### Workshop for Applied Nuclear Data Activities (WANDA 2021)

### **Report of Contributions**

Contribution ID: 6 Type: **not specified** 

### **Opening Plenary Speakers**

Monday, 25 January 2021 11:00 (5h 15m)

**Presenters:** DOUGAN, Arden; ROMANO, Catherine (IB3 Global Solutions); RAMOS, Christopher; MACKNEY, Daniel; HENDERSON, Dave; PETERSEN, David; HORNBACK, Donald; BOWDEN, Doug; BALKIN, Ethan (DOE); KUNG, Harriet; KOLOS, Kay (Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory); JANKOWSKI, Keith; PALOMARES, Kelsa; ASHENFELTER, Timothy; HALLMAN, Timothy; CALDWELL, Tod; SOBES, Vladimir (University of Tennessee)

Session Classification: Opening Plenary

Contribution ID: 7 Type: **not specified** 

#### **WANDA 2020 Session Reports Speakers**

Monday, 25 January 2021 16:30 (1h 30m)

**Presenters:** PIERSON, Bruce (PNNL, Battelle); NEUDECKER, Denise (Los Alamos National Laboratory); VERMEULEN, Etienne (Los Alamos National Laboratory); SEVERIN, Greg (Michigan State University); BERNSTEIN, Lee; Prof. BERNSTEIN, Lee (University of California - Berkeley/LBNL); DEVLIN, Matthew (LANL); SOBES, Vladimir (University of Tennessee)

Session Classification: WANDA 2020 Session Reports

Introduction

Contribution ID: 9 Type: not specified

#### Introduction

Wednesday, 27 January 2021 11:00 (5 minutes)

**Presenters:** VOYLES, Andrew; O'BRIEN, Ellen; HOGLE, Susan

Session Classification: Session One

Contribution ID: 10 Type: not specified

## Priorities for DOE IP with respect to nuclear data and predictive codes

Wednesday, 27 January 2021 11:05 (15 minutes)

**Presenter:** BALKIN, Ethan (DOE)

Session Classification: Session One

Contribution ID: 11 Type: not specified

#### **TALYS: The Predictive Power of TALYS**

Wednesday, 27 January 2021 11:20 (15 minutes)

**Presenter:** KONING, Arjan (IAEA)

Session Classification: Session One

Contribution ID: 12 Type: not specified

### **EMPIRE** - Michal Herman

Wednesday, 27 January 2021 11:35 (10 minutes)

**Presenter:** HERMAN, Michal

Session Classification: Session One

Contribution ID: 13 Type: not specified

### **ALICE: Physics Improvements for ALICE21**

Wednesday, 27 January 2021 11:45 (10 minutes)

**Presenter:** BLANN, Marshall

Session Classification: Session One

Contribution ID: 14 Type: not specified

#### CoH3 The Coupled-Channels and Hauser-Feshbach Code

Wednesday, 27 January 2021 11:55 (10 minutes)

Presenter: KAWANO, Toshihiko

Session Classification: Session One

Contribution ID: 15 Type: not specified

### **Predicting Isotopes with FLUKA**

Wednesday, 27 January 2021 12:40 (10 minutes)

Presenter: FERRARI, Alfredo

Session Classification: Session One

Contribution ID: 16 Type: not specified

## Recent and Future Improvements to MCNP6 for Isotope Production Applications

Wednesday, 27 January 2021 12:55 (20 minutes)

**Presenter:** RISING, Michael (LANL)

**Session Classification:** Session One

Contribution ID: 17 Type: not specified

# Isotope production calculations using FISPIN – Bethany Slingsby

Wednesday, 27 January 2021 13:15 (15 minutes)

**Presenter:** SLINGSBY, Bethany

Session Classification: Session One

Contribution ID: 18 Type: not specified

### SCALE/MCNP Coupling for depletion -Charles Daily

Wednesday, 27 January 2021 13:30 (10 minutes)

**Presenter:** DAILY, Charles

Session Classification: Session One

Contribution ID: 19 Type: not specified

#### **Nuclear Data Needs for LISE++**

Wednesday, 27 January 2021 13:40 (15 minutes)

**Presenter:** TARASOV, Oleg

Session Classification: Session One

Contribution ID: 20 Type: not specified

### Overview of Benchmarks and their Uses for Nuclear Data

Wednesday, 27 January 2021 14:45 (15 minutes)

Introductory Video to Expanded Benchmarks and Validation for Nuclear Data:

Presenters: PERCHER, Catherine; HUTCHINSON, Jesson; ZERKLE, Michael

Session Classification: Session Two

Contribution ID: 21 Type: not specified

### Past, Present, and Future Benchmark Efforts for Nuclear Data Validation

Wednesday, 27 January 2021 15:00 (25 minutes)

- Skip Kahler (Kahler Nuclear Data Services, LLC)
- Ian Hill (OECD/NEA)
- 5 Minute Discussion

Presenters: HILL, Ian; KAHLER, Skip

Session Classification: Session Two

Contribution ID: 22 Type: not specified

### **Experimental Measurements that Could Become Benchmarks**

Wednesday, 27 January 2021 15:25 (30 minutes)

- Sara Pozzi (UM)
- Jesse Holmes (NNL)
- Yaron Danon (RPI)
- Amanda Lewis (NNL)
- John Mattingly (NCSU)
- 10 Minute Discussion

Presenters: LEWIS, Amanda; PERCHER, Catherine (LLNL); HOLMES, Jesse; MATTINGLY, John; RO-

DRIQUEZ, John; POZZI, Sara; DANON, Yaron (RPI)

Session Classification: Session Two

Contribution ID: 23 Type: not specified

## The Centrality of Validation: Validation as a Three-Body Problem

Wednesday, 27 January 2021 15:55 (15 minutes)

**Presenter:** MCKAMY, Jerry

Session Classification: Session Two

Contribution ID: 24 Type: not specified

### Application Areas- Nuclear Data, Validation Methods, and Integral Needs

Wednesday, 27 January 2021 16:15 (1 hour)

Application Areas- Nuclear Data, Validation Methods, and Integral Needs

- Thomas Miller (ORNL)
- Brad Rearden (X-Energy)
- Nuclear Data for Defense Nuclear Nonproliferation Applications, David Matters (NA-22)
- Pablo Romojaro (SCKCEN)
- 10 Minute Discussion

Presenters: REARDEN, Brad; MATTERS, David; ROMOJARO, Pablo; MILLER, Thomas

Session Classification: Session Two

Contribution ID: 25 Type: not specified

## Data Evaluation and Sensitivity and Uncertainty Methods Development

Wednesday, 27 January 2021 17:15 (15 minutes)

Presenters: NEUDECKER, Denise (Los Alamos National Laboratory); RISING, Michael (LANL)

Session Classification: Session Two

Contribution ID: 26 Type: not specified

### Higher-fidelity simulations with HPC

Friday, 29 January 2021 11:10 (48 minutes)

- Predictive theory for light-ion reactions, Kostas Kravvaris (LLNL)
- HPC for fission modeling in support of nuclear data, Ionel Stetcu (LANL)
- Propagation of nuclear model uncertainties in science applications, Trevor Sprouse (LANL)
- Perspectives from the ExaSMR Project: Nuclear Data Needs and Opportunities, Paul Romano (ANL)

Presenters: STETCU, Ionel; KRAVVARIS, Kostas; ROMANO, Paul; SPROUSE, Trevor

Session Classification: Session Three

Contribution ID: 28 Type: not specified

### AI/ML as Enabling Technologies

Friday, 29 January 2021 11:58 (48 minutes)

- Containerization and microservices for nuclear data, Georg Schnabel (IAEA)
- Selected topics from physics aware ML, Mateusz Ploskon (LBNL)
- Natural Language Processing for Nuclear Science Scholarship, Walid Younes (LBNL Consultant)
- Surrogate Modeling for Fission Cross Sections and Criticality Studies using Artificial Neural Networks (ANNs), Christian Brazell (TAMU)

Presenters: BRAZELL, Christian; SCHNABEL, Georg; PLOSKON, Mateusz; YOUNES, Walid

Session Classification: Session Three

Contribution ID: 29 Type: not specified

### **Quantum Computing**

Friday, 29 January 2021 12:46 (15 minutes)

**Presenter:** WENDT, Kyle

**Session Classification:** Session Three

Contribution ID: 30 Type: not specified

### Call to order/brief introduction by co-chairs

Friday, 29 January 2021 14:45 (5 minutes)

Introductory Video for Intro to Nuclear Data for Space Application: https://drive.google.com/file/d/196PFmNjb8k-noQCKcTvRHiOQG8Ow221y/view

Presenters: HEILBRONN, Lawrence; BURKEY, Mary; PEPLOWSKI, Patrick

Session Classification: Session Four

Contribution ID: 31 Type: not specified

### **Opening Thoughts and Priorities**

Friday, 29 January 2021 14:50 (20 minutes)

Session Classification: Session Four

Contribution ID: 32 Type: not specified

# **Experimental cross sections needed for space** radiation protection

Friday, 29 January 2021 15:10 (12 minutes)

Presenter: LUONI, Francesca

Session Classification: Session Four

Contribution ID: 33 Type: not specified

### **Neutron Energy Effects on Asteroid Deflection**

Friday, 29 January 2021 15:22 (12 minutes)

**Presenter:** HORAN, Lansing

Session Classification: Session Four

Contribution ID: 34 Type: not specified

### Nuclear Data Needs for the Space-based Nuclear Detonation Detection Community

Friday, 29 January 2021 15:34 (12 minutes)

**Presenter:** GERTZ, David

Session Classification: Session Four

Contribution ID: 35 Type: not specified

### **Planetary Nuclear Spectroscopy**

Friday, 29 January 2021 16:25 (12 minutes)

**Presenter:** PRETTYMAN, Thomas

Session Classification: Session Four

Contribution ID: 36 Type: not specified

### **Inelastic Spectroscopy for Subsurface Exploration**

Friday, 29 January 2021 16:37 (12 minutes)

**Presenter:** MAUBORGNE, Marie-Laure

Session Classification: Session Four

Contribution ID: 37 Type: **not specified** 

### Nuclear Data Needs for Advanced Thermionic Energy Conversion in Space

Friday, 29 January 2021 16:49 (12 minutes)

Presenter: LO, Austin

Session Classification: Session Four

Contribution ID: 38 Type: not specified

### **Space Reactors**

Friday, 29 January 2021 17:01 (12 minutes)

**Presenter:** REARDEN, Bradley

Session Classification: Session Four

Contribution ID: 39 Type: not specified

### **Concluding Thoughts**

Friday, 29 January 2021 17:40 (20 minutes)

Session Classification: Session Four

Contribution ID: 40 Type: not specified

### **Session Chairs**

Monday, 1 February 2021 11:00 (5 minutes)

Presenters: ELSAWI, Mohamed; THOMPSON, Nicholas; WIESELQUIST, William

Session Classification: Session Five

Contribution ID: 41 Type: not specified

#### **Advanced Reactors**

Monday, 1 February 2021 11:05 (1h 50m)

- Summary of Nuclear Data Needs for X-Energy Reactor Designs, Brad Rearden (X-Energy)
- Nuclear Data on Kairos Power's Fluoride-salt cooled High-Temperature Reactor, KP-FHR, Nader Satvat (Kairos Power)
- Molten Chloride Reactor Experiment Nuclear Data Uncertainty analysis and Needs, Tommy Cisneros (TerraPower, LLC)
- Nuclear Data for Advanced Fuel Cycles, Allan Simpson (UK NNL).
- Fast Neutron Source at UTK for Cross Section Measurements in Support of Advanced Reactor Development, Wes Hines and Vladimir Sobes (UTK)

**Presenters:** SIMPSON, Allan; REARDEN, Brad; SATVAT, Nader; CISNEROS, Tommy; SOBES, Vladimir (University of Tennessee); HINES, Wes

Session Classification: Session Five

Contribution ID: 42 Type: not specified

### **Nuclear Security & Safeguards**

Monday, 1 February 2021 12:55 (1h 20m)

- Nuclear Data for Non-Destructive Assay and Advanced Reactor Applications, Mike Dion (ORNL)
- Measuring the antineutrino spectrum below 1.8 MeV, Shikha Prasad (TAMU)

Presenters: DION, Mike; PRASAD, Shikha; SOBES, Vladimir (University of Tennessee); HINES,

Wes

Session Classification: Session Five

Contribution ID: 43 Type: not specified

#### Welcome and overview

Monday, 1 February 2021 14:45 (5 minutes)

Presenters: MCCUTCHAN, Elizabeth; RESSLER, Jennifer Jo; BERNSTEIN, Lee; BERNSTEIN, Lee

(University of California - Berkeley/LBNL); DANON, Yaron

Session Classification: Session Six

Contribution ID: 44 Type: **not specified** 

#### **Outreach and Graduate Recruiting Efforts at FRIB**

Monday, 1 February 2021 14:50 (18 minutes)

**Presenter:** SPYROU, Artemis

**Session Classification:** Session Six

Type: not specified

Contribution ID: 45

#### Educating the Next Generation of Nuclear Experts: the Nuclear Science and Security Consortium 10-Year Experience

Monday, 1 February 2021 15:08 (18 minutes)

Presenter: VUJIC, Jasmina

Session Classification: Session Six

Contribution ID: 46 Type: **not specified** 

# Undergraduate research and recruitment through MoNA and the CEU program

Monday, 1 February 2021 15:26 (18 minutes)

Presenter: ROGERS, Warren

**Session Classification:** Session Six

Contribution ID: 47 Type: **not specified** 

# **Connecting Students to Nuclear Data Projects at the National Laboratories**

Monday, 1 February 2021 15:44 (18 minutes)

**Presenter:** CHODASH, Perry

Session Classification: Session Six

Contribution ID: 48

Type: not specified

# The Texas A&M Cyclotron Institute and CENTAUR as generators of nuclear talent

Monday, 1 February 2021 16:02 (18 minutes)

**Presenter:** YENNELLO, Sherry

Session Classification: Session Six

Contribution ID: 49 Type: not specified

#### **Automation in the Nuclear Data Pipeline**

Monday, 1 February 2021 16:45 (18 minutes)

Presenter: BROWN, Dave

**Session Classification:** Session Six

Contribution ID: **50** Type: **not specified** 

### Example on how to (intelligently) augment the nuclear-data pipeline with machine learning

Monday, 1 February 2021 17:03 (18 minutes)

Presenter: NEUDECKER, Denise (Los Alamos National Laboratory)

**Session Classification:** Session Six

Contribution ID: 51 Type: not specified

### Nuclear Data Evaluation Automation and Training and NCSU

Monday, 1 February 2021 17:21 (18 minutes)

**Presenter:** HAWARI, Ayman

Session Classification: Session Six

Contribution ID: 52 Type: not specified

#### **Automaton Discussion**

Monday, 1 February 2021 17:39 (10 minutes)

**Session Classification:** Session Six

Contribution ID: 53 Type: not specified

#### Final Discussion and Wrap-up

Monday, 1 February 2021 17:49 (11 minutes)

Presenters: MCCUTCHAN, Elizabeth; RESSLER, Jennifer Jo; BERNSTEIN, Lee; DANON, Yaron

(RPI)

Session Classification: Session Six

Contribution ID: 54 Type: not specified

#### Novel Approach for Improving Antineutrino Spectra Predictions for Nonproliferation Applications

Wednesday, 3 February 2021 11:00 (10 minutes)

**Presenter:** KONDEV, Filip (ANL)

**Session Classification:** Funded Project Reports

Contribution ID: 55 Type: not specified

### Improving the Nuclear Data on Fission Product Decays at CARIBU

Wednesday, 3 February 2021 11:10 (10 minutes)

**Presenter:** KOLOS, Kay (Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory)

**Session Classification:** Funded Project Reports

Contribution ID: 56 Type: not specified

#### 238U(p,xn) and 235U(d,xn) 235-237Np Nuclear Reaction Cross Sections Relevant to the Production of 236gNp

Wednesday, 3 February 2021 11:20 (10 minutes)

**Presenter:** VOYLES, Andrew

**Session Classification:** Funded Project Reports

Contribution ID: 57 Type: not specified

### State-of-the-art Gamma-ray Spectroscopy to Enhance the ENSDF database

Wednesday, 3 February 2021 11:30 (10 minutes)

**Presenter:** MCCUTCHAN, Libby (BNL/NNDC)

**Session Classification:** Funded Project Reports

Contribution ID: 58 Type: not specified

# Beta-strength function, reactor decay heat, and anti-neutrino properties from total absorption spectroscopy of fission fragments

Wednesday, 3 February 2021 11:40 (10 minutes)

Presenter: RYKACZEWSKI, Krzysztof

**Session Classification:** Funded Project Reports

Contribution ID: 59 Type: not specified

# Improving the 238U(n,n') cross section using neutron-gamma coincidences

Wednesday, 3 February 2021 11:50 (10 minutes)

**Presenters:** BERNSTEIN, Lee; BERNSTEIN, Lee (University of California - Berkeley/LBNL)

**Session Classification:** Funded Project Reports

Contribution ID: **60** Type: **not specified** 

# Integral Measurements of Independent and Cumulative Fission Product Yields Supporting Nuclear Forensics and Other Applications

Wednesday, 3 February 2021 12:00 (10 minutes)

Presenter: BREDEWEG, Todd (LANL)

**Session Classification:** Funded Project Reports

Contribution ID: 61 Type: not specified

#### **Evaluation of Energy Dependent Fission Product Yields**

Wednesday, 3 February 2021 12:10 (10 minutes)

Presenter: KAWANO, Toshihiko (LANL)

**Session Classification:** Funded Project Reports

Contribution ID: **62** Type: **not specified** 

#### Measurement of Independent Fission Product Yields

Wednesday, 3 February 2021 12:20 (10 minutes)

Presenter: DUKE, Dana (LANL)

**Session Classification:** Funded Project Reports

Contribution ID: 63 Type: not specified

# Independent Fission Product Yields from 0.5 to 20 MeV

Wednesday, 3 February 2021 12:30 (10 minutes)

Presenter: WINKELBAUER, Jack

**Session Classification:** Funded Project Reports

Contribution ID: 64 Type: not specified

#### **Energy Dependent Fission Product Yields**

Wednesday, 3 February 2021 12:40 (10 minutes)

**Presenter:** TONCHEV, Anton (LLNL)

**Session Classification:** Funded Project Reports

Contribution ID: 65 Type: not specified

### Modernization and Optimization of the Evaluated Nuclear Structure Data File

Wednesday, 3 February 2021 12:50 (10 minutes)

**Presenter:** MCCUTCHAN, Libby (BNL/NNDC)

**Session Classification:** Funded Project Reports

Contribution ID: 66 Type: not specified

# Fission product yield measurements using 252Cf spontaneous fission and neutron-induced fission on actinide targets at CARIBU

Wednesday, 3 February 2021 13:00 (10 minutes)

Presenter: SAVARD, Guy

**Session Classification:** Funded Project Reports

Contribution ID: 67 Type: not specified

### Neutron Scattering Cross Sections: (n,n'), (n,n'g), and (n,g) Measurements

Wednesday, 3 February 2021 13:10 (10 minutes)

**Presenter:** VANHOY, Jeffrey

**Session Classification:** Funded Project Reports

Contribution ID: 68 Type: not specified

### Scoping Study of the Impact of (alpha,n) Reactions and Yields of Nonproliferation Applications

Wednesday, 3 February 2021 13:20 (10 minutes)

Presenter: CATHY, Romano

**Session Classification:** Funded Project Reports

Contribution ID: 69 Type: not specified

### Assessment of Nuclear Data Needs for Neutron Active Interrogation

Wednesday, 3 February 2021 13:30 (10 minutes)

**Presenter:** MCCONCHIE, Seth (ORNL)

**Session Classification:** Funded Project Reports

Contribution ID: 70 Type: not specified

#### **WANDA 2021 Session Reports Speakers**

Wednesday, 3 February 2021 14:45 (3h 15m)

Presenters: VOYLES, Andrew; LOER, Ben; GOLDBLUM, Bethany; PERCHER, Catherine (LLNL); BROWN, David (BNL/NNDC); MCCUTCHAN, Elizabeth; O'BRIEN, Ellen; RESSLER, Jennifer Jo; HUTCHIN-SON, Jesson; KOLOS, Kay (Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory); HEILBRONN, Lawrence; BERN-STEIN, Lee; BERNSTEIN, Lee (University of California - Berkeley/LBNL); BURKEY, Mary; MUMPOWER, Matthew; SMITH, Michael (ORNL); ZERKLE, Michael (Naval Nuclear Laboratory); ELSAWI, Mohamed; THOMPSON, Nicholas; SCHUNCK, Nicolas (LLNL); PEPLOWSKI, Patrick; HOGLE, Susan; SOBES, Vladimir (University of Tennessee); WIESELQUIST, William (Oak Ridge National Laboratory); DANON, Yaron (RPI)

Session Classification: WANDA 2021 Session Reports

Discussion

Contribution ID: 72 Type: not specified

#### Discussion

Friday, 29 January 2021 13:01 (59 minutes)

Session Classification: Session Three

Contribution ID: 73 Type: not specified

#### Discussion

Friday, 29 January 2021 15:46 (9 minutes)

Presenters: HEILBRONN, Lawrence; BURKEY, Mary; PEPLOWSKI, Patrick

Session Classification: Session Four

Contribution ID: 74 Type: **not specified** 

#### Discussion

Friday, 29 January 2021 17:13 (27 minutes)

Presenters: HEILBRONN, Lawrence; BURKEY, Mary; PEPLOWSKI, Patrick

Session Classification: Session Four

Contribution ID: 75 Type: not specified

#### **Education Discussion**

Monday, 1 February 2021 16:20 (10 minutes)

**Session Classification:** Session Six

Contribution ID: **76**Type: **not specified** 

### State of computational nuclear data and future prospects

Friday, 29 January 2021 11:00 (10 minutes)

Presenter: SCHUNCK, Nicolas (LLNL)

Session Classification: Session Three

Contribution ID: 77 Type: **not specified** 

# Introductory Video to Predictive Codes for Isotope Production

Wednesday, 27 January 2021 10:30 (30 minutes)

 $https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wptZ86o\_Ao4\&feature=youtu.be$ 

**Session Classification:** Session One