SUBSTRATES

Daniel Karakitie (Auburn University)

MECHANICS AND RELIABILITY TRACK

BEST POSTER

PREDICTIVE DAMAGE MODELING AT POTTED ELECTRONIC ASSEMBLIES UNDER HIGH G SHOCK LOADS

Aathi Pandurangan (Auburn University)

RUNNER-UP

INVESTIGATION OF THE EFFECTS OF SUSTAINED HIGH-TEMPERATURE ON THE RELIABILITY OF LEAD-FREE SOLDER JOINT ASSEMBLIES IN VIBRATION

Vishal Mehta (Auburn University)

RUNNER-UP

RELIABILITY OF SAC305 ALLOY IN DROP SHOCK AT ELEVATED TEMPERATURE

Palash Vyas (Auburn University)

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ASME/K16 & IEEE/EPS STUDENT DESIGN CHALLENGE

WEDNESDAY, MAY 28, 5:30 – 6:30 PM

LEVEL 2, TATE A1

Chairs: Lang Yuan (Intel), Han Hu (University of Arkansas), Tiwei Wei (Purdue), Amy Marconnet (Purdue), P. Subrahmanyam (Dell), Sameer Rao (University of Utah) & Chirag Kharangate (Case Western Reserve University)

The Student Design Challenge is a team competition in which students design, analyze, and optimize an additively manufactured cold-plate to cool constant heat flux power electronics modules that are subjected to forced convection liquid cooling using water. The design from each student team is evaluated based on a series of design and manufacturing criteria. Those with the highest predicted performance and creativity, will be 3D printed and tested. Thanks to our printing sponsor (Fabric8Labs), testing sponsors (Intel and the S-PACK lab at Purdue University) and competition sponsors (Accelsius and Toyota).



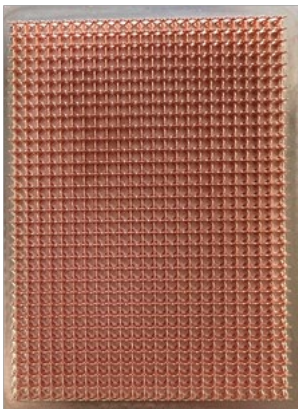
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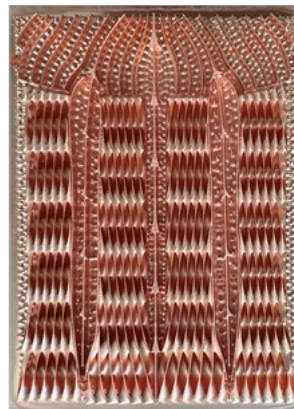
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U. of Nottingham, & Loughborough U.

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Team Members:

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Aero Product: Congrui Ma, Junren Mao, Hongzhuo Zhu, and Jikun Qian

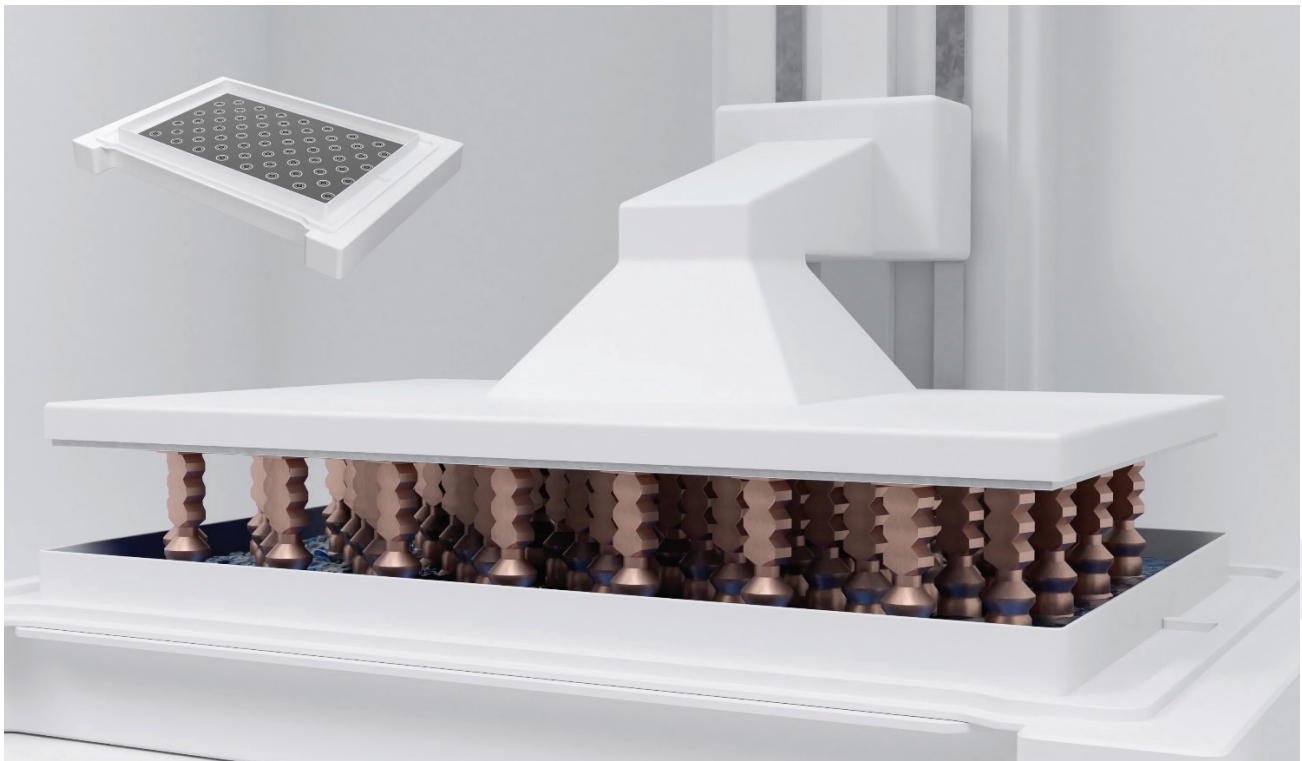
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Our Company

Founded in 2015, Fabric8Labs is headquartered in San Diego, USA. The company has a 43,530 sq ft. production facility to support the foundry based business model. Fabric8Labs is set to produce high resolution and high performance components for customers worldwide. With a strong investor profile, Fabric8Labs is committed to a growth trajectory to support our customer needs in semiconductor, automotive, defense and aerospace industries.

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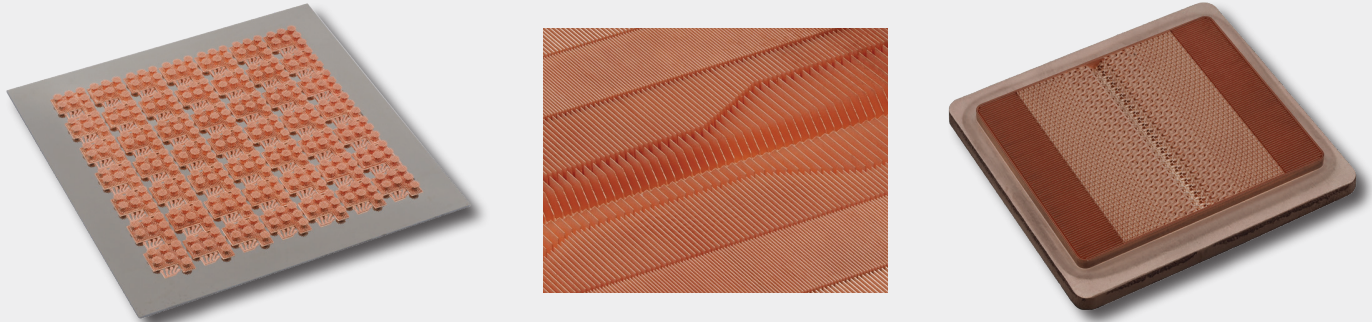


Technology

Electrochemical Additive Manufacturing (ECAM) is a room-temperature 3D metal printing technology that produces complex, dense metal parts without thermal processing. ECAM builds rapidly at the atomic level from a water-based feedstock containing dissolved metal ions. The electrochemical approach allows for micron-scale feature resolution, complex internal features, high-purity materials, and rapid scalability to support mass manufacturing. Fabric8Labs can leverage generative design techniques and realize the potential of improved performance through mass customization of application optimized designs.

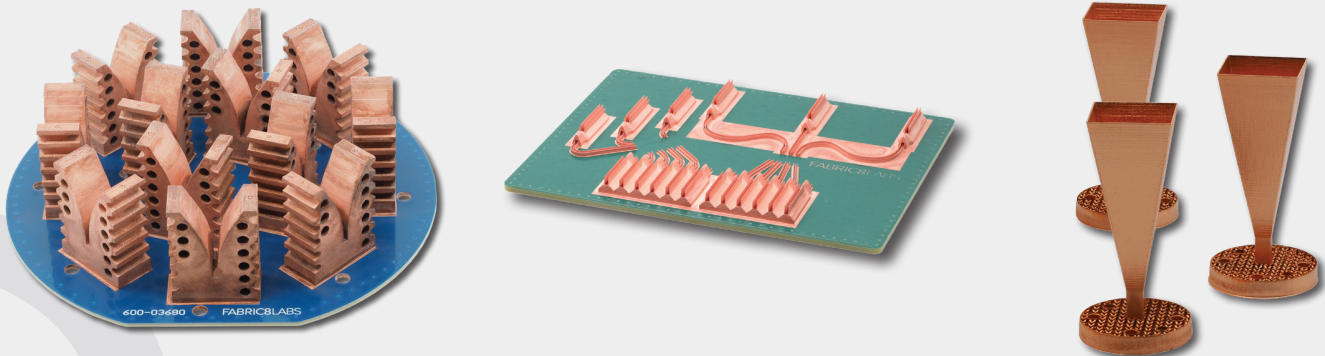
Thermal Management

Fabric8Labs optimizes designs to maximize the convective and conductive heat transfer. Due to the pure quality of copper that is printed using ECAM, the thermal conductivity is measured to be 380 W/m-K. ECAM also presents a unique opportunity to direct print on any metallized substrate. This allows for cooling structures to be printed directly on substrates such as ceramic and silicon eliminating thermal interface material boosting performance. ECAM technology enables revolutionary liquid cooling solutions via custom cold plates and high surface area structures for immersion cooling.



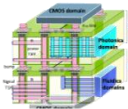
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Fabric8Labs can print 3D antenna structures on pre-patterned PCBs. Three dimensional antenna structures can allow for increased antenna gain and bandwidth, improving system level performance and eliminating unnecessarily redundant systems in final deployment. ECAM method of 3D printing can also direct write an RF structure on any metallized substrate. By controlling print parameters this 3D printing technique achieves uniform roughness (Ra) along the internal surface of the antenna for optimal performance.



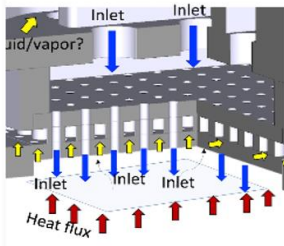
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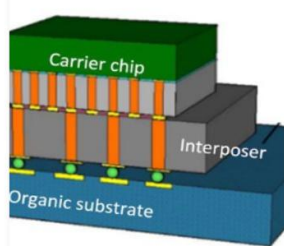


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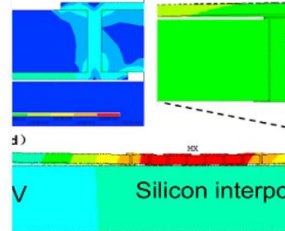
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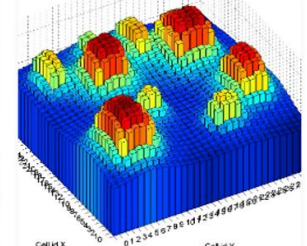
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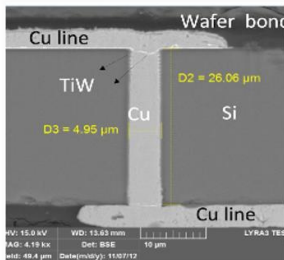
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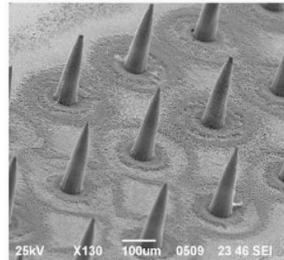
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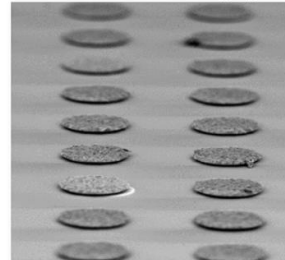
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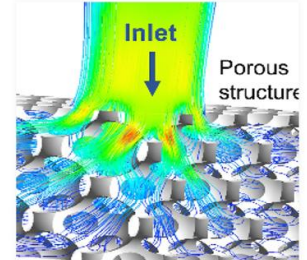
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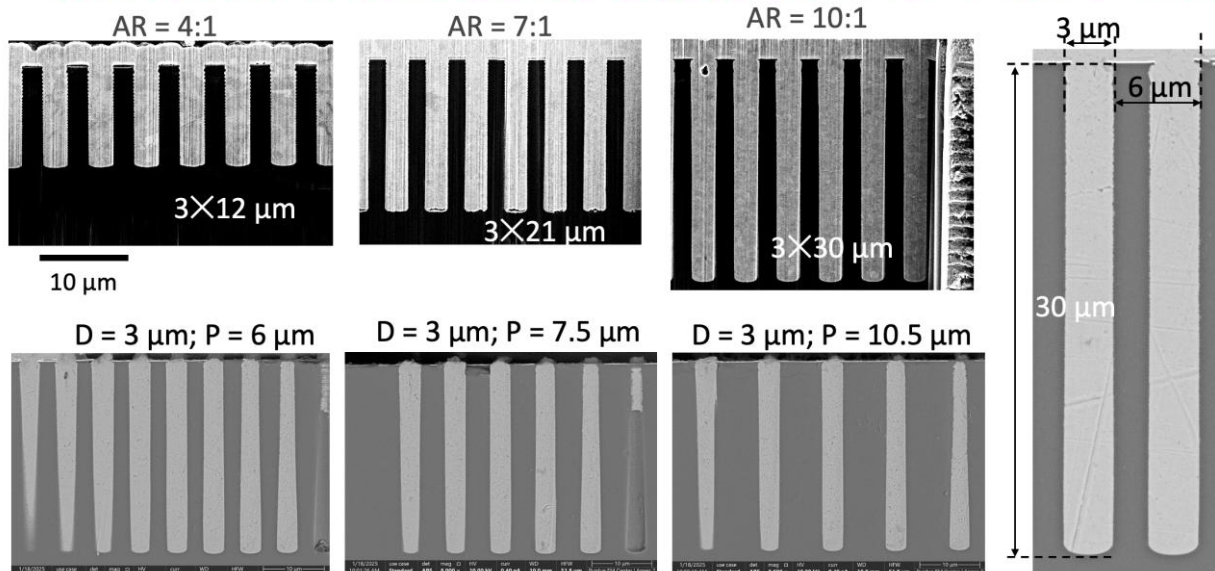
Micro-bump Bonding, Cu/dielectric Hybrid Bonding and Characterization



Surface Engineering Enhancement of Advanced Cooling Technology

Principal investigator: Dr. Tiwei Wei tiwei@purdue.edu Research website: <https://s-pack.org/>

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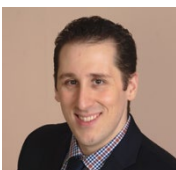
TECHNOLOGY-TALKS

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TT-01: DATA CENTER STANDARDS FOR SUSTAINABILITY

WEDNESDAY, MAY 28, 8:15 – 9:15 AM

LEVEL 2, TATE A5



WHAT'S NEEDED TO DECARBONIZE DATA CENTERS?

Dustin Demetriou

Senior Technical Staff Member

IBM Infrastructure - Advanced Thermal Energy Efficiency Lab

IBM

Abstract: Technology and digitization are key to achieving the net zero goals necessary to mitigate the worst impacts of climate change. The data center industry has been at the forefront of working towards these goals with continual innovation in IT and data center cooling designs. With the growing demand for AI, the industry needs to again refocus around the conversation of lifecycle emissions impact. This Tech Talk session will provide a review of the relevant industry sustainability frameworks, how they apply to the data center industry, and where the biggest opportunities exist to continue pushing towards Net Zero. It will discuss targets and metrics across multiple disciplines - energy efficiency, renewable energy, water, circular economy, and heat reuse – and the latest research going on in these areas. Lastly, it will talk about the evolving data center landscape, from enterprise to colocation services to cloud services and how these impact an organization's emissions.

Bio: Dustin Demetriou is a Senior Technical Staff Member and leads sustainability and data center innovation for IBM Infrastructure. He is an Accredited Sustainability Advisor by the Uptime Institute and an ASHRAE Distinguished Lecturer. He holds a Ph.D. in Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering from Syracuse University. He is a globally recognized expert in the field of thermal management and data center energy efficiency and is the current Chair of the ASHRAE Technical Committee 9.9 (TC 9.9) IT Subcommittee and the past Chair of ASHRAE TC 9.9. He is a past Chair of the IEEE ITherm conference and currently serves on the Executive Committee.



THE NEXT CHAPTER OF LIQUID COOLING FOR DATA CENTERS

Moises Levy

Managing Director

DCD > Intelligence

Abstract: The intersection of AI and data center cooling presents a significant challenge: as computational capabilities expand, the demand for efficient thermal management systems intensifies, putting traditional cooling methods to the test. AI-dedicated data centers, or AI factories, currently handle power densities nearing 120kW per rack, with future projections surpassing 300kW, 600kW, and possibly 1MW per rack. Liquid cooling is solidifying its role in the transformation towards more environmentally friendly next-generation data centers. This presentation will cover liquid cooling technologies, advancements, drivers and challenges, sustainability, and promising innovations, along with an exploration of new business models and recent acquisitions shaping the industry.

Bio: Moises Levy, PhD, is a seasoned engineer, data center subject matter expert, trusted advisor and entrepreneur. With more than 25 years of professional experience in the industry, and more than 15 years dedicated mainly to data center physical infrastructure projects, Dr. Levy has a diverse background in planning, design, management, risk assessment, and strategic consulting of engineering projects. He has founded and managed engineering firms, leading numerous engineering projects across different verticals, and providing advisory services for data center projects and new technologies. In 2023 he was honored to serve as a reviewer for the US Department of Energy's ARPA-E COOLERCHIPS initiative. Researcher, contributor to standards, author of numerous publications, and regular speaker at conferences. He holds a PhD, MS and BS in Electrical Engineering, and a BS in Civil Engineering.

TT-03: HIGH FIDELITY SIMULATION OF BOILING COOLANTS, NEW APPROACHES, CHALLENGES AND OPPORTUNITIES

WEDNESDAY, MAY 28, 2:00 - 3:30 PM

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THE ROLE OF HIGH-PERFORMANCE COMPUTING FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF MULTI-PHASE HEAT TRANSFER FLOWS IN ELECTRONICS COOLING

Constantine M. Megaridis

James P. Hartnett Professor of Energy Engineering
University Distinguished Professor
University of Illinois Chicago

Abstract: 3D Heterogeneous Integration (3DHI) of electronic components has attracted attention due to its promise to produce advanced packages with superior power-handling capabilities. But 3DHI faces critical challenges posed by the ever-increasing power requirements, the limited space available for the package, the reduced access to the hot spots and the inability of single-phase cooling approaches to handle the required power loads. Among several approaches that are considered for cooling 3D-integrated stacks, microchannel flows of phase-changing fluids offer an attractive option for keeping the heat sensitive components within their safe temperature limits. Multiphysics modeling can guide the design of microchannel cooling strategies where heat fluxes may exceed 1 kW/cm² in packages with characteristic length scales below a few centimeters. These conditions necessitate refrigerant flows whose residence times are in the millisecond range. When one considers the transient nature of these flows, along with the wide range of length scales (microns to cm) and time scales (milliseconds to seconds) that must be resolved, the computing requirements exceed those available in typical laboratory installations. High Performance Computing (HPC) resources offer an attractive option, but these become prohibitive -due to high licensing fees- when commercial CFD packages are employed. We present examples of a public-domain model (OpenFOAM) used to analyze diverging microchannel flows with Reynolds numbers in the turbulent regime. These examples offer a glimpse of how such models can be enhanced to create tools for analyzing complex multi-phase, multi-dimensional flows encountered in cooling of electronic packages. Challenges and opportunities are discussed, and ideas are offered on how various computational approaches can be used in a complementary fashion to promote technological advancement.

Bio: Dr. Megaridis holds the James P. Hartnett Chair of Energy Engineering and is the Director of the Micro/Nanoscale Fluid Transport Laboratory at the U Illinois Chicago (UIC). He received his Ph.D. in Fluid/Thermal Sciences from Brown University, and a M.S. in Applied Mathematics also from Brown. He is a Fellow of the American Physical Society and the American Society of Mechanical Engineers. He was named UIC Distinguished Professor in 2018, UIC Inventor of the Year in 2015, and University of Illinois Scholar in 2012. His current research activities focus on thermal management, multiphase heat and mass transfer, multifunctional coatings and interfacial phenomena relevant to micro and nanotechnologies.



ADVANCES IN TWO-PHASE MODELING RESEARCH TO MEET FUTURE THERMAL MANAGEMENT CHALLENGES

Chirag Kharangate

Assistant Professor
Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering
Case Western Reserve University

Abstract: Developments in many modern applications are encountering rapid escalation in heat dissipation, coupled with a need to decrease the size of thermal management hardware. These developments have spurred unprecedented interest in replacing single-phase hardware with other more efficient configurations including two-phase boiling and condensation counterparts. However, accurately modeling of two-phase thermal transport has been a challenge for decades leading to limited implementation of these technologies. In today's talk, I will showcase fundamental research being conducted to gain clarity on thermal transport in flow boiling and flow condensation configurations. For both flow boiling and flow condensation, a combination of theoretical, computational, and data sciences driven approaches to modeling phase-change will be covered. In the theoretical part, control volume-based approaches to modeling phase-change performance parameters will be discussed. In the computational part, various approaches to developing computational fluid dynamics (CFD) simulations for predicting transient and steady-state boiling and condensation configurations will be discussed. In the data sciences part, machine learning approaches like physics-informed neural network (PINN) for model discovery and PINNs-based CFD modeling will be discussed. With development of novel thermal design tools, this research effort aims to increase the implementation of boiling and condensation across systems and devices to meet their future heat dissipation needs.

Bio: Chirag Kharangate is an Assistant Professor of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering at Case Western Reserve University and Director of the Two-Phase Flow and Thermal Management Laboratory, where his group addresses research and development needs in electronics packaging and thermal management technologies utilizing single-phase and two-phase flows for automotive, computer, defense, and aerospace applications. Dr. Kharangate's research group explores methodologies for testing and modeling flow boiling, flow condensation, and single-phase cooling schemes. He complements his experimental and theoretical work with the development of computational fluid dynamics (CFD) as well as novel machine learning tools for predicting phase change phenomena. Dr. Kharangate has co-authored over 90 refereed journal and conference papers (h-index of 25). He has been recognized by the Case School of Engineering Research Award, ASME K-16 Outstanding Early Faculty Career in Thermal Management Award, ASME EPPD Early Career Engineer Award, and the Office of Naval Research Young Investigator Program Award.



HYBRID METHODS FOR OPTIMAL MODELING OF COMPONENTS AND SYSTEMS WITH TWO PHASE FLOW AND HEAT TRANSFER

David Geb

Applications Engineer
ANSYS

Abstract: Liquid cooling has emerged as a prominent solution for electronics thermal management and has gained mainstream application in areas such as datacenters (e.g. processor cooling in servers), and electric vehicles (e.g. battery, motor and inverter cooling). While single phase is common, two-phase flow and heat transfer designs are beneficial in many cases. Methods for modeling two phase flow hydraulics and heat transfer have been established. However, they can be costly (in terms of computing resources), difficult to implement, or lacking fidelity. An optimal modeling method might consider a complementary, hybrid modeling approach. However, such hybrid modeling methods are less established. One potential hybrid modeling method could implement co-simulation of a 3D model and a 0D/1D model representing different domains, coupled across a heat transfer interface. Another could implement embedded thermal Reduced Order Models (ROMs) within a CFD model. Such approaches have benefits but come with challenges. This talk will highlight such approaches. An optimized hybrid model that balances cost and accuracy can overcome modeling challenges and enable improved design space exploration for components and systems with two phase flow and heat transfer.

Bio: David Geb is an Application Engineer at Ansys, specializing in electronics thermal management applications. He has been with Ansys for over 10 years. Prior to Ansys he received his Ph.D. in Mechanical Engineering from UCLA and was a postdoctoral scholar at University of Colorado Boulder.



ITherm 2024 Tech Talk

TT-07: ELECTRIC VEHICLE THERMAL MANAGEMENT

THURSDAY, MAY 29, 2:00 – 3:30 PM

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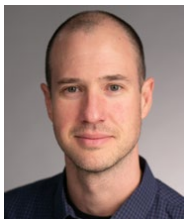
ADVANCED POWER ELECTRONICS AND ELECTRIC MACHINES PACKAGING AND THERMAL MANAGEMENT

Sreekant Narumanchi

Distinguished Member of Research Staff
Advanced Power Electronics and Electric Machines Group Manager
National Renewable Energy Laboratory (NREL)

Abstract: Power electronics and electric machines are being used and envisioned for use in vehicles as well as in other applications. In this presentation, I will describe some challenges and opportunities for power electronics and electric machines for vehicular applications. After that, I will give an overview of my group's recent research activities in power electronics, electric machines and integrated traction drive systems with a focus on packaging and thermal management.

Bio: Sreekant Narumanchi is a Distinguished Member of Research Staff, and the Group Manager of the Advanced Power Electronics and Electric Machines (APEEM) Group within the Energy Conversion and Storage Systems Center at the National Renewable Energy Laboratory, in Golden, CO, U.S.A., where he is currently in his 21st year. He leads a Group of 15 full-time researcher staff members focused on electro-thermal, thermal-fluids, thermo-mechanical and reliability aspects of power electronics and electric machines for electric-drive vehicles and multiple other applications. Over the years, his group has collaborated with almost 100 institutions cutting across industry, universities, national labs, federal agencies, and other research institutions. Sreekant is an American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) Fellow, and an Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE) Senior Member. He has published over 125 peer-reviewed journal- and conference papers and book chapters. Professionally, he is active in leadership roles on multiple committees, advisory boards, conferences, and journals – including those under IEEE and ASME. Some of the external awards Sreekant has received include the 2023 ASME Avram Bar-Cohen Memorial Medal, and the 2022 THERMI Award. Sreekant received a Ph.D. from Carnegie Mellon University (2003), M.S. from Washington State University (1999), and B. Tech. from Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur (1997), all in Mechanical Engineering.



SELECT TECHNOLOGIES FOR COOLING OF HIGH HEAT FLUX POWER SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICES

Ercan Dede

Director, Electronics Research Department
Toyota Research Institute of North America

Abstract: The aim of this talk is to examine advancements in cooling technologies for high-performance power semiconductor devices, and particular focus is placed on concepts researched and developed in the last ~15 years. Starting from a summary of a preceding strategic analysis in the late-2000 timeframe, we more deeply explore technologies categorized into four main groups: single-phase (especially jet impingement) cooling, microchannel cooling, two-phase cooling, and embedded (or near-junction) cooling. Based on the research outcomes, we highlight the significance of effective thermal management utilizing these technologies in enhancing the performance of power electronics, especially as devices operate at higher power densities. Key findings include the rapid growth of novel thermal-fluid design methods, such as multiphysics topology optimization for conjugate heat transfer, and exploration of associated prototypes, such as combined single-phase jet impingement plus microchannel, two-phase jet impingement, and near-junction chip-embedded coolers. Demonstrated design methods and cold plate concepts are shown to have promise in reducing thermal resistance and improving heat transfer efficiency, and tradeoffs between the various cooling technology categories are identified. Finally, we will cover the ongoing need for innovative cooling solutions to meet the demands of next-generation power electronics and directions for future research in this critical area.

Bio: Ercan (Eric) Dede received his BS degree and PhD in mechanical engineering from the University of Michigan and an MS degree in mechanical engineering from Stanford University. Currently, he is the Director of the Electronics Research Department at the Toyota Research Institute of North America. He is a Fellow of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) and a Senior Member of the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE). His team focuses on vehicle systems involving advanced sensors, human-machine interfaces, power semiconductors, electronics and photonics packaging, and thermal management technology. He has 240+ issued patents and has published more than 125 articles in archival journals and conference proceedings on topics related

to design and structural optimization of thermal, mechanical, and electromagnetic systems. He is an author of a book entitled "Multiphysics Simulation: Electromechanical System Applications and Optimization." His team has received two R&D 100 Awards for the development of technologies related to next-generation electronics for electrified vehicles. He currently serves as an Associate Editor for the ASME Open Journal of Engineering and a Guest Editor for IEEE Transactions on Components, Packaging and Manufacturing Technology.



EV HIGH VOLTAGE SYSTEM THERMAL PERFORMANCE AND IMPACT ON RELIABILITY

Unique Rahangdale

Senior Staff/Lead Reliability Engineer
Rivian

Abstract: The burgeoning electric vehicle (EV) market demands systems with increased power output and efficiency. Battery and power electronics, including inverters, motors, and energy management systems, are crucial for converting chemical energy into final kinetic energy. To achieve sustainability goals, minimizing losses and maximizing the conversion of input power to useful power is paramount. This necessitates sophisticated thermal management strategies. Battery systems require optimal operating temperatures, achieved through both active cooling and heating, while other high-voltage systems rely on efficient cooling to minimize losses. Critically, the temperature of these systems is intrinsically linked to their reliability, making accurate assessment of component lifespan a primary concern. This presentation discusses the approach and overview that prioritizes both thermal performance and reliability, especially within the context of dynamic vehicle operation, including demanding off-road scenarios. The drive definition is critical in knowing required load for vehicle in development therefore using virtual simulation techniques, incorporating realistic drive cycle inputs to analyze thermal profiles and assess reliability is part of development process. This virtual prototyping enables iterative design optimization, where thermal management solutions are refined based on Simulink simulation results. The outcome assures the system runs within the rated temperature limit but design for reliability assess distribution of thermal over life and can provide stricter rated limit to demonstrate better life. By integrating these considerations, we can develop robust and efficient thermal management strategies for high-performance electric vehicles.

Bio: Unique Rahangdale is a Senior Lead Reliability Engineer at Rivian Automotive Inc., where he has worked for over four years. He leads the reliability of electric power conversion systems, including inverters, motors, and energy management systems. With nearly a decade of experience, patent, and published research in electronics reliability, Unique has a proven track record of implementing innovative solutions that enhance product durability. Prior to Rivian, he honed his expertise at Joby Aviation as a Design for Reliability Engineer, focusing on electric vertical takeoff and landing (eVTOL) aircraft. His diverse background also includes a role as a Reliability Simulation Scientist at Waymo, where he contributed to the development of high safety lidar and computing product for autonomous vehicles. Unique holds a master's degree and has returned to academia to pursuing a Ph.D. under the guidance of Professor Dr. Dereje Agonafer, further deepening his knowledge of reliability challenges in heterogeneous packaging.



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The Electronic, MEMS, and Nanoelectronics Systems Packaging Center (EMNSPC) at the University of Texas at Arlington (UTA) is a leading research facility that advances the field of electronic packaging technologies. The center, directed by Dr. Dereje Agonafer, a member of the National Academy of Engineering (NAE), focuses on multidisciplinary research to solve thermo-mechanical challenges in microelectronics, MEMS (Micro-Electro-Mechanical Systems), and nanoelectronics. These research areas address the need for reliable and efficient packaging solutions in high-performance electronics that are critical for various industries, including AI, hyperscale data centers, automotive and aerospace.

At the heart of EMNSPC's work are key research areas such as liquid cooling, immersion cooling, and data center contamination. These technologies are essential in the development of next-generation data centers, particularly hyperscale data centers, which are characterized by vast processing power and heat generation. As data centers grow in size and complexity, managing the heat produced by densely packed electronics becomes a critical factor for both performance and sustainability. EMNSPC has pioneered liquid and immersion cooling technologies, which replace traditional air-cooling methods with more efficient solutions, enabling faster and more reliable operations while reducing energy consumption and environmental impact.

One of EMNSPC's significant contributions to the field is its focus on reliability testing, ensuring that the packaging solutions developed can withstand the physical and thermal stresses associated with various applications. This is particularly important in industries like aerospace and telecommunications, where the failure of electronic systems can lead to severe consequences. By addressing these challenges, EMNSPC supports the creation of electronics that are smaller, faster, and more durable, without compromising performance.

Notable Achievements

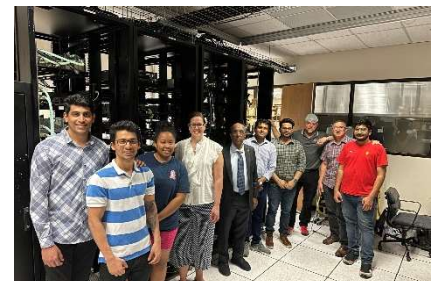
More than **250** students graduated

400 journal and conference publications

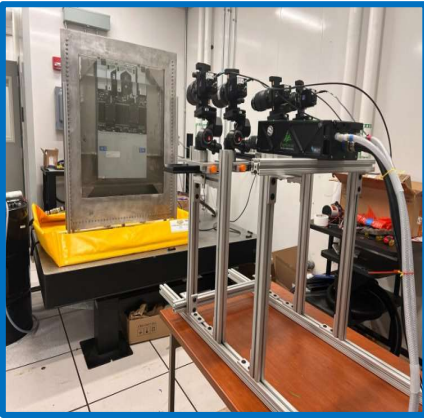
Several best and outstanding paper awards

15 industry and government collaborations

State of the art **Thermal, Thermo-Mechanical and Reliability** Equipment



Immersion, Liquid and Hybrid Cooling



Immersion cooling is an innovative technique that submerges electronic components in a non-conductive dielectric fluid, enhancing heat transfer and eliminating the need for air-based cooling, which increases efficiency and lowers energy use. In contrast, liquid cooling circulates a cooling fluid through channels connected using a cold plate to heat-generating components, allowing for precise temperature control, making it ideal for high-performance applications. Hybrid systems combine both methods, optimizing cooling efficiency in data centers by applying liquid cooling to high-heat-density components and using air cooling for others, thus improving performance and sustainability.

Packaging and Reliability

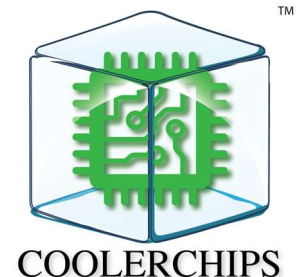
Packaging technologies are essential for ensuring the reliability and performance of electronic components, particularly in applications requiring durability and longevity. Modern packaging encapsulates components like processors and memory chips in protective materials that shield them from mechanical stress, extreme temperatures, and environmental contaminants. Key techniques include flip-chip bonding, which enables efficient thermal management by mounting the chip upside-down, and methods like wire bonding and ball grid arrays (BGAs) for connecting chips to packages and external circuits. Thermal interface materials (TIMs) enhance heat dissipation by minimizing thermal resistance. Reliability testing methods, such as accelerated life testing (ALT) and failure analysis techniques like scanning electron microscopy (SEM), help evaluate and identify potential weaknesses in packaging, ensuring modern electronics can perform effectively even in demanding conditions.



Industry Collaborations

- Intel
- Nvidia
- Meta
- Google
- Chemours
- Texas Instruments
- LiquidStack
- Fabric8Labs and more...

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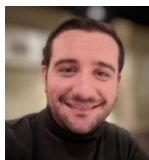
P-02: DATA CENTER / LIQUID COOLING

WEDNESDAY, MAY 28, 11:00 AM – 12:30 PM

LEVEL 2, TATE A5

Data processing, transport, and storage demands are exponentially increasing, driven by applications in mobile broadband, video/gaming, cloud, 5G networks, Artificial Intelligence, and Internet of Things. Such trends are directly linked to next-generation “digital transformation”, which is dominated by intelligent machine-to-machine and human-to-machine communications, automating “everything everywhere” in a new ecosystem. This has profound implications in terms of overall design that mandates greater system functionalities per unit volume, inevitably associated with higher heat densities. Consequently, thermal management using liquid-cooling approaches will be critical to solve increasingly onerous sustainability and performance challenges pressing the large-scale computing and telecommunication systems, which are driving the integration of digital technology into nearly every corner of a society at an unprecedented pace. A panel of distinguished members will share their vision on the future of liquid-cooling technology for data centers.

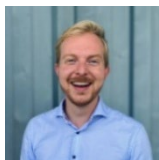
MODERATOR



**Dr. Raffaele
Luca Amalfi**
SEGUENTE
Inc.

Bio: Dr. Raffaele Luca Amalfi is the CEO and Co-Founder of SEGUENTE Inc., considered an Innovator, visionary, and industry influencer driving Seguento's strategic business, technology & product roadmap, capital objectives, and growth goals. Before SEGUENTE, he had strategic roles in large corporate companies, leading R&D and commercialization activities in the field of thermal management, and advanced liquid-cooling technologies of high-performance communications and computing systems. He authored over 75 scientific publications in leading journals, conference proceedings, and handbooks, and 20 patents. Dr. Amalfi is the Secretary of the ASME K-16 Heat Transfer Committee, Member of the OCP Heat Reuse Steering Committee, former Guest Editor for the ASME Journal of Electronic Packaging, and recipient of numerous IEEE, ASME and Government Awards

PANELISTS



**Dr. Remco
van Erp**
Corintis

SINGLE-PHASE LIQUID COOLING FOR DATA CENTER CHIPS BEYOND SKIVED COLD PLATES: CO-DESIGNED AND CO-PACKAGED MICROFLUIDIC COOLING FOR HIGH-POWER GPUS.

Bio: Dr. Remco van Erp is co-founder and CEO of Corintis, a Swiss-based company that develops liquid cooling solutions for data center applications. Remco received B.S. and M.S. degrees in mechanical engineering from the Eindhoven University of Technology, Eindhoven, The Netherlands and holds a Ph.D. degree in microsystems and microelectronics with the École Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne (EPFL), Lausanne, Switzerland.

BEYOND THE COLD PLATE: CHALLENGES IN SCALING TWO-PHASE DIRECT TO CHIP COOLING FOR DATA CENTERS

Bio: Dr. Alfonso Ortega is the James R. Birle Professor of Energy Technology at Villanova University and Professor of Mechanical and Sustainable Engineering. He is the Director of the Laboratory for Advanced Thermal and Fluid Systems and the Founding Director of the Villanova site of the NSF Center for Energy Smart Electronic Systems (ES2) founded in 2011. He currently is the co-Director of the Villanova Strategic Initiative for Climate, Justice, and Sustainability. Formerly he was the Associate Dean for Graduate Programs and Research in the College of Engineering and Villanova's inaugural Associate Vice President for Research and Graduate Programs. Dr. Ortega received his B.S. from The University of Texas-El Paso, and his M.S. and Ph.D. from Stanford University, all in Mechanical Engineering. He was on the faculty of the Department of Aerospace and Mechanical Engineering at The University of Arizona in Tucson for 18 years. For two years, he served as the Program Director for Thermal Transport and Thermal Processing in the Chemical and Transport Systems Division of The National Science Foundation, where he managed the NSF's primary program funding heat transfer and thermal technology research in U.S. universities. Dr. Ortega is a teacher of thermal sciences and experimental methods. Dr. Ortega is a teacher of thermodynamics, thermal and energy sciences, and design. He is currently developing a new graduate course on Thermodynamics for Sustainable Engineering Systems. He is an internationally recognized expert in thermal and energy management in electronic systems. He has supervised over 40 M.S. and Ph.D. candidates to degree completion, 5 postdoctoral researchers, and more than 70 undergraduate research students. He is the author of over 300 journal and symposia papers, chapters, and monographs and is a frequent short course lecturer and consultant on thermal and energy management and experimental measurements. He is a Fellow of the ASME and received the 2003 SEMITHERM Thermie Award and the 2017 ITherm Achievement Award in recognition of his contributions to the field of electronics thermal measurements.



Dr. Alfonso Ortega
Villanova University

SUSTAINABLE REFRIGERANT TRANSITION IN DATA CENTERS

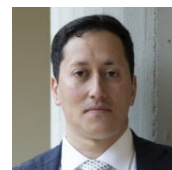


Dr. Nitin Karwa
Honeywell

Bio: Dr. Nitin Karwa currently works as the Principal R&D Engineer at Honeywell's Buffalo Research Labs. In this role, he focuses on developing new heat transfer fluids for various applications such as electronic cooling, air conditioning, and industrial heat pumps. Dr. Karwa holds a PhD in Mechanical Engineering from the Technical University of Darmstadt in Germany and has spent 3 years on postdoctoral research at universities in Germany and Australia. With 11 years of industry experience, he specializes in vapor compression systems for HVAC and industrial heating, and two-phase heat transfer systems for electronics cooling. Additionally, he has authored over 25 articles in peer-reviewed international journals and conferences on heat transfer and energy systems, making significant contributions to the academic community.

DIRECT-TO-CHIP SOLUTIONS: A THERMAL AND MANUFACTURING PERSPECTIVE

Bio: Filippo Cataldo got his Master degree and Ph.D. in Mechanical Engineering at University of Naples "Federico II". Later he joined the Laboratory of Heat and Mass Transfer (LTCM) at EPFL. His works and studies converged toward Energy Conversion and Thermal Management, with specialization in two-phase flow heat transfer and heat pipes. After more than six years of academic experience, he is now R&D Manager in Wieland Thermal Solutions, focusing on single- and two-phase flow-based technologies for electronics cooling. He is the author and co-author of more than 20 journal and conference papers.



Dr. Filippo Cataldo
Wieland



Stephanie Allard
IBM

IMPACTS OF DATA CENTERS PERFORMANCE CHALLENGES ON HIGH POWER COMPUTING PROCESSOR 1ST LEVEL ASSEMBLY

Bio: Ms. Stephanie Allard started her career 25 years ago at IBM as a process engineer in wirebond technologies. Through the years, she specialized in heat spreader assembly, thermal performance development and characterization of flip chip packages. Currently, she is a senior engineer and technical lead for end-to-end 1st level bond and assembly packaging development and manufacturing of IBM P and Z processor modules and associated packages. She plays a critical role in the IBM next generation systems and assures good integration of system level solutions and needs to 1st level processor production constraints.

P-04: THERMAL/MECHANICAL/ELECTRICAL CHALLENGES AND OPPORTUNITIES OF ADVANCED MOBILE/AI/IOT COMPUTING DEVICES AND BEYOND

WEDNESDAY, MAY 28, 4:00 – 5:30 PM

LEVEL 2, TATE A5

The digital era demands higher performance, increased data processing, and faster processors. Heterogeneous computing, which includes CPUs, GPUs, high-speed interconnects, and other elements, is driving advancements in the industry. The rise of 5G/6G technologies is accelerating mobile communication, AI, and IoT, creating infrastructure for vast amounts of data and fostering smarter, more connected environments. This panel will explore the future of thermal management in electronics and address advanced system-level thermal, mechanical, and electrical challenges, as well as technical and business solutions.

MODERATOR



Dr. Victor Chiriac
GCTG LLC.

Bio: ASME Fellow, CEO and Managing Director of Global Cooling Technology Group, LLC. Held technology/engineering leadership roles, led corporate thermal technology teams and roadmaps, worked on leading-edge wireless technologies with Motorola (1999-2010), Qualcomm (2010 – 2018) and Futurewei (2018 – 2019). Elected Chair of the ASME K-16 Electronics Cooling Committee in 2015 and the Arizona and New Mexico IMAPS (International Microelectronics and Packaging Society) Chapter President in 2010. Co-editor of Electronics Cooling Magazine since 2016 and leading member of the organizing committees of ASME/InterPack, IMECE and IEEE/ITherm. 25 U.S. and International issued patents, 2 US Trade Secrets, 1 US Defensive Publication and 117 papers in scientific journals and at conferences. Recipient of the ASME K-16 Clock award in 2018 for “scientific contributions and leadership in promoting best thermal management of electronics engineering practices”. Diamond Innovation and Technology Leadership Awards at Qualcomm in 2016-2017, and the Corporate Award for Technology Innovation at Motorola in 2002. PhD (1999) in Aerospace and Mechanical Engineering, University of Arizona, Tucson, USA.

PANELISTS



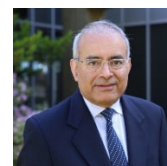
Eric Bert
Exentis AG
USA

3D ADDITIVE SCREEN-PRINTING - A COST-EFFECTIVE, HIGH-VOLUME TECHNOLOGY PLATFORM TO PRODUCE COMPLEX COOLING STRUCTURE GEOMETRIES

Bio: Eric Bert holds a BSME from UMass-Amherst and has a 30+ year track record in disruptive manufacturing technology introduction and management. Eric currently serves as President of Exentis North America and is responsible for building a North American beachhead for Switzerland based Exentis Group AG. Prior roles in Additive Manufacturing included; SVP Commercial at Inkbit, COO at 3DMEDiTech, SVP Global Sales at ARCAM (a GE Additive company), and SVP at Stratasys North America during its high growth period. Earlier, Eric held technology and management positions in the high-volume printed circuit and electronics assembly sectors. He further completed expat assignments in Thailand and Australia starting-up, building, and operating large-scale manufacturing operations.

PROGRAMS ON THERMAL PACKAGING

Bio: Yogendra Joshi is Professor and John M. McKenney and Warren D. Shiver Distinguished Chair at the G.W. Woodruff School of Mechanical Engineering at the Georgia Institute of Technology. He is currently a Program Manager at the Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency (DARPA) Microsystems Technology Office. He is the author or co-author of over four hundred fifty publications in this area, including over two hundred twenty-five journal articles. He is an elected Fellow of the ASME, the American Association for the Advancement of Science, and IEEE. He is a recipient of IEEE SemiTherm Significant Contributor Award (2009), IIT Kanpur Distinguished Alumnus Award (2011), ASME InterPack Achievement Award (2011), ITherm Achievement Award (2012), ASME Heat Transfer Memorial Award (2013), and AIChE Donald Q. Kern Award (2018). He currently serves as Senior Area Editor for IEEE Transactions on Components, Packaging and Manufacturing Technology.



Prof. Yogendra Joshi
DARPA



Prof. Amy Marconnet
Purdue University

THERMAL ENGINEERING OF MATERIALS FOR ADVANCED PACKAGING

Bio: Professor Amy Marconnet is an associate professor of Mechanical Engineering and associate professor of Materials Engineering (by Courtesy), as well as a Perry Academic Excellence Scholar, at Purdue University. She received a B.S. in Mechanical Engineering from the University of Wisconsin – Madison in 2007, and an M.S. and a PhD in Mechanical Engineering at Stanford University in 2009 and 2012, respectively. Her dissertation focused on thermal phenomena in nanostructured materials. She then worked briefly as a postdoctoral associate at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, before joining the faculty at Purdue University in August 2013. Her work has won outstanding paper awards at ITherm 2012, InterPACK 2017, ITherm 2019, and ITherm 2023. In 2017, she won the Woman in Engineering Award from the ASME Electronics & Photonics Packaging Division (EPPD). In 2020, she won the Bergles-Rohsenow Young Investigator Award in Heat Transfer and the Outstanding Graduate Student Mentor from the Official Mechanical Engineering Graduate Association (OMEGA) and the College of Engineering. She recently won a Humboldt Fellowship for Experienced Researchers and conducted research at Karlsruhe Institute of Technology in the 2021-22 academic year.

SINGLE CRYSTAL DIAMOND (SCD), THE ULTIMATE THERMAL MANAGEMENT SOLUTION

Bio: Russell Kempt is a seasoned tech sales and marketing executive with nearly 30 years of experience in Silicon Valley. With a proven track record of building and leading successful revenue growth from early startup phase to IPO. He is currently a Vice President of Worldwide Sales and Marketing for Diamond Foundries, USA His expertise in developing and executing go-to-market strategies, building customer relationships, and driving revenue growth has made him a valuable asset to numerous tech companies throughout his career.



Russell Kempt
Diamond Foundry



Rozalia Beica
Rapidus

FROM CHIPS TO SYSTEMS: HOW ADVANCED PACKAGING IS EMPOWERING AI AND HIGH-PERFORMANCE COMPUTING

Bio: Rozalia Beica is a distinguished leader in the Semiconductor and Advanced Packaging industry, with more than 25 years of experience. Her expertise encompasses a unique mix of broad cross-industry expertise, including electronic materials, substrates, equipment, device & system manufacturing, and market intelligence. She held senior positions at industry leading companies, including AT&S, DuPont, Yole Developpement, Lam Research and Applied Materials. She recently joined Rapidus, as Field CTO, focusing on Packaging Technologies. An active participant in industry activities, Rozalia led numerous symposiums globally, consortia activities, technical working groups and industry roadmaps activities. Rozalia served on the advisory board of IEEE EPS, IMAPS and 3DinCites, and currently she is a member of the Advisory Board at IMPACT and Terecircuits. Rozalia's academic achievements include a M.Sc. in Chemical Engineering from Polytechnic University Timisoara, a M.Sc. in Management of Technology from KWU, and a Global Executive MBA from Instituto de Empresa.

THERMAL CONSIDERATIONS IN DISTRIBUTED COMPUTING FOR WEARABLE DEVICES

Bio: Dr. Raj Pendse is Sr. Director of Si Packaging at Facebook Reality Labs (FRL) and leads the development of advanced Si/Packaging solutions for AR/VR hardware. Raj was previously Vice President of Package Engineering at Qualcomm and played various leadership roles in Package development at STATS ChipPAC, Hewlett-Packard Labs and National Semiconductor. Raj's work spans from packaging of microprocessors, ASIC's and GPU's for High Performance Computing to low-cost packaging solutions for logic and analog devices that find use in Mobile platforms and Consumer Electronics. His most recent focus has been on 3D and Wafer Level Packaging for AR/VR hardware. Raj completed his BS in Materials Science from IIT Bombay with Top in Class honors and his Doctorate in Materials Science from UC Berkeley.



Dr. Rajendra D. Pendse
Meta



Vikas Gupta
ASE US, Inc.

ADVANCED PACKAGING FOR AUTOMOTIVE: MECHANICAL CHALLENGES AND OPPORTUNITIES

Bio: Vikas Gupta has more than 20 years' experience in semiconductor packaging through various academic and industry roles at Lucent Technologies, Lehigh University, Texas Instruments and ASE Group. Currently, he is a director in engineering, technical promotion, and marketing team at ASE. Vikas holds 25+ US patents and forty+ industry publications. Vikas is co-chair of the Applied Reliability committee for IEEE ECTC and chairs the Automotive technical working group of Heterogeneous Integration Roadmap.

P-05: INTEGRATED ELECTROMECHANICAL, FLEXIBLE AND THERMAL DEVICES

THURSDAY, MAY 29, 8:15 – 9:15 AM

LEVEL 2, TATE A5

Advanced Packaging is becoming critically important for semiconductor scaling as we are approaching the limits of miniaturization. In turn, packaging architectures of increasing complexity require managing not only electrical, but also mechanical, thermal, and environmental effects. As scales of integration are converging from silicon to entire systems, these effects must be addressed at ever higher level. Multi-functional, integrated electromechanical systems are emerging, with examples in medical, wearable, robotics, automotive and aerospace applications. The panel will discuss trends in multi-functional integration and their impact on design automation, materials, process technologies, manufacturing, and supply chains.

MODERATOR



Janos Veres
NextFlex US

Bio: Dr. Janos Veres is Director of Hybrid Electronics Strategy at NextFlex, the US Institute of Flexible Hybrid Electronics Manufacturing Innovation. He is a seasoned technologist, with over 30 years' experience in printed, flexible, hybrid electronics and related fields, successfully driving multimillion dollar revenue programs with major electronics, automotive, chemical and consumer product companies. Janos has held R&D, manufacturing and management positions at PARC, PolyPhotonix, Kodak, Merck, Avecia, Zeneca and Gestetner, where he developed printed circuits, electronic materials, OLEDs, displays, medical devices as well as novel process technologies. He brings experience of industrial partnerships and joint development projects in the US, Europe and Asia. Janos holds a Ph.D. in Solid State Electronics from Imperial College, London. He is author of over 65 patents.

PANELISTS



Prof. Pradeep Lall
Auburn University

ROLE OF ADDITIVE PACKAGING IN DEFENSE SYSTEMS SUSTAINMENT

Bio: Pradeep Lall is the MacFarlane Endowed Distinguished Professor and Alumni Professor with the Department of Mechanical Engineering and Director of Auburn University's Electronics Packaging Research Institute. He holds Joint Courtesy Appointments in the Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering and the Department of Finance. He is a member of the technical council and academic co-lead of automotive and asset monitoring TWGs of NextFlex Manufacturing Institute. He is the author and co-author of 2-books, 15 book chapters, and over 1000 journal and conference papers in the field of electronics. Dr. Lall is a fellow of the ASME, fellow of the IEEE, a Fellow of NextFlex Manufacturing Institute, and a Fellow of the Alabama Academy of Science. He is recipient of SEMI's FLEXI R&D Achievements Award for landmark contributions to Additive Printed Electronics, ASME Avram Bar-Cohen Memorial Medal, IEEE Biedenbach Outstanding Engineering Educator Award, IEEE Sustained Outstanding Technical Contributions Award, NSF Alex Schwarzkopf Award, Alabama Academy of Science Wright A, Gardner Award, IEEE Exceptional Technical Achievement Award, ASME-EPPD Applied Mechanics Award, Three-Motorola Outstanding Innovation Awards, Five-Motorola Engineering Awards, and over Fifty Best-Paper Awards.

ELECTROCHEMICAL ADDITIVE MANUFACTURING FOR POWER ELECTRONIC MODULES

Bio: Mike has over twenty-five years of experience in the electronic materials industry where he led the development and commercialization of new materials and technologies for the Electronics industry. Mike is currently Vice President of Commercialization for Fabric8Labs where he leads the company's market strategy and business development efforts. Michael holds a BS in Materials Engineering from Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, NY and an MBA from Pepperdine University, Malibu, CA.



Mike Matthews
Fabric8Labs



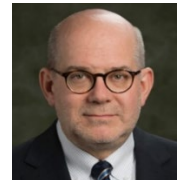
**Dr. Andras
Vass-Varnai**
Siemens

NOVEL EDA TOOLKITS AS ENABLERS FOR HIGH-DENSITY ADVANCED PACKAGING

Bio: Dr. Andras Vass-Varnai obtained his MSc and PhD degrees in Electrical Engineering from the Budapest University of Technology and Economics. He spent over a decade at Mentor Graphics as a product manager, leading various R&D projects focused on thermal test hardware and methodologies. Before assuming his current role as a 3D IC reliability solution engineer, Andras served as a business development lead in South Korea and the United States. Now based in Chicago, IL, he is dedicated to contributing to the development of a novel 3D IC package toolchain, leveraging his experience in thermal and reliability engineering. His main areas of interest include thermal management of electronic systems, advanced applications of thermal transient testing and modeling, semiconductor packaging, characterization of TIM materials, and reliability testing of semiconductor devices.

ADDITIVE FABRICATION OF HIGH TEMPERATURE AND POWER ELECTRONICS APPLICATIONS

Bio: Mark D. Poliks is a SUNY Distinguished Professor and Empire Innovation Professor of Materials Science and Engineering and Systems Science and Industrial Engineering at the Thomas J. Watson College of Engineering and Applied Science, Binghamton University, State University of New York. He is the founding director of the Center for Advanced Microelectronics Manufacturing (CMM), a New York State Center of Advanced Technology and home to the New York Node of the federally supported NextFlex Manufacturing USA. Poliks has made sustained contributions to the fields of materials processing, electronics packaging, flexible, hybrid and additive electronics that are relevant to a variety of medical and industrial applications. Poliks was the General Chair of the 69th IEEE Electronic Components and Technology Conference (ECTC). He was a recipient of the 2017 SUNY Chancellor's Award for Excellence in Research, is a Fellow of NextFlex, an elected member of the IEEE Electronics Packaging Society (EPS) Board of Governors and serves as the director of student programs and is an IEEE Distinguished Lecturer.



**Dr. Mark
Poliks**
SUNY
Binghamton



**Felipe
Pavinato**
GE Aerospace

INTEGRATED ELECTRONICS FOR FLEXIBLE SOFT ROBOTIC PLATFORMS USED IN AEROSPACE

Bio: Dr. Felipe Pavinatto is a Material Scientist and Engineer that has been working with additive electronics manufacturing for over 14 years in academia and industry. His expertise is centered on advanced materials, electronic inks formulation and direct-write, conformal, panel-based and roll-to-roll (R2R) printed electronics technologies. Over the years, Dr. Felipe has used his additive manufacturing specialization to develop scalable fabrication processes for flexible hybrid electronic (FHE) in the fields of bioelectronics, energy devices, and wearable electronics. Since joining GE Aerospace in January of 2023, his research focus has been on high-temperature electronic inks, printed components and devices; conformal direct-write 3D printing manufacturing; and additive electronics packaging. Dr. Felipe has been committed throughout his career to generating innovative technologies and solutions to meet industrial demands via collaborative and multi-disciplinary research projects.



Coffee Breaks and Panels at ITherm 2024

P-08: THERMAL MANAGEMENT TECHNOLOGIES FOR HIGH-POWER SYSTEMS

THURSDAY, MAY 29, 4:00 PM – 5:30 PM

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As aerospace systems continue to push the boundaries of performance, efficient thermal management is critical to ensuring reliability and operational efficiency. This panel will bring together experts to discuss cutting-edge approaches, challenges, and innovations in electronics cooling for high-power, aerospace, and space applications. Topics will include advancements in thermal management techniques, novel cooling technologies, integration strategies, and emerging applications. With increasing power densities and demanding environmental conditions, cooling techniques such as liquid cooling, two-phase heat transfer, and advanced thermal materials are required to address thermal challenges. These innovative approaches enable improved heat dissipation, allowing electronics to operate with higher power, higher power density, more efficiently, and more reliably.

MODERATOR



Dr. Kimberly Saviers
RTX Tech
Research
Center

Bio: Dr. Kimberly Saviers is a Senior Manager at RTX Technology Research Center (RTRC), leading the Heat Transfer Team and multiple research programs focused on thermal management for power electronics, aerospace, space, and data center applications. Her expertise includes heat transfer, design optimization, and thermal design for additive manufacturing. She has driven innovations in advanced cooling solutions, including additively manufactured cold plates, heat sinks, and heat exchangers. At RTRC, she previously oversaw the 5,000 sq. ft. Thermal Systems Lab, supporting experimental validation of novel thermal technologies such as heat exchangers, thermal interface materials, and thermoelectrics. Kimberly earned her Ph.D. in Mechanical Engineering from Purdue University, where she researched advanced thermal interface materials. She is currently the Principal Investigator for the ARPA-E COOLERCHIPS EXTRACT project, the thermal lead for the ARPA-E ASCEND ULTRA-COMPACT project, and the Research Principal Investigator for the NASA additive condensing heat exchanger project.

PANELISTS



Dr. Chirag Kharangate
Case Western
Reserve
University

CRYOGENICS FLUID MANAGEMENT RESEARCH FOR FUTURE SPACE MISSIONS

Bio: Chirag Kharangate is an Assistant Professor of Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering at Case Western Reserve University and Director of the Two-Phase Flow and Thermal Management Laboratory, where his group addresses research and development needs in electronics packaging, thermal management, and fluid management technologies for automotive, computer, defense, and aerospace applications. Dr. Kharangate's research group explores methodologies for testing and modeling flow boiling, flow condensation, and single-phase cooling schemes. He complements his experimental and theoretical work with the development of computational fluid dynamics (CFD) as well as novel machine learning tools for predicting phase change phenomena. Dr. Kharangate has co-authored over 90 refereed journal and conference papers (h-index of 25). He has been recognized by the Case School of Engineering Research Award, ASME K-16 Outstanding Early Faculty Career in Thermal Management Award, ASME EPPD Early Career Engineer Award, and the Office of Naval Research Young Investigator Program Award.

ADVANCED THERMAL MANAGEMENT OF ELECTRIC MACHINES

Bio: Dr. Satish Kumar is currently a Professor in George W. Woodruff School of Mechanical Engineering at Georgia Tech. Prior to joining Georgia Tech in 2009 as an Assistant Professor, he worked at IBM Corporation, Austin, TX, where he was responsible for the thermal management of electronic devices. Kumar received his Ph.D. in Mechanical Engineering and M.S. degree in Electrical and Computer Engineering from Purdue University, West Lafayette in 2007; and B.Tech. degree in Mechanical Engineering from the Indian Institute of Technology, Guwahati in 2001. His research interests are in thermal management and electro-thermal transport studies in electronic devices using experiments, computational fluid dynamics models and machine learning methods. He is the author or co-author of over 160 journal or conference publications. Dr. Kumar is an ASME Fellow and recipient of 2005 Purdue Research Foundation Fellowship, 2012 Summer Faculty Fellow from Air Force Research Lab, 2014 Sigma Xi Young Faculty Award, 2014 DARPA Young Faculty Award, 2017 Woodruff Faculty Fellow, and 2020 ASME K-16 Clock Award. Dr. Kumar has been named as Frank H. Neely Professor, at Georgia Tech.



Prof. Satish Kumar
Georgia Tech



Prof. Patrick McCluskey
University of Maryland

THERMAL-ENERGY-RELIABILITY CO-DESIGN OF DATA CENTERS USING MOSTCOOL

Bio: Dr. Patrick McCluskey is a Professor of Mechanical Engineering at the University of Maryland, College Park, and the Department's Director of Undergraduate Studies. He has over 25 years of research experience in the areas of thermal management, reliability, and packaging of electronic systems for use in extreme temperature environments and power applications. Dr. McCluskey has co-authored three books, 5 US Patents, and over 175 peer-reviewed technical articles with nearly 4000 citations.

ADVANCED THERMAL MANAGEMENT FOR AEROSPACE AND ENERGY SYSTEMS: HARNESSING ADDITIVE MANUFACTURING FOR RAPID PROTOTYPING

Bio: Dr. Arun Muley is a Boeing Fellow and an internationally recognized thermal management leader. At Boeing Research and Technology, he is leading thermal technology portfolio and is responsible for development of enterprise strategy and its execution. He is also Boeing's SE Asia Technology Director and Global Integrator for Boeing Additive Manufacturing (BAM) and Integrated Vehicle Systems. His prior positions include R&D Manager at Koch Heat Transfer, and Principal Engineer at Honeywell Aerospace. Dr. Muley, a Fellow of ASME, has held several professional leadership roles, which include past chair of the Heat Transfer Division and the Process Industries Divisions of ASME. He received his PhD and MS from the University of Cincinnati, and BS from the National Institute of Technology, Calicut, Kerala, India.



Dr. Arun Muley
Boeing



Darin Sharar
TauMat

NOVEL SOLID-SOLID PHASE CHANGE MATERIALS (SS-PCMs) FOR TRANSIENT ELECTRONIC THERMAL MANAGEMENT

Bio: Dr. Darin Sharar is CTO and Founder of TauMat, LLC, a business focused on transient thermal management hardware and software for high power electronic, radio frequency, and photonic applications. Since inception of the company in 2023, he has developed and led thermal management and materials development programs for NASA, NAVAIR, ONR, Army Soldier Center, the Joint Hypersonics Transition Office (JHTO), and the National Science Foundation (NSF). Prior to the founding of TauMat, Dr. Sharar worked as an engineer and Team Lead at the U.S. Army Research Laboratory for 15 years; he is a recognized expert in the specialized fields of thermal management, materials, and high-power electronics with a proven track record of technical and programmatic development and leadership on high-impact internal-, DARPA-, OUSD-, and customer-funded programs. He has authored/co-authored over 60 journal papers, refereed proceedings papers, and chapters in books; has delivered over 40 invited lectures, tech-talks, and Keynotes at major technical conferences/meetings and has authored 5 U.S. patents. Notably, he was awarded DOD Scientist of the Quarter amongst the over 40,000 DOD scientists nationally for his discovery and use of novel metallic alloys for thermal energy storage.



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SPECIAL INTEREST PANELS

SI-06: TECHNOLOGY TRANSITION: FROM CONCEPT TO COMMERCIALIZATION

THURSDAY, MAY 29, 11:00 AM – 12:30 PM

LEVEL 2, TATE A5

This panel will discuss the process, challenges, and best practices of moving emerging technologies from research and development into operational use. Panelists will include start-up companies and small businesses describing their experiences, as well as federal and private funding representatives speaking to expectations and pitfalls of the commercialization process. This panel will explore key factors such as funding, commercialization strategies, and collaboration models that facilitate successful transitions. Panelists will share individual case studies and insights on overcoming barriers, followed by a moderated discussion and Q&A session with the audience.

MODERATORS



Prof. Patrick Shamberger
Texas A&M

Bio: Dr. Patrick Shamberger has a background in functional inorganic materials, including crystal structure–property relationships, and applied thermodynamics. Currently, he is an assistant professor with the Dept. of Materials Science and Engineering at Texas A&M University. His current research focuses on the development of rapid, low-temperature thermal storage materials based on phase change, physisorption, and chemical dissociation processes.

Bio: Dr. Satish Kumar is currently Frank N. Neely Professor in George W. Woodruff School of Mechanical Engineering at Georgia Tech. Prior to joining Georgia Tech in 2009 as an Assistant Professor, he worked at IBM Corporation, Austin, TX, where he was responsible for the thermal management of electronic devices. His research interests are in thermal management and electro-thermal transport studies in electronic devices and materials.



Prof. Satish Kumar
Georgia Tech



Dr. Sreekant Narumanchi
NREL

Bio: Dr. Sreekant Narumanchi is a Distinguished Member of Research Staff, and the Group Manager of the Advanced Power Electronics and Electric Machines (APEEM) group within the Energy Conversion and Storage Systems Center at the National Renewable Energy Laboratory, in Golden, CO, U.S.A., where he is in his 21st year. He leads a Group of 15 full-time staff members focused on (power) electronics, electric machines, and traction drive systems for vehicles and multiple other applications. His group has collaborated with almost 100 institutions.

PANELISTS



**Dr. Richard
Bonner**
Accelsius

Bio: Dr. Richard Bonner is a distinguished heat transfer researcher with 18 years in thermal product development, specializing in two-phase cooling. He has authored over fifty papers and holds five U.S. patents, having designed cooling products for 125+ clients in various sectors. He is a former AIChE Transport and Energy Processes Division Director and holds a B.S., M.S., and Ph.D. in Chemical Engineering from Lehigh University. Currently, he serves as the Chief Technology Officer for Accelsius, a two-phase, direct-to-chip liquid cooling company.

Bio: Craig Green is a world leader in thermal management with dozens of publications and numerous patents in the field. As CTO, Craig leads Carbice's engineering team and is responsible for overall technical execution, IP development, and customer solution engineering. Craig has over 20 years of professional and research experience driving innovation in the thermal sciences. Craig earned his B.S. in mechanical engineering from Cornell University before starting his career in the power industry at Exelon Nuclear. To further develop his expertise, Craig pursued a Ph.D at Georgia Tech, where he focused on semiconductor thermal management. He has published research ranging from transistor to system level cooling, investigating passive and active cooling technologies that utilize microfluidics, embedded phase change materials and solid state cooling.



**Dr. Craig
Green**
Carbice



**Dr. Darin
Sharar**
TauMat

Bio: Dr. Darin Sharar is CTO and Founder of TauMat, LLC, a business focused on transient thermal management hardware and software for high power electronic, radio frequency, and photonic applications. Since inception of the company in 2023, he has developed and led thermal management and materials development programs for NASA, NAVAIR, ONR, Army Soldier Center, the Joint Hypersonics Transition Office (JHTO), and the National Science Foundation (NSF). Prior to the founding of TauMat, Dr. Sharar worked as an engineer and Team Lead at the U.S. Army Research Laboratory for 15 years; he is a recognized expert in the specialized fields of thermal management, materials, and high-power electronics with a proven track record of technical and programmatic development and leadership on high-impact internal-, DARPA-, OUSD-, and customer-funded programs. He has authored/co-authored over 60 journal papers, refereed proceedings papers, and chapters in books; has delivered over 40 invited lectures, tech-talks, and Keynotes at major technical conferences/meetings and has authored 5 U.S. patents. Notably, he was awarded DOD Scientist of the Quarter amongst the over 40,000 DOD scientists nationally for his discovery and use of novel metallic alloys for thermal energy storage.

Bio: Dr. Brent Ridley serves as a Technology-to-Market Advisor at the Advanced Research Projects Agency-Energy (ARPA-E), supporting technology development and commercialization efforts for a range of programs, including those focused on energy use in data centers. He is interested in new materials, the built environment, renewables, and waste reuse. Previously, Dr. Ridley was a founder of Skyscape, a temperature-responsive apparel spinout from Otherlab. Based on a natural materials response, Skyscape's insulating textile changes shape and insulation level in response to changes in ambient temperature, without the use of wires or sensors. He also co-founded Kovio, a printed inorganic microelectronics company.



**Dr. Brent
Ridley**
ARPA-E



**Prof.
Yogendra
Joshi**
DARPA

Bio: Yogendra Joshi is Professor and John M. McKenney and Warren D. Shiver Distinguished Chair at the G.W. Woodruff School of Mechanical Engineering at the Georgia Institute of Technology. He is currently a Program Manager at the Defense Advanced Research Projects Agency (DARPA) Microsystems Technology Office. He is the author or co-author of over four hundred fifty publications in this area, including over two hundred twenty-five journal articles. He is an elected Fellow of the ASME, the American Association for the Advancement of Science, and IEEE. He is a recipient of IEEE SemiTherm Significant Contributor Award (2009), IIT Kanpur Distinguished Alumnus Award (2011), ASME InterPack Achievement Award (2011), ITherm Achievement Award (2012), ASME Heat Transfer Memorial Award (2013), and AIChE Donald Q. Kern Award (2018). He currently serves as Senior Area Editor for IEEE Transactions on Components, Packaging and Manufacturing Technology.

SI-09 & SI-10: ARPA-E COOLERCHIPS RESEARCH OVERVIEW

FRIDAY, MAY 30

LEVEL 2, TATE A5

8:15 – 9:15 AM (PART I) & 11:30 AM – 12:30 PM (PART II)

The \$42M ARPA-E COOLERCHIPS program supports high risk/high reward technology concepts to cool high density (AI) compute systems to enable next generation high density computing. The teams have to achieve this performance while simultaneously achieving a transformational reduction in cooling energy use and achieving similar or higher reliability and cost effectiveness than systems today. The teams supported have developed their first server concepts and will share their progress, learnings and projection for the future.

MODERATORS



Dr. Peter de Bock
ARPA-E

Bio: Dr. Peter de Bock currently serves as Program Director at the Advanced Research Projects Agency-Energy (ARPA-E) for the US Department of Energy. At ARPA-E Dr. de Bock manages and supports over teams in zero-carbon hybrid aviation propulsion systems through the \$63M ASCEND program and efficiency of cooling of Data Centers through the \$42M COOLERCHIPS program. Prior to joining ARPA-E, Dr. de Bock worked at GE Research as Principal Engineer - ThermoSciences. Dr. de Bock is the former chair of ASME K-16 committee on Heat Transfer in Electronics equipment, ASME Fellow, AIAA member and holds 50+ patents and publications with over 1000 citations. Dr. de Bock received his Ph.D. in Mechanical Engineering from the University of Cincinnati and holds MSc degrees from University of Twente in the Netherlands, and University of Warwick in the UK.

Bio: Dr. Brent Ridley serves as a Technology-to-Market Advisor at the Advanced Research Projects Agency-Energy (ARPA-E), supporting technology development and commercialization efforts for a range of programs, including those focused on energy use in data centers. He is interested in new materials, the built environment, renewables, and waste reuse. Previously, Dr. Ridley was a founder of Skyscape, a temperature-responsive apparel spinout from Otherlab. Based on a natural materials response, Skyscape's insulating textile changes shape and insulation level in response to changes in ambient temperature, without the use of wires or sensors. He also co-founded Kovio, a printed inorganic microelectronics company.



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PANELISTS



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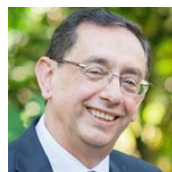
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Prof. Dereje Agonafer
UT Arlington

HOLISTIC AND RETROFITTABLE CO-DESIGN USING A NOVEL HYBRID COOLING TECHNOLOGY FOR ENERGY EFFICIENT DATA CENTER OF THE FUTURE



Dr. Ali Heydari
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GREEN REFRIGERANT COMPACT HYBRID SYSTEM FOR ULTRA-EFFICIENT AND SUSTAINABLE HPC COOLING



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MODULAR LIQUID-COOLED MICRO
DATA CENTER**



**Dr. Chris
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**ALIGNED GRAPHITE
MICROCHANNEL COOLING
WITH ADDITIVELY
MANUFACTURED MANIFOLDS**



**Dr. Evgeny
Shatskiy**
UIUC

**HOLISTIC RACK-TO-PROCESSOR
POWER AND THERMAL CO-DESIGN
FOR FUTURE SERVERS**



**Prof. Saeed
Moghaddam**
University of
Florida

**WATER-BASED SUB-AMBIENT
PRESSURE SYSTEM FOR
ULTRA-EFFICIENT HPC
COOLING AND WASTE HEAT
RECOVERY**



**Prof. Chanwoo
Park**
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Missouri

**DUAL-MODE HYBRID TWO-PHASE
LOOP FOR DATA CENTER COOLING**



**Prof. Todd
Salomon**
Bell Labs.

**DELIVERING ENERGY AND
EXERGY EFFICIENCY IN THE
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SYSTEMS TWO PHASE COOLING



Prof. Tiwei Wei
Purdue

**IN-PACKAGE, CHIP-LEVEL
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Phasor-Based Dehomogenisation for Microchannel Cooling Topology Optimisation

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Multiscale Evaluation of Thermal Conductance of Thermal Interface Materials

Jaehyung Song, Hyun Woo, Hakjun Kim, Sung-Jun Kim, Chan Park, Woong-Ryeol Yu & Hyejin Jang

Seoul National University

Quantitative and Qualitative Evaluation on the Influence of Heat Spreader Topography and Thermal Interface Material Properties on Thermal Performance of High-Power Computing (HPC) Semiconductor Packaging

Alexis Jacques-Fortin, Stéphanie Allard & Kenneth Marston

IBM Corporation

Embedded Cooling of Planar Magnetic Components for High Power Density Power Converters

Yanghe Liu¹, Tianzhu Fan¹, Feng Zhou¹, Shailesh Joshi¹, Ashwini Kumar Dubey², Sayan Paul², Dragan Maksimovic² & E. M. Dede¹

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Experimental Characterization of a Low Thermal Resistance Microchannel Evaporator Utilizing Low GWP Refrigerant for High Power GPU Applications

David J. Apigo¹, Sarwesh N. Parbat¹, Haotian Jia², Haoyun Qiu³, Pouya Abirzadeh³, Manohar Bongarala¹, Syed Faisal¹, Rishav Roy¹, Nenad Miljkovic³ & Todd Salamon¹

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Direct Visualization of Local Thermal Conductivity and Boundary Conductance of Diamond Particles

Luke Gyubin Min, Heungdong Kwon, Christopher Perez, Mehdi Asheghi & Kenneth E. Goodson
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Development of Liquid Metal and Silicon Pin Fin Composite Thermal Interface Materials

Matthew Coughlin, Andrew Clements, Fangzhou Wang, Luke Gyubin Min, Kaiying Jiang, Heungdong Kwon, Mehdi Asheghi & Kenneth Goodson

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SYSTEM-LEVEL THERMAL MANAGEMENT

Comparison of 3D Manifold Architectures for Cooling of Internal Heatsinks Using External Airflow

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Automated Electro-Thermal Modeling Framework of Distributed Vertical Power Delivery Architectures with Substrate-Embedded Microfluidic Cooling

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System Level Reliability Modeling of Direct-to-Chip Liquid Cooled Data Centers

Sidharth Rajeev¹, Venkata Achyuth Kunchapu¹, Ryan Enright², Tiwei Wei³, Srikanth Rangarajan¹, Bahgat Sammakia¹

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Enhanced Thermal Management in High-Performance Computing: A Novel Cascaded Solid-Solid Phase Change Material Honeycomb Heat Sink Design

Mayank Maroliya and Sandip Kumar Saha

Indian Institute of Technology - Bombay

Hybrid Static Immersion Cooling of a Single Lithium-Ion Prismatic Battery Cell

Rajesh Nimmagadda, David W. Salter, Kantharuphan Annathurai, Daniel Trimble and Seamus M. O'Shaughnessy

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Resiliency of Liquid-to-Liquid Cooling Systems in Data Centers Under Failure Scenarios

Ali Heydari¹, Himanshu Modi¹, Pardeep Shahi¹, Lochan Sai Reddy Chintaparthi², Anto Barigala², Mohammad Raisul Islam², Dereje Agonafer², Mohammad Tradat¹, Saket Karajgikar¹, Jeremy Rodriguez¹

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MECHANICS AND RELIABILITY

HALT With PoF for Class P Electronics Assembly

Reza Ghaffarian
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Development of a Reduced-Order Nodal Reliability Framework for Data Center Applications

Tyler Schostek¹, Nirmal Rai², Kimberly Saviers² & Davide Ziviani¹
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Evaluation of Board-Level Drop Test Reliability of Flexible In-Mold Electronics under after Isothermal Exposure

Aathi Raja Ram Pandurangan¹, Md Golam Sarwar¹, Pradeep Lall¹ & Scott Miller²
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Impact of Non-Flat Heat Sink Surface on Degradation of Thermal Greases

Ritwik V. Kulkarni, Nolan P. Gronowski, Pranay P. Nagrani, Amy M. Marconnet
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High Strain Rate Property Prediction and the Effect of Bismuth Concentration on the High-G Level Shock Damage with Sustained High-Temperature Operation

Vishal Mehta¹, Pradeep Lall¹, David Locker² & Jeff Suhling¹
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EMERGING TECHNOLOGIES AND FUNDAMENTALS

Concept Design of a Confined Direct Two-Phase Jet Impingement Cooler with Phase Separation of Low-Surface-Tension Fluids

Gopinath Sahu, Ketan Yogi, Tiwei Wei & Justin Weibel
Purdue University

Fabrication and Experimental Evaluation of Bendable Copper Flat-Plate Oscillating Heat Pipes

Ishan Tandon, Qian Qian, Zekun Wu, Ahmad Rosmahidi, Justin A. Weibel & Liang Pan
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Enhancing Power-Dense and Reliability-Oriented Heat Sink Structures through Additive Manufacturing for Power Electronics in Aviation Applications

Jannes Kai Briese, Hendrik Schefer, Lukas Radomsky, Robert Keilmann & Regine Mallwitz
TU Braunschweig

Exploring the Impact of Nanoscale Roughness on the Pool Boiling Performance of Femtosecond Laser Processed Copper in Dielectric Fluid

Graham Kaufman, Josh Gerdes, Mohamed Marey, George Gogos & Craig Zuhlke
University of Nebraska Lincoln

Thermal Imaging and Flow Visualization of Capillary-Driven Two-Phase Boiling in Silicon Microchannels Coated with Porous Copper Wick

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TECHNICAL PROGRAM OVERVIEW

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- TI-02 TIM and Heat Spreader Characterization
- TI-03A TIM and Heat Spreader Design
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- TII-03 Data Center Liquid Cooling Reliability and Leak Mitigation
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EMERGING TECHNOLOGIES & FUNDAMENTALS

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MECHANICS & RELIABILITY

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- M&R-08 Design Optimization

DAY 1: WEDNESDAY, MAY 29					
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9:15 AM	Break				
9:30 AM	 Keynote K-1: Future of AI Hardware Enabled by Advanced Packaging <i>Texoma</i> Raja Swaminathan, Corporate Vice President, AMD (see page 13)				
10:30 AM	Coffee Break <i>Tate Prefunction A</i>				
11:00 AM	TI-02 TIM and Heat Spreader Characterization	TII-02 PCM and Transient Cooling	M-02 High Temperature Reliability	E-02 Power Electronics, Photonics, and Flexible Electronics	P-02 Data Center / Liquid Cooling (see page 44)
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2:00 PM	TI-03A TIM and Heat Spreader Design and Selection	TII-03 Data Center Liquid Cooling Reliability and Leak Mitigation	TI-03B Packaging & Thermoelectrics	E-03 Thermophysical Properties and Interfacial Thermal Transport	TT-03 High Fidelity Simulation of Boiling Coolants, New Approaches, Challenges and Opportunities (see page 38)
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3:30 PM	Coffee Break <i>Tate Prefunction A</i>				
4:00 PM	TI-04 Topology Optimization	TII-04 Data Center Scaling and Machine Learning	M-04 Material Characterization	E-04 Additive Manufacturing I	P-04 Thermal/ Mechanical/ Electrical Challenges and Opportunities of Advanced Mobile/AI/ IOT Computing Devices and Beyond (see page 46)
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5:30 PM	Student Heat Sink Design Challenge <i>Tate Ballroom A1</i>				
6:30 PM	ECTC/Student & Start-Up Innovation Challenge <i>Texas A-B</i>				
7:00 PM	ASME K-16 & Journal of Electronic Packaging Meeting <i>Tate Ballroom A1</i>				

Day 1: Wed, May 28th 8:15 AM–9:15 AM

TI-01 Jet Impingement

TATE A1 Chairs: *Tiwei Wei (Purdue University), Onur Yenigun (imec)*

- 8:15 AM** Investigation of an Air-Cooled Integrated Synthetic Jet Heat Sink for Electronics Thermal Management; *Faisal Ahmed¹, Mehmet Arik¹; ¹Auburn University*
(#53)
- 8:30 AM** Novel Multi-Nozzle Jet Impingement Liquid Cold Plate for Cooling of High-Power Density Electronic Chip; *Sangram Kumar Samal¹, Chi-Chuan Wang¹, Yogesh Fulpagare²; ¹National Yang Ming Chiao Tung University, ²Cooler Master Co., Ltd.*
(#109)
- 8:45 AM** Numerical Investigation of Surface Structures for Enhancement of Liquid Jet Impingement Cooling; *Georg Elsinger¹, Herman Oprins², Vladimir Cherman², Geert Van der Plas², Eric Beyne², Ingrid De Wolf¹; ¹KU Leuven, imec, ²imec*
(#166)

TII-01 Liquid Cooling

TATE A2 Chairs: *Arad Azizi (Honeywell International Inc), Srikanth Rangarajan (Binghamton University)*

- 8:15 AM** The Study of Cold Plate Liquid Cooling Solution for Optics and ASIC on 51.2T Switch; *Yaoyin Fan¹, Yan Liu¹, Peng Xiao¹; ¹Celestica*
(#49)
- 8:30 AM** Prediction of the Behavior of a Two-Phase Closed-Loop System Coupled With a Single-Phase Cooling System; *Shahin N.Oskouie¹, Sukhvinder Kang¹, Jan Visser¹; ¹Boyd Corporation*
(#189)
- 8:45 AM** Cracking the Code: Testing Liquid Cooling Reliability With Barbed Sealing Interfaces; *Alex Sherman¹; ¹CPC - Colder Products Company*
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- 9:00 AM** Thermal Performance of Liquid Cooled and Air Cooled Thermal Ground Plane-Based Battery Thermal Management Systems for a High-Power Density Lithium-Ion Battery; *Arthur S. Labalte¹, Amrid Amnache¹, Alihossein Nikkhah¹, Nooshin Karami¹, Luc G. Fréchette¹; ¹University of Sherbrooke*
(#360)

M&R-01 Modeling and Simulation I

TATE A3 Chairs: *Tiwei Wei (Purdue University)*

- 8:15 AM** (#132) **The Reliability Impact of 3D Package TSV Materials on Interfacial Cracks;** *Unique Rahangdale¹, Akshay Lakshminarayana¹, Rohit Kumar Suthar¹, Dereje Agonafer¹; ¹The University of Texas at Arlington*
- 8:30 AM** (#142) **Enhancing EMI Shield Design for EV Inverter Using Advanced Simulation Techniques;** *Nitish Jetithor¹, Matthew Graham²; ¹senior technical lead, ²Engineering Manager*
- 8:45 AM** (#368) **Finite Element Analysis of the Thermal Cycling Performances of PBGA Assemblies Subjected to Various Prior Isothermal Aging Conditions;** *Omma Sumaiya¹, Souvik Chakraborty¹, Golam Rakib Mazumder¹, Mahbub Alam Maruf¹, Jeffrey Suhling¹, Pradeep Lall¹; ¹Auburn University*
- 9:00 AM** (#407) **Considerations on Thermal Analysis of Inertial Microsystems Including Microsensors and Readout Analog Integrated Circuit;** *Jacek Nazdrowicz¹, Mariusz Jankowski¹; ¹Lodz University of Technology*

E-01 Heat Pipes and Wicking Structures

TATE A4 Chairs: *Paul Paret (National Renewable Energy Laboratory)*

- 8:15 AM** (#48) **Nucleate Flow Boiling Enhancement in Copper Inverse Opal-Coated Manifold Microchannel;** *Youngseob Lee¹, Jaewon Hwang¹, Daeyoung Kong², Jungwan Cho³, Hyoungsoon Lee¹; ¹Chung-Ang University, ²Stanford University, ³Sungkyunkwan University*
- 8:30 AM** (#54) **Direct Printing of Wick Structures Onto Chips for Two-Phase Jet Impingement Cooling;** *Harish Kumar Lattupalli¹, Emilt Stallbaumer-Cyr¹, Md Asif Iqbal¹, Sina Ghadi¹, Tiwei Wei², Scott Schiffres¹; ¹Binghamton University, ²Purdue University*
- 8:45 AM** (#232) **Fabrication and Experimental Evaluation of Bendable Copper Flat-Plate Oscillating Heat Pipes;** *Ishan Tandon¹, Qian Qian¹, Zekun Wu¹, Ahmad Rosmahidi¹, Liang Pan¹, Justin A. Weibel¹; ¹Purdue University*
- 9:00 AM** (#344) **Thermal Imaging and Flow Visualization of Capillary-Driven Two-Phase Boiling in Silicon Microchannels Coated With Porous Copper Wick;** *Yujui Lin¹, Heungdong Kwon¹, Kewei Xiao², Man Prakash Gupta², Michael Degner², Mehdi Asheghi¹, Alan Mantooth³, Kenneth Goodson¹; ¹Stanford University, ²Ford Motor Company, ³University of Arkansas*

Day 1: Wed, May 28th 11:00 AM–12:30 PM

TI-02 TIM and Heat Spreader Characterization

TATE A1 Chairs: *Prabudhya Roy Chowdhury* (IBM Research), *Rehan Khalid* (Google LLC)

- 11:00 AM** (#72) **Multiscale Evaluation of Thermal Conductance of Thermal Interface Materials;** *Jaehyung Song¹, Hyun Woo¹, Hakjun Kim¹, Sung-Jun Kim¹, Woong-Ryeol Yu¹, Chan Park¹, Hye-jin Jang¹*; ¹Seoul National University
- 11:15 AM** (#129) **Indium Solder TIM Stability Under Temperature Cycling;** *Piyush Kulkarni¹, Ali Davood-abadi², Zechen Zhang¹, Scott Schiffres¹*; ¹Binghamton University, ²Universal Instruments Corporation
- 11:30 AM** (#170) **Evaluating the Degradation of Thermal Interface Materials in Liquid Immersion Cooling Systems Using Ultrasonic Methods;** *Jacey Birkenmeyer¹, Bijay Bansal¹, Shubhra Bansal¹, Luz D. Sotelo¹*; ¹Purdue University
- 11:45 AM** (#285) **Thermal Interface Material Characterization Using Thermal Test Vehicle Assemblies With Bare Die and Lidded Packages;** *Onur Yenigun¹, Vladimir Cherman¹, Herman Oprins¹, Michiaki Yajima², Shinichi Suzuki², Hitoshi Onozeki², Kei Togasaki², Masatoshi Katagiri², Takahiro Iseki², Geert Van der Plas¹, Eric Beyne¹*; ¹imec, ²Resonac
- 12:00 PM** (#343) **Measurement of Thermal Impedance in Heterogeneous Media;** *Lucas Oelkers¹, Patrick Shamberger¹, Adam Wilson², Rachel McAfee³, Michael Fish²*; ¹Texas A&M, ²DEVCOM Army Research Laboratory, ³University of Maryland
- 12:15 PM** (#354) **Direct Visualization of Local Thermal Conductivity and Boundary Conductance of Diamond Particles;** *Luke Gyubin Min¹, Heungdong Kwon¹, Christopher Perez¹, Mehdi Asheghi¹, Kenneth Goodson¹*; ¹Stanford University

TII-02 PCM and Transient Cooling

TATE A2 Chairs: *Solomon Adera* (University of Michigan)

- 11:00 AM** (#18) **Thermal Characterization of Select Metallic Phase Change Materials for Transient Load Thermal Management;** *Kayden Maiorine¹, Rachel McAfee², Harshil Patel¹, Adam Wilson³, Michael Fish³*; ¹Drexel University, ²University of Maryland, ³DEVCOM Army Research Laboratory
- 11:15 AM** (#31) **Hierarchical Thermal Transport Across Multiple Length Scales in High-Capacity Lithium-Ion Batteries for Stationary Energy Storage Systems;** *Oscar A. Alvarez¹, Carlos Da Silva¹, Cristina H. Amon¹*; ¹University of Toronto
- 11:30 AM** (#97) **Novel Predictive Model of Thermal Transient Behavior;** *Hwanjoo Park¹, Jaewon Yun¹, Wook Moon¹, Byunghan Ko¹, Duksoo Kim¹, Sunghoon Chun¹*; ¹Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd.
- 11:45 AM** (#154) **Enhanced Thermal Management in High-Performance Computing: A Novel Cascaded Solid-Solid Phase Change Material Honeycomb Heat Sink Design;** *Mayank Maroliya¹, Sandip Kumar Saha¹*; ¹Indian Institute of Technology Bombay
- 12:00 PM** (#365) **Rate of Thermal Energy Storage in Composite Phase Change Material Slabs;** *Derian Morphey¹, Emmanuel Nwoye¹, Hyunji Park¹, Sophia Ahmed¹, Choongho Yu¹, Jonathan Felts¹, Patrick Shamberger¹*; ¹Texas A&M

M&R-02 High Temperature Reliability

TATE A3 Chairs: *David Huitink (University of Arkansas), Saroj Majakoti (Department of Mechanical Engineering, University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, AR)*

- 11:00 AM** (#293) **Evaluation of Board-Level Drop Test Reliability of Flexible in-Mold Electronics Under After Isothermal Exposure;** *Aathi Raja Ram Pandurangan¹, Md Golam Sarwar¹, Pradeep Lall¹, Scott Miller²; ¹Auburn University, ²NextFlex*
- 11:15 AM** (#329) **Damage Model for Assessment of the Combined Effects of High-Temperature Storage and Harmonic Vibration on Reliability of Lead-Free Doped Solder Joint Assemblies;** *Vishal Mehta¹, Pradeep Lall¹, Ken Blecker², Jeff Suhling¹; ¹Auburn University, ²US Army CCDC-AC*
- 11:30 AM** (#331) **Impact of Non-Flat Heat Sink Surface on Degradation of Thermal Greases;** *Ritwik Kulka-rni¹, Nolan Gronowski¹, Pranay Nagrani¹, Amy Marconnet¹; ¹Purdue University*
- 11:45 AM** (#333) **Humidity and High-Temperature Effects on Non-Pfas Thermal Interface and Under-fill Materials;** *Padmanava Choudhury¹, Pradeep Lall¹, Aathi Raja Ram Pandurangan¹; ¹Auburn University*
- 12:00 PM** (#375) **Thermal Conductivity Evolution of Non-Pfas Automotive Packaging Material Under High Temperature and Humidity Exposure;** *Yunli Zhang¹, Pradeep Lall¹, Daniel Har-ris¹; ¹Auburn University*
- 12:15 PM** (#377) **Evaluating High Temperature Die Attachment Materials: Reliability and Fatigue Per-formance Beyond 175°C;** *Saroj Majakoti¹, Okafor G.², David Huitink²; ¹Department of Mechanical Engineering, University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, AR, ²University of Arkansas*

E-02 Power Electronics, Photonics, and Flexible Electronics

TATE A4 Chairs: *Georges Pavlidis (University of Connecticut), Yiwen Song*

- 11:00 AM** (#66) **Evaluating the Environmental and Performance Impact of Bio-Based Epoxy Compos-ites for Semiconductor Packaging;** *Visakhan Vijayan Nambiar¹, Sameer Abass², Karthik Gundala², Bharat Gopathi², Hongbing Lu¹, Nandika D'Souza¹, Varughese Mathew³, Ab-dullah Fahim³, Greta Terzariol³; ¹University of Texas at Dallas, ²University of North Texas, ³NXP Semiconductors*
- 11:15 AM** (#128) **Effect of Two-Step Methane Concentration on the Quality and Growth Rate of Diamond Film Grown by Hot-Filament Chemical Vapor Deposition (HFCVD);** *Dipa Devkota¹, Flo-rence Nugera¹, Jonathan W Anderson¹, Anival Ayala¹, Anupum K.C¹, Biddhut Lamich-hane¹, Chris Engdahl², Edwin L Piner¹, Mark Holtz¹; ¹Texas State University, ²Crystallume Inc.,*
- 11:30 AM** (#254) **A Computational Study of a Mixed Multi Color LED Lighting System for Optical Uni-formity;** *Md Shafiqul Islam¹, Ozlem Ozturk², Mehmet Arik¹; ¹Auburn University, ²Antolin North America*
- 11:45 AM** (#308) **Seed Paper Based Sustainable Electronics With Water-Based Inks and Low-Temperature Processing for Additive Electronics;** *Emran Hassan Bejoy¹, Pradeep Lall¹, Md Golam Sarwar¹, Scott Miller²; ¹Auburn University, ²NextFlex*
- 12:00 PM** (#431) **Thermal Management of GaN HEMTs Through Electro-Thermal Modeling;** *Changhwan Song¹, Hyeonjin Nam¹, Jisu Kim¹, Daeyoung Kong², Hyoungsoon Lee³, Jungwan Cho¹; ¹Sungkyunkwan University, ²Stanford University, ³Chung-Ang University*

Day 1: Wed, May 28th 2:00 PM–3:30 PM

TI-03A TIM and Heat Spreader Design and Selection

TATE A1 Chairs: *Vincent Wheeler, Aakrati Jain (IBM Research)*

- 2:00 PM Effect of Pressure-Dependent TIM Thermal Resistance on Thermal Performance of First-Level Packages; *Kalind Baraya¹, Krishna Tunga¹, Phil Buchling¹; ¹IBM Systems* (#42)
- 2:15 PM Intro To FLIR MIX: Blending Visible and Infrared Light for Improved Analysis; *Desmond Lamont¹; ¹FLIR* (—)
- 2:30 PM Polymer-Based Thermal Interface Material Modeling and Selection; *Liangkai Ma¹, Brian Clark¹, Joe Sootsman¹; ¹The Dow Chemical Company* (#81)
- 2:45 PM Telops Radia Family: Entry-Level Thermal Imaging for Scientific and Industrial Research and Development; *Joseph Carrock¹; ¹Telops* (—)
- 3:00 PM Quantitative and Qualitative Evaluation on the Influence of Heat Spreader Topography and Thermal Interface Material Properties on Thermal Performance of High-Power Computing (HPC) Semiconductor Packaging; *alexis Jacques-Fortin¹, Ken Marston¹, Stephanie Allard¹; ¹IBM Infrastructure* (#240)
- 3:15 PM Infratec Exhibitor Presentation; *Stephan Larmann¹; ¹InfraTec* (—)

TII-03 Data Center Liquid Cooling Reliability and Leak Mitigation

TATE A2 Chairs: *Jessica Gullbrand*

- 2:00 PM Investigation on Negative Pressure Cold Plate Liquid Cooling Solution for Data Center Application; *Wenbin Tian¹, Ting Tian², Chenglong Gui², Yulong Wang², Chen Shen², Tangbo Jing², Yuanlin Ren², Jialiang Xu¹, Xiaoguo Liang¹, Nishi Ahuja¹; ¹Intel, ²ByteDance Technology* (#87)
- 2:15 PM Experimental Investigation on Molding Isolation Process to Eliminate Liquid Leakage on Connection Areas of Liquid Cooling Cold Plate; *Wenbin Tian¹, Chengjian Wang², Yangfan Zhong², Xiaopeng Li², Yangyang Xu², Lu She¹, Lijie Yang¹, Haifeng Gong¹, Nishi Ahuja¹; ¹Intel, ²Alibaba* (#94)
- 2:30 PM Modular Design of Data Centers for AI Requirements; *Alex Sherman¹; ¹Staubli* (—)
- 2:45 PM Resiliency of Liquid-to-Liquid Cooling Systems in Data Centers Under Failure Scenarios; *Ali Heydari¹, Himanshu Modi¹, Pardeep Shahi¹, Lochan Sai Reddy Chinthaparthi², Anto Barigala³, Md Raisul Islam², Dereje Agonafer², Mohammad Tradat¹, Saket Karajgikar¹, Jeremy Rodriguez¹; ¹Nvidia Corporation, ²University of Texas at Arlington, ³The University of Texas at Arlington* (#383)

TI-03B Packaging and Thermoelectrics

TATE A3 Chairs: *Mustafa Ozsipahi, Omidreza Ghaffari (University of Sherbrooke)*

- 2:00 PM** (#80) **Silicon TTV for Advanced Thermal Investigations of High Powered Lidless Package AI Silicon;** *Jonathan Stever¹, Cheng Yang², Yin Hang¹, Pascale El Kallassi¹, Chloe Xu¹, Chen Wang², Yanbo (Herry) Tang², Shuainan Lin², Dongkai Shangguan³; ¹Meta, ²JCET, ³TEA*
- 2:15 PM** (#145) **Analysis of Thermal Characteristics According to Semiconductor Package Structure and Application;** *Youngsang Cho¹, Wonsik Shin¹, Moonseob Jeong¹, Junso Pak¹, Seungwook Yoon¹, Ilryong Kim¹; ¹Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd.*
- 2:30 PM** (#147) **A Multiscale Workflow for Thermal Analysis of 3DI Chip Stacks;** *Max Bloomfield¹, Amogh Wasti¹, Zongmin Yang¹, Matthew Galarza¹, Theodorian Borca-Tasciuc¹, Jacob Merson¹, Timothy Chainer², Prabudhya Roy Chowdhury³, Aakrati Jain³; ¹Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, ²IBM TJ Watson Research Center, ³IBM Research*
- 2:45 PM** (#400) **Thermal Challenges in Co-Packaging of Si-III/V Components in Silicon Photonics;** *Krishna Bhavana Sivaraju¹, Sai Abhideep Pundla¹, Akhil Kalapala¹, Pratik Bansode¹, Gautam Gupta¹, Dereje Agonafer¹; ¹University of Texas at Arlington*

E-03 Thermophysical Properties and Interfacial Thermal Transport

TATE A4 Chairs: *Zhe Cheng (Peking University), Husam Walwil (The Pennsylvania State University)*

- 2:00 PM** (#121) **The Effects of Electron-Phonon Interactions on the Lattice Thermal Conductivity of Wurtzite AlN;** *Chuang Zhang¹, Jianshi Sun¹, Xiangjun Liu¹, Shouhang Li²; ¹Institute of Micro/Nano Electromechanical System and Integrated Circuit, College of Mechanical Engineering, Donghua University, ²Centre de Nanosciences et de Nanotechnologies, CNRS, Université Paris-Saclay*
- 2:15 PM** (#362) **Experimental Cross-Plane Thermal Transport Characterization of BEOL Materials and Sensitivity to in-Plane Thermal Transport;** *Amogh Wasti¹, Zongmin Yang¹, Matthew Galarza¹, Jonas Kendra¹, Davis Knight¹, Timothy Chainer², Roy Yu³, Prabudhya Roy Chowdhury³, Aakrati Jain³, Max Bloomfield¹, Jacob Merson¹, Theodorian Borca-Tasciuc¹; ¹Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, ²IBM TJ Watson Research Center, ³IBM Research*
- 2:30 PM** (#376) **Interfacial Thermal Resistance Evolution of Non-Pfas Thermal Interface Materials Under High Temperature and Humidity Exposure;** *Yunli Zhang¹, Pradeep Lall¹, Daniel Harris¹, Jeff Suhling¹; ¹Auburn University*
- 2:45 PM** (#429) **Thermal Conductivity Measurements of BeO Thin Films Grown by Plasma Enhanced Atomic Layer Deposition;** *Jihyun Kim¹, Jonghyun Bae², Dongyun Seo¹, Dohwan Jung², Jungwoo Oh², Jungwan Cho¹; ¹Sungkyunkwan University, ²Yonsei University*
- 3:00 PM** (#430) **Thermal Conductivity Measurements of CVD-grown H-Bn Films;** *Taeyeon Kim¹, Sungsan Kang², Minkyu Je¹, Jihyun Kim¹, Sangyeon Pak², Jungwan Cho¹; ¹Sungkyunkwan University, ²Hongik University*
- 3:15 PM** (#445) **Systematic Errors in Non-Ideal ASTM D5470 Measurements;** *Andres Becerra¹, Daniel Ramirez¹; ¹The Dow Chemical Company*

Day 1: Wed, May 28th 4:00 PM–5:30 PM

TI-04 Topology Optimization

TATE A1 Chairs: *Solomon Adera (University of Michigan), Anil Yuksel*

- 4:00 PM** 3d-Printed SiC Cold Plate With Evaporator Wicks; *Mohammad Reza Shaeri¹, Maksym Demydovych¹; ¹Advanced Cooling Technologies, Inc.*
(#11)
- 4:15 PM** Multi-Objective 3D Topology Optimisation for Heat Sinks With Multiple Heat Sources; *Zihan Zhang¹, Henry Martin¹, Willem van Driel¹, René Poelma¹, Guoqi Zhang¹; ¹Delft University of Technology*
(#29)
- 4:30 PM** Topology Optimization for Embedded Cooling of Multiple and Transient Workloads in 3D Semiconductor Packages; *Zekun Wu¹, Ashwin Kidambi¹, Yu-Tao Yang², Chih-Ming Hung³, Shurong Tian⁴, Xin Zhang⁴, Justin A. Weibel¹, Liang Pan¹; ¹Purdue University, ²MediaTek USA Inc., ³MediaTek Inc., ⁴IBM TJ Watson Research Center*
(#117)
- 4:45 PM** Multiphysics Topology Optimization of Metal-Polymer Composite Thermal Interface Materials.; *Devang Prabhu Tavkari¹, Xiulin Ruan¹, Amy Marconnet¹, Tiwei Wei¹; ¹Purdue University*
(#242)
- 5:00 PM** Optimal Heat Spreading Solutions for Three-Dimensional Heterogeneously Integrated Modules Using a Multigrid Topology Optimization Method; *Chun-Pei Chen¹, Xiaoyue Zhang², Chung-Shuo Lee², Ganesh Subbarayan²; ¹Apple, ²Purdue University*
(#373)

TII-04 Data Center Scaling and Machine Learning

TATE A2 Chairs: *Tina M Seeholzer (HRL, LLC), Gautam Gupta (Fabric8Labs)*

- 4:00 PM** Liquid Cooling Optimization for Data Centers With Reinforcement Learning; *Avisek Naug¹, Antonio Guillen-Perez¹, Vineet Gundecha¹, Ricardo Luna Gutiérrez¹, Paolo Faraboschi¹, Cullen Bash¹, Soumyendu Sarkar¹; ¹Hewlett Packard Enterprise*
(#63)
- 4:15 PM** Long-Term Reliability Characterization of High-Speed Cables in Immersion-Cooled Data Center Environments; *Ying Zhang¹, Pengfei Cheng¹, Hongrui Peng¹, Bing Chen², Dong Xu³, Jialiang Xu⁴, Wenxi Yang⁴, Wenbin Tian⁴, Kai Wang⁴, Nishi Ahuja⁴; ¹ByteDance China, ²Lenovo, ³IEIT Systems, ⁴Intel*
(#68)
- 4:30 PM** Integrating Experimental, Numerical and Machine Learning Models for Real-Time, Efficient Data Center Cooling Control; *Dayananda swamy Kattimani math¹, Venkata Achyuth Kunchapu¹, Srikanth Rangarajan¹, Kanad Ghose¹, Bahgat Sammakia¹, Mohammad Tradat²; ¹State University of New York at Binghamton, ²Nvidia Corporation*
(#122)
- 4:45 PM** Enhancing Thermal Management Through Deep Learning-Based Analysis of Bubble Dynamics in Flow Boiling; *Forouzan Naderi¹, Farshad Barghi Golezani¹, Chirag Kharangate¹; ¹Case Western Reserve University*
(#320)
- 5:00 PM** From Air to Liquid: Cooling Methods in Data Center Network Switch Technology; *Bharath Ravi¹, Alex Massicotte¹, Jiwon Yu¹, Stephen Keefe¹; ¹Celestica*
(#359)
- 5:15 PM** Scaling Liquid Cooling for Google Data Center AI Applications to a 1 GW Fleet; *Madhusudan Iyengar¹, Jorge Padilla¹; ¹Google LLC*
(#433)

M&R-04 Material Characterization

TATE A3 Chairs: *Jeffrey Suhling (Auburn University)*

- 4:00 PM** Study of Moisture Analysis Technology Based on Embedded Silicon Bridge Substrates; *yang yang¹, jie zhang¹, rui ma¹, zijun zhong¹, peng sun¹, Meiyang Su¹, Qidong Wang¹, Liqiang Cao¹, Fengze Hou¹*; ¹*Institute of Microelectronics of the Chinese Academy of Sciences*
- 4:15 PM** Characterization of the Anand Model Parameters of SAC305 Lead Free Solder With Various Levels of Damage; *Golam Rakib Mazumder¹, Mahbub Alam Maruf¹, Souvik Chakraborty¹, Omma Sumaiya¹, Jeffrey Suhling¹, Pradeep Lall¹*; ¹*Auburn University*
- 4:30 PM** Process-Performance-Thermal Reliability Evaluation of Screen-Printed Electronics on BPET Substrates; *Shriram Kulkarni¹, Pradeep Lall¹, Scott Miller²*; ¹*Auburn University*, ²*NextFlex*
- 4:45 PM** High Strain Rate Property Prediction and the Effect of Bismuth Concentration on the High-G Level Shock Damage With Sustained High-Temperature Operation; *Vishal Mehta¹, Pradeep Lall¹, David Locker², Jeff Suhling¹*; ¹*Auburn University*, ²*US Army CCDC-AvMC*
- 5:00 PM** Specific Heat Capacity Measurements of Thin Films Using Nanocalorimetry; *Feng Yi¹, John Pettibone¹, Lakshmi Ravi Narayan¹, Meghavin Bhatasana¹, William Osborn¹*; ¹*National Institute of Standards and Technology*
- 5:15 PM** Micromechanical Properties of Mixed SAC/LTS Solder Alloys With Various Bismuth Contents; *Souvik Chakraborty¹, Mahbub Alam Maruf¹, Golam Rakib Mazumder¹, Jeffrey Suhling¹, Pradeep Lall¹*; ¹*Auburn University*

E-04 Additive Manufacturing I

TATE A4 Chairs: *Rachel McAfee (University of Maryland), Timothy Chainer (IBM TJ Watson Research Center)*

- 4:00 PM** An Experimental Study of the Thermal-Hydraulic Performance of an Additively Manufactured Mini-Channel Cold Plate; *Zane Olige¹, Nicholas Tsolas¹*; ¹*Auburn University*
- 4:15 PM** Enhancing Power-Dense and Reliability-Oriented Heat Sink Structures Through Additive Manufacturing for Power Electronics in Aviation Applications; *Jannes Kai Briese¹, Hendrik Schefer¹, Lukas Radomsky¹, Robert Keilmann¹, Regine Mallwitz¹*; ¹*TU Braunschweig*
- 4:30 PM** Electrochemical Additive Manufacturing & Application-Optimized Thermal Management Components; *Joseph Madril¹*; ¹*Fabric8 Labs*
- 4:45 PM** Development of High-Temperature Capable Semi-Additive Logic Gate Circuits on Copper-Clad Ceramic Substrates for Automotive Applications; *Aditya Amaty¹, Pradeep Lall¹, Ved Soni¹, Scott Miller²*; ¹*Auburn University*, ²*NextFlex*
- 5:00 PM** High-Temperature Operating Reliability of Direct-Write Additively Printed Sustainable Flexible Circuits; *Md Golam Sarwar¹, Pradeep Lall¹, Scott Miller²*; ¹*Auburn University*, ²*NextFlex*
- 5:15 PM** Evaluation of High-Temperature Performance of Additive Rectifier Circuits at 175C; *Bishal Bashyal¹, Pradeep Lall¹, Ved Soni¹, Aditya Amaty¹, Scott Miller²*; ¹*Auburn University*, ²*NextFlex*

DAY 2: THURSDAY, MAY 30					
7:00 AM	Breakfast <i>High Plains</i>				
8:15 AM	TI-05 Capillary-Driven Two-Phase Flow <i>Tate Ballroom A1</i>	TII-05 Microchannels and Jet Impingement <i>Tate Ballroom A2</i>	M-05 Thermal Interface Reliability <i>Tate Ballroom A3</i>	V-05 Virtual Presentations <i>Tate Ballroom A4</i>	P-05 Integrated Electromechanical, Flexible and Thermal Devices (see page 48) <i>Tate Ballroom A5</i>
9:15 AM	Break				
9:30 AM	<div>  <div> Keynote K-2: Accelerating the Energy Transition Through Digital Engineering and Simulation Scott Parent, Vice President & Field CTO, Energy Aerospace Industrials, Ansys (see page 15) </div> </div> <i>Texoma</i>				
10:30 AM	Coffee Break <i>Tate Prefunction A</i>				
11:00 AM	TI-06 Pump-Driven Two-Phase Flow and Forced Convection <i>Tate Ballroom A1</i>	TII-06 Data Center Direct Liquid and Immersion Cooling <i>Tate Ballroom A2</i>	M&R-06 Accelerated Testing <i>Tate Ballroom A3</i>	E-06 Boiling Enhancement <i>Tate Ballroom A4</i>	SI-06 Technology Transition: From Concept to Commercialization (see page 54) <i>Tate Ballroom A5</i>
12:30 PM	Luncheon: ITherm Sponsors and Partners <i>High Plains</i>				
2:00 PM	TI-07A Embedded and Immersion Cooling <i>Tate Ballroom A1</i>	TII-07 Next-Gen Electronic Systems Co-Design <i>Tate Ballroom A2</i>	TI-07B Advanced Modeling and Characterization <i>Tate Ballroom A3</i>	E-07 Machine Learning and AI <i>Tate Ballroom A4</i>	TT-07 Electric Vehicle Thermal Management (see page 40) <i>Tate Ballroom A5</i>
3:30 PM	Coffee Break <i>Tate Prefunction A</i>				
4:00 PM	TI-08 Power Electronics Cooling <i>Tate Ballroom A1</i>	TII-08 Air Cooling and Heat Exchangers <i>Tate Ballroom A2</i>	M&R-08 Design Optimization <i>Tate Ballroom A3</i>	E-08 Advanced Modeling Techniques <i>Tate Ballroom A4</i>	P-08 Thermal Management Technologies for High-Power Systems (see page 50) <i>Tate Ballroom A5</i>
5:30 PM	Student Poster and Networking Session (see page 25) <i>Texoma</i>				
7:00 PM	Executive Committee Meeting (by Invitation) <i>Davis 3-4</i>				

Day 2: Thu, May 29th 8:15 AM–9:15 AM

TI-05 Capillary-Driven Two-Phase Flow

TATE A1 Chairs: Rachel McAfee (University of Maryland), Georg Elsinger (KU Leuven, imec)

- 8:15 AM** (#13) **Thermohydraulic Characterization of 3d-Printed Metallic Wick Flow Condensers;** *Durga Ghosh¹, Behzad Ahmadi¹, Vivek Mohan¹, Mohammad Reza Shaeri², Sajjad Bigham¹*; ¹North Carolina State University, ²Advanced Cooling Technologies, Inc.
- 8:30 AM** (#118) **Performance Characterization of Capillary-Driven Thin-Film Boiling Under Sub-Atmospheric (25-100 kPa) Environment;** *Yujui Lin¹, Heungdong Kwon¹, Kewei Xiao², Man Prakash Gupta², Michael Degner², Mehdi Asheghi¹, Alan Mantooth³, Kenneth Goodson¹*; ¹Stanford University, ²Ford Motor Company, ³University of Arkansas
- 8:45 AM** (#356) **Enhanced Capillary-Driven Boiling in Two-Phase Micro-Cooler With Engineered Copper Inverse Opals (CIOs) Wick and Silicon 3D Manifold for High Heat Flux Cooling Application;** *Heungdong Kwon¹, Daeyoung Kong¹, James Palko², Ercan M. Dede³, Mehdi Asheghi¹, Kenneth Goodson¹*; ¹Stanford University, ²University of California, Merced, ³Toyota Research Institute of North America

TII-05 Microchannels and Jet Impingement

TATE A2 Chairs: Himanshu Modi (Nvidia Corporation), Sachin Deshmukh

- 8:15 AM** (#99) **Experimental Study of Oil Cooling of Large Electric Machine for High Power Application;** *Stephane Saddour¹, Riadh Boubaker¹, Safouene Ouenzezi¹, Aurelie Fasquelle², Daniel Laloy³, Hakim El Bahi⁴, Souad Harmand¹*; ¹Université Polytechnique Hauts-de-France, ²Framatome, ³Jeumont Electric, ⁴TOTAL Marketing & Services
- 8:30 AM** (#127) **Automated Electro-Thermal Modeling Framework of Distributed Vertical Power Delivery Architectures With Substrate-Embedded Microfluidic Cooling;** *Mingeun Choi¹, Sriharini Krishnakumar², Yaroslav Popryho², Ramin Rahimzadeh Khorasani³, Madhavan Swaminathan³, Inna Partin-Vaisband², Satish Kumar¹*; ¹Georgia Institute of Technology, ²University of Illinois Chicago, ³The Pennsylvania State University
- 8:45 AM** (#158) **A Novel Liquid Cooled Heat Sink With Adjacent Micro Synthetic Jets for Thermal Management in Microelectronic Devices;** *Delara Soltani¹, Tim Persoons², Sajad Alimohammadi¹*; ¹Department of Mechanical Engineering, TUDublin, ²Trinity College Dublin
- 9:00 AM** (#316) **Radial Manifold Microchannel Heat Sink for Electronics Thermal Management;** *Faramarz Kahbandeh¹, Mohammad Azarifar¹, Mehmet Arik¹, Daniel Harris¹*; ¹Auburn University

M&R-05 Modeling and Simulations II

TATE A3 Chairs: Patrick McCluskey (University of Maryland)

- 8:15 AM** (#96) **Multi-Physics Modeling of Dissipation Analysis for Lithium-Ion Batteries;** *Tae-Hyun Kim¹, Eun-Ho Lee¹*; ¹Sungkyunkwan university
- 8:30 AM** (#171) **Modeling of Microstructural Evolution Within TSVs Using Atomistic Simulations;** *Shengfeng Yang¹, Jiali Lu¹*; ¹Purdue University
- 8:45 AM** (#266) **Impact of Solder Joint Design Profile on the Reliability of QFN Packages;** *Unique Rahangdale¹, Rishikesh Tendulkar¹, Sai Abhideep Pundla¹, Dereje Agonafer¹*; ¹The University of Texas at Arlington

V-05 Virtual Presentations

TATE A4 Chairs: John Maddox (University of Kentucky)

- 8:15 AM** (#50) **Phasor-Based Dehomogenisation for Microchannel Cooling Topology Optimisation;** *Hao Li¹, Peter Dørffler Ladegaard Jensen², Rebekka Vaarum Woldseth³, Joe Alexandersen¹*; ¹University of Southern Denmark, ²Technical University of Denmark, ³Centre Inria de l'Université de Lorraine
- 8:30 AM** (#62) **Design and Development of Cold Plate for 4.4 kW Solid State Power Amplifier;** *Kiran S K¹, Pankaj Gupta¹, Sudip Kumar Murmu¹*; ¹Bharat Electronics Ltd
- 8:45 AM** (#233) **Parameterized Thermal Compact Modeling for Effective Thermal Management of Advanced Common Multigate Transistors in Sub-7nm Technology Nodes;** *Harsh Kumar¹, Vivek Kumar¹*; ¹National Institute of Technology Uttarakhand

Day 2: Thu, May 29th 11:00 AM–12:30 PM

TI-06 Pump-Driven Two-Phase Flow and Forced Convection

TATE A1 Chairs: *Gopinath Sahu (Purdue University), Xiangyu Li (University of Tennessee Knoxville)*

- 11:00 AM (#12)** Additively Manufactured Stacked Refrigerant-to-Water Condenser; *Mohammad Reza Shaeri¹, Sajjad Bigham², Vivek Mohan², Maksym Demydovych¹*; ¹Advanced Cooling Technologies, Inc., ²North Carolina State University
- 11:15 AM (#45)** Flash Cooling With Methanol/Water Mixtures for 1 W/Mm² Fluxes Without Lateral Heat Spreading; *Naarendharan Meenakshi Sundaram¹, Rishi Pugazhendhi², Subramanian S Iyer¹, Timothy Fisher¹*; ¹University of California, Los Angeles, ²Intel
- 11:30 AM (#98)** Comparison of Pumped vs. Capillary-Driven Two-Phase Microcoolers for High Heat Flux Applications; *Daeyoung Kong¹, Roman Giglio², Chi Zhang¹, Katherine Jiang¹, James Palko³, Hyoungsoon Lee⁴, Mehdi Asheghi¹, Kenneth Goodson¹*; ¹Stanford University, ²University of California Merced, ³University of California, Merced, ⁴Chung-Ang University
- 11:45 AM (#106)** Two-Phase Counter-Flow Expanding Channels for Compliant Direct Attach; *Mark Schultz¹, Pritish Parida¹, Shurong Tian¹, Cory VanDeventer², Brian Werneke², Timothy Chainer¹*; ¹IBM TJ Watson Research Center, ²IBM Infrastructure
- 12:00 PM (#294)** Experimental Characterization of a Low Thermal Resistance Microchannel Heatsink Utilizing Low GWP Refrigerant for High Power GPU Applications; *David Apigo¹, Sarwesh Parbat¹, Haotian Jia², Haoyun Qiu³, Pouya Kabirzadeh³, Manohar Bongarala¹, Syed Faisal¹, Rishav Roy¹, Nenad Miljkovic³, Todd Salamon¹*; ¹Nokia Bell Labs, ²Tufts University, ³Department of Mechanical Science and Engineering, University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign
- 12:15 PM (#363)** Experimental Investigation of Heating Orientation Effects on Flow Boiling in Manifold Microchannel Heat Sinks; *Huigang Wang¹, Chirag Kharangate¹*; ¹Case Western Reserve University

TII-06 Data Center Direct Liquid and Immersion Cooling

TATE A2 Chairs: *SUNILKUMAR PINNU (ZT Systems)*

- 11:00 AM (#34)** Revolutionary Thermal Solution for Hot Chips; *Ron Zhang¹, Laura Mirkarimi¹, Belgacem Haba¹, Gill Fountain¹, KM Bang¹, Suhail Sadiq¹, Arianna Avellan¹*; ¹Adeia
- 11:15 AM (#41)** Performance Comparison of R1233zd(E) and R515B for Two-Phase Direct-to-Chip Cooling; *Qingyang Wang¹, Akshith Narayanan¹, Serdar Ozguc¹, Jacob Moore¹, Richard Bonner¹*; ¹Accelsius
- 11:30 AM (#51)** Thermal Performance Evaluation of Single-Phase Immersion Cooling for High-Power (>1kW) AI Processors; *Hyunhee Kim¹, Youngsang Cho¹, Junso Pak¹, Seungwook Yoon¹*; ¹Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd.
- 11:45 AM (#136)** System Level Reliability Modeling of Direct-to-Chip Liquid Cooled Data Centers; *Sidharth Rajeev¹, Venkata Achyuth Kunchapu¹, Ryan Enright², Tiwei Wei³, Srikanth Rangarajan¹, Bahgat Sammakia¹*; ¹Binghamton University, ²Seguente, ³Purdue University
- 12:00 PM (#280)** G-Flow Immersion Cooling Solution for High-Power Data Center Servers; *Yuehong Fan¹, Chuanlou Wang¹, Yang1 Yao¹, Yingqiong Bu¹, Guangying Zhang¹, Liguang Du¹, Xiang Que¹, Luping Zhao², Shuisheng Fan², Hongming Xie², Libo Chen³, Xinxin Wang³, Zhitao Xin³, Jiaying Huang³, Shanshan Zhang⁴, Feiyang Wu⁴, Xiaohan Sun⁴*; ¹Intel, ²Eco-atlas Technology Corp, ³New H3C Technologies Co., Ltd, ⁴ExxonMobil Asia Pacific Research and Development Co.,Ltd
- 12:15 PM (#405)** A Comparative Analysis of Single Phase Liquid Cooled Data Center Coolants Using ASTM D1384 & D8040 Standards; *Ali Heydari¹, Lochan Sai Reddy Chinthaparthi², Pardeep Shahi¹, Himanshu Modi¹, Anto Barigala², Ivneet Banga², Sean Sivapalan¹, Harold Miyamura¹, Dereje Agonafer², Mohammad Tradat¹, Saket Karajgikar¹, Jeremy Rodriguez¹*; ¹Nvidia Corporation, ²University of Texas at Arlington

M&R-06 Accelerated Testing

TATE A3 Chairs: *David Huitink (University of Arkansas)*

- 11:00 AM** **HALT With PoF for Class P Electronics Assembly;** *Reza Ghaffarian¹; ¹NASA-JPL*
(#55)
- 11:15 AM** **FCBGA1657 Assemblies Under Thermal Cycle and Drop;** *Reza Ghaffarian¹; ¹NASA-JPL*
(#56)
- 11:30 AM** **Reliability of Opto-Electronics :Thermal Cycles Plus Vibrations;** *Reza Ghaffarian¹, Alireza Azizi¹; ¹NASA-JPL*
(#210)
- 11:45 AM** **The Combined Effects of High-Temperature Aging, Mechanical Cycling, and Exposure Sequence on the Constitutive Behavior of SAC305 Solder;** *Mahbub Alam Maruf¹, Souvik Chakraborty¹, Golam Rakib Mazumder¹, Jeffrey Suhling¹, Pradeep Lall¹; ¹Auburn University*
(#265)
- 12:00 PM** **Comparison of Non-Pfas and Pfas Underfills in Fcbgas Based on Evolution of Bulk and Interfacial Properties Under Long-Term Isothermal Exposure;** *Aathi Raja Ram Pandurangan¹, Padmanava Choudhury¹, Madhu Kasturi¹, Pradeep Lall¹; ¹Auburn University*
(#304)
- 12:15 PM** **Screen-Printed Thermoformed Additive in-Mold Electronics Thermal Cycling Reliability for Automotive Applications.;** *Aditya Harsha¹, Pradeep Lall¹, Scott Miller²; ¹Auburn University, ²NextFlex*
(#323)

E-06 Boiling Enhancement

TATE A4 Chairs: *Solomon Adera (University of Michigan)*

- 11:00 AM** **Femtosecond Laser Surface Processing (FLSP) of Silicon for Pool Boiling Enhancement Using Dielectric PF-5060;** *Josh Gerdes¹, Andrew Butler¹, Suchit Sarin¹, Rahul Rajan¹, Truman Stoller¹, Jeffrey Shield¹, Craig Zuhlke¹, George Gogos¹; ¹University of Nebraska - Lincoln*
(#83)
- 11:15 AM** **Femtosecond Laser Surface Processing (FLSP) of 6061 Aluminum Exhibits Flow Boiling Enhancement Using Opteon™ 2P50 for Various Mass Fluxes;** *Josh Gerdes¹, Logan Pettit¹, Graham Kaufman¹, Craig Zuhlke¹, George Gogos¹; ¹University of Nebraska - Lincoln*
(#86)
- 11:30 AM** **Minichannel Flow Boiling Enhancement Using Femtosecond Laser Surface Processed Stainless Steel Surfaces in Water: Effect of Laser Fluence;** *Logan Pettit¹, Josh Gerdes¹, Andrew Reicks¹, Craig Zuhlke¹, George Gogos¹; ¹University of Nebraska - Lincoln*
(#197)
- 11:45 AM** **Exploring the Impact of Nanoscale Roughness on the Pool Boiling Performance of Femtosecond Laser Processed Copper in Dielectric Fluid;** *Graham Kaufman¹, Josh Gerdes¹, Mohamed Marey¹, George Gogos¹, Craig Zuhlke¹; ¹University of Nebraska - Lincoln*
(#290)
- 12:00 PM** **Performance of a Novel 1.5U Boiling Chamber With Higher Coolant Temperatures for High Heat Flux Dissipation in Data Center Applications;** *Maharshi Shukla¹, Nooruldeen Mustafa¹, Satish Kandlikar¹; ¹Rochester Institute of Technology*
(#297)
- 12:15 PM** **Pool Boiling Enhancement Using Engineered Nucleation Sites;** *Priyanka Viswanath¹, Tomasz Kulakowski¹, Yimin Zhou¹, Solomon Adera¹; ¹University of Michigan*
(#352)

Day 2: Thu, May 29th 2:00 PM–3:30 PM

TI-07A Embedded and Immersion Cooling

TATE A1 Chairs: *Risa Miyazawa (IBM Research)*, *Aalok Gaitonde*

- 2:00 PM** (#8) **A Thermo Responsive Film With High Thermal Conductivity Embedded Into a Stacked PBA;** *Min Park¹, Jihyeon Son¹, Jinhwan Jung¹, Jeonggen Yoon¹, Jieun Hwang¹, Yoonhee Chang¹; ¹Samsung Electronics*
- 2:15 PM** (#131) **Experimental Investigation of Phase Change Material Embedded in Lattice Structures via Additive Manufacturing;** *Vedat Yağcı¹, Orkun Doğu¹, Ahmet Koyuncu¹, Atakan Kabukcu¹; ¹ASELSAN INC.*
- 2:30 PM** (#143) **Thermal-Electrical Co-Analysis of Microchannel-Embedded TSV Interposers for Double-Sided Cooling in 3D HPC Stacks;** *Yunting Liu¹, Rong Fu², Jianyu Feng², Chuan Chen², Chenglin Yang², Huimin He², Fengman Liu²; ¹School of Integrated Circuits, University of Chinese Academy of Sciences, ²State Key Laboratory of Fabrication Technologies for Integrated Circuits Institute of Microelectronics, Chinese Academy of Sciences*
- 2:45 PM** (#225) **Thermo-Hydraulic Performance of Targeted Flow in Aluminum and Copper Heat Sinks for Immersion Cooling Applications;** *Prasanna Jayaramu¹, Meysam Emami², Vishal Talari¹, Md Raisul Islam¹, Kaustubh Adsul², Rohit Kumar Suthar¹, Lochan Sai Reddy Chinthaparthi¹, Dereje Agonafer¹, Pratik Bansode³, Ahson Hussain³, Puxuan Li³, Tao Geng³; ¹University of Texas at Arlington, ²The University of Texas at Arlington, ³LiquidStack*
- 3:00 PM** (#246) **Embedded Cooling of Planar Magnetic Components for High Power Density Power Converters;** *Yanghe Liu¹, Tianzhu Fan¹, Feng Zhou¹, Shailesh N. Joshi¹, Ashwini Dubey², Sayan Paul², Dragan Maksimovic², Ercan M. Dede¹; ¹Toyota Research Institute of North America, ²University of Colorado Boulder*
- 3:15 PM** (#288) **Effect of Pin-Shapes on Chip-Embedded Two-Phase Cooling;** *Pritish Parida¹; ¹IBM TJ Watson Research Center*

TII-07 Next-Gen Electronic Systems Co-Design

TATE A2 Chairs: *Dhruvalkumar Shah (Intel Corporation)*, *Shoaib Ahmed*

- 2:00 PM** (#6) **Two-Phase Cooling System Performance Under Different Operating Scenario;** *Pritish Parida¹, Timothy Chainer¹; ¹IBM TJ Watson Research Center*
- 2:15 PM** (#77) **Topology Optimization of EV Battery Immersion Cooling Channel;** *Seunghwan Keum¹, Peter Andruskiewicz¹, Erik Yen¹, Ronald Grover¹; ¹General Motors*
- 2:30 PM** (#144) **Thermal Aware Floorplan Methodology Considering Heat Transfer Coefficient of Package to SOC Power Scenario;** *Youngsang Cho¹, Heonwoo Kim¹, Haerim Kim¹, Hyunhee Kim¹, Seungwook Yoon¹, Ilryong Kim¹; ¹Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd.*
- 2:45 PM** (#149) **Thermal Management Studies of the Bulk Capacitor Through Design Evolution for the EV Inverter;** *Himanshu Agrawal¹, Abhijit Kaisare², Ted Zeunik³; ¹Technical Lead, ²Manager, ³Staff Mechanical Design Engineer*
- 3:00 PM** (#434) **Harnessing Ocean Thermal Gradients Using Thermoelectric-Based Submersibles for Ocean Power Applications;** *Prashant Saini¹, Julian Osorio¹; ¹National Renewable Energy Laboratory*

TI-07B Advanced Modeling and Characterization

TATE A3 Chairs: *Filippo Cataldo*

- 2:00 PM** Experimental Characterization and Numerical Simulation of Liquid Flow and Heat Transfer Through Offset Strip Fins; *Saeel S. Pai¹, Eoin Oude Essink², Abhijeet Banthiya¹, Liang Pan¹, Justin A. Weibel¹*; ¹Purdue University, ²TU Dublin
- 2:15 PM** A Simulation Study of Impact of Defect Configuration at Die-Attach Solder Joint on LED Performance and Applicability of MIL-STD-883; *Erik Sorensen¹, Roy Luo¹*; ¹Excelitas
- 2:30 PM** Methodology for Thermal Performance Evaluation Using Linear Parameter Varying Thermal Resistance Matrix Modeling of Mobile SoC; *Myunghoon Lee¹, Subodh Deodhar¹, Vamsi Krishna¹, Yunhyeok Im², Gyuick Jung¹, Ankit Adhiya¹*; ¹Ansys Inc, ²Georgia Tech
- 2:45 PM** Molecular Dynamics Simulations of the Phonon Bridge Effect at Interfaces Between Si and Diamond.; *Youhwan Jo¹, Kyeongjae Cho¹*; ¹University of Texas at Dallas
- 3:00 PM** Numerical and Experimental Investigation of High-Powered Chips for Efficient Cooling Using Optimized Electrochemical Additive Manufacturing Based Cold Plates; *Gautam Gupta¹, Douglas Castro², Joseph Madril², Tim Ouradnik², Ian Winfield², Michael Matthews², Dereje Agonafer¹*; ¹University of Texas at Arlington, ²Fabric8Labs

E-07 Machine Learning and AI

TATE A4 Chairs: *Jorge Padilla (Google LLC), Bikramjit Chatterjee*

- 2:00 PM** Predicting Thermomechanical Degradation in Bonded Interfaces Using Enhanced Image Processing and Deep Learning Techniques; *Sang Hyeon Chang¹, Paul Paret², Sreekant Narumanchi², Yoonjin Won¹*; ¹University of California, Irvine, ²National Renewable Energy Laboratory
- 2:15 PM** Adaptive Gain Controller With State Restrictions for Fan Speed Control in Temperature Stabilization During Thermal Margin Testing; *Marlene Cobian¹, David Arana¹, Kevin Mistofsky¹, Dhruvalkumar Shah¹, Alexander Eamons¹, Lang Yuan¹*; ¹Intel
- 2:30 PM** Predicting Flow Boiling Heat Transfer Coefficient Utilizing Physics-Informed Machine Learning Model; *Thanh Hoang Phan¹, Logan Pirstill¹, Jiayuan Li¹, Chirag Kharangate¹*; ¹Case Western Reserve University
- 2:45 PM** Physics-Driven Learning for Two-Phase Heat Transfer; *Haeun Lee¹, Hyoungsoon Lee²*; ¹Stanford University, ²Chung-Ang University
- 3:00 PM** Steady-State Temperature Prediction Based on Compact Thermal Models Using Machine Learning; *Mohammadamin Hajikhodaverdian¹, Sherief Reda², Ayse Coskun¹*; ¹Boston University, ²Brown University

Day 2: Thu, May 29th 4:00 PM–5:30 PM

TI-08 Power Electronics Cooling

TATE A1 Chairs: *Remco van Erp, Travis Mayberry*

- 4:00 PM** (#79) **Thermal & Electrical Performance Characterization of Power Modules in Single-Phase Liquid Immersion Cooling Environments;** *Rohit Kumar Suthar¹, Amit Kumar¹, Akshay Lakshminarayana¹, Vishal Talari¹, Dereje Agonafer¹, Karthekeyan Sridhar², Rajen Murugan², Lalith Karsani², Osvaldo (Ozzie) Lopez², Nicolas Forcade-Perkins²*; ¹University of Texas at Arlington, ²Texas instruments
- 4:15 PM** (#130) **Enhanced Thermal Management of Outer-Rotor Electric Motors Through Additively Manufactured Heat Exchangers With End-Winding Cooling;** *Md. Jubayer Hossain¹, Amitav Tikadar¹, Bidzina Kekelia², Rajneesh Chaudhary², Sreekant Narumanchi², Yogendra Joshi¹, Satish Kumar¹*; ¹Georgia Institute of Technology, ²National Renewable Energy Laboratory
- 4:30 PM** (#182) **Impact of Slot Liner Compression on the Total Thermal Resistance of the Stator-Winding Assembly in Electric Motors;** *Lindsay Sutherland¹, Shanmukhi Sripada¹, Amy Marconnet¹*; ¹Purdue University
- 4:45 PM** (#216) **Accurate Implementation of Gate Resistance Thermometry for GaN HEMTs With a Source Connected Field Plate;** *Daniel Shoemaker¹, Seokjun Kim¹, Emils Gustav Jurcik², Matthew DeJarld³, Maher Tahhan³, Eduardo Chumbes³, Jeffrey Laroche³, Samuel Graham², Nicholas Miller⁴, Sukwon Choi¹*; ¹The Pennsylvania State University, ²University of Maryland, ³Raytheon, ⁴Michigan State University
- 5:00 PM** (#238) **Thermal Management for a Stacked Die Power Module;** *Himel Barua¹, Shajjad Chowdhury¹, Pedro Ribeiro¹, Burak Ozpineci¹*; ¹Oak Ridge National Laboratory
- 5:15 PM** (#417) **Analysis of the Thermal Resistance Network of Packaged GaN HEMTs;** *Seokjun Kim¹, Daniel Shoemaker¹, Husam Walwil¹, Bill Zivasatienraj², Isaac Wildeson², Sukwon Choi¹*; ¹The Pennsylvania State University, ²BAE Systems

TII-08 Air Cooling and Heat Exchangers

TATE A2 Chairs: *Dhruvalkumar Shah (Intel Corporation), Shoaib Ahmed*

- 4:00 PM** (#33) **Design-Simulation-Improvement of Thermal Management System Combining Two Passives Cooling for Electromechanical Actuators in Aerospace Industry;** *Leopold Nzonou¹, Faridreza Attarzadeh¹, Jiajun Xu¹*; ¹University of the District of Columbia
- 4:15 PM** (#76) **Comparison of 3D Manifold Architectures for Cooling of Internal Heatsinks Using External Airflow;** *Gearóid Farrell¹, Rajesh Nimmagadda¹, Shailesh N. Joshi², Danny J. Lohan², Ercan M. Dede², Tim Persoons¹*; ¹Trinity College Dublin, ²Toyota Research Institute of North America
- 4:30 PM** (#101) **Comparison of Entropy and Exergy-Based Dynamic Optimization of Air Cycle Machine Architectures;** *Ara Bolander¹, Trevor Bird¹, Kevin McCarthy¹, Neera Jain²*; ¹PC Krause and Associates, ²Purdue University
- 4:45 PM** (#163) **Computational Investigation of the Thermal Performance of an Adjustable Air Amplifier;** *David Salter¹, Eoin Oude Essink¹, Tim Persoons², Sajad Alimohammadi¹*; ¹TU Dublin, ²Trinity College Dublin
- 5:00 PM** (#168) **Comparison of Operating Costs and Energy Use in a Thermo-Caloric Heat Pump and an Air-Cooled Chiller System for Data Center Cooling;** *Brandon Kibbel¹, Bryce Cox¹*; ¹University of Wisconsin-Platteville

M&R-08 Design Optimization

TATE A3 Chairs: *Paul Paret (National Renewable Energy Laboratory)*

- 4:00 PM** (**#30**) **Bond Optimization for Ceramic LGA Image Sensor Solder Joint Under Thermal & Mechanical Fatigue;** *Unique Rahangdale¹, Rohit Kumar Suthar¹, Akshay Lakshminarayana¹, Dereje Agonafer¹; ¹University of Texas at Arlington*
- 4:15 PM** (**#65**) **Development of a Reduced-Order Nodal Reliability Framework for Data Center Applications;** *Tyler Schostek¹, Nirmal Rai², Kimberly Saviers², Davide Ziviani¹; ¹Purdue University, ²RTX Technology Research Center*
- 4:30 PM** (**#399**) **Optimization of Copper Filled Through Package via Geometry to Minimize Thermal Induced Stresses at Glass - TPV Interface in Borosilicate Glass Interposer;** *Krishna Bhavana Sivaraju¹, Pratik Bansode¹, Sai Abhideep Pundla¹, Rabin Bhandari¹, Akhil Kalapala¹, Dereje Agonafer¹; ¹University of Texas at Arlington*

E-08 Advanced Modeling Techniques

TATE A4 Chairs: *Jungwan Cho (Sungkyunkwan University), James Spencer Lundh (US Naval Research Laboratory)*

- 4:00 PM** (**#102**) **Investigation of Heat Sinks With Hybrid Pin-Fin/Absorber-Fin Arrays Considering Multiphysics Thermal-Acoustic Performance;** *Ziqi Yu¹, Taehwa Lee¹, Ercan M. Dede¹; ¹Toyota Research Institute of North America*
- 4:15 PM** (**#159**) **Numerical Investigations Into Boiling Surface Design;** *Mitchell Whiting¹, Ilya T'Jollyn¹; ¹Universiteit Antwerpen*
- 4:30 PM** (**#257**) **Molecular Dynamics Simulations of Water Evaporation in Nanochannels;** *Ahmet Ata Ersoy¹, Mustafa Ozsipahi², Adam Wilson², Ali Beskok¹; ¹Southern Methodist University, ²DEVCOM Army Research Laboratory*
- 4:45 PM** (**#353**) **3D Simulations of Microgravity Annular Flow Condensation With Two-Phase Inlets;** *Farshad Barghi Golezani¹, Jayachandran Narayanan¹, Chirag Kharangate¹; ¹Case Western Reserve University*
- 5:00 PM** (**#385**) **Numerical Analysis of Thermal Transport Through a Lithium-Ion Battery Module;** *Elifalet Garcia¹, Shadi Mahjoob¹; ¹California State University Northridge*

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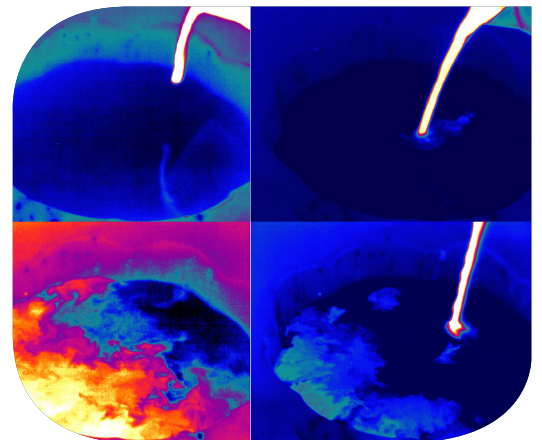


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DAY 3: FRIDAY, MAY 31					
7:00 AM	Breakfast <i>High Plains</i>				
8:00 AM	IEEE EPS President's Panel: Celebrating the Past, Innovating for the Future (see page 23, ends at 9:15 AM) <i>ECTC, Texas A-B</i>				
8:15 AM	TI-09 TIM and Heat Spreader Development <i>Tate Ballroom A1</i>	TII-09 Immersion Cooling I <i>Tate Ballroom A2</i>	 <i>Tate Ballroom A3</i>	E-09 Additive Manufacturing II <i>Tate Ballroom A4</i>	SI-09 ARPA-E COOLERCHIPS Research Overview (see page 56) <i>Tate Ballroom A5</i>
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9:30 AM	<div>  <div> Keynote K-3: Data Center Energy Efficiency in a Post-Exascale Era Cullen Bash, Vice President of Research & Development, Hewlett Packard Labs (see page 17) </div> </div> <i>Texoma</i>				
10:30 AM	Coffee Break / ITherm 2026 Planning <i>Tate Prefunction A/ Tate Ballroom A3</i>				
11:30 AM	TI-10 Thermosiphons, Heat Pipes and Vapor Chambers <i>Tate Ballroom A1</i>	TII-10 Immersion Cooling II <i>Tate Ballroom A2</i>	 <i>Tate Ballroom A3</i>	E-10 Boiling and Condensation <i>Tate Ballroom A4</i>	SI-10 ARPA-E COOLERCHIPS Research Overview (see page 56) <i>Tate Ballroom A5</i>
12:30 PM	Luncheon: ITherm Awards and Organizer Recognition <i>High Plains</i>				

Day 3: Fri, May 30th 8:15 AM–9:15 AM

TI-09 TIM and Heat Spreader Development

TATE A1 Chairs: Ken Marston (IBM Infrastructure)

- 8:15 AM** (#108) **High-Performance Low-Loss Ceramic Filler With Enhanced Surface for Next-Generation Thermal Management in Electronics;** *Bei Xiang¹, Jiarui Yan¹, Kade McGarrity¹, Anand Murugaiah¹; ¹Momentive Technologies*
- 8:30 AM** (#134) **Graphene-Enhanced Heat Spreaders for Hotspot Remediation in Direct Liquid Cooling of Electronics;** *Arani Mukhopadhyay¹, Anish Pal¹, Roshan Y. Nemade¹, Sungjoon Kim¹, Vikas Berry¹, Constantine Megaridis¹; ¹University of Illinois Chicago*
- 8:45 AM** (—) **Enhanced Performance of High-Power Density Chips Using CVD Diamond Heat Spreaders;** *Ian Friel¹; ¹Element Six*
- 9:00 AM** (#369) **Development of Liquid Metal and Silicon Pin Fin Composite Thermal Interface Materials;** *Matthew Coughlin¹, Andrew Clements¹, Fangzhou Wang¹, Luke Gyubin Min¹, Katherine Jiang¹, Heungdong Kwon¹, Mehdi Asheghi¹, Kenneth Goodson¹; ¹Stanford University*

TII-09 Immersion Cooling I

TATE A2 Chairs: Pratik Bansode (LiquidStack)

- 8:15 AM** (#110) **Investigation on Thermal Characteristics of Solid State Drive Under Single Phase Immersion Cooling Environment;** *Byunghan Ko¹, Heechul lee¹, Woochul Jeong¹, Hwanjoo Park¹, Duksoo Kim¹, Sunghoon Chun¹; ¹Samsung Electronics Co., Ltd.*
- 8:30 AM** (#181) **Experimental Parametric Study of Direct Dielectric Fluid Cooling of Lithium-Ion Batteries for Electric Vehicles;** *Safouene Ouenzeft¹, Rodrigo Amorim Dias², Julien Plet², Souad Harmand¹; ¹Université Polytechnique Hauts-de-France, ²MOTUL, Vaires sur Marne*
- 8:45 AM** (#204) **Hybrid Static Immersion Cooling of a Single Lithium-Ion Prismatic Battery Cell;** *Rajesh Nimmagadda¹, David Salter¹, Kantharuphan Annathurai¹, Daniel Trimble¹, Seamus O'Shaughnessy¹; ¹Trinity College Dublin*
- 9:00 AM** (#205) **Single Phase Immersion Cooling: Going Above and Beyond 400W;** *Shiraz Gulraiz¹, John Bean¹, Bachar Geha¹; ¹Green Revolution Cooling*

E-09 Additive Manufacturing II

TATE A4 Chairs: Mustafa Ozsipahi

- 8:15 AM** (#324) **Thermal Cycling Reliability of Gravure Offset Additive Electronics With Water-Based Ink, Biodegradable Substrate and Room-Temperature Curable Adhesives;** *Aditya Harsha¹, Pradeep Lall¹, Scott Miller²; ¹Auburn University, ²NextFlex*
- 8:30 AM** (#328) **Screen-Printed in-Mold Electronics Reliability on Polycarbonate Substrates Under Sustained High-Temperature Conditions;** *Shriram Kulkarni¹, Pradeep Lall¹, Scott Miller²; ¹Auburn University, ²NextFlex*
- 8:45 AM** (#334) **High Temperature, High Humidity and Thermal Cycling Effects on Gravure Offset Printed Additive Circuits for Automotive Applications.;** *Padmanava Choudhury¹, Pradeep Lall¹, Ved Soni¹, Scott Miller²; ¹Auburn University, ²NextFlex*
- 9:00 AM** (#335) **Additively Manufactured Electrocardiogram Wire Profiles Compared to Commercially Available Wire Connections;** *Pradeep Lall¹, Devin Palmer¹, Abigail Winn², John Morris², Stefanie Ledbetter²; ¹Auburn University, ²EAH*

Day 3: Fri, May 30th 11:30 AM–12:30 PM

TI-10 Thermosiphons, Heat Pipes and Vapor Chambers

TATE A1 Chairs: Nitin Karwa (*Honeywell International Inc*), Kevin McCarthy (*PC Krause and Associates*)

- 11:30 AM** (#167) **Experimental Investigation of Heat Pipe Embedded Cold Plates in Conduction Cooled Chassis;** *Vedat Yağcı¹, Sertaç Çadircı², Murat Parlak¹; ¹ASELSAN INC., ²Istanbul Technical University*
- 11:45 AM** (#221) **3-D Numerical Simulation and Optimization of Wick-Free Vapor Chambers for Enhanced Thermal Management in High-Power-Density Applications;** *Anish Pal¹, MD Naim Hos-sain¹, Arani Mukhopadhyay¹, Rajneesh Chaudhary², Sreekant Narumanchi², Constantine Megaridis¹; ¹University of Illinois Chicago, ²National Renewable Energy Laboratory*
- 12:00 PM** (#283) **Experimental Investigation of Flow Pattern in a Loop Thermosyphon With Horizontal Evaporator;** *Prem Kumar¹, Aalekh Srivastava², Susmita Dash¹, Amrit Ambirajan¹, Pradip Dutta¹; ¹Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, ²Indian Institute of Science*
- 12:15 PM** (#367) **Thermofluidic Performance of a Two-Phase Loop Thermosyphon for Server Cooling: Effects of Condenser Secondary Side;** *Manohar Bongarala¹, Rishav Roy¹, David Apigo¹, Sarwesh Parbat¹, Syed Faisal¹, Yang Liu¹, Todd Salamon¹; ¹Nokia Bell Labs*

TII-10 Immersion Cooling II

TATE A2 Chairs: Neera Jain (*Purdue University*)

- 11:30 AM** (#214) **Optimize the Use of the CDU Return Flow to Enhance Single Phase Immersion Cooling;** *Chuanlou Wang¹, David Zhou¹, Guangying Zhang¹, Yuehong Fan¹, Yingqiong Bu¹, Xiang Que¹, Yang1 Yao¹; ¹Intel*
- 11:45 AM** (#235) **Forced Convective Liquid Immersion Cooling of a Prismatic Battery Module;** *David Salter¹, Rajesh Nimmagadda¹, Kantharuphan Annathurai¹, Daniel Trimble¹, Seamus O'Shaughnessy¹; ¹Trinity College Dublin*
- 12:00 PM** (#401) **Performance Analysis of Single-Phase Immersion Cooling in High Powered Electronic Components;** *Ali Heydari¹, Anto Barigala², Pardeep Shahi¹, Himanshu Modi¹, Lochan Sai Reddy Chinthaparthi³, Md Raisul Islam³, Dereje Agonafer³, Mohammad Tradat¹, Saket Karajgikar¹, Jeremy Rodriguez¹; ¹Nvidia Corporation, ²The University of Texas at Arlington, ³University of Texas at Arlington*
- 12:15 PM** (#380) **Prediction of Junction Temperature to Estimate Thermal Resistance in 1.7kV SiC Power Module Using Real-Time VSD Monitoring Method;** *Saroj Majakoti¹, Okafor G.², David Huitink², Liyang Du³, Alan Mantoosh²; ¹Department of Mechanical Engineering, University of Arkansas, Fayetteville, AR, ²University of Arkansas, ³Department of Electrical Engineering, University of Arkansas*

E-10 Boiling and Condensation

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- 11:30 AM** (#179) **Concept Design of a Confined Direct Two-Phase Jet Impingement Cooler With Phase Separation of Low-Surface-Tension Fluids;** *Gopinath Sahu¹, Ketan Yogi¹, Tiwei Wei¹, Justin A. Weibel¹; ¹Purdue University*
- 11:45 AM** (#317) **An Experimental Study on the Local Heat Transfer Behavior of the Shell-Side Flow Condensation;** *Jiayuan Li¹, Jayachandran Narayanan¹, XiaoYang Gao¹, Chirag Kharangate¹; ¹Case Western Reserve University*
- 12:00 PM** (#351) **Optimal Contact Angle for Dropwise Condensation;** *Tomasz Kulakowski¹, Yimin Zhou¹, Grzegorz Celichowski², Maciej Psarski², Solomon Adera¹; ¹University of Michigan, ²University of Lodz*

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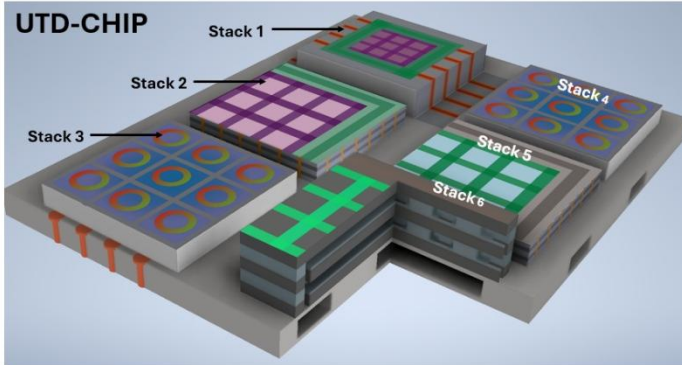
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- Thermal Interface Materials and Heat Spreaders
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- Heat Pipes, Vapor Chambers and Thermosyphons
- Single / Two-Phase Cold Plates and Heat Sinks
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- Thermal Management of Electric Machines
- Pulsed Power Dissipation

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- Air Cooling Techniques and Heat Exchangers
- Liquid Cooling Solutions
- Immersion Cooling and Refrigeration
- Pumps, Compressors, Fans, and Blowers
- Phase Change Materials
- Automotive, Batteries, and Thermal Storage
- Mobile and Internet of Things
- Telecommunication Systems
- Space and Aerospace
- Data Center Thermal Management
- Thermal Management in Electric Aircraft
- Modeling of Complex Thermal Systems
- Next-Gen Electronics Systems Co-Design

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- Thermo-Mechanical Modeling and Simulation
- Mechanics and Reliability of Solder Joints and Interconnects
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- Measurement of Deformations, Strains and Stresses
- Shock, Drop and Vibrational Analysis
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- Mechanics in Assembly and Manufacturing
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- Process-Structure-Property Relations / Multi-Scale Analyses
- Accelerated Stress Testing and Modeling
- Lifetime Prognostics and Condition Monitoring

Emerging Technologies and Fundamentals

- Boiling, Evaporation, and Condensation
- Convection in Microchannels, Microgaps, and Jets
- Pulsating / Oscillating and Non-Conventional Heat Pipes
- Nanoscale and Transistor-Level Thermal Transport
- Novel Materials and Fabrication Techniques
- Measurement and Diagnostic Techniques
- Numerical and Experimental Methods, Nano-to-Macro Scale
- Prognostic Health Management and Reliability Analysis
- Wearable, Flexible, and Printed Electronics
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- Silicon Fabrication for Thermal Management Devices
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- Sustainable Electronics and Data Center Decarbonization

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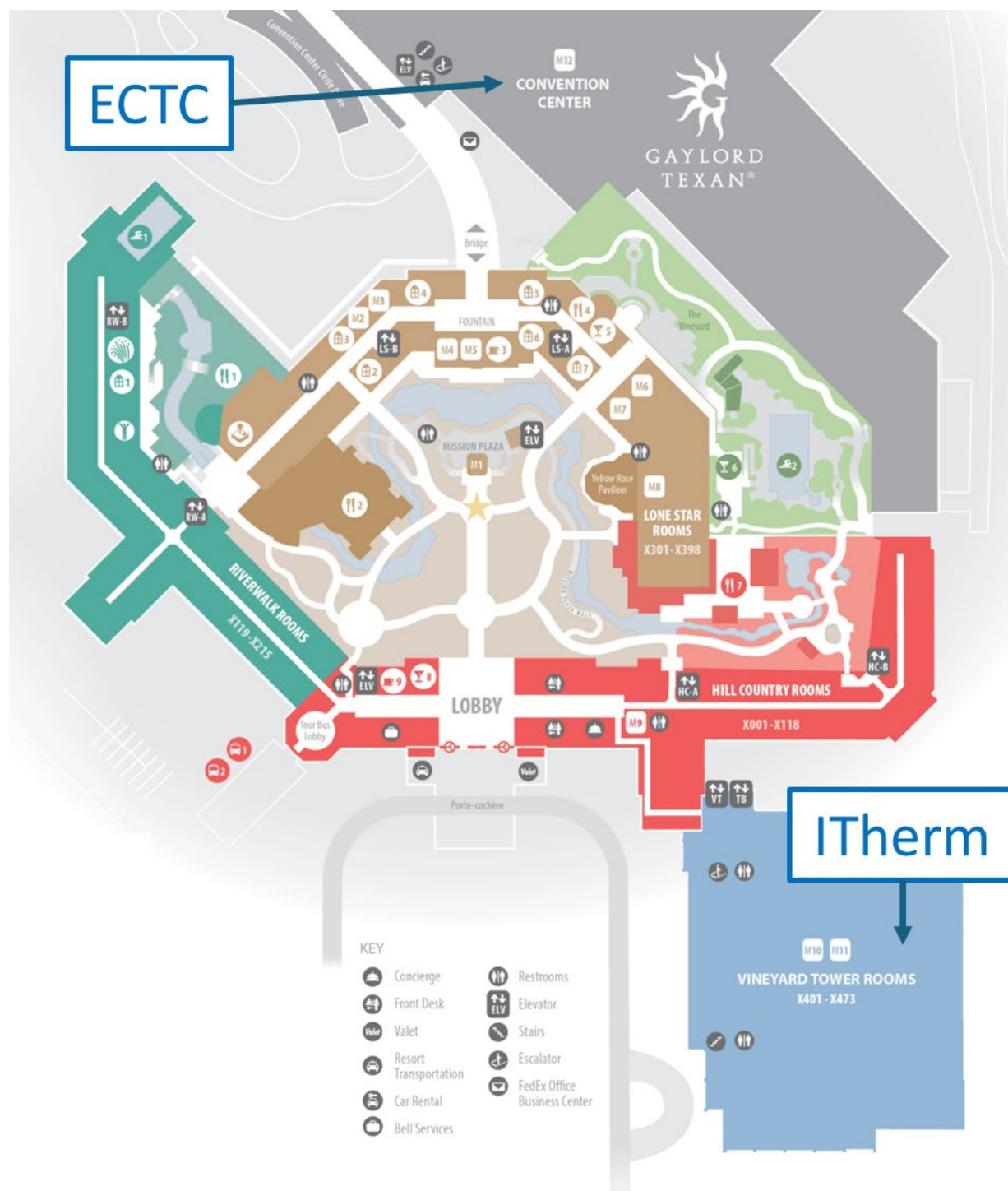


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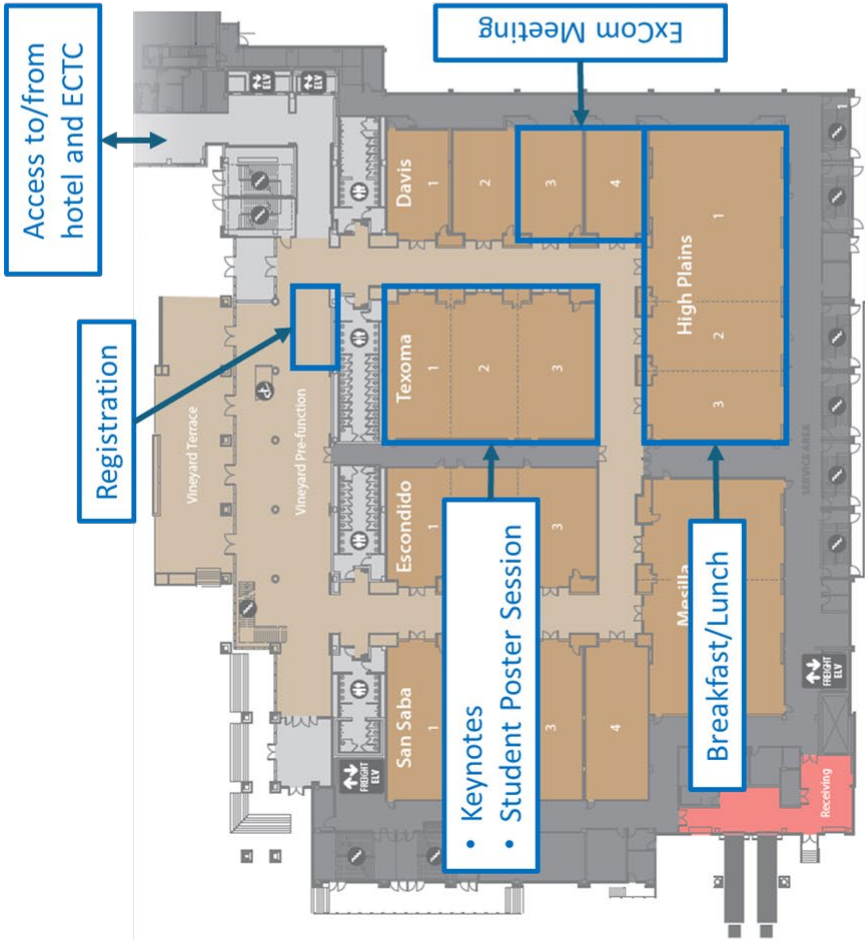
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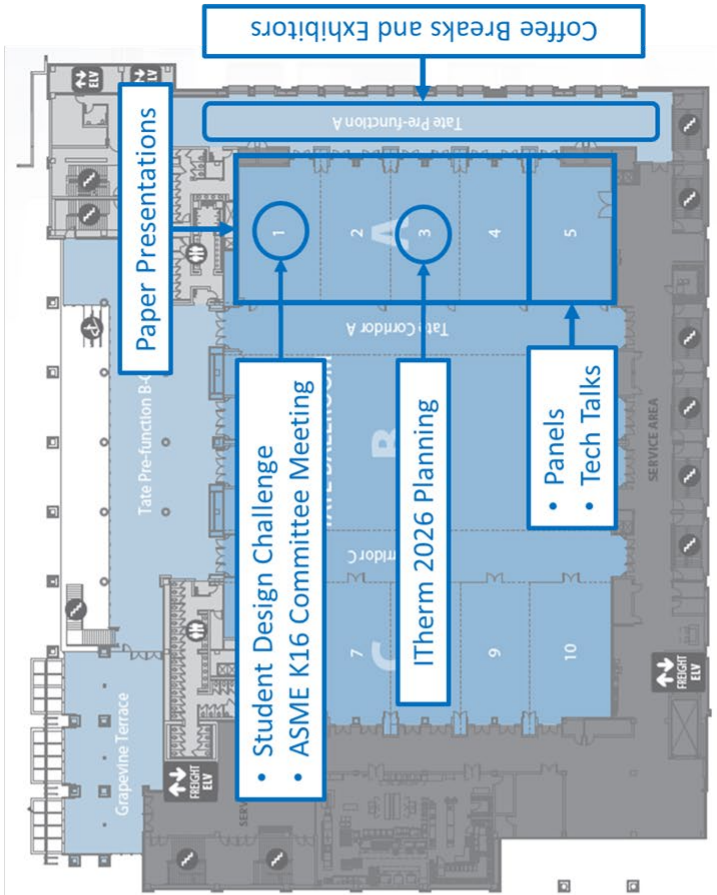


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Day-0: Tuesday, May 27, 2025

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ECTC/ITherm Joint Professional Development Courses (PDC)		Luncheon for PDC Course Attendees	ECTC/ITherm Joint Professional Development Courses (PDC)		
HIR Workshop					
			Registration (11:00 am - 5:00 pm)		
					ECTC Young Professionals Networking Event

Day-1: Wednesday, May 28, 2025

7:00 - 8:15		8:15 - 9:15		9:30-10:30		11:00 - 12:30		12:30 - 2:00		2:00 - 3:30		4:00 - 5:30		5:30 - 6:30		6:30-8:30	
Breakfast		TI-01	BREAK	K-1 Keynote	COFFEE BREAK	TI-02	Luncheon Richard Chu ITherm Award Presentation	TI-03A	COFFEE BREAK	TI-04	Student Heat Sink Design Challenge	2025 ECTC Student & Start-Up Innovation Challenge 6:30-8:30					
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		M-02				TI-03B		M-04									
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ITherm Sponsors & Exhibits																	
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ASME K-16 & JEP Meetings (6:45 - 7:45)																	

Day-2: Thursday, May 29, 2025

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Breakfast		TI-05		COFFEE K-2 Keynote		TI-06		Luncheon ITherm Sponsors and Partners		TI-07A		TI-08		Student Poster Networking Session and Reception		ExCom Meeting (7:00 - 7:30)	
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Day-3: Friday, May 30, 2025

7:00 - 8:00		8:15 - 9:15	9:30-10:30		10:30-11:30	11:30 - 12:30	12:30 - 2:00
Breakfast		TI-09	BREAK K-3 Keynote	COFFEE BREAK & ITherm 2026 Planning (open)	TI-10	Luncheon ITherm Awards & Organizer Recognitions	
		TII-09			TII-10		
		E-09			E-10		
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EPS President's Panel			ITherm Sponsors & Exhibits				
Registration (7:00 am - 12:00 pm)							

Legend:					
TI: Component Thermal	Keynote	Special Events	Meetings	P: Panels	Meals & Breaks
TII: System Thermal					
M: Mech & Reliability					
E: Emerging Tech.					
TT: Tech Talks					
V: Virtual					

