

# Symposium 12: Materials for Extreme Environments: Ultrahigh Temperature Ceramics (UHTCs) and Nano-laminated Ternary Carbides and Nitrides (MAX Phases)

## **Wednesday, January 25, 2012 Structural Stability under Extreme Environments I**

8:00 AM-10:00 AM

Room: Coquina Salon F

Session Chair(s): Luc Vandeperre

**8:00 AM**

**(ICACC-S12-001-2012) Oxidation Mechanisms in UHT and MAX Phase Ceramics (Invited)**

William Edward Lee\*, Bai Cui, Emily Eakins, Doni D Jayaseelan, Imperial College, United Kingdom; Peter Brown, DSTL, United Kingdom

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**(ICACC-S12-002-2012) Testing SiC fiber-reinforced ZrB<sub>2</sub> sharp component in supersonic regime**

Laura Silvestroni\*, Frédéric Monteverde, CNR-ISTEC, Italy; Roberto Savino, DIAS - University of Naples, Italy; Diletta Sciti, CNR-ISTEC, Italy

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**(ICACC-S12-003-2012) High-Temperature Oxidation Testing of UHTC Composites**

Anish Paul\*, Saranya Venugopal, Jon Binner,

Bala Vaidhyanathan, Loughborough University, United Kingdom; Peter Brown, Andrew Heaton, Dstl, United Kingdom

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**(ICACC-S12-004-2012) Protection against oxidation, by CVD or SPS coatings of Hafnium Carbide and Silicon Carbide, on Carbon/Carbon composites.**

Alexandre Allemand\*, CEA, France; Yann Le Petitcorps, Olivier Szwedek, Universite de BORDEAUX, France; Nicolas Teneze, Patrick David, CEA, France

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**(ICACC-S12-005-2012) Experimental methods for reliable oxidation measurements of ultrahigh temperature ceramics up to 1600°C**

Melia Miller-Oana\*, Luke S Walker, William R Pinc, Erica L Corral, University of Arizona, United States

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## **Structural Stability under Extreme Environments II and Novel Processing Methods I**

10:00 AM-12:00 PM

Room: Coquina Salon F

Session Chair(s): Martin Magnuson, William Lee

**10:00 AM**

**(ICACC-S12-006-2012) Charged particle irradiation of (Ti,Zr)<sub>3</sub>(Si,Al)C<sub>2</sub> : structural disorder and thermal diffusivity**

Marion Le Flem\*, Xingmin Liu, Sylvie Doriot, Théodore Cozzika, CEA Saclay, France; Denis Rochais, CEA Le Ripault, France; Isabelle

Monnet, CIMAP, France

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**(ICACC-S12-007-2012) Behaviour under ion-irradiation of Cr<sub>2</sub>GeC and Cr<sub>2</sub>AlC**

Matthieu Bugnet, Thierry Cabioch\*, Vincent Mauchamp, Michel Jaouen, University of Poitiers, France

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**(ICACC-S12-008-2012) High Strain Rate Deformation Behavior of Nanolaminated Titanium Aluminum Carbide**

Sandeep Abotula, University of Rhode Island, United States; Sandip Basu, Miladin Radovic\*, Texas A&M University, United States; Arun Shukla, University of Rhode Island, United States

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**(ICACC-S12-009-2012) Growth of Ti<sub>3</sub>SiC<sub>2</sub> single crystals (Invited)**

Didier Chaussende\*, Thierry Ouisse, CNRS - Grenoble INP, France

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**(ICACC-S12-010-2012) Growth and electrical transport properties of Cr<sub>2</sub>GeC thin films**

Per Eklund\*, Linkoping University, Sweden; Matthieu Bugnet, Vincent Mauchamp, Sylvain Dubois, Christophe Tromas, Université de Poitiers, France; Jens Jensen, Linkoping University, Sweden; Luc Piraux, Loik Gence, Université catholique de Louvain, Belgium; Michel Jaouen, Thierry Cabioch, Université de Poitiers, France

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**(ICACC-S12-011-2012) MAX phase formation by intercalation upon annealing of TiCx/Al (0.4≤x≤1) bilayer thin films**

Jochen Schneider\*, Ahmed Abdulkadhim, Denis Music, Tetsuya Takahashi, Frans Munnik, RWTH Aachen University, Germany

## New Methods for Joining

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Room: Coquina Salon F

Session Chair(s): Erica Corral, Guo-Jun Zhang

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**(ICACC-S12-012-2012) Joining of Ultrarefractory Carbides**

Diletta Sciti\*, Laura Silvestroni, ISTE-CNR, Italy; Andreas Glaeser, University of California, United States; Laura Esposito, ISTE-CNR, Italy

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**(ICACC-S12-013-2012) Spark Plasma Joining of Ultra-High Temperature Ceramics with Zirconium-Boron Filler Materials**

William Pinc\*, Luke S Walker, University of Arizona, United States; Zachary Wing, Advanced Ceramics Manufacturing, United States; Erica L Corral, University of Arizona, United States

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**(ICACC-S12-014-2012) Effect of Current Density on the In Situ Temperature Measurement During Rapid Joining of ZrB<sub>2</sub>-SiC Using a Spark Plasma Sintering Furnace**

William Pinc\*, Luke Walker, University of Arizona, United States; Zachary Wing, Advanced Ceramics Manufacturing, United States; Erica L Corral, University of Arizona, United States

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**(ICACC-S12-015-2012) Effect of Carbon Additions on the Thermal and Electrical Properties of Hot Pressed ZrB<sub>2</sub>**

Gregory Harrington\*, Greg E Hilmas, William G Fahrenholtz, Missouri S&T, United States

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**(ICACC-S12-016-2012) Thermal Properties of ZrB<sub>2</sub>-TiB<sub>2</sub> Solid Solutions**

Matthew Thompson\*, William G Fahrenholtz,  
Greg Hilmas, Missouri University of Science  
and Technology, United States

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**(ICACC-S12-017-2012) Lattice thermal  
conductivity of ultra high temperature  
ceramics (UHTC) ZrB<sub>2</sub> and HfB<sub>2</sub> from  
atomistic simulations**

John W Lawson\*, NASA Ames Research Center,  
United States; Murray S Daw, Clemson  
University, United States; Charles W  
Bauschlicher, NASA Ames Research Center,  
United States

## Novel Processing Methods II

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Session Chair(s): Marion Le Flem, Miladin  
Radovic

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**(ICACC-S12-018-2012) Synthesis and crystal  
growth of MAX-phases from molten metals  
(Invited)**

Harald Hillebrecht\*, D. Kotzott, H. Leuckeroth,  
M. Kleczek, University of Freiburg, Germany

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**(ICACC-S12-019-2012) Hysteresis in MAX  
phases (Invited)**

William J Clegg\*, Caroline Humphrey,  
University of Cambridge, United Kingdom; Finn  
Giuliani, Imperial College, United Kingdom

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**(ICACC-S12-020-2012) Processing and  
Mechanical Properties of Ti<sub>2</sub>AlC Reinforced  
with Alumina Fibers**

Kwonguk Jeon, Sandip Basu, Francesco Schaff,  
Texas A&M University, United States; Michel  
W Barsoum, Drexel University, United States;

Miladin Radovic\*, Texas A&M University,  
United States

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**(ICACC-S12-021-2012) Crystallisation and  
annealing of Cr<sub>2</sub>AlC: a Raman investigation**  
Vladimir Vishnyakov\*, Piotr Dobrosz, John  
Colligon, Manchester Metropolitan University,  
United Kingdom

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**(ICACC-S12-022-2012) Effect of lattice  
anisotropy on plasticity mechanisms in Ti<sub>2</sub>AlN  
studied by in-situ compression of micro-pillars  
under synchrotron micro-beam**

Ludovic Thilly\*, Joan J. Roa, Antoine Guitton,  
Patrick Villechaise, Christophe Tromas, Anne  
Joulain, University of Poitiers, France; Cécile  
Marichal, Steven Van Petegem, Helena Van  
Swygenhoven, Paul Scherrer Institut,  
Switzerland

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**(ICACC-S12-023-2012) Effects of Porosity and  
Pore Size on Room Temperature Thermal  
Conductivity and Mechanical Properties of  
Porous Ti<sub>2</sub>AlC**

Liangfa Hu\*, Sandip Basu, Rogelio Benitez,  
Ibrahim Karaman, Miladin Radovic, Texas A&M  
University, United States

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**(ICACC-S12-024-2012) Properties of Hot-  
Pressed Ti<sub>2</sub>AlC Obtained by SHS Process**

Leszek Chlubny\*, Jerzy Lis, AGH-University of  
Science and Technology, Poland

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**(ICACC-S12-025-2012) Deposition of MAX-  
phases coating by cold spray**

Silvano Rech, Andrea Trentin, Alessandro  
Patelli, Alessandro Surpi, Simone Vezzù\*,  
CIVEN, Italy; Per Eklund, Jenny Frodelius, Lars

Hultman, Linköping University, Sweden; Jack Glor, Sandvik AB, Sweden

## Symposium 12: Poster Session

5:00 PM-7:30 PM

Room: Exhibition Hall, Ocean Center

### (ICACC-S12-P120-2012) Thermal expansion and structural parameters of Cr<sub>2</sub>(Al<sub>x</sub>Ge<sub>1-x</sub>)C studied by X-ray diffraction

Thierry Cabioch\*, University of Poitiers, France; Per Eklund, Linköping University, Sweden

### (ICACC-S12-P121-2012) Ultrarefractory carbides for applications in Concentrating Solar Power systems

Diletta Sciti\*, Laura Silvestroni, ISTE-CNR, Italy; Jean Louis Sans, Ludovic Charpentier, Marianne Balat-Pichelin, Luca Mercatelli, CNRS, France; Elisa Sani, CNR, Italy

### (ICACC-S12-P122-2012) Effect of Oxy-acetylene Torch Test Flame Conditions on the Ablation Resistance of Ultra-High Temperature Ceramic Composites at Elevated Temperatures

Mario Alberto Valdez\*, William R Pinc, Luke S Walker, Erica L Corral, University of Arizona, United States

### (ICACC-S12-P123-2012) Mechanical Properties & Residual Thermal Stresses of Spark Plasma Sintered ZrB<sub>2</sub>-SiC Composites

Richard Stadelmann\*, Nina Orlovskaya, University of Central Florida, United States; Vincenzo Sglavo, University of Trento, Italy

### (ICACC-S12-P124-2012) Oxidation-resistant ZrB<sub>2</sub>-SiC composites

Ali Goodarzi\*, Amirkabir University of Tech., Iran, Islamic Republic of; Hailey Taylor,

Imperial College London, United Kingdom

### (ICACC-S12-P125-2012) Tensile Creep of Coarse-Grained Ti<sub>2</sub>AlC in the 900-1150 °C Temperature Range

Darin Joseph Tallman\*, Michael Abdelmalak, Michel Barsoum, Drexel University, United States

### (ICACC-S12-P126-2012) Study of NiTi-MAX Phase Composites Prepared via Spark Plasma Sintering

Ankush Kothalkar\*, Liangfa Hu, Sandip Basu, Francesco Schaff, Ibrahim Karaman, Miladin Radovic, Texas A&M University, United States

### (ICACC-S12-P127-2012) Interfacial Study between Ti<sub>3</sub>SiC<sub>2</sub> and NiTi Shape Memory Alloy via Diffusion Bonding

Ankush Kothalkar\*, Sandip Basu, Patrick Mahaffey, Miladin Radovic, Ibrahim Karaman, Texas A&M University, United States

### (ICACC-S12-P128-2012) Thermal atomic displacements in select MAX phases through first-principles phonon calculations

Nina Lane\*, Drexel University, United States; A. Togo, Kyoto University, Japan; L. Chaput, Université de Nancy, France; G. Hug, ONERA-CNRS, France; M. Barsoum, Drexel University, United States

### (ICACC-S12-P129-2012) Microstructural characterisation and compression properties of TiC0.61/Cu(Al) composites synthesized from Cu and Ti<sub>3</sub>AlC<sub>2</sub> powders

Zhenying Huang, School of Mechanical and Electronic Control Engineering, China; Véronique Gauthier-Brunet, Joël Bonneville, Institut PPRIME, France; Hongxiang Zhai, School of Mechanical and Electronic Control Engineering, China; Anne Joulain, Sylvain Dubois\*, Institut PPRIME, France

**(ICACC-S12-P130-2012) Structure and properties of oxide coatings on Al-Cu and Al-Mg alloys**

Alexander D Pogrebnjak\*, Sumy State University, Ukraine; Manarbek K Kylyshkanov, Serikbayev East Kazakhstan state technical University, Kazakhstan; Yurii N Tyurin, The E.O.Paton Electric Welding Institute, Ukraine; Alisa S Kaverina, Ivan V Yakushchenko, Sumy State University, Ukraine

**Thursday, January 26, 2012  
Processing, Structure and Property Relationships**

8:00 AM-10:00 AM

Room: Coquina Salon F

Session Chair(s): Yutaka Kagawa, James Zimmermann

**8:00 AM**

**(ICACC-S12-026-2012) Mechanical Behavior of ZrB<sub>2</sub>/SiC Particulate Composites Produced with varying SiC Particle Sizes**

Jeremy Watts\*, Greg Hilmas, William G Fahrenholtz, Missouri University of S & T, United States

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**(ICACC-S12-027-2012) TaB<sub>2</sub>-based ceramics: microstructure, mechanical properties and oxidation resistance**

Laura Silvestroni\*, Stefano Guicciardi, Cesare Melandri, Diletta Sciti, CNR-ISTEC, Italy

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**(ICACC-S12-028-2012) Densification Behavior and Mechanical Properties of ZrB<sub>2</sub> Processed Using Spark Plasma Sintering**

David Pham\*, William R Pinc, Luke S Walker, Erica L Corral, University of Arizona, United States

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**(ICACC-S12-029-2012) High-temperature bending strength of ZrB<sub>2</sub>-20vol%SiC ceramics (Invited)**

Guo-Jun Zhang\*, Ji Zou, Shanghai Institute of Ceramics, CAS, China; Chun-Feng Hu, Toshiyuki Nishimura, Yoshio Sakka, Hidehiko Tanaka, Nano Ceramics Center, NIMS, Japan; Jef Vleugels, Omer Van der Biest, Katholieke Universiteit Leuven, Belgium

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**(ICACC-S12-030-2012) Room Temperature Fatigue of Ultra High Temperature ZrB<sub>2</sub>-SiC Ceramic Composites**

Nina Orlovskaia\*, Richard Stadelmann, University of Central Florida, United States; Thomas Graule, Jakob Kuebler, Swiss Federal Laboratories for Materials Science and Technology, Switzerland; Mykola Lugovy, Institute for Problems of Materials Science, Ukraine; C. Aneziris, M. Neubert, TU Bergakademie Freiberg, Germany

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**Novel Characterization Methods**

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Room: Coquina Salon F

Session Chair(s): Jochen Schneider, Jeremy Watts

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**(ICACC-S12-031-2012) Identification of new stable MAX phases with tunable properties (Invited)**

Johanna Rosen\*, The department of Physics, Chemistry and Biology, Linköping University, Sweden

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**(ICACC-S12-032-2012) Synthesis, microstructural characterization and transport properties of Ti<sub>2</sub>Al[C<sub>x</sub>N(1-x)]<sub>y</sub> MAX phase solid solutions**

Wenbo Yu, Véronique Gauthier-Brunet, Thierry Cabioc'h, Institut PPRIME, France; Loïk Gence, Luc Piraux, Université Catholique de Louvain, Belgium; Zachary Buck, Jeffrey Hettinger, Samuel Lofland, Rowan University, United States; Michel Barsoum, Drexel University, United States; Sylvain Dubois\*, Institut PPRIME, France

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**(ICACC-S12-033-2012) A first-principles investigation of the phase stability of known and hypothetical MAX phases**

Martin Dahlqvist\*, Björn Alling, Johanna Rosén, Thin Film Physics Division, Sweden

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**(ICACC-S12-034-2012) The MAX Phases: The Next Horizons (Invited)**

Michel Barsoum\*, Drexel University, United States

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**(ICACC-S12-035-2012) Zero-Recession Lightweight Ablators with UHTC surface layers**

Takuya Aoki\*, Masahito Mizuno, Toshiyuki Suzuki, Toshio Ogasawara, Yuichi Ishida, Kazuhisa Fujita, Tetsuya Yamada, Japan Aerospace Exploration Agency, Japan

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**(ICACC-S12-036-2012) Effect of Transition Metal Additives on the Oxidation Behavior of ZrB<sub>2</sub>**

Maryam Kazemzadeh Dehdashti\*, William G Fahrenholtz, Gregory E Hilmas, Missouri University of Science and Technology, United States

## **Design of New Compositions/Composites with Fascinating Properties**

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Room: Coquina Salon F

Session Chair(s): Michel Barsoum, Laura Silvestroni

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**(ICACC-S12-037-2012) Mechanical Properties of ZrB<sub>2</sub> Ceramics: Performance Improvements (Invited)**

Yutaka Kagawa\*, The University of Tokyo, Japan; Shuqi Guo, National Institute for Materials Science, Japan

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**(ICACC-S12-038-2012) Processing of ZrB<sub>2</sub>-SiC Matrix/SiC Fiber Composites by Means of Polymer Impregnation and Pyrolysis**

Benjamin John Bowin Lai\*, Jeremy Watts, Greg Hilmas, William G Fahrenholtz, Missouri University of Science & Technology, United States

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**(ICACC-S12-039-2012) Mechanical Properties and Characterization of a Heat Treated ZrB<sub>2</sub>-SiC Composite**

Eric W Neuman\*, Gregory Hilmas, William Fahrenholtz, Missouri University of S & T, United States

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**(ICACC-S12-040-2012) Polyureasilazane Based SiC/ZrB<sub>2</sub>-SiC Fiber Reinforced Ceramic Composites**

J. Nicholas\*, V. Menta, K. Chandrashekara, J. Watts, B. Lai, G. Hilmas, W. Fahrenholtz, Missouri University of Science and Technology, United States

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**(ICACC-S12-041-2012) Synthesis of Nano-Hafnium Diboride Powder using a Modified Spark Plasma Sintering Method**

Sea-Hoon Lee\*, KIMS, Korea, Republic of; Hailong Wang, Zhengzhou Univ., China; Hai-Doo Kim, KIMS, Korea, Republic of

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**(ICACC-S12-042-2012) In situ synthesis mechanism and characterization of ultra-high temperature ceramics**

Ali Goodarzi\*, Amirkabir University of Tech., Iran, Islamic Republic of; Hailey Taylor, Imperial College London, United Kingdom

## Fundamental Understanding and Novel Processing Methods

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Room: Coquina Salon F

Session Chair(s): Takuya Aoki, John Lawson

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**(ICACC-S12-043-2012) Hardness measurements above 1723 K (Invited)**

Luc Jean Vandeperre\*, Jianye Wang, Ezra Feilden-Irving, Finn Giuliani, Imperial College London, United Kingdom

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**(ICACC-S12-044-2012) Investigation of Room Temperature Dislocation Mobility in metal diborides (ZrB<sub>2</sub>)using Nano Indentation and Confinement Studies**

Ghatu Subhash\*, Dipankar Ghosh, University of Florida, United States

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**(ICACC-S12-045-2012) Powder Processing Effects on the Rapid Low-Temperature Densification of ZrB<sub>2</sub>-SiC Ultra-High**

**Temperature Ceramic(UHTC) Composites**

**Using Spark Plasma Sintering**

Luke S Walker\*, William R Pinc, Erica L Corral, The University of Arizona, United States

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**(ICACC-S12-046-2012) Processing and Thermal Properties of ZrB<sub>2</sub> with Varying Boron Isotope Ratios**

Jason Michael Lonergan\*, Bill Fahrenholtz, Greg Hilmas, Missouri Science & Technology, United States

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**(ICACC-S12-047-2012) Investigations on the Mechanism of Zirconium Carbide Formation via Carbothermal Reduction of Yttria Stabilized Zirconia**

Anchal Sondhi\*, University of North Texas, United States; Carl Morandi, Pennsylvania State University, United States; Richard F Reidy, Thomas W Scharf, University of North Texas, United States

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**(ICACC-S12-048-2012) Processing Thin, Homogeneous and Flexible Tapes of ZrB<sub>2</sub> and ZrB<sub>2</sub>-SiC Using a Solvent-Based Tape Casting Approach**

David Pham\*, William R Pinc, Luke S Walker, Erica L Corral, University of Arizona, United States

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**(ICACC-S12-049-2012) Application of the Horizontal Dip-Spin Casting (HDSC) Process to Ultra-High Temperature Ceramic Composites Fabricated with Aligned Reinforcing Phases**

Manuel Acosta\*, Jeffrey P Youngblood, Rodney W Trice, Purdue University, United States

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**(ICACC-S12-050-2012) HfC and HfB<sub>2</sub> Powders and Coatings via Sol-Gel Processing**

Saranya Venugopal\*, Anish Paul, Jon Binner, Bala Vaidyanathan, Loughborough university, United Kingdom; Peter Brown, Andrew Heaton, DSTL, United Kingdom

**Friday, January 27, 2012**

## **Methods for Improving Mechanical, Oxidation and Thermal Shock Resistance**

8:00 AM-10:00 AM

Room: Coquina Salon F

Session Chair(s): Per Eklund, Sea-Hoon Lee

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**(ICACC-S12-051-2012) Anisotropy in the electronic structure of Cr<sub>2</sub>GeC probed by x-ray emission spectroscopy in comparison to ab initio calculations (Invited)**

Martin Magnuson\*, Department of Physics, Chemistry and Biology, IFM, Thin Film Physics Division, Linköping University, SE-58183 Linköping, Sweden, Sweden; Maurizio Mattesini, Instituto de Geociencias (CSIC-UCM), Facultad de CC. Física, E-28040 Madrid, Spain, Spain; Matthieu Bugnet, Vincent Mauchamp, Thierry Cabioch, Département de Physique et Mécanique des Matériaux, Institut P' UPR 3346 CNRS - Université de Poitiers - ENSMA, SP2MI, Téléport2, 86962 Futuroscope, France, France; Lars Hultman, Department of Physics, Chemistry and Biology, IFM, Thin Film Physics Division, Linköping University, SE-58183 Linköping, Sweden, Sweden

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**(ICACC-S12-052-2012) Microstructural evolution during oxidation and its effect on strength of ultra-high temperature ceramics (UHTCs)**

Eugenio Zapata-Solvas\*, Doni D Jayaseelan, Imperial College London, United Kingdom;

Peter Brown, DSTL, United Kingdom; William E Lee, Imperial College London, United Kingdom

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**(ICACC-S12-053-2012) Micromechanics Modeling of Oxidation Effects on Mechanical Behavior of ZrB<sub>2</sub> at High Temperature**  
Jun Wei\*, Lokeswarappa R Dharani, Gregory E Hilmas, William G Fahrenholtz, Missouri University of Science and Technology, United States

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**(ICACC-S12-054-2012) New Energy Applications for Ultra-Thin, Durable, Dense Zirconia Membranes**

Venkat Venkateswaran, John Olenick\*, Kathy Olenick, ENrG Inc., United States

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**(ICACC-S12-055-2012) The Melt Infiltrated C/ZrC Composite by Using a Zr-Si Alloy**  
Linhua Zou\*, Sergey Prikhodko, University of California, Los Angeles, United States; Tim Stewart, Ultramet, United States; J. M Yang, University of California, Los Angeles, United States

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## **Fundamental Understanding of the Structure-Property Relationships**

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Room: Coquina Salon F

Session Chair(s): Thierry Cabioch, Luke Walker

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**(ICACC-S12-056-2012) Rapid Single-Step**

**Synthesis of Ultrahigh Temperature Ceramic  
Hafnium, Tantalum, and Zirconium Diborides  
by Sol-Gel Processing for Carbon-Carbon  
Reverse infiltrated Ceramic Matrix  
Composites**

Luke S Walker\*, Victoria R Marotto, Erica L Corral, The University of Arizona, United States

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**(ICACC-S12-057-2012) Phase Stability of  
Al<sub>3</sub>BC<sub>3</sub> under High Temperature and  
Pressure: An in situ Raman Analysis**

Huimin Xiang\*, Jingyang Wang, Institute of Metal Research, China; Yanchun Zhou, Aerospace Research Institute of Materials and Processing Technology, China

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**(ICACC-S12-058-2012) Effect of Boron on the  
Thermodynamic Stability of Amorphous  
Polymer-Derived Si-(B-)C-N Ceramics**

Amir Hossein Tavakoli\*, University of California at Davis, United States; Jerzy A Golczewski, Max Planck Institute for Intelligent Systems (Former Max Planck Institute for Metals Research), Germany; Joachim Bill, University of Stuttgart, Germany; Alexandra Navrotsky, University of California at Davis, United States

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**(ICACC-S12-059-2012) A Comparative Study of  
Kinetics of Decomposition in MAX Phases at  
Elevated Temperature**

It-Meng Jim Low\*, Curtin University, Australia; Weikong Pang, Tatung University, Taiwan

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**(ICACC-S12-060-2012) Insights into high  
temperature oxidation of Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>-forming  
Ti<sub>3</sub>AlC<sub>2</sub>**

Yanchun Zhou\*, X. H Wang, F. Z Li, Aerospace Research Institute of Materials & Processing Technology, China; J. X Chen, Institute of Metal Research, Chinese Academy of Sciences, China