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# **Ultra-high Temperature Ceramics:**

**Materials for Extreme Environment Applications III**

*An ECI Conference Series*

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## **Sunday, April 12, 2015**

17:00 - 19:00	Registration (Boulevard Pre Function/Foyer)
18:00 - 19:00	Welcome Reception
19:00 - 21:00	Dinner

### **Notes**

- *All technical sessions will be in Boulevard Ballroom 2. Poster session will be in Boulevard Pre Function/Foyer.*
- *Lunches and dinners will be in . Boulevard Ballroom 1. Breakfasts will be in the Deja View Restaurant.*
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**Monday, April 13, 2015**

Breakfast (Deja View Restaurant): Opens 06:30

09:00 - 09:20 Opening Remarks (Carolina Tallon, Chair; Ram Darolia, ECI Liaison)

**Session Chair:** Carolina Tallon, The University of Melbourne, Australia

**Plenary 1**

09:20 - 10:20 **Sustained Hypersonic Flight – It's harder than Rocket Science**  
Michael Smart, The University of Queensland, Australia

10:20 - 10:50 Coffee break

**Session 1: Synthesis and Processing**

**Session Chair:** Laura Silvestroni, National Research Council of Italy, Italy

10:50 - 11:10 **Properties of HfC-SiC nano composites prepared using reactive spark plasma sintering**  
Sea Hoon Lee, Korea Institute of Materials Science, South Korea

11:10 - 11:30 **Processing and Characterisation of (Ta,Hf)C Ultra-High Temperature Ceramics**  
William E. Lee, Imperial College London, United Kingdom

11:30 - 11:50 **Synthesis and Static Oxidation Testing of Doped HfB<sub>2</sub> Powders**  
Jon Binner, University of Birmingham, United Kingdom

11:50 - 12:20 Session 1 Discussion

12:20 - 13:30 Lunch

13:30 - 15:00 Free time/ad hoc discussion

**Session 2: Characterization**

**Session Chair:** William E. Lee, Imperial College London, United Kingdom

15:00 - 15:40 **Keynote 1**  
**Ultra-High Temperature Mechanical Properties of Zirconium Diboride-Based Ceramics**  
William Fahrenholtz, Missouri University of Science and Technology, USA

15:40 - 16:10 Coffee break

16:10 - 16:30 **Invited 1**  
**UHTC Development: Impact of Modern Characterisation Techniques**  
Daniel Riley, Institute of Materials Engineering, ANSTO, Australia

16:30 - 16:50 **A Diffusion-Based Oxidation and Multi Crack Growth Model to Predict Damage in Ultra-High Temperature Ceramics**  
Michele Pettina', Imperial College London, United Kingdom

**Monday, April 13, 2015 (continued)**

16:50 - 17:10	<b>High Temperature Ablation Rig Testing (HiTAR)</b> Sam Moricca, Australian Nuclear Science and Technology Organisation, Defence Materials Technology Centre, Australia
17:10 - 17:30	Session 2 Discussion
18:00 - 20:00	Dinner
20:00 - 21:00	Poster Session/Social Hour

**Tuesday, April 14, 2015**

Breakfast (Deja View Restaurant): Opens 06:30

**Session 3: Barriers/Coatings/Porous**

**Session Chair:** Eric Wuchina, Naval Surface Warfare Center, USA

09:20 - 10:00

**Keynote 2**

**Boride-carbide Systems: From UHTCs to CMCs**

Carlos G. Levi, UCSB, USA

10:00 - 10:20

**Characterization of Ultra High Temperature Ceramic Coatings Deposited by Vacuum Plasma Spraying**

Yeon Woo Yoo, Korea Institute of Materials Science, South Korea

10:20 - 10:50

Coffee break

10:50 - 11:10

**New Thermal Barrier Coatings for Advanced Turbine Engines**

Hongbo Guo, Beihang University, China

11:10 - 11:30

**The Effect of Substrate Geometry Variations on the Formation and Topographical Properties of Plasma Sprayed Thermal Barrier Coatings**

Mitchell L. Sesso, Swinburne University of Technology, Australia

11:30 - 11:50

**Orientation and Stress Relationship between Thermally Grown Rutile and Alumina formed during High Temperature Oxidation**

Robbie J. Bennett, Cambridge University, United Kingdom

11:50 - 12:10

**Near-Net-Shaping and Microstructure-Properties Modelling of Multi-Scale Porous UHTC**

Carolina Tallon, The University of Melbourne, Australia

12:10 - 12:30

Session 3 Discussion

12:30 - 13:30

Lunch

13:30 - 15:30

Free time/ad hoc discussion

**Session 4: Phase Stability**

**Session Chair:** Noritaka Saito, Kyushu University, Japan

15:30 - 16:10

**Keynote 3**

**Metal-rich Ceramic Phase Stability and Microstructures in Group IV and V Carbides and Nitrides**

Gregory B. Thompson, University of Alabama, USA

16:10 - 16:40

Coffee break

16:40 - 17:00

**Phase diagrams in the system boron-carbon-hafnium-zirconium**

Theresa Davey, Imperial College London, United Kingdom

17:00 - 17:20

**In situ, high temperature, synchrotron studies on the oxidation of ZrB<sub>2</sub> and composites**

Pankaj Sarin, Oklahoma State University, USA

**Tuesday, April 14, 2015 (continued)**

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| 17:20 - 17:40 | <b>Slip Regulation in Rocksalt Transition Metal Carbides</b><br>Nicholas DeLeon, The University of Alabama, USA |
| 17:40 - 18:00 | Session 4 Discussion  |
| 18:00         | Dinner on own   |

**Wednesday, April 15, 2015**

Breakfast (Deja View Restaurant): Opens 06:30

**Session 5: Fibers/Composites**

**Session Chair:** Jon Binner, University of Birmingham, United Kingdom

09:00 - 10:00

**Plenary 2**

**UHTCMCs: short vs continuous fibers**

Laura Silvestroni, National Research Council of Italy, CNR-ISTEC, Italy

10:00 - 10:20

**Application of Coatings for Fiber Protection in ZrB<sub>2</sub> Based UHTCMC Structures for Hypersonic Flight**

Marius Nelson Kuetemeyer, DLR, Germany

10:20 - 10:40

**Development and Environment Relevant Testing of Ultra High Temperature Ceramic Matrix Composites based on Airbus Group C/SiC "SICARBON(TM)"**

Stephan Schmidt-Wimmer, Airbus Defence & Space, Germany

10:40 - 11:10

Coffee break

Session Chair: William Fahrenholtz, Missouri University of Science and Technology, USA

11:10 - 11:30

**An oxidation kinetic analysis of hot pressed zirconium carbide at high temperature**

Claudia Gasparrini, Imperial College London, United Kingdom

11:30 - 12:10

**Keynote 4**

**UHTC Composites: Processing, Performance and Future**

Jon Binner, University of Birmingham, United Kingdom

12:10 - 12:30

Session 5 Discussion

12:30 - 19:00

Box Lunch/Optional Excursion/Free Time

19:00 – 22:00

**Conference Banquet**

Dinner Speaker

Mark Hodges, Defence Materials Technology Centre (DMTC), Australia

**Thursday, April 16, 2015**

Breakfast (Deja View Restaurant): Opens 06:30

**Session 6: Joining**

**Session Chair:** Gregory Thompson, University of Alabama, USA

09:00 - 09:40

**Keynote 5**

**Joining of UHTC Boride Composites using Metallic Interlayer**

Noritaka Saito, Kyushu University, Japan

09:40 - 10:00

**Effect of Ni-Nb Interlayer Thickness on Mechanical Property of HfB<sub>2</sub> Composite Joints**

Kou Honda, Kyushu University, Japan

10:00 - 10:20

Session 6 Discussion

10:20 - 10:50

Coffee break

10:50 - 11:50

Wrap-up and planning

11:50

Box lunch and departures

## Poster Presentations List

*Poster Session Monday, 13 April, 2015, 20.00-21.00*

1. **Application of spark plasma sintering for the synthesis of nano UHTC powders**  
Sea Hoon Lee, Korea Institute of Materials Science, South Korea
2. **Analysis of polycarbosilane precursors for the precursor impregnation and pyrolysis process**  
Sea Hoon Lee, Korea Institute of Materials Science, South Korea
3. **Plasticity mechanisms in hafnium nitride at room and elevated temperature**  
Katherine Vinson, The University of Alabama, USA
4. **The effect mechanism of photon radiation on the heat insulation performance in ceramic thermal barrier coating at elevated temperature**  
Yue Ma, Beihang University, China
5. **A pressureless sintering process for preparing ultra-high temperature ZrB<sub>2</sub>-SiC ceramics**  
Qi Li, Beijing Institute of Aeronautical Materials, China
6. **Thermal transport properties of InFeZnO<sub>4</sub>-YbFeZnO<sub>4</sub> solid solutions**  
Yanling Pei, Beihang University, China