

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Education:

B.S., Highest Honors, in Engineering Physics, University of California, Berkeley, 1980

M.S. in Materials Science, University of California, Berkeley, 1981

Ph.D. in Materials Science, University of California, Berkeley, 1984

Professional Experience:

1980: *Summer Intern*, Solar Energy Research Institute (SERI), now known as the National Renewable Energy Laboratory (NREL), Golden, CO.

1984: *Postdoctoral Fellow*, Materials and Molecular Research Division, Lawrence Berkeley Laboratory.

1984 - 86: *Industry Fellow*, Center for Advanced Materials, Lawrence Berkeley Laboratory.

1984 - 90: *Member of Technical Staff*, Bellcore, Red Bank, NJ.

1990 - 91: *Director- Thin Films and Interface Science Research Group*, Bellcore, Red Bank, NJ.

1992 - 93: *Director- Nonvolatile Memory Research Group*, Bellcore, Red Bank, NJ.

1993 - 02: *Professor*, Department of Materials Science and Engineering, University of California, Berkeley.

1997 - 99: *Chair, Executive Committee*, Applied Science & Technology Graduate Group.

2001: *Visiting Professor*, Interuniversity Microelectronics Center (IMEC) and Faculty of Engineering, Katholieke Universiteit Leuven, Belgium.

2002: *Director*, Integrated Materials Laboratory (IML).

2002 – present: *Basil S. Turner Professor of Engineering (Named University Professorship)*, School of Materials Engineering and School of Electrical & Computer Engineering, Purdue University.

2006 – 10: *Mary Jo and Robert L. Kirk Director*, Birck Nanotechnology Center, Discovery Park, Purdue University; led interdisciplinary center with 30 staff, 45 resident faculty and 200 graduate students from twelve disciplines; 187,000 asf building featuring a 25,000 sf Class 1-10-100 cleanroom (Scifres Nanofabrication Facility) and 22,000 sf of specialized lab space; ten recharge centers; \$4.7M annual operating budget; \$12-15M in annual extramural research awards; website: www.nano.purdue.edu

April 2010 – July 2012: *Executive Vice President for Academic Affairs and Provost* of Purdue University; Purdue University's West Lafayette campus is one of 15 public A.A.U. land-grant campuses in the U.S. and is regularly ranked among the top 25 public research institutions. Purdue's West Lafayette campus enrolls about 40,000 students, including ~9,000 professional and graduate students and

nearly 8,000 international students. Purdue's regional campuses and Statewide Technology serve another ~35,000 students. Purdue University's research expenditures exceeded \$600M in FY 2011. As chief academic officer, Sands was responsible for all of Purdue's colleges and schools on the main campus (West Lafayette) and related academic activities in coordination with the Office of the President. The provost also oversees libraries, cultural centers, and enrollment management including admissions, registrar and financial aid and various student success programs in addition to the appointment and retention of faculty and academic staff. Responsibilities include coordinating with the Offices of the Treasurer and President in allocating an annual budget of ~\$990M in educational and base operating funds for the West Lafayette campus, and representing Purdue University's academic enterprise with the Indiana Commission for Higher Education and state government. In 2011, Sands served as chair of the steering committee that coordinated development of Purdue's Decadal Funding Plan. Among the initiatives from that plan that are now driven from the office of the provost are 1) Purdue's first comprehensive assessment of all 330 degree-granting programs on the West Lafayette campus; 2) conversion to a balanced trimester 12-month academic calendar; and 3) development of PurdueHUB-U, a modular, simulation-rich approach to online teaching and learning.

July 2012 - Jan 2013: *Acting President*

Awards and Honors:

Tau Beta Pi

Phi Beta Kappa

Von Hippel Award for Graduate Student Research, Materials Research Society (MRS), 1983.

1988 Robert Lansing Hardy Gold Medal, The Minerals, Metals and Materials Society (TMS).

MSE Excellence in Teaching Award (Sp 1994), UC Berkeley MRS Student Chapter.

NSF Research Initiation Award (1994)

Seed for Success Award, Purdue University (2005)

Fellow of the Materials Research Society (MRS) (2009) – *“for a succession of scientific achievements of critical impact in microelectronics and nanotechnology; for formal and informal leadership; and for service to the interdisciplinary scientific community”*

Fellow of IEEE (2010) – *“for contributions to metal/semiconductor interfaces and heterogeneous integration”*

Grants and Contracts Awarded:

1. **Principal Investigator**, “Research Initiation Award: Homogenation of Magneto-optic Properties in MnBiAl Films through the Introduction of Nanoscale Artificial Crystallinity,” National Science Foundation – ECS-9409730, \$89,777, 8/1/94-7/31/96
2. **Principal Investigator**, “Ternary and Quaternary Rare Earth-Transition Metal Magnetic Thin Films, IBM Sponsored Research Agreement #2064, \$34,072, 9/1/97-8/31/98
3. **Principal Investigator**, “Microstructure-Processing-Property-Performance Relationships in Integrated Ferroelectric Capacitors: The PLZT/Metallic Ruthenate System,” National Science Foundation – ECS-9632707, \$62,256, 3/1/97-2/28/98
4. **Principal Investigator** (with Co-PI Nathan Cheung), “Laser Lift-off of Gallium Nitride from Sapphire Substrates,” UC MICRO Program, 98-133, \$28,041 from UC MICRO and \$40,000 from Hewlett-Packard Co., 7/1/98-6/30/99
5. **Principal Investigator**, “Poling of Ferroelectric Thin Films; Application to Integrated Memory, Sensing and Actuation Devices,” National Science Foundation - ECS-9732847, \$235,920, 7/1/98 - 6/30/01

6. **Principal Investigator**, “Assembly of Functionally-enhanced MEMS by Laser Liftoff and Transfer of Epitaxial Piezoelectric Thin Films,” National Science Foundation - ECS-9812906, \$100,000, 9/1/98 - 8/31/99
7. **Principal Investigator-Subaward**, “Quantum Structures for Thermoelectric Applications,” Office of Naval Research (ONR/MURI) through University of California, Los Angeles - Subaward N00014-97-1-0516, \$500,000, 5/1/97 – 4/30/02
8. **Principal Investigator-Subcontract**, “Development of Micropiezoelectric Actuator for Optical Module,” Sung Kyun Kwan University - Subcontract M2808, \$42,000, 3/1/98 - 2/28/00
9. **Principal Investigator**, “Mechanisms of Optical Damage in Fused Silica,” LLNL Memorandum Agreement B335894, \$155,560, 2/5/97-1/31/01
10. **Co-Investigator**, “Thin Films on Metal Oxide Layers,” 00562 Civilian Res. & Dev. Fdn. For Indep. Sts. Frmr. USSR – ACH 008 98, \$2,700, 10/1/98 - 9/30/99
11. **Principal Investigator**, (with Co-Investigators Luke Lee and Nathan Cheung) “XYZ-on-a-Chip: Integration of Dissimilar Materials by Bonding and Thin-film Transfer: Application to Integrated Optical Microfluidic Systems,” National Science Foundation - DMI-0088145, \$818,000, 9/1/00 - 8/31/03
12. **Principal Investigator**, “Methods and Application of High Resolution Energy-Filtering Transmission Electron Microscopy,” Max Kade Foundation, Inc. – 010884, \$67,000, 8/1/99 – 1/31/01
13. **Co-Principal Investigator** (with lead Principal Investigator A. Majumdar and Co-Principal Investigators P. Yang, V. Narayanamurti and A. Shakouri), “NIRT: Novel Energy Conversion Devices Based on Nanowire Heterostructures, National Science Foundation CTS-0103609, \$1,343,226, 7/1/01 - 6/30/05
14. **Principal Investigator** (with Co-Investigator Nathan Cheung), “Hybrid Integration and Packaging of Gallium Nitride Devices by Transient-Liquid-Phase Bonding and Laser Lift-Off”, UC MICRO Program, project #01-074 and Oriol, Inc., \$71,719 from MICRO and \$50,000 from Oriol, Inc., 8/13/01-12/31/02
15. **Co-Principal Investigator** (with Principal Investigator Nathan Cheung), “Wafer-scale Laser Lift-off of Gallium Nitride LEDs”, UC SMART Program, project #01-00098 and Oriol, Inc., \$45,082 from UC SMART and \$50,000 from Oriol, Inc., 8/27/02-8/26/03
16. **Investigator for Subaward** (PI S. Datta), “Support of Graduate Student in the Institute for Nanoelectronics and Computing (INAC),” NASA URETI Program, NCC 2-1363, \$192,309 for TDS, 09/01/02-08/31/07
17. **Co-Principal Investigator for Subaward** (with A. Wei (lead) and R. Reifenberger), “Nano-Magnetics Research at Purdue,” DARPA in coordination with the BNC, MDA972-03-1-0020, \$240,000 (\$70,000 for TDS), 05/12/03-05/11/06
18. **Principal Investigator for Purdue Subaward** “Thermionic Energy Conversion Center (TEC), ONR-DoD MURI, Lead Institution: UC Santa Cruz, Other MURI Investigators: A. Shakouri (UCSC,lead), A. Gossard (UCSB), J. Bowers (UCSB), R. Davis (NCSU), R. Nemanich (NCSU), Z. Sitar (NCSU), V. Narayanamurti (Harvard), H. Schmidt (UCSC), R. Ram, G. Bilbro (NCSU), A. Majumdar (Berkeley), \$240,000 for TDS, 05/1/03-6/30/06
19. **Co-Principal Investigator** (with Hugh Hillhouse, lead PI, and others) “Acquisition and Customization of a Facility for the In-situ X-ray Characterization of Nanostructures,” National Science Foundation – CTS-0321118, \$531,000, 8/15/03-8/14/06
20. **Principal Investigator** “Nanoheteroepitaxy of (In,Ga)N: Toward a Phosphor-Free White LED,” National Science Foundation – ECS-0424161, \$212,120, 9/15/04-8/31/07
21. **Principal Investigator** “High Efficiency Thermoelectric Waste Heat Recovery Systems for Vehicle Applications,” DOE subcontract 04-DOE930-125 through BSST, \$10,000, 11/15/04-03/15/06
22. **Co-Principal Investigator** (P.I. Tim Fisher) “Carbon Nanotube Electrical Interfaces for Thermoelectrics” Cooling Technologies Research Center at Purdue University, \$100,000, 1/1/06-12/31/07

23. **Principal Investigator** (with Co-PIs Eric Stach and Edwin Garcia) “Low-cost Substrates for High-performance Nanorod Array LEDs,” DOE DE-FC26-06NT42862, \$899,948 from DOE; \$225,195 cost share from Purdue; 5/1/06-4/30/09
24. **Principal Investigator** “Acquisition of a Custom Reactive Sputter Deposition System for Nitride Multilayers,” ONR N000140619647, \$300,000, April 13th, 2006 – May 31st, 2007.
25. **Principal Investigator** “Nanowire Arrays for Thermoelectric Power Generation,” ONR N000140610641, \$296,114, April 13th, 2006 – May 31st, 2009
26. **Principal Investigator for Purdue Subaward** “Thermionic Energy Conversion Center (TEC),” ONR-DoD MURI, Lead Institution: UC Santa Cruz, Other MURI Investigators: A. Shakouri (UCSC,lead), A. Gossard (UCSB), J. Bowers (UCSB), R. Nemanich (NCSU), Z. Sitar (NCSU), V. Narayanamurti (Harvard), H. Schmidt (UCSC), R. Ram, G. Bilbro (NCSU), A. Majumdar (Berkeley), \$233,000 for TDS, 07/1/06-6/30/08 (two-year extension of original three-year grant).
27. **Co-Principal Investigator** (PI: Tim Fisher) “Thermal and electrical characterization of carbon nanotube vias,” CTRC, \$100,000, 1/1/08-12/31/09.
28. **Co-Principal Investigator** (PI: Tim Fisher) “US-India Workshop: Frontiers in Scalable Nanostructured Interface Materials,” NSF-OISE, \$58,901, 6/15/08-6/14/10.
29. **Principal Investigator for Purdue Subaward** (with Co-PI A. Ramdas), “Nanostructured Metal/Semiconductor Materials for Thermoelectric Generators,” DARPA, Lead Institution: UC Santa Cruz, Lead PI: A. Shakouri; Purdue Subaward SO182208; \$430,000 for Purdue, 8/25/08-3/31/10; Phase II, \$240,000 for Purdue, 7/19/10-8/24/11; extended with additional \$100,000 to Purdue, with A. Shakouri as Purdue Co-PI through 8/24/12.
30. **Principal Investigator** (Co-PI: Tim Fisher) “Thermoelectric power generation from waste heat in electronic systems,” CTRC, \$80,000, 1/1/09-12/31/10.
31. **Principal Investigator** “Copper-copper bonding for laminated thermoelectric elements,” ONR, \$162,000, 1/1/09-12/31/09.
32. **Principal Investigator** “Composition modulated nanowire arrays for thermoelectric power generation,” ONR, \$381,442, 5/1/09-4/30/12.
33. **Principal Investigator for Purdue Subaward** “Collaborative Research: TIE: AIN High-Q MEMS FBAR (Film Bulk Acoustic Resonator) in a Liquid Environment,” NSF IIP 0933592, \$50,000, 7/15/09-7/14/11.
34. **Co-PI for Purdue Subaward** “NSF/DOE Thermoelectrics Partnership: Thermoelectrics for Automotive Waste Heat Recovery,” NSF CBET 1048616, \$446,785, 1/1/11-12/31/12.
35. **Institutional Principal Investigator** “Sustainable Energy Concepts – Professional Development Model for Rural Schools and Its Extension to a Systemic Approach for Integrating STEM Research and Education, NSF 09-63621, \$502,378, 9/15/10-8/31/15.
36. **Institutional Principal Investigator** (PI as of June 2011; Co-PIs: Monica F. Cox and Christine G. Taylor) “LSAMP Indiana Alliance – Phase II”, NSF HRD 07-03443, \$3,040,194, 5/1/2007-4/30/2012.

Leadership in Professional Societies:

Electronic Materials Committee (EMC/TMS)

Elected member in 1989; Session organizer ((1988, 1991, 1992, 1993, 2005, 2006); Elected Officer of the EMC (Treasurer, 1991-93; Vice-Chair, 1993-95; Chair, 1995-97; Past Chair, 98-99); Technical Program Chairman for 1994 EMC (Boulder, CO) and 1995 EMC (Charlottesville, VA); Member-at-Large (2001-2010); EMC representative to Journal of Metals Advisory Committee (2003); Member, Journal of Electronic Materials Editorial Oversight Committee (TMS/IEEE) (2000-2010)

The Minerals, Metals and Materials Society (TMS/AIME)

Member, TMS Hardy & Mathewson Awards Subcommittee (1994-97); Chair, TMS Hardy & Mathewson Awards Subcommittee (1997); Member, Nominations Committee (1995-98); *Ex Officio* Member, Electronic, Magnetic and Photonic Materials Division (EMPMD)(1995-97); Member, AIME Rossiter W. Raymond Memorial Award Committee (1997-99); Member, TMS John Bardeen Award Committee (2005-08), 2008 Chair

Materials Research Society (MRS)

Symposium organizer (Spring 1989, Fall 1993, Spring 2003); Meeting Co-Chair for Fall 1994 MRS Meeting (Boston, MA); Member, MRS Meeting Quality Subcommittee (1995); Member, MRS Continuing Education Committee (1995-97); Member, Public Affairs Committee, Public Outreach Subcommittee (1998-01); Chair, Long-Range Planning Committee (1999-2000); Member, MRS Program Committee (2000-01); Member, MRS Tutorial Program Subcommittee (2000-01); Elected MRS Councillor (1997-99); Member, MRS Gateway Task Force Committee (2000-01); Judge, MRS Graduate Student Award Competition, Fall 2002; Member, Intersociety Interactions Task Force (2004); Member, Outstanding Young Investigator Award Subcommittee (2007-11); Member, Strategic Program Planning Subcommittee (2008); MRS Fellow, 2009

IEEE

Member (2002-); Senior Member (2008-); Fellow (2010-)

Principal Editor - Physical Properties - Acta Materialia and Scripta Materialia (1994-99)

Review Committees and Advisory Boards:

National Science Foundation (NSF): CAREER Award Panel, DMR-Electronic Materials (1995); ERC Panel (1997); ECS Panel (1999); CAREER Award Panel (1999); CAREER Award Panel, DMR-Electronic Materials (2003); DMII Nanomanufacturing Panel (2004); Nanoscale Exploratory Research - Nanomanufacturing Panel (2004); DMR-CER-MWN Panel (2010)

External Review Committee, Dept. of Mater. and Nucl. Engineering, U. Maryland (1999)

External Review Committee, MSE Dept., Cornell University (2004)

Science Foundation Ireland Proposal Review Panel, Cork, IRL,(2006)

Chair, Director's Review Committee, Materials Science Division, Lawrence Berkeley National Lab (2006)

Member, External Advisory Board for the Institute for Materials Research (IMR) at Ohio State University (2009-)

Member, Advisory Council for the Andlinger Center for Energy and the Environment, Princeton University (2011-15)

Member, Strategic Advisory Board, SMART-LEES, MIT-Singapore Alliance (2012-)

Postdoctoral Fellows and Visiting Researchers:

Prof. Monica Sorescu, Duquesne University (Summer 1998), "Laser Deposition of Metallic Glasses"

Prof. Jaichan Lee, SungKyunKwan U.-Korea (Summer 1998), "Integration of PZT Thin-film Actuators for MEMS"

Dr. Nilgun Ozer (1998-00), "Sol-gel Deposition of PZT"

Prof. Geun-Young Yeom (1999-01), "PZT Microcantilever Actuator"

Dr. David Taylor (2000-01), "Microactuators for the Micromechanical Flying Insect"

Prof. Jong-Lam Lee, Pohang Univ. of Sci. and Technol., Korea (2001-02), “GaN Devices”
 Dr. Tau Yu, Berkeley Scholar, Nanjing University, China (2002)
 Prof. Chen-Chia Chou, Natl. Taiwan Univ. of Sci. and Technol. (2002)
 Dr. Marisol Martin-Gonzalez (2000-01), “Synthesis of Thermoelectric Nanowire Composites”
 Dr. Placidus Amama, INAC Fellow jointly supervised with Prof. Tim Fisher (2004-07), “Fabrication of Vertical Carbon Nanotube Devices”

Graduate Student Advising:

Ph.D. – Advisory Committee Chair or Co-Chair: Prabhakar Bandaru (MSE, UCB, 98), William Wong (MSE, UCB, 99), Yaoxi Wu (MSE, UCB, 00), Joseph Behnke (MSE, UCB, 00), Loucas Tsakalacos (MSE, UCB, 00), Anu Bhat Kaul (MSE, UCB, 00), Alberto Salleo (MSE, UCB, 01), Ning Cheng (MSE, UCB, 01), Pushkar Ranade (MSE, UCB, 02), George Dougherty (MSE, UCB, 02), Woong Choi (MSE, UCB, 02), Peter Radkowski (AST, UCB, 03); Ho Gyoung Kim (Physics, Purdue, 2007); Parijat Pramila Deb (MSE, Purdue, 2007); Sangho Kim (ECE, Purdue, 2008); Vijay Rawat (MSE, Purdue, 2008); Manuel DaSilva (MSE, Purdue, 2008); Kalapi Biswas (MSE, Purdue, 2008); Isaac Wildeson (ECE, Purdue, 2011), David Ewoldt (MSE, Purdue, 2011); Rob Wortman (ECE, Purdue expected 2012); Jeremy Schroeder (MSE, Purdue, expected 2012); Polina Burmistrova (ECE, Purdue, expected 2012); Pankaj Jha (ECE, Purdue, expected 2012); Yuefeng Wang (MSE, Purdue, expected 2013), Bivas Saha (MSE, Purdue, expected 2014) – **20 completed, 6 in progress.**

M.S. – Advisory Committee Chair or Co-chair: Jordana Blacksberg (MSE, UCB, 97), Joseph Behnke (MSE, UCB, 97), Rachel Lau (MSE, UCB, 98), Alberto Salleo (MSE, UCB, 98), Loucas Tsakalacos (MSE, UCB, 98), Jacob Hernandez (MSE, UCB, 99), Peter Radkowski (AST, UCB, 99), Ning Cheng (MSE, UCB, 99), Clifford Knollenberg (MSE, UCB, 01), Juan Chediak (MSE, UCB, 01), Jeremy Schroeder (MSE, UCB, 02), Vorrada Loryuenyong (MSE, UCB, 02), Tao Su (MSE, UCB, 03), Amman Sareen (ECE, Purdue, 05); Robert Wortman (ECE, Purdue, 06); Mara Howell (MSE, Purdue, 07, with Prof. E. Garcia); Himanshu Mishra (ME, Purdue, with Prof. T. Fisher, 07); Vijay Rawat (ECE, Purdue, 08); Mark Oliver (MSE, Purdue, 08); Pankaj Jha (ECE, Purdue, 2010); Pranati Tewari (ECE, Purdue, 2010), Caitlin Burger (MSE, Purdue, with Prof. J. Appenzeller, 2011) – **22 completed.**

Undergraduate Research Advising:

Justin Gee (MSE, UCB, 94-95), Elizabeth Lyons (Harvard, Summer 95), Steve Nishimoto (MSE, UCB, 95), Dustin Gasser (MSE, UCB, 96), Nathaniel Quitoriano (MSE, UCB, 00), Ben Bowser (Erskine, Summer 03), Gage Simpson, Coriander Gobeyn, Laura McNabb, Sean Weber and Richard Scott (MSE Senior Project, Purdue, 03-04), Arjun Guha (ECE, Purdue, 03-04), Sean Liao (ECE, Purdue, 03-04), Stephanie Rothrauff (MSE, Purdue, 04), Abbey Heinlein (Michigan, Summer 04), Jonathan Winterstein (WSU, Summer 04), Paul Kapoor (MSE, Purdue, Summer 04), Jeff Ziebarth (ECE, Purdue, Summer 04), Derek Floyd, Erin Dick, Mike Koutsis, Ben Darland, Brad Allison, and Jeff Yanke (MSE Senior Project, Purdue, 04-05), Matt Schenider (MSE, Purdue, 04), Daniel Wood (MSE/Physics, Purdue, 04-06), Ben Darland (MSE, Purdue, Summer 05), In Chul Jang (ME, Purdue, 05), Zhiwei “Wes” Li (Purdue, Physics, 05), Mark Oliver (MSE, Purdue, 05-06), Shaud Tavakoli (Columbia, Summer 05), Krista Gumiela (ECE, Purdue, Summer 06), Andrew J. Martin (MSE, Purdue, Summer 2007); Mitchel Floyd (MSE, Purdue, 10). - **34 total.**

Classroom Teaching:

UC Berkeley (1993-2002)

- ***MSE 24:** Freshman Seminar - "The Disk Drive: Microcosm of Engineering" (2 semesters)
- MSE 102:** Junior-level undergraduate core course - "Bonding, Crystallography and Crystal Defects" (8 semesters)
- MSE 123:** Senior-level undergraduate MSE elective - "Semiconductor Processing" (1 semester)
- ***MSE 125:** Senior-level undergraduate MSE elective - "Thin-Film Materials Science" (4 semesters)
- MSE 202:** Graduate course - "Crystal Structure and Bonding" (1 semester)
- ***MSE 225/AS&T 225** – Graduate course - "Thin-film Science & Technology" (4 semesters)

Purdue University (2002-present)

- MSE 553/ECE 553:** Ceramic Materials in Electronic Devices (S03)
- ***MSE 697T/ECE695T:** Principles and Methods of Nanofabrication (F03, F04, S06, S08)
- MSE 430/440:** Senior Design project advisor (F03-S04, F04-S05)
- MSE 597V (now MSE 548):** Deposition Processing of Thin Films and Coatings (S04, F05)
- ***MSE 595E/ECE 597G:** Materials and Devices for Solid-State Energy Conversion (S05, F06, S09)
- MSE 367:** Materials Processing Laboratory (S06)

**course developed by TDS*

Major Committee Assignments

UC Berkeley

Departmental:

- Chair, AS&T Graduate Admissions Committee (1996; 2000)
- Chair, MSE Fellowship Committee (1995)
- Co-chair, MSE Graduate Admissions & Fellowship Committee (1996-97)
- Chair, MSE ad hoc Faculty Workload Committee (1996-97)
- Co-chair, MSE ad hoc Strategic Planning Committee (1997)

College Level:

- Member, COE ad hoc Strategic Planning Committee (1994-95)
- Member, Engineering Science Committee (1995-96; 2001-02)

University Level:

- Chair, Integrated Vision for Materials at Berkeley ad hoc Committee (1994)
- Chair, Laser Safety Committee (1995-01)
- Chair, Non-Ionizing Radiation Safety Committee (2001-02)
- Member, Environment, Health and Safety Policy Committee (1996-02)
- Member, Chancellor's Advisory Council on Materials (1998-00)
- Member, University Graduate Fellowships Committee (2002)

Purdue University:

School Committees:

Chair, ECE Internal Awards Committee (2005-2007)

Engineering-Wide:

Chair, Nanosystems Integration Search Subcommittee (2003-04)

Co-Chair, Nanotechnology and Nanophotonics Signature Area Cluster Search Committee (2005)

Member, Engineering Area Promotions Committee (05-06)

Member, COE Strategy and Strategic Oversight Committee (2005-2009)

Co-Chair, COE Faculty of 2020, Team 1b, Aligning Promotion and Tenure Strategic Planning Subcommittee (2009)

Discovery Park:

Member, ad hoc Advisory Committee for the Birck Nanotechnology Center (2003)

Member, Bindley Bioscience Center Strategic Council (2008-)

Chair, NSF NEES Mock Site Review Red Team (March 2009)

Member, DP Area Promotions Committee (2009-2010)

University-Wide:

Member of the Vice Provost/President for Research Search Committee (2003-04 and 2004-05)

Member, College of Engineering Dean Search Committee (2006)

Member, Dept. of Physics Head Search Committee (2006-07)

Member, Provost Search Advisory Committee (2007-08)

Member, Purdue Institute for Defense Innovation Review Committee (Fall 2009)

BIBLIOGRAPHY

Patents Issued and Applications Pending

Patents Issued

1. U. S. Patent No. 4,466,423; DOE case No. S 56,043, "*Rim Drive Cable Aligned Heliostat Collector System*," James E. Dolan and Timothy D. Sands, issued Aug. 21st, 1984.
2. U. S. Patent No. 5,016,074; "*Epitaxial Intermetallic Contact for Compound Semiconductors*," (*Epitaxial Permeable Base Transistor*) Timothy D. Sands, issued May 14th, 1991.
3. U. S. Patent No. 5,051,792; "*Epitaxial Intermetallic Contact for Compound Semiconductors*," (*Epitaxial Gate Field-Effect Transistor*) Timothy D. Sands, issued Sept. 24th, 1991.
4. U. S. Patent No. 5,045,502; "*PdIn Ohmic Contact to GaAs*," S. S. Lau, T. D. Sands and L. C. Wang, issued September 3rd, 1991.
5. U. S. Patent No. 5,075,755; "*Epitaxial Intermetallic Contact for Compound Semiconductors*," (*Transition metal aluminides with B2 structure*) Timothy D. Sands, issued Dec. 24th, 1991.
6. U. S. Patent No. 5,169,485; "*Method for the Preparation of Epitaxial Ferromagnetic Manganese Aluminum Magnetic Memory Element*," S. J. Allen, Jr., J. P. Harbison, M. L. Leadbeater, R. Ramesh, and T. D. Sands, issued Dec. 8th, 1992.
7. U. S. Patent No. 5,145,832; "*Superconducting Film on a Flexible Two-Layer Zirconia Substrate*," K. S. Harshavardhan, S. Sampere, T. D. Sands, and T. Venkatesan, issued Sept. 8, 1992.
8. U. S. Patent No. 5,262,347; "*Palladium Welding of a Semiconductor Body*," T. D. Sands, issued Nov. 16, 1993.
9. U.S. Patent No. 6,071,795; "*Separation of Thin Films from Transparent Substrates by Selective Optical Processing*," N. W. Cheung, T. D. Sands and W. S. Wong, issued June 6th, 2000 (UC Ref. No. 98-018.1).

10. U. S. Patent No. 6,420,242; "Separation of Thin Films from Transparent Substrates by Selective Optical Processing," N. W. Cheung, T. D. Sands and W. S. Wong, issued July 17th, 2002 (UC Ref. No. B00-026-2).
11. U. S. Patent No. 6,335,263; "Method of Forming a Low Temperature Metal Bond for Use in the Transfer of Bulk and Thin Film Materials," N.W. Cheung, T.D. Sands and W.S. Wong, issued January 1st, 2002 (UC Ref. No. B00-026-3).
12. U.S. Patent No. 6,996,147; "Method of Fabricating Nanostructures and Nanowires and Devices Fabricated Therefrom" P. Yang, E. Weber, A. Majumdar, T. Sands, R. Fang, J. Kind, A. Shakouri, R. Russo, H. Feick, S. Mao, Y. Wu, H. Yan and M. Huang, issued February 7th, 2006. (UC Berkeley Case No. B01-B90-4); European Patent Application filed March 29th, 2002.
13. U.S. Patent No. 7,221,455 B2 "Integrated, Fluorescence-Detecting Microanalytical System," by J. Alex Chediak, ZhongSheng Luo, Timothy D. Sands, Nathan W. Cheung, Luke P. Lee, and Jeonggi Seo, issued May 22nd, 2007 (UCB Ref.: B03-069-2).
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73. "Nanoscale Design for Scalable Sustainable Energy Technologies," Keynote Talk at NSF Nanoscale Science & Engineering Grantees Conference, Arlington, VA, December 8th, 2009.
74. "Lessons Learned as a Director of a University Nanotechnology Center," Keynote Talk at the 1010 ESTECH Conference, Reno, NV, May 5th, 2010.
75. "Nanostructured (In,Ga)N LEDs for Solid-State Lighting: Opportunities and Obstacles," T.D. Sands, I.H. Wildeson, D.A. Ewoldt, R. Colby, Z. Liang, D.N. Zakharov, R.E. Garcia and E.A. Stach, 5th Forum on New Materials, 2010 International Conferences on Modern Materials & Technologies (CIMTEC), Montecatini Terme, Tuscany, Italy, June 2010, presented by I. Wildeson.

Seminars and Colloquia

1. "Interface Morphology and Phase Distribution in the $\text{Cu}_{2-x}\text{S}/\text{CdS}$ Heterojunction: A Transmission Electron Microscope Investigation," Hewlett-Packard Laboratories, Palo Alto, CA, April 1984 and Bell Communications Research, Inc., Murray Hill, NJ, May 1984.
2. "Influence of Preamorphization Parameters on Defect Generation in BF_2^+ -Implanted Silicon: Implications for Shallow Junction Technology," Department of Materials Science and Engineering, Stanford University, Stanford, CA, May 1984.
3. "Detection of Microscopic Interfacial Phases by High-Resolution TEM," Department of Electrical Engineering, California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, CA, Oct. 1984.
4. "Identification of Microscopic Interfacial Phases: The First Step toward Understanding the Structure-Property Relationships of Electronic Interfaces," National Center for Electron Microscopy, Lawrence Berkeley Laboratory, Berkeley, CA, Nov. 1984.
5. "Application of HREM to Semiconductor Technology," Philips Research Laboratory, Sunnyvale, CA March 1985.
6. "Initial Stages of the Pd-GaAs Reaction: Formation and Decomposition of Ternary Phases," Center for Advanced Materials, Lawrence Berkeley Laboratory, Berkeley, CA, March 1985.
7. "Compound Formation at Metal/GaAs Interfaces," Department of Materials Science and Engineering, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY, Oct. 1985.
8. "Electron Microscopy of Reaction Products at Reacted Metal/Gallium Arsenide Interfaces," Department of Metallurgical Engineering, The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH, April 1986.
9. "Stable Phases at Reactive Metal/Compound Semiconductor Interfaces," Electrical Engineering and Computer Science Department, University of California, San Diego, La Jolla, CA, Nov. 1986.
10. "Intermetallic Phases as Contacts to Compound Semiconductors: Heteroepitaxy and Heterojunction Formation," IBM Thomas J. Watson Research Center, Yorktown Heights, NY, Oct. 1987.
11. "Intermetallic Contacts to GaAs," Solid State Electronics Seminar, Lehigh University, Bethlehem, PA, Sept. 1988.
12. "(Al,Ga)As/NiAl/(Al,Ga)As: An Epitaxial Semiconductor / Metal / Semiconductor System," Materials Science Seminar, University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI, March 1988.
13. "Epitaxial Intermetallic Films Buried in III-V Semiconductor Heterostructures; Growth, Processing and Device Prospects," Center for Thin Film Sciences, Carnegie Mellon University, Oct. 1988.
14. J. P. Harbison, T. Sands, N. Tabatabaie, W. K. Chan, L. T. Florez, H. L. Gilchrist and V. G. Keramidas, "Ultrathin Buried NiAl Metal Layers Grown by Molecular Beam Epitaxy within GaAs/AlAs Heterostructures," presented by J. P. Harbison at AT&T Bell Laboratories, Holmdel, NJ, Oct. 1988; AT&T Bell Laboratories, Murray Hill, NJ, Nov. 1988; Heterostructure Device Seminar, M.I.T., Cambridge, MA, Jan. 1989; and The University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA, April 1989.
15. T. Sands, J. P. Harbison, N. Tabatabaie, H. L. Gilchrist, L. T. Florez, W. K. Chan and V. G. Keramidas, "Stable and Epitaxial Metal/Compound Semiconductor Heterostructures," Brown University, Providence, RI, March, 1989.

16. N. Tabatabaie, T. Sands, J. P. Harbison, C. J. Palmstrøm, H. L. Gilchrist, F. DeRosa, L. T. Florez, K. C. Garrison, S. J. Allen, Jr., and V. G. Keramidas, "Electrical Transport and Device Applications of Monocrystalline Semiconductor/Metal/Semiconductor Heterostructures," presented by N. Tabatabaie, Texas Instruments Research Colloquium, Dallas, TX, April, 1989.
17. J. P. Harbison, T. Sands, N. Tabatabaie, H. L. Gilchrist, T. L. Cheeks, R. Ramesh, W. K. Chan, L. T. Florez, R. Nahory, and V. G. Keramidas, "Growth of Metallic Quantum Wells within Semiconductor Heterostructures by Molecular Beam Epitaxy," presented by J. P. Harbison, Electronic Materials and Devices Seminar, Princeton University, Princeton, NJ, Dec., 1989; Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA, March, 1990.
18. T. Sands, J. P. Harbison, T. L. Cheeks, H. L. Gilchrist, R. Ramesh, and L. C. Wang, "Stable and Shallow Schottky and Ohmic Contacts to III-V Semiconductors," Department of Materials Science Seminar, University of California, Los Angeles, Los Angeles, CA, February, 1990.
19. "Metal-Compound Semiconductor Epitaxial Heterostructures," Materials Science Seminar, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ, April, 1990.
20. J. P. Harbison, T. Sands, C. J. Palmstrøm, N. Tabatabaie, Y. Silberberg, R. Ramesh, H. L. Gilchrist, L. T. Florez, T. L. Cheeks, R. E. Nahory, and V. G. Keramidas, "Metal-Semiconductor Epitaxy," Materials Seminar, University of California, Santa Barbara, Santa Barbara, CA, February, 1990, presented by J. P. Harbison.
21. "Nonvolatile Memory Materials Research at Bellcore," IBM Almaden Research Center, San Jose, CA, May 1992.
22. "Hysteretic Materials for Nonvolatile Memories," Joint Seminar of the Department of Electrical & Computer Engineering and the Microelectronic Research Laboratory, Rutgers University, March, 1993.
23. "Engineering of Metal / Semiconductor Interfaces at the Nanometer Scale - A Regime between Surface Science and Bulk Metallurgy," Electrical Engineering Seminar, U. C. Davis, May 1994.
24. "Microstructure Engineering of Ferroelectric Capacitors for Information Storage Applications," Materials Science & Engineering Department Seminar, Stanford University, Stanford, CA, February 24, 1995.
25. "Integrating Ferroelectric Capacitors with Silicon: Problems and Possibilities," School of Materials Engineering Seminar, Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN, March 1, 1995.
26. "Integrating Ferroelectric Capacitors with Silicon: Problems and Possibilities," Electronic Materials Laboratory Seminar Series at Xerox Palo Alto Research Center (PARC), Palo Alto, CA, March 10, 1995.
27. "Excimer Laser Liftoff of GaN Thin Films from Sapphire Substrates," H-P Laboratories, Palo Alto, CA, 5/8/98.
28. "Excimer Laser Liftoff of GaN Thin Films from Sapphire Substrates," Xerox PARC, Palo Alto, CA, 5/29/98.
29. "Magnetism, Magneto-optical Properties and Phase Transformations in (Mn,Cr)Bi Thin Films," T. Sands, Advanced Magnetic Materials Seminar, IBM Almaden Research Center, San Jose, CA, 2/24/99.
30. "Excimer Laser Liftoff of Epitaxial Thin Films," Stanford University MSE Colloquium, Stanford, CA, May 14th, 1999.
31. "Integration of Epitaxial Thin Films by Laser Liftoff," T. Sands, California Institute of Technology Materials Research Lecture, October 20th, 1999.
32. "Integration of Epitaxial Thin Films by Wafer Bonding and Laser Lift-off," Materials Science & Engineering Colloquium, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, April 7th, 2000.
33. "Heterogeneous Integration by Transient-Liquid-Phase Bonding and Pulsed-Laser Film Transfer," Interuniversity Microelectronics Center (IMEC), Leuven, Belgium, June 11th, 2001.
34. "Heterogeneous Integration of Ferroelectric Epitaxial Thin Films and Single Crystals." Document Handling Laboratory Seminar, Xerox PARC, Palo Alto, CA, Oct. 3rd, 2001.
35. "Heterogeneous Integration by Transient-Liquid-Phase Bonding and Pulsed-Laser Film Transfer," Electrical and Computer Engineering (ECE) Dept. Seminar, University of California, San Diego, La Jolla, CA, October 26th, 2001.
36. "Piezoelectric Actuation and the Micromechanical Flying Insect," School of Engineering and Computer Science Seminar, San Francisco State University, San Francisco, CA, Nov. 14th, 2001.
37. "Heterogeneous Materials Integration: From Functionally Enhanced Microsystems to Nanocomposites," Joint Electrical & Computer Engineering - Materials Engineering Distinguished Seminar, Purdue University, Jan. 18th, 2002.
38. "Heterogeneous Integration by Layer Transfer" Ceramics Seminar, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, November 20th, 2003.
39. "Heterogeneous Integration by Layer Transfer," Department of Chemical Engineering and Materials Science Seminar, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN, April 13th, 2004.

40. "Assembly and Integration of Nanowire, Nanorod and Nanotube Arrays: Challenges and Opportunities," GE Global Research Nanotechnology Seminar, Schenectady, NY, April 11th, 2005.
41. "Designing Nitride Nanostructures for Solid-state Energy Conversion," Nanotechnology Seminar Series, ECE, Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA, September 29th, 2005.
42. "Nanoheteroepitaxy: An Approach Toward Phosphor-free Monolithic White LEDs," IMEC, Leuven, Belgium, May 15th, 2007.
43. "Metal/Semiconductor Superlattices as Thermoelectric Metamaterials," Hitachi Global Storage Technology, San Jose Research Laboratory, July 16th, 2008.
44. "Metal/Semiconductor Superlattices as Thermoelectric Metamaterials," Jawaharlal Nehru Centre for Advanced Scientific Research (JNCASR), Bangalore, India, August 22nd, 2008.
45. "Nano@Purdue," GM Tech Centre, Bangalore, India, August 25th, 2008; Vellore Institute of Technology, Vellore, India, August 26th, 2008.
46. "Metal/Semiconductor Superlattices as Thermoelectric Metamaterials," Institute for Materials Research Colloquium, The Ohio State University, Columbus, OH, February 3rd, 2009.
47. "Energy Conversion Research at the Birck Nanotechnology Center," Institut für Angewandte Physik, University of Hamburg, Hamburg, Germany, March 27th, 2009.
48. "Metal/Semiconductor Superlattices: Thermoelectric Metamaterials for Solid-State Energy Conversion," Solid-State Seminar, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, IN, April 22nd, 2009.
49. "Towards Yellow-Green Nanostructured LEDs on Metallized Silicon Substrates," Philips Lumileds Lighting, San Jose, CA, May 18th, 2009.
50. "Metal/Semiconductor Superlattices: Thermoelectric Metamaterials for Solid-State Power Generation," Materials Research Center, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, India, August 23rd, 2010.

Contributed Presentations at Conferences and Workshops

156 to date – Award winning presentations listed below

1. "Separation of GaN Thin Films from Sapphire Substrates using Pulsed Laser Processing" W. S. Wong, T. Sands and N. W. Cheung, presented by W.S. Wong at the 1998 Spring MRS Meeting, April 1998, San Francisco, CA; 1998, **Winner of the Best Poster Award.**
2. "Bonding and Laser Liftoff of GaN Thin Films from Sapphire onto Si and GaAs Substrates," W.S. Wong, A.B. Wengrow, Y. Cho, E.R. Weber, N.W. Cheung and T. Sands, presented by W.S. Wong at the 1998 MRS Fall Meeting, Boston, MA, November 30th, 1998; **W.S. Wong received the MRS Graduate Student Silver Award.**
3. "Pulsed Laser Deposition of Thin Film Skutterudite Thermoelectrics," J.C. Caylor, A.M. Stacy, R. Gronsky and T. Sands, presented by J.C. Caylor in *Symposium Z: Thermoelectric Materials 2000*, MRS Spring 2000 Meeting, San Francisco, CA, April 24th, 2000; **J.C. Caylor received the MRS Graduate Student Gold Award.**
4. "Electrodeposition of Thermoelectric Nanowire Composites," A.L. Prieto, M. Martín-González, J.F. Behnke, M.S. Sander, A.M. Stacy, R. Gronsky, and T. Sands, presented by A.L. Prieto in Symposium C, MRS Fall 2000 Meeting, Boston, MA, Nov. 29th, 2000 - **Winner of the Best Poster Award.**
5. "Metal/Semiconductor Multilayers for Thermionic Energy Converters," V. Rawat and T. Sands, ASME Energy Nanotechnology International Conference (ENIC 2006), MIT, Cambridge, MA, June 26-28, 2006; poster presented by Vijay Rawat; **Winner of the Best Poster Award.**
6. "Lithography-free In Situ Ohmic Contacts to Single-Walled Carbon Nanotubes," A.D. Franklin, J.T. Smith, M.R. Maschmann, D.B. Janes, T. Sands and T.S. Fisher, Symposium Q, 2006 Fall MRS Meeting, Boston, MA; presented by A.D. Franklin, Boston, MA, 11/28/06; **Aaron Franklin received the MRS Graduate Student Silver Award.**
7. "Semi-Vertical SWNT FETs: Steps towards Verticality and Manufacturability," A.D. Franklin, J.T. Smith, T.D. Sands, T.S. Fisher and D.B. Janes Nano and Giga Challenges in Electronics and Photonics (NGC2007), Phoenix, AZ; presented by A.D. Franklin, 3/15/07; **Awarded First Place Poster Prize.**
8. "Schottky, p-n Junction and Light Emitting Diodes Employing (In,Ga)N Nanorod Heterostructures," by P.P. Deb, H. Kim, Y. Qin, R. Lahiji, M. Oliver, D. Ewoldt, R. Reifenberger and T. Sands, 2007 MRS Spring

Meeting, San Francisco, CA; paper DD13.8 presented by Parijat Deb, San Francisco, CA, April 12th, 2007;
Parijat Deb received the MRS Graduate Student Silver Award.

Presentations to Lay Audiences

1. "High-Resolution Imaging of Interfaces in Semiconductor Devices," Regents Oversight Committee, Lawrence Berkeley Laboratory, Berkeley, CA, April 1984.
2. "Storage Technology Trends: 1980-2000," Telco Computer Maintenance and Operations Meeting, St. Louis, MO, October, 1992.
3. "Network Information Access Technology Program - A BCC Resource," Telco Computer Operations and Maintenance Workshop, East Brunswick, NJ, April, 1992.
4. "Nanotechnology: Far-fetched or Just around the Corner?" International Truck and Engine Company, Fort Wayne, IN, Sept. 22nd, 2004.
5. "Nanomaterials: Quantum Dots, Nanowires and Nanotubes," NCLT Nanotechnology 101 Series, presented July 15th, 2005 (on the web at <https://www.nanohub.org/education/nanotechnology101>)
6. "Designing Nanocomposite Thermoelectric Materials," NCN Nanotechnology 501 Series, presented 11/8/05. (on the web at <https://www.nanohub.org/education/nanotechnology501>)
7. "Designing Nanocomposite Materials for Solid-state Energy Conversion" NCLT tutorial, presented 11/10/05.
8. "Nanostructured Semiconductors: The Key to Efficient Solid-State Energy Conversion Devices", Purdue Silicon Valley Symposium, Palo Alto, CA, February 22nd, 2006.
9. Panelist for Purdue University Student Pugwash on "Alternative Energy", April 12th, 2006
10. "Nanowires and Nanotubes – One-dimensional Nanomaterials," NCLT Nanotechnology 101 Series, presented July 13th, 2006 (on the web at <https://www.nanohub.org/resources/?id=1639>)
11. Speaker for Purdue University Student Pugwash on "Nanotechnology," September 19th, 2006.
12. "Solid-State Lighting: An Opportunity for Nanotechnologists to Address the Energy Challenge," NCN Nanotechnology 501 tutorial, presented April 4th, 2007 (on the web at <https://www.nanohub.org/resources/2647/>)
13. Moderator for a Faculty Symposium on "Tiny Technologies for Huge Impacts on Health," in honor of the France A. Córdoba Inauguration, Purdue University, April 11th, 2008.
14. "Nanotechnology – Far-fetched or Just Around the Corner?" Elderhostel seminar, Purdue University, June 16th, 2008; Michigan City Rotary, September 11th, 2008; Boswell Rotary, October 23rd, 2008.
15. "Tutorial on Solid-State Lighting," Purdue Energy Club, December 4th, 2008.
16. "Nanotechnology@Purdue," Lafayette Kiwanas Club, West Lafayette, IN, July 2nd, 2009.
17. "Nanomaterials: Quantum Dots, Nanowires and Nanotubes," NCLT Teacher Workshop, Purdue University, July 20th, 2009.
18. "Nano-enabled Future of Solid-State Energy Conversion," Nanobusiness Conference, Chicago, IL, September 9th, 2009.
19. "Nanotechnology@Purdue," Purdue Alumni Club of Anderson/Madison County, October 21st, 2009.
20. "Nanotechnology – Far-fetched, Just Around the Corner, or All Around You Today?" Tippecanoe/Benton/Carroll Retired Teachers Assoc. Meeting, West Lafayette, IN, November 19th, 2009.
21. "Nanotechnology@Purdue," The Alliance, Indianapolis, IN, February 19th, 2010.
22. "Nanotechnology: Problems, Perils and Promises," 2010 Purdue Student Pugwash Conference, April 10th, 2010, Purdue University, West Lafayette, IN.

National Presentations on Higher Education

1. Panelist for "University Technology Transfer: Challenges and Opportunities," AAU Chief Academic Officers Meeting, September 14th, 2010, Laguna Beach, CA.
2. Panelist for the "Provost's Roundtable," NSF Innovation through Institutional Innovation (I3) Meeting of Principal Investigators and Project Leaders; Institutional Innovation in a Time of Accountability and Economic Challenge, Nov. 9th, 2010, Arlington, VA.

3. Speaker, “The Military Family Research Institute at Purdue; Leveraging the Extension Infrastructure,” Session on Higher Education and the U.S. Military: Partnering to Benefit Military Families and Their Communities,” 123rd Annual APLU Meeting, Nov. 15th, 2010, Dallas, TX.
4. Panelist, “Making the Case to Our Funders: The Unique Qualities of Research University Undergraduate Education,” 123rd Annual APLU Meeting, Nov. 15th, 2010, Dallas, TX.
5. Speaker, “What Next for Public Research Universities?” 2011 HUBbub, April 5th, 2011, Indianapolis, IN.

Entrepreneurship Activities

Technical Advisor to *SiMetal* team, 1st Place winner of the Global Venture Challenge Idea to Product Competition at Oak Ridge National Laboratory (March 2009); 3rd place in Gold Division of the Burton Morgan Business Plan Competition (March 2009).