

# PROGRAM

## MOLECULAR-SCALE ELECTRONICS VII

January 23 – 26, 2005

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**Sunday, January 23, 2005**

- 16:00 – 18:00 Conference Registration (Del Mar)
- 18:00 – 19:30 *Opening Dinner (Del Mar)*
- 19:30 – 20:00 Introduction and Opening Remarks: R. Shashidhar and M. Stone
- 20:00 – 22:00 **Special Session in Honor of Ari Aviram**  
**(Chair: Mark Ratner)**

***Invited Speakers***

***Switching with a Molecule in the 80s***

Christian Joachim  
GNS-CEMES/CNRS

Noel Hush  
University of Sydney

***Tunneling Through Molecules: Zen Barrier with No Gate***

J. Gimzewski

Mark Reed  
Yale University

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Arizona State University

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- 22:00 – 23:00 *Reception*

**NOTES**

- ? **All technical sessions will be held in Bay E Room (3<sup>rd</sup> Floor Main Bldg. North Entrance).**
- ? **All poster sessions will be in Bay E.**
- ? **Please observe “No Smoking” at ECI technical sessions, meals and social hours.**
- ? **Speakers should allow time at the end of their presentation for questions and discussion.**
- ? **Please silence your cell phone during technical sessions.**

**Monday, January 24, 2005**

07:00 – 08:00      *Breakfast (Del Mar)*

**Session 1: Materials and Chemistry**  
**(Chair: Marcel Mayor)**

08:00 – 08:30

*TBA*  
James Tour  
Rice University

08:30 – 09:00

*Functional p-Electron Materials for Nanoelectronics*  
Peter Bäuerle  
University of Ulm

09:00 – 09:30

*Supramolecular Engineering at Surfaces: Control of Matter at the Nanoscale*  
J.V. Barth  
University of British Columbia

09:30 – 10:00

*Towards Self-Assembling Circuit Boards for Molecular Electronics*  
Marya Lieberman  
University of Notre Dame

10:00 – 10:30

*TBA*  
David Allara  
Pennsylvania State University

10:30 – 11:00

*Coffee Break*

**Session 2: Materials and Chemistry (continued)**  
**(Chair: Theresa Mayer)**

11:00 – 11:30

*Organic Molecules in Electronic Devices: Single Molecule, Single Electron Transistors and Self-Assembled Circuitry*  
Thomas Bjornholm  
University of Copenhagen

11:30 – 12:00

*Red, Green, Blue and White Electroluminescent Materials*  
Luisa De Cola  
University of Amsterdam

12:00 – 12:30

*Photoswitching of Structure/Function Relationships in Materials Science*  
Neil Branda  
Quebec, Canada

**Monday, January 24, 2005 (continued)**

12:30 – 13:00            *Pyridine on Si(100) and H-Si(100) -- STM Observation of Dative Bonded Adducts*  
Greg Lopinski  
University of Quebec

13:00 – 13:30            *In Situ Sensing of Cytochrome C Molecules Using Single-Walled Carbon Nanotubes with Passivated Source and Drain Electrodes*  
Islamshan Amlani  
Motorola, Inc.

13:30 – 14:30            *Lunch (Del Mar)*

**Session 3: Theory**  
**(Chair: Noel Hush)**

14:30 – 15:00            *Three Key Factors Responsible for the Failure of A Priori Computational Schemes to Describe Through-Molecule Conductivity*  
Jeffrey R. Reimers  
University of Sydney

15:00 – 15:30            *Schottky Barrier Concepts Applied to Metal-Molecule Interfaces*  
Raymond T. Tung  
Brooklyn College of City University of New York

15:30 – 16:00            *An Ab-Initio Analysis of Electron Transport Characteristics for the Au(111) -Octane Dithiol- Au(111) System: Electrode Spacing and Coverage Effects*  
Neeti Kapur  
University of Virginia

16:00 – 16:30            *Approximated Quantum Chemistry Models for the Study of Molecular Conductance: Towards A Systematic Validation*  
Carlos A. Gonzalez  
National Institute of Standards and Technology

16:30 – 17:00            *Coffee Break*

**Monday, January 24, 2005 (continued)**

**Session 4: Theory (continued)**  
**(Chair: Jeffrey Reimers)**

- 17:00 – 17:30      *Molecular Wires From 1,3- And 1,4-Disila/Germa/Stannabicyclo [K.L.M] Alkane Monomers (K, L, M = 1 or 2): Interesting Targets For Molecular Electronics?*  
Henrik Ottosson  
Uppsala University
- 17:30 – 18:00      *Overcoming the Constraints of Modeling: Obtaining Chemical Sensitivity in Single Molecule Conduction Calculations*  
Gemma C. Solomon  
University of Sydney
- 18:00 – 18:30      *Theoretical Approach for Transport Properties of Porphyrin and Phthalocyanine Oligomers*  
Hiroshi Mizuseki  
Tohoku University
- 18:30 – 19:00      *Combining Current and Shot Noise: Towards Full Characterization of Molecular Nanojunctions*  
Matthias H. Hettler  
Forschungszentrum Karlsruhe, INT
- 19:00 – 20:30      *Dinner (William D. Evans)*
- 20:30 – 22:00      *Posters and Social Hour (Bay E)*

**Tuesday, January 25, 2005**

07:00 – 08:30      *Breakfast (Del Mar)*

**Session 5: Single Molecule Characterization**  
**(Chair: Paul Weiss)**

08:00 – 8:30

*TBA*  
Heiko Weber  
Forschungszentrum Karlsruhe, INT

08:30 – 09:00

*Towards Monomolecular Computing: Single Molecular Devices*  
Andre Gourdon  
CNRS NanoSciences Group CEMES

09:00 – 9:30

*TBA*  
N. J. Tao  
Arizona State University

09:30 – 10:00

*Voltage Controlled Molecular Conductance Switching*  
Amy Szuchmacher Blum  
Naval Research Laboratory

10:00 – 10:30

*Coffee Break*

**Session 6: Metal/ Nonmetal Molecule Contacts**  
**(Chair: James Ellenbogen)**

10:30 – 11:00

*TBA*  
David Janes  
Purdue University

11:00 – 11:30

*Variable Temperature Charge Transport Measurements of Molecule-Silicon Junctions Using Ultra-High Vacuum Scanning Tunneling Microscopy*  
Nathan L. Yoder  
Northwestern University

11:30 – 12:00

*Electrical Characterization of Top-Metal/Molecule Interactions in Molecular Electronic Devices*  
Curt A. Richter  
National Institute of Standards and Technology

12:00 – 12:30

*The Structural Influence of Bis(Terpyridinyl) Transition Metal Complexes on Charge Storage Behavior of A Nanowire Transistor*  
Wendy Fan  
NASA Ames Research Center



**Tuesday, January 25, 2005 (continued)**

12:30 – 13:30      *Lunch (Del Mar)*

**Session 7: Molecular Switching**  
**(Chair: Ari Aviram)**

13:30 – 14:00

*TBA*  
Paul Weiss  
Pennsylvania State University

14:00 – 14:30

*Understanding Charge Transport In Molecular Electronics*  
James Kushmerick  
Naval Research Laboratory

14:30 – 15:00

*Molecular Electromechanical Switching from Electronic Devices to the Solution Phase*  
Amar H. Flood  
University of California at Los Angeles

15:00 – 15:30

*Understanding Negative Differential Resistance/Switching with Memory Observed from the Nitro Molecule*  
N. Gergel  
University of Virginia

15:30 – 16:00

*Coffee Break*

**Session 8: Devices and Architecture**  
**(Chair: Christian Joachim)**

16:00 – 16:30

*Integration of Molecular Electronic Devices and Architectures*  
Paul D. Franzon  
North Carolina State University

16:30 – 17:00

*System Simulations and Analyses for Nanoprocessors Integrated on the Molecular Scale*  
James C. Ellenbogen  
The MITRE Corporation

17:00 – 17:30

*Multilevel Molecular Memory*  
Chongwu Zhou  
University of Southern California

17:30 – 18:00

*Towards Quantum Computing Using Mixed Valence Molecules*  
Jacques Bonvoisin  
CNRD/CEMES-GNS

**Tuesday, January 25, 2005 (continued)**

- 18:00 – 18:30                    *The Molecular Crossbar Latch: A Key enabler for Nanoscale Computers*  
Duncan Stewart  
Hewlett-Packard Laboratories
- 18:30 – 19:00                    *Intrinsic Electron Conduction Mechanisms in Molecules*  
David Routenberg  
Yale University
- 19:00 – 20:00                    Poster Session with *Social Hour (Bay E)*
- 20:00 – 21:30                    *Dinner (Del Mar)*

**Wednesday, January 26, 2005**

07:00 – 08:30      *Breakfast (Del Mar)*

**Session 9: Devices and Architecture**

**(Chair: Mark Reed)**

- 08:00 – 08:30      *From Classical to Quantum Mono-Molecular Electronics*  
Christian Joachim  
GNS-CEMES/CNRS
- 08:30 – 09:00      *Carbon Nanotube Electronics And Optoelectronics*  
Jia Chen  
IBM T.J. Watson Research Center
- 09:00 – 09:30      *Silicon Contacts: A New Playground for Molecular Electronics?*  
Avik W. Ghosh  
Purdue University
- 09:30 – 10:00      *Programmable Logic Using Molecular Devices in a Three  
Dimensional Architecture*  
Garrett S. Rose  
University of Virginia
- 10:00 – 10:30      *Ballistic Emission Electron Microscopy Studies of Au-Octanedithiol-  
GaAs Diodes*  
Julia W. P. Hsu  
Sandia National Laboratories
- 10:30 – 11:00      *Coffee Break*

**Session 10: Bioelectronics**

**(Chair: Heiko Weber)**

- 11:00 – 11:30      *A Molecular Memory Device Using a Plant Virus as a Scaffold*  
Banahalli R. Ratna  
Naval Research Laboratory
- 11:30 – 12:00      *Ambipolar Charge Injection and Transport in a Single Organic  
Monolayer Island*  
Dominique Vuillaume  
IEMN-CNRS
- 12:00 – 12:30      *Direct Conductance Measurements of Single DNA Duplexes*  
Joshua Hihath  
Arizona State University

**Wednesday, January 26, 2005 (continued)**

12:30 – 13:00                    *Hysteresis and Negative Differential Resistance: A Polaron Model*  
Michael Galperin  
Northwestern University

13:00 – 14:00                    *Lunch (Pond – outside)*

**Session 11: Devices and Their Characterization**  
**(Chair: A. Gourdon)**

14:00 – 14:30                    *TB-LMTO Method for Nonequilibrium Electron Transport in*  
*Nanosystems*  
Sergey Faleev  
Sandia National Laboratories

14:30 – 15:00                    *Implementation of Molecular Logic Gates with Array Device*  
*Having Nano-Via-Holes*  
Hyoyoung Lee  
Electronics and Telecommunications Research Institute

15:00 – 15:30                    *Self Assembled Monolayers Organized Between Two Metal*  
*Surfaces. Correlation Between Electrical Properties and Molecular*  
*Structure*  
Maria Rampi  
University of Ferrara

15:30 – 16:00                    *Metal Molecule Semiconductor Device Structures*  
Adina Scott  
Purdue University

16:00 – 16:30                    *Single Electron Transistor Behavior of Self-Assembled Organic*  
*Multilayer in Nanogap Electrode*  
Takao Ishida  
National Institute of Advanced Industrial Science and Technology

16:30 – 16:45                    Wrap up and Departure

## Poster Presentations

- 1. SIMULATION OF BASIC LOGIC GATES USING ASYMMETRICAL MOLECULAR DEVICE MODELS**  
Paul D. Franzon, North Carolina State University
- 2. HEATING AND INELASTIC CURRENT IN MOLECULAR STRUCTURES**  
Yu-Chang Chen, University of California, San Diego
- 3. MAGNETICALLY DIRECTED SELF-ASSEMBLY OF MOLECULAR MICROSPHERE JUNCTIONS**  
David P. Long, Geo-Centers Inc.
- 4. SPECTROSCOPIC CHARACTERIZATION OF MOLECULE-EVAPORATED METAL INTERFACES USING BACKSIDE FTIR AND METAL-MOLECULE-SILICON SAMPLES**  
Christina A. Hacker, National Institute of Standards and Technology
- 5. OLIGOMER LENGTH DEPENDENT STUDY OF METAL-MOLECULE INTERACTIONS IN MODEL MOLECULAR WIRE SYSTEMS**  
Chris Zangmeister, National Institute of Standards and Technology
- 6. ELECTRONIC TRANSPORT THROUGH SELF ASSEMBLED THIOL MOLECULES: EFFECT OF MONOLAYER ORDER, DYNAMICS AND TEMPERATURE.**  
Geetha R. Dholakia, NASA Ames Research Center
- 7. THE ELECTRONIC SPECTRA OF OLIGO(PHENYLENE ETHYNYLENE)'S: AN AB INITIO STUDY OF DIPHENYLACETYLENE**  
Yamil Simón-Manso, Northwestern University and National Institute of Standards and Technology
- 8. INVESTIGATION OF TWO STATE CONDUCTANCE SWITCHING IN METAL-MOLECULE-METAL DEVICES BY INELASTIC ELECTRON TUNNELING SPECTROSCOPY**  
Jason L. Lazorcik, Geo-Centers, Inc.
- 9. POSSIBLE APPLICATIONS OF CMOL CIRCUITS**  
Konstantin K. Likharev, Stony Brook University
- 10. SELF-ASSEMBLY AND TRANSPORT PROPERTIES OF MOLECULES AS SINGLE-ELECTRON TRANSISTORS**  
Konstantin K. Likharev, Stony Brook University
- 11. THEORY OF TRANSPORT IN MOLECULAR SINGLE-ELECTRON TRANSISTORS**  
Konstantin K. Likharev, Stony Brook University

- 12. INVESTIGATION OF CONFORMATIONAL GATING OF ELECTRONIC COUPLING WITHIN A DONOR-BRIDGE-ACCEPTOR SYSTEM VIA OPTICAL MAGNETIC RESONANCE**  
Emily Weiss, Northwestern University
- 13. ATOMICALLY PRECISE FABRICATION AND CHARACTERIZATION OF HETEROMOLECULAR ORGANOSILICON NANOSTRUCTURES: IMPLICATIONS FOR SILICON-BASED MOLECULAR ELECTRONICS**  
Rajiv Basu, Northwestern University
- 14. OUTER-SPHERE REORGANIZATION ENERGY AS A PROBE OF LIGAND RECEPTOR INTERACTIONS**  
Matthew R. Hartings, Northwestern University
- 15. CORRELATED ELECTRONS IN MOLECULAR CONDUCTION**  
Zsolt Bihary, Northwestern University
- 16. RIGID MOLECULAR WIRES FROM 1,3- AND 1,4-DISILA/GERMA/STANNABICYCLO[K.L.M]ALKANE MONOMERS (K, L, M = 1 OR 2): INTERESTING SYNTHETICAL TARGETS FOR MOLECULAR ELECTRONICS.**  
Niclas Sandstrom, Uppsala University
- 17. FIELD EMISSION CHARACTERISTICS OF A SINGLE FREE STANDING CARBON NANOTUBE WITH GATE ELECTRODE**  
S. C. Tseng, National Tsing Hua University
- 18. CHARGE TRANSPORT THROUGH POLY-AROMATIC COMPOUNDS**  
Revital Cohen, Northwestern University
- 19. CHEMICALLY MODIFIED URIDINE FOR USE IN DNA TILES**  
Wyetta Palmby, University of Notre Dame
- 20. REVERSIBLE MOLECULAR SWITCHING AT A NANOSCALE METAL-MOLECULAR JUNCTION**  
Lintao Cai, The Pennsylvania State University
- 21. ELECTRICAL CHARACTERIZATION OF OPE-BASED MONOLAYERS IN NANOWIRE JUNCTIONS**  
Marco A. Cabassi, The Pennsylvania State University
- 22. TRANSPORT CALCULATIONS FOR SINGLE MOLECULES: THEORY AND APPLICATIONS**  
F. Evers, Research Center Karlsruhe
- 23. TBA**  
Tomufumi Tada, The University of Tokyo

**24. ELECTRONIC AND TRANSPORT PROPERTIES OF ATOMIC AND MOLECULAR WIRES: THEORETICAL ASPECTS FOR REALIZATION OF SMART NANOSCALE INTERCONNECTS**

Rodion Belosludov, Institute for Materials Research, Tohoku University

**25. DESIGNS AND SIMULATIONS FOR UNIQUE, COMPACT, SPECIAL -PURPOSE NANO-ELECTRIC CIRCUITS**

James C. Ellenbogen, Nanosystems Group, The MITRE Corporation