

# Joint HYDROGENIUS and I<sup>2</sup>CNER International Workshop on Hydrogen-Materials Interactions

**Time & Date :** 9:40-17:00, February 2 (Thursday), 2012

**Venue :** INAMORI Hall,  
1st Floor of the INAMORI Frontier Research Center,  
Kyushu University Ito Campus

## Program

Symposium Co-chairmen : Yukitaka Murakami(Kyushu University (I<sup>2</sup>CNER),  
HYDROGENIUS, Japan)  
and  
Petros Sofronis(University of Illinois, USA and  
Kyushu University (I<sup>2</sup>CNER))

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09:40-09:50 **Opening Remarks : Petros Sofronis**

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### **Session I Mechanism of Crack Growth**

Chairperson : Reiner Kirchheim

09:50-10:30 *Keynote lecture*

#### **Mechanisms of Hydrogen Damage on the Fracture and Fatigue of Metals**

Robert O. Ritchie (University of California, Berkeley, USA)

10:30-11:00 **The Relationship between Crack-tip Strain and Subcritical Cracking  
Thresholds for Steels in Hydrogen Gas**

Brian Somerday (Sandia National Laboratory, USA)

11:00-11:30 **Micromechanical Modeling of Hydrogen-induced Subcritical Crack  
Growth**

Petros Sofronis (University of Illinois, and I<sup>2</sup>CNER of Kyushu  
University)

11:30-12:00 **Hydrogen Embrittlement in Various Steels with Strength Levels above  
1000MPa - Laboratory Comparison and Understanding of Mechanisms**  
Lode Duprez (Arcelor Mittal, Belgium)

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12:00-13:20 **Poster Session and Break**

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**Session II    Interaction between Hydrogen and Material Defects**

Chairperson: Robert O. Ritchie

13:20-13:50    *Keynote lecture*

**How Hydrogen Affects Dislocation Generation and Motion**

Reiner Kirchheim(Georg-August-Universität Goettingen , Institut fuer  
Materialphysik, Germany)

13:50-14:20    **Hydrogen dragging and transportation by moving dislocation in 316L and  
304 stainless steels**

K. Takai (Sophia University, Japan)

14:20-14:50    **Towards an ab-initio based understanding of H-embrittlement**

Johann von Pezold (Max Plank Institute, Germany)

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14:50-15:10    **Break**

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**Session III    Crack Initiation and Propagation in Hydrogen Environment in Various  
and Steels and Specimens**

Chairman: B. Somerday (Sandia National Laboratories, USA)

15:10-15:40    **Ultrasonic fatigue tests of hydrogen-charged specimens**

Yoshiyuki Furuya, Hisashi Hirukawa and Masao Hayakawa (NIMS,  
Japan)

15:40-16:10    **Failure Analysis of Diaphragm for High Pressure Hydrogen Transducer**

Taisuke Miyamoto (TOYOTA Motors, Japan)

16:10-16:40    **Fatigue Crack Initiation, Small Crack Growth and Long Crack Growth in  
Hydrogen Gas**

Masanobu Kubota, Yoshiyuki Kondo, Saburo Matsuoka and Yukitaka  
Murakami, (Kyushu University(I<sup>2</sup>CNER) and HYDROGENIUS, Japan)

**Session IV    Overall Discussion and future challenges**

Chairpersons: Y. Murakami and P. Sofronis

16:40-17:00

\*Program and speakers may change without prior notice.