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Major Goals: Organizing a Gordon Research Conference involves extensive communication with the research community to identify important issues at the frontiers of the field, and solicit suggestions for speakers and discussion leaders to participate in the conference. The Chair then contacts prospective participants to invite them to talk and discuss the nature of their contributions. The Chair then communicates the topics and aims of the conference through web pages, contact with relevant international professional bodies and email to members of the research community around the world to encourage applications for participation in the conference. The Chair is then responsible for assessing and accepting the applications and fielding a host of questions both concerning the technical content and practical aspects of conference participation.

Accomplishments: The 2018 Gordon Research Conference on Noble Metal Nanoparticles hosted the same invigorating level of cutting-edge science and technology that had made the previous four Noble Metal Nanoparticles conferences so successful. Speakers and Discussion Leaders were drawn from a complementary mix of experimentalists and theoreticians over a wide range of fields, including chemistry, physics, materials science, electrical engineering, and more. Oral presentations and poster sessions invoked lively discussions that cut across several disciplines and included participants from diverse backgrounds. Research topics featured the synthesis and assembly of metallic nanoparticles including hybrid and non-noble metal nanostructures that support collective excitations, the theoretical understanding of surface plasmons and their interactions with light, electrons, molecules, and other nanostructures, and applications that range from photocatalysis to nanomechanics and nanomedicine. At the conclusion of the Conference, selected poster presenters were invited to give short talks to showcase their work. Outside of planned events, attendees had many opportunities for informal gatherings in the afternoons and evenings to build networks and spur new research ideas. Young scientists were highly encouraged to participate in this Conference as well as the related Gordon Research Seminar (GRS) on Noble Metal Nanoparticles. As always, a great emphasis was placed on unpublished, novel, and exciting results. This was a vibrant and stimulating atmosphere for furthering new and impactful research for noble metal nanoparticles and other nanostructures including hybrid materials and assembled superstructures, which all have in common that they support the excitation of surface plasmon resonances.

Training Opportunities: Speakers, discussion leaders, poster presenters and attendees simultaneously contributed to and benefited from the collective skills and experience shared throughout the conference.

Results Dissemination: The final conference program has been posted on the GRC web site.

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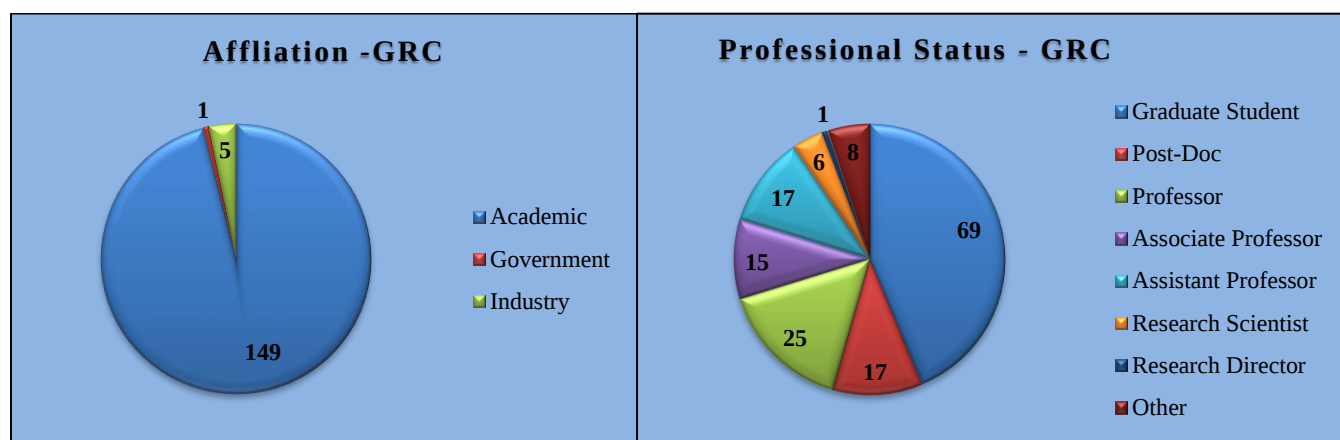
Operational Summary

The Gordon Research Conference (GRC) and Gordon Research Seminar (RS) on Noble Metal Nanoparticles were held at Mount Holyoke College in South Hadley, Massachusetts from June 16-22, 2018. The meeting covered a variety of scientific topics and the content presented was highly rated by participants.



Conference Participants

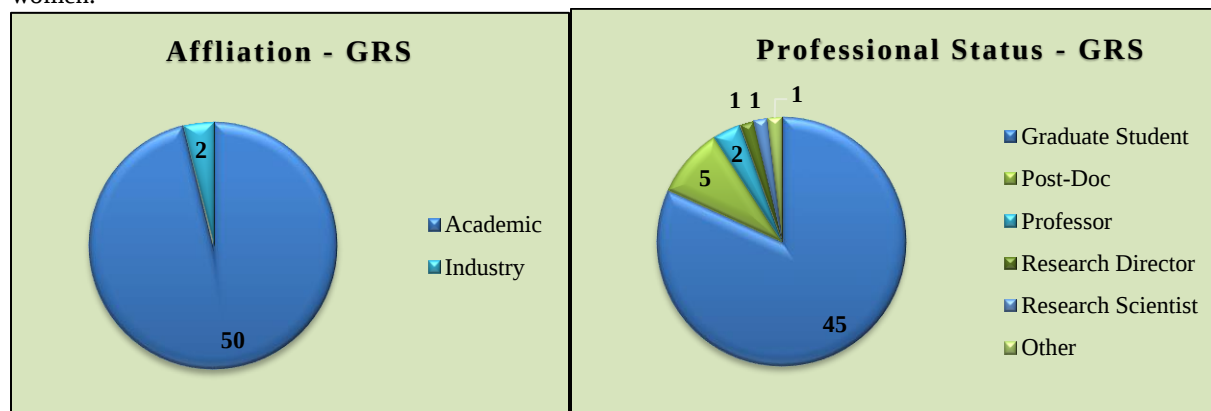
The Conference was well-attended with 158 participants. Scientists from academia represented 94% of the participants while attendees from government accounted for 1% and those from industry totaled 5%. The meeting also attracted a strong mix of young investigators and senior scientists. Students and post-docs accounted for 54% of all attendees. Approximately 36% of the participants at the 2018 meeting were women.



Gordon Research Seminars

Seminar Participants

The Conference was well-attended with 55 participants. Scientists from academia represented 90% of the participants while attendees from government accounted for 0% and those from industry totaled 3%. Students and post docs combined accounted for 90% of all attendees. Approximately 36% of the participants at the 2018 seminar were women.



Conference Program

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Conference Budget

Funding provided by the Army Research Office supported partial travel for 4 professors, 3 associate professors and 2 assistant professors at the GRC and partial travel for 2 professors, 1 research director, 1 research scientist and 1 editor at the GRS.

Conference Feedback

Participants had an opportunity to provide feedback at the end of the Conference. The feedback collected from the meeting was extremely positive. Evaluations included numerous positive remarks regarding poster sessions and diversity of topics. Evaluations from the GRS included positive comments regarding the poster sessions and career panel.

GRC would like to thank the Army Research Office for its continued support of the meetings. The contributions received have been critical to the success of the conferences and are having a measurable impact in advancing the frontiers of science worldwide.

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Noble Metal Nanoparticles
Gordon Research Conference
From Fundamentals to Applications of Collective Excitations in Nanostructured Materials

June 17 - 22, 2018

Chair Stephan Link
Vice Chair Sara E. Skrabalak

Conference Program

Sunday

- 2:00 pm - 9:00 pm Arrival and Check-in
- 6:00 pm - 7:00 pm Dinner
- 7:30 pm - 7:40 pm Introductory Comments by GRC Site Staff / Welcome from the GRC Chair
- 7:40 pm - 9:30 pm Plasmons Supported by Non-Noble Metals
Discussion Leader: **Matthew Sheldon** (Texas A&M University, USA)
- 7:40 pm - 8:20 pm **Teri Odom** (Northwestern University, USA)
"Making, Measuring, and Modeling of Non-Noble Metal Nanostructures"
- 8:20 pm - 8:35 pm Discussion
- 8:35 pm - 9:15 pm **Peter Nordlander** (Rice University, USA)
"Plasmonicity of an Excitation: Distinguishing Plasmons from Excitons"
- 9:15 pm - 9:30 pm Discussion

Monday

- 7:30 am - 8:30 am Breakfast
- 8:30 am - 9:00 am Group Photo
- 9:00 am - 12:30 pm Hybrid Nanostructures
Discussion Leader: **Anne Bentley** (Lewis & Clark College, USA)
- 9:00 am - 9:30 am **Miguel Jose Yacaman** (University of Texas at San Antonio, USA)
"Low Dose Electron Diffraction and Cryo Microscopy: New Tools for Determining Hybrid Plasmonic Nanostructures"
- 9:30 am - 9:45 am Discussion
- 9:45 am - 10:15 am **Dong Qin** (Georgia Institute of Technology, USA)
"Probing the Heterogeneous Nucleation in Nanocrystal Growth with a Molecular Probe by SERS"
- 10:15 am - 10:30 am Discussion
- 10:30 am - 11:00 am Coffee Break
- 11:00 am - 11:30 am **Yugang Sun** (Temple University, USA)
"Hot Carrier Generation in Quantum-Sized Noble Metal Nanoparticles"
- 11:30 am - 11:45 am Discussion
- 11:45 am - 12:15 pm **Jingyi Chen** (University of Arkansas, USA)
"Cu-Based Hybrid Nanostructures: From Syntheses to Applications"
- 12:15 pm - 12:30 pm Discussion
- 12:30 pm - 1:30 pm Lunch

1:30 pm - 4:00 pm	Free Time
3:00 pm - 4:00 pm	Power Hour <i>The GRC Power Hour is an optional informal gathering open to all meeting participants. It is designed to help address the challenges women face in science and support the professional growth of women in our communities by providing an open forum for discussion and mentoring.</i> Organizer: Sara Skrabalak (Indiana University, USA)
4:00 pm - 6:00 pm	Poster Session
6:00 pm - 7:00 pm	Dinner
7:30 pm - 9:30 pm	The Impact of Shape on Noble Metal Nanoparticles Discussion Leader: Amanda Haes (University of Iowa, USA)
7:30 pm - 7:55 pm	Mostafa El-Sayed (Georgia Institute of Technology, USA) "Nanotechnology of Gold Nanorods Stops Cancer Cell Migration and Thus Stops Cancer from Killing People"
7:55 pm - 8:10 pm	Discussion
8:10 pm - 8:35 pm	Cecilia Noguez (Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México, Mexico) "High Multipolar Plasmonics and Radiative Heat Transfer"
8:35 pm - 8:50 pm	Discussion
8:50 pm - 9:15 pm	Catherine Murphy (University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, USA) "Latitude and Longitude: Interfacial Chemistry on Gold Nanorods"
9:15 pm - 9:30 pm	Discussion
Tuesday	
7:30 am - 8:30 am	Breakfast
9:00 am - 12:30 pm	Hot Electron Chemistry Discussion Leader: Terefe Habteyes (University of New Mexico, USA)
9:00 am - 9:30 am	Renee Frontiera (University of Minnesota, USA) "Ultrafast SERS Probing Hot Electron-Driven Molecule-Plasmon Dynamics"
9:30 am - 9:45 am	Discussion
9:45 am - 10:15 am	Sebastian Schluecker (University of Duisburg-Essen, Germany) "Photorecycling and Hot Electrons for Driving Reduction Chemistry of Molecules on Silver Nanoparticles"
10:15 am - 10:30 am	Discussion
10:30 am - 11:00 am	Coffee Break
11:00 am - 11:30 am	Bin Ren (Xiamen University, China) "Hot Electron Chemistry Probed by Tip- and Surface-Enhanced Raman Spectroscopy"
11:30 am - 11:45 am	Discussion
11:45 am - 12:15 pm	Ning Fang (Georgia State University, USA) "In Situ Single Molecule Imaging of Nanoscale Chemical Processes"
12:15 pm - 12:30 pm	Discussion
12:30 pm - 1:30 pm	Lunch
1:30 pm - 4:00 pm	Free Time
4:00 pm - 6:00 pm	Poster Session

6:00 pm - 7:00 pm	Dinner
7:30 pm - 9:30 pm	Nanoparticle Superstructures Discussion Leader: Hui Wang (University of South Carolina, USA)
7:30 pm - 7:55 pm	Tim Liedl (Ludwig Maximilian University of Munich, Germany) "Plasmonics Enabled by DNA Nanotechnology"
7:55 pm - 8:10 pm	Discussion
8:10 pm - 8:35 pm	Qian Chen (University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, USA) "Direct Imaging of Crystallization Kinetics and Interfacial Fluctuations of Nanoparticle Superlattices"
8:35 pm - 8:50 pm	Discussion
8:50 pm - 9:15 pm	George Schatz (Northwestern University, USA) "Manipulating Plasmons Using Nanoparticle Arrays"
9:15 pm - 9:30 pm	Discussion
Wednesday	
7:30 am - 8:30 am	Breakfast
9:00 am - 12:30 pm	Nanomedicine: Detection and Treatment Discussion Leader: Denis Boudreau (Laval University, Canada)
9:00 am - 9:30 am	Rizia Bardhan (Vanderbilt University, USA) "Screening Multiple Immunomarkers <i>In Vivo</i> with Multimodal Nanoantennas"
9:30 am - 9:45 am	Discussion
9:45 am - 10:15 am	Laura Sagle (University of Cincinnati, USA) "Liposome-Based SERS Substrates for Nonperturbative Biophysical Studies"
10:15 am - 10:30 am	Discussion
10:30 am - 11:00 am	Coffee Break
11:00 am - 11:30 am	Francesco Stellacci (École Polytechnique Fédérale de Lausanne, Switzerland) "Gold Nanoparticles as the Ultimate Antivirals"
11:30 am - 11:45 am	Discussion
11:45 am - 12:15 pm	Michael Natan (Ultivue Inc., USA) "Multiplexed Immunohistochemistry in Tissue Biopsy Sections: Can SERS Ever Outperform Fluorescence?"
12:15 pm - 12:30 pm	Discussion
12:30 pm - 1:30 pm	Lunch
1:30 pm - 4:00 pm	Free Time
4:00 pm - 6:00 pm	Poster Session
6:00 pm - 7:00 pm	Dinner
7:00 pm - 7:30 pm	Business Meeting <i>Nominations for the Next Vice Chair; Fill in Conference Evaluation Forms; Discuss Future Site and Scheduling Preferences; Election of the Next Vice Chair</i>
7:30 pm - 9:30 pm	Mechanics of Noble Metal Nanoparticles Discussion Leader: Gregory Hartland (University of Notre Dame, USA)
7:30 pm - 7:55 pm	Fabrice Vallee (CNRS / Université Claude Bernard Lyon 1, France) "Mechanical Response of Noble Metal Nanoparticles: From Macro- to Nano-Size Oscillators"

7:55 pm - 8:10 pm	Discussion
8:10 pm - 8:35 pm	John Sader (The University of Melbourne, Australia) "Fluid-Structure Interaction of Metal Nanoparticles"
8:35 pm - 8:50 pm	Discussion
8:50 pm - 9:15 pm	Michel Orrit (Leiden University, The Netherlands) "Dynamics of Vapor Nanobubbles Around Laser Heated Gold Nanoparticles"
9:15 pm - 9:30 pm	Discussion
Thursday	
7:30 am - 8:30 am	Breakfast
9:00 am - 12:30 pm	Strong Coupling to Particles, Molecules, Photons, and Electrons Discussion Leader: Katherine Willets (Temple University, USA)
9:00 am - 9:30 am	Gilad Haran (Weizmann Institute of Science, Israel) "Strong Coupling in a Plasmonic Cavity at the Single Quantum Emitter Limit"
9:30 am - 9:45 am	Discussion
9:45 am - 10:15 am	Hiroaki Misawa (Hokkaido University, Japan) "Water Splitting Using Strong Coupling Between Localized Surface Plasmon and Cavity Modes"
10:15 am - 10:30 am	Discussion
10:30 am - 11:00 am	Coffee Break
11:00 am - 11:30 am	Jon Camden (University of Notre Dame, USA) "Probing Plasmons with Electrons and New Strategies for Surface Enhanced Spectroscopy"
11:30 am - 11:45 am	Discussion
11:45 am - 12:15 pm	Jeremy Baumberg (University of Cambridge, United Kingdom) "Extreme Nano-Optics: Seeing Single Atoms and Molecules"
12:15 pm - 12:30 pm	Discussion
12:30 pm - 1:30 pm	Lunch
1:30 pm - 4:00 pm	Free Time
4:00 pm - 6:00 pm	Poster Session
6:00 pm - 7:00 pm	Dinner
7:30 pm - 9:30 pm	Selected Poster Presentations Discussion Leader: Sara Skrabalak (Indiana University, USA)
7:30 pm - 7:40 pm	Nicki Hogan (Texas A&M University, USA) "Plasmonic Selective Absorbers for All-Metal Optical Power Generation"
7:40 pm - 7:45 pm	Discussion
7:45 pm - 7:55 pm	Melissa King (Wesleyan University, USA) "Iodide Assisted Underpotential Deposition of Copper at the Surface of High-Index Faceted Palladium Nanoparticles"
7:55 pm - 8:00 pm	Discussion
8:00 pm - 8:10 pm	Jacob Pettine (University of Colorado Boulder, USA) "Ultrafast, Angle-Resolved Photoelectron Spectroscopy of Individual Plasmonic Nanoparticles"
8:10 pm - 8:15 pm	Discussion
8:15 pm - 8:25 pm	Jacek Szczerbinski (ETH Zurich, Switzerland)

"Plasmon-Driven Photocatalysis Leads to the Same Products as X-Ray-Induced Surface Photochemistry"

8:25 pm - 8:30 pm Discussion

8:30 pm - 9:10 pm **Naomi Halas** (Rice University, USA)
"Noble Metal Nanoparticles: New Frontiers"

9:10 pm - 9:30 pm Discussion

Friday

7:30 am - 8:30 am Breakfast

9:00 am Departure

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Sundaresan, Vignesh	Temple University	Poster Presenter
Swearer, Dayne F	Rice University	Poster Presenter
Szczerbinski, Jacek	ETH Zurich	Speaker

Tauzin, Lawrence J	Rice University	Poster Presenter
Tesema, Tefera Entele	University of New Mexico	Poster Presenter
Thompson, Lucas B	Gettysburg College	Poster Presenter
Tian, Shu	Rice University	Poster Presenter
Tsoulos, Theodoros V.	Rutgers University	Poster Presenter
Vallee, Fabrice	CNRS / Universite Claude Bernard Lyon 1	Speaker
Vartanian, Ariane	Nature Communications	Attendee
Visaveliya, Nikunj Kumar R	The City College of New York	Poster Presenter
Wang, Hui	University of South Carolina	Discussion Leader
Waszkielewicz, Magdalena A	Wroclaw University of Technology	Poster Presenter
Willets, Katherine A	Temple University	Discussion Leader
Wu, Yiren	Georgia Institute of Technology	Poster Presenter
Wu, Yueying	University of Notre Dame	Poster Presenter
Wu, Shengxiang	Texas A&M	Poster Presenter
Zhang, Luo	Georgia Institute of Technology	Poster Presenter
Zhang, Qingfeng	Rice University	Poster Presenter
Zhang, Mingliang	University of Pennsylvania	Poster Presenter
Zhao, Jing	University of Connecticut	Poster Presenter
Zuo, Tiancheng	University of Michigan	Poster Presenter

Noble Metal Nanoparticles (GRS)

Gordon Research Seminar

From Fundamentals to Applications of Collective Excitations in Nanostructured Materials

June 16 - 17, 2018

Chairs James L. Brooks and Dayne F. Swearer

Conference Program

Saturday

2:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Arrival and Check-in
3:30 pm - 3:45 pm	Introductory Comments by GRC Site Staff / Welcome from the GRS Chair
3:45 pm - 4:30 pm	Keynote Session: Current and Future Trends Discussion Leader: Dayne Swearer (Rice University, USA)
3:45 pm - 4:15 pm	George Schatz (Northwestern University, USA) "Nanoparticle Plasmonics: An Introduction"
4:15 pm - 4:30 pm	Discussion
4:30 pm - 6:00 pm	Poster Session
6:00 pm - 7:00 pm	Dinner
7:30 pm - 9:30 pm	Nanomaterial Synthesis and Optimization Discussion Leaders: Jocelyn Gamler (Indiana University, USA) and Aaron Saunders (nanoComposix, Inc., USA)
7:30 pm - 7:45 pm	Benjamin Clark (Rice University, USA) "Optimizing the Synthesis of Aluminum Nanocrystals from Alkyl Aluminum Precursors"
7:45 pm - 7:50 pm	Discussion
7:50 pm - 8:05 pm	Kiyoshi Morishita (The University of Tokyo, Japan) "Multifunctional Gold Nanoparticles for Protein Degradation"
8:05 pm - 8:10 pm	Discussion
8:10 pm - 8:25 pm	Melissa King (Wesleyan University, USA) "Iodide Assisted Underpotential Deposition of Copper at the Surface of High-Index Faceted Palladium Nanoparticles"
8:25 pm - 8:30 pm	Discussion
8:30 pm - 8:45 pm	Papri Chakraborty (Indian Institute of Technology Madras, India) "Fullerene Functionalized Atomically Precise Silver Clusters"
8:45 pm - 8:50 pm	Discussion
8:50 pm - 9:05 pm	Theodoros Tsoulos (Rutgers University, USA) "Few- and Long-Spiked Nanostars: The Role of Theory in the Optimization of Plasmonic Nanomaterials"
9:05 pm - 9:10 pm	Discussion
9:10 pm - 9:25 pm	Kathryn Johnston (University of Pittsburgh, USA) "Impacts of Broth Chemistry on Silver Ion Release, Surface Chemistry Composition and Bacterial Cytotoxicity of Silver Nanoparticles"
9:25 pm - 9:30 pm	Discussion

Sunday

7:30 am - 8:30 am	Breakfast
9:00 am - 11:00 am	Physical Insights into Noble Metal Nanoparticles Discussion Leaders: Scott Crawford (University of Pittsburgh, USA) and Claire Cobley (Wiley-VCH, Germany)
9:00 am - 9:15 am	Gary Beane (University of Notre Dame, USA) "Strong Exciton-Plasmon Coupling in Silver Nanowire Nanocavities"
9:15 am - 9:20 am	Discussion
9:20 am - 9:35 am	Yi-Yu Cai (Rice University, USA) "Photoluminescence of Gold Nanorods: Purcell Effect Enhanced Emission from Hot Carriers"
9:35 am - 9:40 am	Discussion
9:40 am - 9:55 am	Stephen Lee (University of Michigan, USA) "Single-Molecule Emission Spectrum Reshaping and All-Fluorescence Nanothermometry Using Gold Nanoparticles"
9:55 am - 10:00 am	Discussion
10:00 am - 10:15 am	Natalia Molina (Temple University, USA) "Super-Resolution Imaging of Electrochemical Reactions on Plasmonic Nanoparticle Electrodes"
10:15 am - 10:20 am	Discussion
10:20 am - 10:35 am	Mariia Pavliuk (Uppsala University, Sweden) "Nano-Hybrid Plasmonic Photocatalyst for Hydrogen Production at 20% Efficiency"
10:35 am - 10:40 am	Discussion
10:40 am - 10:55 am	Jacek Szczerbinski (ETH Zurich, Switzerland) "Plasmon-Driven Photocatalysis Leads to the Same Products as X-Ray-Induced Surface Photochemistry"
10:55 am - 11:00 am	Discussion
11:00 am - 12:30 pm	Poster Session <i>Coffee will be served in the poster area from 11:00 am - 11:30 am</i>
12:30 pm - 1:30 pm	Lunch
1:30 pm - 2:30 pm	Mentorship Component: Career Panel <i>This mentorship session will feature a career panel comprised of five successful scientists. Each mentor will be allowed to share their career path, and then the floor will be open for any questions from the GRS participants.</i> Discussion Leader: James Brooks (University of Minnesota, USA)
1:30 pm - 2:30 pm	Panel Discussion <i>Careers in Academia, Industry and Publishing</i> • Claire Cobley (Wiley-VCH, Germany) • Corey Radloff (3M Company, USA) • Aaron Saunders (nanoComposix, Inc., USA) • Sara Skrabalak (Indiana University, USA) • George Schatz (Northwestern University, USA)
2:30 pm - 3:00 pm	Evaluation Period <i>Fill in GRS Evaluation Forms</i>

3:00 pm

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Name	Organization	Participation
Anthony, Taryn P	Temple University	Poster Presenter
Beane, Gary A	University of Notre Dame	Speaker
Bhattacharya, Chirasmitta	Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore	Poster Presenter
Brooks, James L	University of Minnesota	Chair
Cai, Yi-Yu	Rice University	Speaker
Chakraborty, Amrita	Indian Institute of Technology Madras	Poster Presenter
Chakraborty, Papri	Indian Institute of Technology Madras	Speaker
Chen, Alexander N	Indiana University	Poster Presenter
Choo, Priscilla	Northwestern University	Poster Presenter
Clark, Benjamin	Rice University	Speaker
Cobley, Claire M	Wiley-VCH	Speaker
Coughlin, Benjamin P	Tufts University	Poster Presenter
Crawford, Scott E	University of Pittsburgh	Discussion Leader
Devkota, Tuphan	University of Notre Dame	Poster Presenter
Diemler, Nathan	University of Pittsburgh	Poster Presenter
Farshad, Mohsen	University of Maine	Poster Presenter
Fontaine, Nicolas	Université Laval, Centre d'optique photonique et laser	Poster Presenter
Gamler, Jocelyn T.L.	Indiana University	Discussion Leader
Hallenbeck, Zachary T	Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute	Poster Presenter
Henderson, Luke A	Rice University	Poster Presenter
Hoang, Phuong M	King Abdullah University of Science and Technology	Poster Presenter
Hosseini Jebeli, Seyyed Ali	Rice university	Poster Presenter
Johnston, Kathryn A	University of Pittsburgh	Speaker
Kimmitt, Nathan F	Rensselaer Polytech Inst	Poster Presenter
King, Melissa E	Wesleyan University	Speaker
Kinnear, Calum	The University of Melbourne	Poster Presenter
Lee, Stephen A	University of Michigan	Speaker
Liu, Tingting	Northwestern University	Poster Presenter
Maiti, Arpan	University of Notre Dame	Poster Presenter
Mao, Ziliang	University of California, Merced	Poster Presenter
Marro, Nicolas	University of St Andrews	Poster Presenter
Molina, Natalia Y	Temple University	Speaker
Morishita, Kiyoshi	The University of Tokyo	Speaker
Munro, Catherine J	University of Miami	Poster Presenter
Olafsson, Agust A	The University of Notre Dame	Poster Presenter
Olson, Jacob	University of Notre Dame	Poster Presenter
Pavliuk, Mariia	Uppsala University	Speaker
Pettine, Jacob	University of Colorado Boulder	Poster Presenter
Picard-Lafond, Audrey	Université Laval	Poster Presenter
Radloff, Corey J	3M Company	Speaker
Rafiei Miandashti, Ali	Ohio University	Poster Presenter
Renard, David	Rice University	Poster Presenter
Roy, Soumendu	Indian Institute of Science Education and Research, Pune	Poster Presenter
Saunders, Aaron	nanoComposix, Inc.	Speaker
Schatz, George C	Northwestern University	Speaker

Seibt, Susanne	University of Melbourne	Poster Presenter
Sherman, Lindy M	University of Notre Dame	Poster Presenter
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