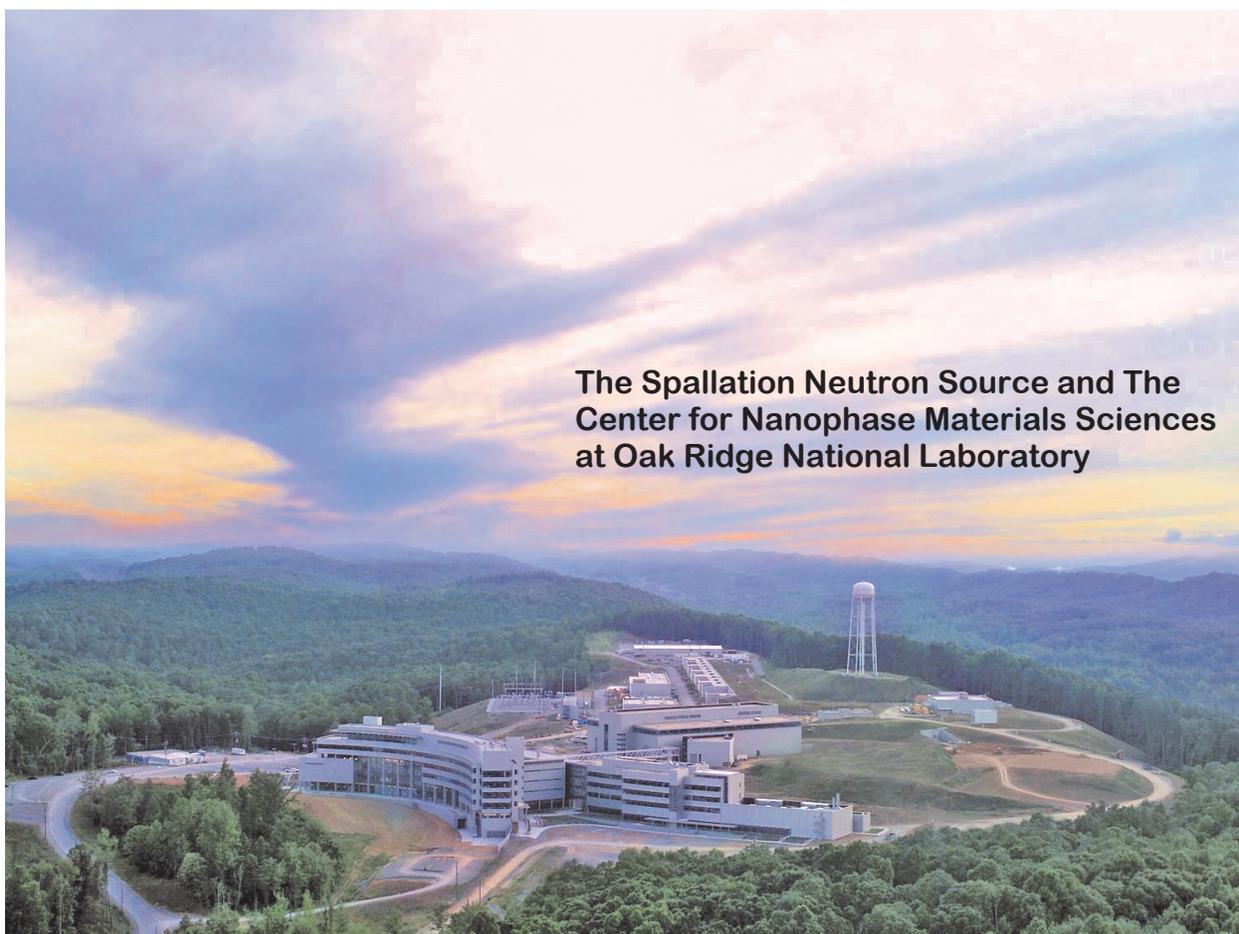


ISPAC-2006

19th International Symposium on Polymer Analysis and Characterization



The Spallation Neutron Source and The
Center for Nanophase Materials Sciences
at Oak Ridge National Laboratory

June 12-14
DoubleTree Hotel
Oak Ridge, Tennessee

Short Course:
Techniques for Polymer Analysis and Characterization
Sunday, June 11, 2006

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Optional Short Course:

Sunday, June 11

Techniques for Polymer Analysis and Characterization

Guy Berry, Carnegie Mellon University, USA
Scattering from Polymer Solutions

Mark Dadmun, University of Tennessee, USA
Neutron Scattering and Neutron Reflectivity

Steve Balke, University of Toronto, Canada
Quantitative Multi-Detector SEC

Josef Janca, University of La Rochelle, France
Field Flow Fractionation in Polymer and Particle Analysis and Characterization

Session 1:

Monday, June 12

Polymer Separations

Wolf Hiller, DKI – Darmstadt, Germany
New Developments in LC-NMR of Polymers

Harald Pasch, DKI – Darmstadt, Germany
Novel Chromatographic Techniques for Analysis of Complex Polyolefins

Herve Cottet, University of Montpellier, France
Characterization of Synthetic Polymers and Polypeptides by Capillary Electrophoresis

Session 2:

Monday, June 12

Polymer Thin Films and Interfaces

S. Michael Kilbey II, Clemson University, USA
Probing Molecular-Level Structure and Properties of Polymer-Modified Interfaces

Rigoberto Advincula, University of Houston, USA
Investigating Polymer Thin Films using Surface Sensitive Analytical Methods

Grant Smith, University of Utah, USA
Structure and Tribology of Polymer Brushes: Insight from Molecular Dynamics Simulations

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Session 3:

Tuesday, June 13

Neutron Scattering and Reflectometry

David Lohse, Exxon-Mobil, USA

Characterization of Polyolefin Miscibility and Its Relation to Chemical Architecture

George Wignall, Oak Ridge National Laboratory, USA

SANS Studies of Nanostructured Materials for the Self-Assembly of Block Copolymers and Surfactants in the Condensed State and Fluid Media

David Bucknall, Georgia Institute of Technology, USA

Polymer Surface and Interface Analysis using Real-Time Neutron Reflectivity

Session 4:

Tuesday, June 13

Bio- and Responsive Materials

Darrin Pochan, University of Delaware, USA

Nanostructure Self-Assembly with Charged Block Copolymers

Ryan Toomey, University of South Florida, USA

Smart Polymer Films with Built-in Logic for Reversible Binding

Nikos Hadjichristidis, University of Athens, Greece

Vesicle-Forming Block Copolypeptides

Session 5:

Wednesday, June 14

Multicomponent Polymer Systems

Thomas Russell, University of Massachusetts, USA

In Situ Real-Time Scattering on Block Copolymers: Self-Orienting, Self-Assembly

Mark Dadmun, University of Tennessee, USA

Improving and Controlling Interfaces in Multi-Component Polymer Systems

Samuel Gido, University of Massachusetts, USA

Morphological Characterization of Silicone Hydrogels for Contact Lens Applications

ISPAC 2006 Organizing Committee

Jimmy Mays, University of Tennessee, USA (Chairman)

Guy Berry, Carnegie Mellon University, USA

Registration Form

ISPAC-2006

To register for ISPAC-2006, please complete this form and send it, together with your remittance, to Sheree Gold, at the address shown below. Indicate your requirements by ticking the appropriate boxes.

The registration fee includes the final program and abstracts; breakfast, lunches, and coffee breaks; and the Sunday evening reception.

Note that registration after May 11th, or on site will incur an additional charge of \$50. Cancellations will be accepted up to one week before the conference and refunds given, subject to an administrative charge of \$50. Substitutions may be made without financial penalty at any time.

Costs

Please Tick/Check Box as Required

Advance normal registration fee (before May 11th)	\$500	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Full-time student registration fee	\$250	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Optional Short Course (fee includes lecture notes, lunch and refreshment)	\$250	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Late registration supplement (after May 11th)	\$50	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Conference Banquet please indicate # of tickets	\$40 per	<input type="checkbox"/>	_____ Number of tickets to banquet
Optional tour of the Center for Nanophase Materials Sciences and Spallation Neutron Source at Oak Ridge National Lab. Gratis but visitor must provide full name, citizenship, date of birth and place of birth to Patricia Mays: trish@ion.chem.utk.edu by May 1st. Please indicate ORNL Tour in Subject Line.		<input type="checkbox"/>	

Poster Abstracts

Poster abstracts should be submitted by May 11th (up to two pages) by email to J. Mays (jimmymays@utk.edu) *Please indicate **ISPAC Abstract in Subject Line**. Posters should be prepared in landscape format not exceeding 120 cm x 80 cm.

I wish to submit a poster with the provisional title: _____

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General Information:

The International Symposium on Polymer Analysis and Characterization-ISPAC-is a not-for profit scientific organization, the purpose of which is to provide an international forum for the presentation of recent advances in polymer analysis and characterization methodologies. ISPAC is a unique annual symposium that brings together analytical chemists and polymer scientists involved in the analysis and characterization of polymers. Visit the ISPAC web site at <http://www.chem.cmu.edu/ispac/>

Accommodations:

A block of rooms has been reserved at the DoubleTree Hotel in Oak Ridge, TN for ISPAC attendees at the special rate of \$84.00 per night plus tax. When making reservations by phone, please call 1-800-222-TREE and indicate that you are attending the ISPAC meeting. If you are making your reservations on the hotel's web site, www.doubletreeoakridge.com, the relevant "Special Rate Code" is **ISP**.

Transportation:

Most major US Air carriers service the Knoxville McGhee Tyson Airport located 25 miles from the DoubleTree Hotel. Taxi service is available for \$45 one way.

Location and Additional Information:

Oak Ridge is a progressive city situated in the valley between the Great Smoky Mountains and the Cumberland Mountains. Accompanying persons are welcome to accompany attendees to the opening reception, breakfast, and lunch at the conference site at no charge, however, they are expected to purchase a ticket to the conference banquet. Depending upon interest level, a trip to the Great Smoky Mountains for accompanying persons may be organized.

Conference Sessions Posters and Short Course:

In addition to the invited lectures, there will be a poster session on Monday afternoon and an optional short course on Sunday. All attendees are invited to present a poster. The conference sessions and short course will be held in the DoubleTree Hotel.

Conference Banquet:

The Conference Banquet will be held at The Confederate Memorial Hall-Bleak House, Tuesday, June 13, 2006 at 7:00 p.m. This memorial once served as Confederate General James Longstreet's Headquarters during the "Siege of Knoxville" in 1863. This grand Antebellum mansion is now the home of the United Daughters of the Confederacy. <http://www.knoxvillecmh.org/>



An optional tour of the Spallation Neutron Source (SNS) and Center for Nanophase Materials Sciences (CNMS) at ORNL will be provided for attendees on Tuesday, June 13th. The SNS (www.sns.gov) is a new accelerator based neutron source that provides the most intense pulsed neutron beams in the world for scientific research and industrial development. The CNMS (www.cnms.ornl.gov) is a new collaborative nanoscience user research facility for the synthesis, characterization, theory/modeling/simulation and design of nanoscale materials. SNS and CNMS opened this year.