

Update: Joint Institute for Neutron Sciences

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Recent JINS Activities

JINS programs will be known nationally and internationally for their role in scientific discoveries, the strength of their scientific ideas, their contributions to development of extraordinary tools, and their education of the next generation.

Major activities from September 2003 through March 2004:

JINS role in the proposed Neutron and Education Technology Institute (NETI):

an NSF-STC proposal submitted 2/10/04

- Novel Instrumentation Concepts: a proposed component of JINS as intellectual center
- JINS and JINS-assisted workshops
- Proposal-inciting activities:
 follow-ups to the workshops and the work
 of the Structural Biology Taskforce
- Graduate Fellowships



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Neutron Education and Technology Institute - NETI

JINS

Lead Universities: Indiana U. – John Cameron, Pl

PSU – Paul Sokol UT – Lee Magid

Other members of the Executive Committee: Baxter, Snow (IU); Robertson (UNL);

Burger (Fisk)

Other universities participating: UIUC, Purdue

UT share: \$3.75M/5 yrs (\$2.8846M req. of NSF; \$0.8654M cost-share)

UT participation in developing enabling technologies that have great potential for scientific impact in neutron scattering:

- Optics and imaging Egami, Kamyshkov
- Instrumentation Egami
- Detectors Larese
- Source and Moderators Kamyshkov, Handler





Neutron Education and Technology Institute – NETI, cont.



UT participation in education, diversity and outreach programs:

NETI Assistant Director for Education:JINS Deputy Director for Education is proposed to take this role

- Virtual Neutron University (VNU) Magid, Egami, Larese
- Scholars in Residence Magid, Egami
- K-12 programs for Students Egami, Magid new module for the Governor's School
- Evaluation French
- Diversity Egami Outreach Magid web portal, traveling exhibit, science museum liaison





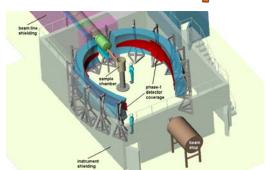
Novel Instrumentation Concepts (NIC) – A JINS Continuing Program Component



June 15-17, 2003: NIC Planning Group met

• Chair: Mike Rowe, Director of NCNR (Roger Pynn, LANSCE); Ferenc Mezei, HMI and LANSCE; Jack Carpenter, IPNS; Ian Anderson, SNS; Lee Magid, JINS

July 30: concept presented to NSF-DMR and DOE-BES; Mar. 2004, full white paper developed and discussions Initiated with funding agencies.



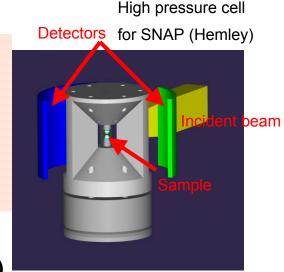
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NIC will create an environment where thinking about novel concepts is viewed as an honorable intellectual activity. Environment includes:

- science drivers/ideas
- access to neutrons/technology
- simulation packages
- int./ext. sabbaticals for senior
- lash-ups/testing

- members
- junior participants educate/train the next generation

Funding assumptions: 5-year block grant, \$1.7M/yr plus facilities-based concepts testing - \$1M/yr (largely in-kind)









Scientific Input from the University Community



Recent and Upcoming Major JINS Workshops:

Materials S&E, 10/ 2001- 160 attendees

Biological Systems, 4/2002 – 100 attendees

Solid State Chem./Earth Sci., 3/2003 – 105 attendees associated short courses – 55 attendees

SENSE: Sample Env. for NS Experiments, 9/2003 NSFChemBio: Neutron Scattering in Chemistry and at the Chem./Bio Interface, 9/2003 160 attendees (combined)

Neutrons and Energy for the Future, 6/2004 (satellite of 2nd ACNS conference)

Principal sponsors: NSF, UT, ORNL/SNS, ORAU, DOE, UT-B univ., European FP6 - NMI3









Scientific Input from the University Community, cont.



Other workshops/planning activities with JINS participation:

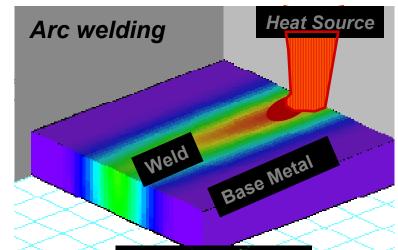
IConUSAS Workshop, 7/2003 – 50 attendees (incubation of IDT for USANS at SNS)

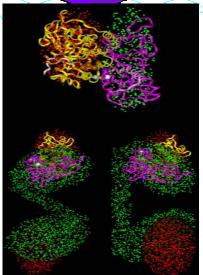
MANDi Workshop, 10/2003 (refinement of science case for macromol. crystallography)

1st ANSWER Workshop, 11/2003

(mechanical behavior of materials)
JINS partners on their program for workshops,
neutron schools, symposia and scientific exch.

PNCMI 2004 – Polarized Neutrons for Condensed Matter Investigations, 6/2004 a satellite of ACNS 2004; overlapping with Neutrons & Energy for the Future









Neutron Scattering for the Chemistry and Chem/Bio Interface



Good mix of current and prospective users

- came to learn about
 - Neutrons 101a and b; CNMS; D-lab
 - forefront science using neutrons (cond. phases; thin films/confinement; biology/ polymers; catalysis/vibn'l spectros.)
 - current landscape for SE
 - funding opportunities at NSF, DOE, NIH
- communicate their needs/priorities
 - instrumentation; SE; supporting labs; isotopic labeling; education
- agree to stay engaged as champions
 - ad hoc source of advice for facilities
 - Pl's on proposals

NSF will look to the workshop report for guidance and expects to see proposals. -- Joan Frye, NSF-CHE



Joint Institute for Neutron Sciences Workshop Series

This workshop focuses on scientific grand challenges and the role neutrons can play in chemistry and at the chemistry-biology interface. Graduate students, postdocs and researchers who are new to neutron scattering are especially encouraged to participate. Attendees will learn about applications of neutron scattering and spectroscopy to structure and dynamics in:

- Catalysis; optical, electronic and magnetic materials; batteries, nanoporous solids
- Structure and dynamics of liquids, glasses, complex fluids, thin films, proteins, biomembranes and whole cells
- Molecular behavior under confinement/near interfaces
- Complex self-assemblies of synthetic and biomaterials

This workshop is held in conjunction with the SENSE Workshop, Sample Environments for Neutron Scattering Experiments, on September 24-26. Together, the workshops will:

- Inform the chemistry and chem-bio communities of opportunities—instrumentation and supporting facilities—curren planned for the Spallation Neutron Source (SNS)
- Solicit the community's ideas on the needs for instrumentation, detector development, and sample environment development to support neutron scattering
- Identify the tools needed and outline a path to realization via the formation of concept teams to develop science cases and funding proposals for instrumentation, detectors, sample environment and



Shenda Baker, Harvey-Mudd College

John Larese, U. Tennessee and Oak Ridge

David Baxter, Indiana University

Tonya Kuhl, U. California, Davis

John Root, Chalk River, Canada

Doug Tobias, U. California, Irvine

Luc Daemon, Los Alamos

Dean Myles, Oak Ridge

Dermot O'Hare, Oxford

John Tompkinson, ISIS, UK

Frans Trouw, Los Alamos



related laboratory facilities Tour of the National High Magnetic Field Laboratory

Poster session to share research ideas

Shenda Baker, Harvey-Mudd College, Co-chair John Larese, University of Tennessee, Co-chair Paul Butler, Oak Ridge National Laboratory Joanna Krueger, U. North Carolina, Charlotte W. Ross Ellington, Florida State University Wayne Goodman, Texas A&M University Martha Greenblatt, Rutaers University Jyotsana Lal, Argonne National Laborator Lee Magid, University of Tennessee and Join Institute for Neutron Sciences James Martin, North Carolina State Universit Dean Myles, Oak Ridge National Laborator Doug Tobigs, University of California at Irving

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Registration fee: \$200, scholarships for students and faculty, register at http://www.sns.gov/jins/tallahassee workshops 2003/workshops.htm







NSFChemBio, cont.

Breakout sessions:

- support facilities for hard matter J. Larese, J. Turner
- isotopic labeling D. Myles, J. Penfold
- (joint with SENSE)
- SE for polymers/macromol.
- "conventional" SE

- for soft matter J. Krueger, P. Butler
- education
 - S. Baker, J. Martin,
 - J. Zwanziger
- for biology

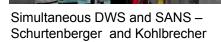
Highest priority for near-term follow-up/proposal(s):

Isotopic labeling facilities – multiple, networked sites

- brainstorming session to be held Mar. 25 at SNS
- draw on existing plans by CSMB (bio. macromolecules) and CNMS (synthetic polymers/polyelectrolytes
- explore adding add'l small molecule and materials components

Mini-symposia organized for the Spring and Fall 2004 national American Chemical Society meetings









Neutrons and Energy for the Future

June 4-5, 2004 – Washington, DC – joint with NMI3

- fuel cells, advanced batteries, catalysis
- applications of complex fluids in energy
- hydrogen storage; hydrogen in metals
- materials issues in fusion reactors

Who should attend:

- current and prospective neutron users from the materials community
- research and technology officers from academia and industry
- policy makers

Presentations will focus on:

- open scientific questions
- facilities' capabilities
- policy/funding perspectives

See <u>www.sns.gov/jins/nmi3/</u> for details of the agenda and the members of the int'l scientific organizing committee

