

MONDAY, AUGUST 9TH

11:00 AM - 11:10 AM OPENING REMARKS

Alan Perry

Director

Office of Workforce Management and Administration
Office of Fossil Energy and Carbon Management

11:10 AM - 11:30 AM WELCOME

Brian Anderson, Ph.D.

Director

National Energy Technology Laboratory (NETL)

11:30 AM - 12:00 PM KEYNOTE REMARKS

Captain (Ret.) Ernest R. Hunter Sr.

MLEF Co-Founder

Reginal "Reggie" Spiller

MLEF Co-Founder

12:00 PM - 12:15 PM BREAK

12:15 PM - 1:15 PM STUDENT PRESENTATIONS

Jada Sherman | NETL - Pittsburgh, PA

Environmental Cost of Plugging Abandoned Oil and Gas Wells

Elijah Johnson | DOE HQ - Germantown, MD

Engineering Project Finance

Tiernan Baucom | NETL - Pittsburgh, PA

Screening and Synthesis of MOF Materials for 2D Membranes

1:15 PM - 1:45 PM BREAK

1:45 PM - 3:05 PM STUDENT PRESENTATIONS

Rachel Fan | NETL - Pittsburgh, PA

Quantifying and Characterizing Variability of Wind and Solar Energy Generation

Rodrigo Carrizales | DOE HQ - Germantown, MD

Analysis of Gas Hydrates Systems for AI/ML Modeling and Simulations

Alexis Parker | NETL - Morgantown, WV

Digital Core Characterization and Carbon Storage

Gavin Wahl | NETL - Morgantown, WV

Enhancing Thermal Control Capabilities for the NETL Micro CT Project

Jonathan Roman | PNNL - Richland, WA

Data analysis for Extreme Environment Materials

3:05 PM - 3:15 PM BREAK

3:15 PM - 4:20 PM STUDENT PRESENTATIONS

Jesus J. Mata | NETL - Morgantown, WV

Vibrational Analysis and Mechanical Design of 20kW SOFC/GT Hybrid System

Ann Marie Tirado Padilla | NETL - Morgantown, WV

Thermal Energy Storage Model

Cory A. Toribio | NETL - Morgantown, WV

Model Development of Electric Energy Storage System for NETL's Hybrid

Performance Facility

Ariztbe Valladolid | NETL - Morgantown, WV

Mechanical Design of 20kW SOFC/GT Hybrid System

4:20 PM CLOSING & ANNOUNCEMENTS

All times are shown in EDT



TUESDAY, AUGUST 10TH

11:30 AM - 12:50 PM

STUDENT PRESENTATIONS

Eric G. Barnfather Jr. | SPR- New Orleans, LA Document Control System Modernization

Shawn L. Butler Jr. | DOE HQ - Germantown, MD *Financial Modeling of Fossil Energy CCS Power Projects*

Britley Jones | NETL - Pittsburgh, PA

FGD Effluent Treatment Modeling and Speciation Analysis Using Aqueous Chemistry Software

Brady Spears | NETL - Albany, OR

Machine Learning Image Analytics to Identify Oil and Gas Infrastructure

Kiersten Dinda | DOE HQ - Germantown, MD *Standardize Carbon Utilization Projects and Findings*

12:50 PM - 1:10 PM

BREAK

1:10 PM - 2:15 PM

STUDENT PRESENTATIONS

Justin Finkley | NETL - Albany, OR

Data Analytics for Materials Property Prediction in Extreme Environments

Hannah Grace Bella | DOE HQ - Germantown, MD

Technoeconomic Analysis of Production of Low-Carbon Hydrogen using the Gasification Process Coupled with CO₂ Capture and Storage

Madison Fischman | DOE HQ - Germantown, MD

Analysis of Reversible Solid Oxide Fuel Cells and Their Marketability

Diana Lee Díaz Guzmán | NETL - Pittsburgh, PA

HTHP Density and Viscosity Modeling of Rocket Propellants

2:15 PM - 2:25 PM

BREAK

2:25 PM - 3:45 PM

STUDENT PRESENTATIONS

Nicholas Messina | NETL - Morgantown, WV

CO₂ Pipeline Infrastructure

Amy Kou | NETL - Albany, OR

Developing an Online Geospatial dashboard to Explore Trends in Rare Earth

Element (REE) and Critical Mineral (CM) Data

Jane Cloninger | NETL - Pittsburgh, PA

Resource Map for Modular Co-Gasification of Coal Waste, Biomass and Other

Waste Materials

Zachary Medley | DOE HQ - Germantown, MD

Hybrid Power Plant with Hydrogen Production and Storage

Meredith Basta | LANL - Los Alamos, NM

Business Development of Rare Earth Metal Technology and Clean Energy

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Join us today for virtual bingo at 4:00 PM



WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 11TH

11:30 AM - 12:35 PM

STUDENT PRESENTATIONS

Brendan Canterberry | DOE HQ - Washington, D.C.

Biomining: Sustainable Recovery of Critical Minerals from Coal Waste

Luke Bartol | DOE HQ - Washington, D.C.

Carbon Mineralization in Mine Waste Products as a CO₂ Sequestration Technique

Daniella Cimadomo | NETL - Morgantown, WV *Petrophysical Rock Core Characterization*

Harleen Kaur | NETL - Morgantown, WV

Database Creation and Prediction of Microwave Interactions by Machine

Learning

12:35 PM - 12:50 PM

BREAK

12:50 PM - 2:00 PM

ALUMNI PANEL

Chinazor S. Azubike MLEF Class 2012

Arnel Garcesa *MLEF Class 2017*

Samantha Martinez MLEF Class 2015

Madison Wenzlick MLEF Class 2017

2:00 PM - 2:10 PM

BREAK

2:10 PM - 3:00 PM

STUDENT PRESENTATIONS

Kayla Ghezzi | NETL - Pittsburgh, PA Data Mining of Plastic Upcycling

Eduardo García | SPR - New Orleans, LA

Protecting Our Pumps with Net Positive Suction Head Management

Genevieve Brooks | NETL - Pittsburgh, PA

Fourier Transform Infrared (FTIR) Quantitative Mineralogical Analysis

3:00 PM - 3:10 PM

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3:10 PM - 4:00 PM

STUDENT PRESENTATIONS

Theo Edwards | NETL - Morgantown, WV

Solvent and Coatings Interactions in Single Mode Microwave Reactors

Bryce Elizabeth Yahn | NETL - Albany, OR *Topic Modeling of Energy Storage Literature*

Andrew Candia | NETL - Pittsburgh, PA

Literature Review of Oxidative Coupling of Methane to other Hydrocarbons

4:00 PM

PROGRAM ANNOUNCEMENTS



THURSDAY, AUGUST 12TH

11:30 AM - 12:50 PM

STUDENT PRESENTATIONS

Raquenel Abreu | NETL - Morgantown, WV

Analyzing The Chemical Composition and Lithology of The Patterson #5-25 Well

Joseph Martini | NETL - Morgantown, WV

Optimization Simulation to Improve Drilling Performance

Heidy Vega | NETL - Pittsburgh, PA

Corrosion Analysis of Natural Gas Pipeline with Optical Fibers

Katie Griffith | NETL - Pittsburgh, PA

First-Principles Modeling of the Optical Properties of Double Halide Perovskites for Applications as Gas Sensing Materials

Laura Schwendeman | NETL - Pittsburgh, PA

Machine Learning on Surface Acoustic Wave (SAW) Sensor Data for Enhanced Harsh Environment Gas Detection

12:50 PM - 1:10 PM

BREAK

1:10 PM - 2:00 PM

STUDENT PRESENTATIONS

Jessee Steele | LBNL - Berkeley, CA

Negative Carbon Emissions from Agricultural Soils

Annelise Lobo | NETL - Albany, OR

Modeling A Fully Insulated MHD Generator

Katherine Nie | NETL - Pittsburgh, PA

Rotating Detonation Engine Inlet Development and Characterization

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STUDENT PRESENTATIONS

Priscilla Melissa Prem | NETL - Pittsburgh, PA

Extraction Kinetics of Rare Earth Minerals from Ion-adsorbed Underclays

Phillip Agbesi | NETL - Pittsburgh, PA

GIS Characterization of Mineral Reactions in Produced Waters: Effects of CO₂ Enhanced Oil Recovery (EOR)

Ruben Sanchez | LLNL - Livermore, CA

Preliminary Techno Economic Analysis of Indoor CO₂ Capture, Conversion, and

Purification

3:00 PM

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FRIDAY, AUGUST 13TH

11:45 AM - 12:50 PM

STUDENT PRESENTATIONS

Jorge Marcelino Hernandez | LANL - Los Alamos, NM *Carbon Dioxide Capture Using Hollow Fiber Membrane*

Stephanie Huang | LBNL - Berkeley, CA

The Potential of Enhanced Weathering as a Negative Emissions Technology

Brendan Hughes | LBNL - Berkeley, CA

Crosswell Electromagnetic Method for Monitoring CO2 Storage

Diana Laura Morales Palma | LLNL - Livermore, CA

Algae Under Attack: Mathematical Modeling of Temporal Population Dynamics between Biofuel-Relevant Microalgae and Predatory Bacteria

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STUDENT PRESENTATIONS

Linda Anyosa | NETL - Pittsburgh, PA

Southern Great Plains Natural Disasters and Energy Grid

Joseph Hayes | NETL - Pittsburgh, PA

Enabling Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning Efforts in Rare Earth

Elements/Critical Minerals Research

Fatou Kine Mbaye | NETL - Morgantown, WV

Exploring the Relationships Between Production and Incidents on Oil and Gas

Platforms in the Gulf of Mexico

1:50 PM - 2:00 PM

BREAK

2:00 PM

CLOSING

Shuchi Talati, Ph.D.

Chief of Staff

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