

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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#### A. Education

1992	PhD	Purdue University, School of Nuclear Engineering, Nuclear Materials <i>Thesis: "Hot Isostatic Pressing of U-10Zr Alloy Nuclear Fuel by Coupled Grain Boundary Diffusion and Power-Law Creep"</i>
1990	MSNE	Purdue University, School of Nuclear Engineering, Nuclear Materials
1987	BSNE	Purdue University, School of Nuclear Engineering

#### B. Professional History

##### Texas A&M University (August 2006 to present)

9/2011 to present      Texas A&M University, Department of Nuclear Engineering \*\*\*

- Associate Professor of Nuclear Engineering
- Associate Professor of Materials Science and Engineering (graduate program)

8/2006 to 8/2011      Texas A&M University, Department of Nuclear Engineering \*\*\*

- Assistant Professor of Nuclear Engineering
- Assistant Professor of Materials Science and Engineering (graduate program)

\*\*\* 7/2003 to Present    Principal Investigator, Fuel Cycle and Materials Laboratory (FCML)

- *Materials and chemical processing, materials for advanced reactor fuels and structures, and waste immobilization and characterization*

##### Purdue University (August 2003 to August 2006)

7/2003 to 8/2006      Purdue University, School of Nuclear Engineering \*\*\*

- Associate Professor of Nuclear Engineering (non-tenured)

8/2002 to 12/2002      Visiting Associate Professor of Nuclear Engineering, Purdue University

##### Argonne National Laboratory (August 1991 to July 2003)

Chemical Technology Division

9700 S. Cass Ave, Argonne, IL

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**Argonne National Laboratory (cont'd)**

## Chemical Technology Division

Section Manager, Pyroprocess Development (2002 to July 2003)

Managed a multidisciplinary team of ~20 scientists and engineers to develop nuclear fuel cycle processes and materials. Examples:

- Inert anodes for oxygen evolution in a molten LiCl electrolyte at 650°C.
- Electrochemical recovery of transuranic actinides from molten LiCl-KCl salts.
- Electrochemical reduction of oxide nuclear fuel (UO<sub>2</sub> plus waste) in molten LiCl.
- Advanced materials for pyrochemical processing.

## Chemical Technology Division

Section Manager, Materials Development (1999 to 2002)

Managed a multidisciplinary team of ~10 scientists and engineers to develop materials solutions for the nuclear fuel cycle. Examples:

- Ceramic and metal waste form materials for high level radioactive waste disposal.
- Thoria-based cermet nuclear fuel with a Zr-matrix.
- Liquid metal corrosion for heavy metal coolants (i.e, molten Pb and Pb-Bi alloys).
- High temperature interaction of molten reactive metals with stable ceramics.
- Coating ceramic microspheres with Nb metal by chemical vapor deposition.

## Chemical Technology Division

Nuclear Materials Engineer (Dec. 1992 to 1999)

Materials development projects included:

- Developed a family of Fe-Zr alloy waste forms to immobilize high-level waste.
- Characterization of microstructure and behavior of the Fe-Zr alloy waste forms.
- Engineering scale-up activities for hot-cell demonstration of the Fe-Zr alloy fabrication process.
- High temperature interaction studies to evaluate the thermochemical behavior of molten reactive metals in contact with stable ceramics.
- Participated in the engineering scale development of pyrochemical processes to recycle and manage spent nuclear fuel materials.

## Materials and Components Technology Division

Lab-Grad Student Appointment (Aug. 1991 to Nov. 1992)

Participated in the development of the LIFE-Metal nuclear fuel performance model.

**Temporary Academic Appointments**

Fall 2002 Visiting Associate Professor of Nuclear Engineering, Purdue University

Fall 1990 Instructor, Purdue University

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### C. Academic Records

#### Courses Taught at Texas A&M University (Aug. 2006 to present)

COURSE NUMBER	COURSE TITLE	SEM	CRED	ENROLL MENT	EVAL. AVG. <sup>1</sup>
NUEN 661	Nuclear Fuel Performance	S12	3	7	TBD
NUEN 485	Directed Studies: Uranium Alloy Metallurgy	S12	3	1	•
NUEN 485	Directed Studies: Radiolysis of Methane	S12	3	1	•
NUEN 485	Directed Studies: Nuclear Fuel Reprocessing	S12	3	1	•
NUEN 485	Directed Studies: Zircaloy Cladding	F11	3	1	•
NUEN 485	Directed Studies: Nuclear Power Plant Systems	F11	3	1	•
NUEN 265	Materials Science for Nuclear Energy Applications	F11	3	50	4.26
NUEN 661	Nuclear Fuel Performance	S11	3	11	4.46
NUEN 485	Directed Studies: Fuel Irradiation Experiments	S11	2	1	•
NUEN 485	Directed Studies: Nuclear Reactor Accidents	S11	1	1	•
NUEN 465	Nuclear Materials Engineering	S11	3	16	3.72
NUEN 485	Directed Studies: Powder Coating Evaluations	F10	1	1	•
NUEN 265	Materials Science for Nuclear Energy Applications	F10	3	46	4.01
NUEN 661	Nuclear Fuel Performance	S10	3	9	4.15
NUEN 465	Nuclear Materials Engineering	S10	3	6	3.88
NUEN 485	Directed Studies: Uranium Powder Metallurgy - II	S10	3	1	•
NUEN 485	Directed Studies: BET Powder Analysis	S10	1	1	•
NUEN 265	Materials Science for Nuclear Energy Applications	F09	3	41	4.03
NUEN 485	Directed Studies: Uranium Powder Metallurgy	F09	1	1	•
NUEN 491	Undergraduate Research: Thermal Diffusivity Measurement	F09	1	1	•
NUEN 289	Materials Science for Nuclear Energy Applications	S09	3	16	4.64
NUEN 485	Directed Studies: Introduction to FRAPCON	S09	1	1	•
NUEN 485	Directed Studies: Neutron Activation of Nano Bi Metal	S09	3	1	•
NUEN 489 <sup>2,3</sup>	Materials Science for Nuclear Energy Applications	F08	3	35	4.21
NUEN 678	Waste Management in the Nuclear Industry	F08	3	6	4.71
NUEN 489 <sup>3</sup>	Nuclear Materials Engineering	S08	3	18	4.66
NUEN 485	Directed Studies: Thermophysical Property Measurement	S08	1	1	•
NUEN 689 <sup>2</sup>	Nuclear Fuel Performance	F07	3	14	4.67
NUEN 489 <sup>2</sup>	Materials Science for Nuclear Energy Applications	S07	3	9	4.39
NUEN 485	Directed Studies: Nuclear Fuel Performance Modeling	S07	1	1	•
NUEN 678	Waste Management in the Nuclear Industry	F06	3	6	3.96
NUEN 485	Directed Studies: Materials Science in Nuclear Engineering	F06	3	2	•

1 – “Evaluation Average” represents the Overall Mean student evaluation score based on 8 questions pertaining to Preparation, Assignments, Communication, Responsiveness, Academic Concern, Availability, Fairness, and Teaching (5=Excellent, 4=Very Good, 3=Good, 2=Does Not Perform Well, 1=Has Serious Deficiencies).

2 – Indicates the creation of a new course.

3 - NUEN 489 was offered under different titles in 2007 and 2008. The development plan evolved to create a required sophomore level course entitled “Materials Science for Nuclear Energy Applications” and an elective course entitled “Nuclear Materials Engineering.”

#### Courses Taught at Purdue University (before Aug. 2006)

COURSE NUMBER	COURSE TITLE	SEM	CRED	ENROLL MENT	EVAL. SCORE <sup>1</sup>
NUCL 503	Radioactive Waste Management	S06	3	24	4.7
NUCL 597	Post-Irradiation Examination	S06	3	1	•
NUCL 120	Freshman Research Projects (Independent Study)	S06	1	2	•
NUCL 320	Introduction to Materials for Nuclear Applications	F05	3	50	4.3
NUCL 449	Senior Design Proposal	F05	1	28	4.7
ENGR 103	Intro. to Eng. Careers – Nuclear Materials Engineering	F05	1	17	•

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NUCL 597	Materials Thermochemistry (Independent Study)	Su05	1	1	•
NUCL 503	Radioactive Waste Management	S05	3	15	4.6
NUCL 450	Design in Nuclear Engineering	S05	3	20	4.9
NUCL 120	Freshman Research Projects (Independent Study)	S05	1	3	•
NUCL 581	Technical Writing in Nuclear Engineering	F04	1	19	4.5
NUCL 597	Nuclear Reactor Operations (Independent Study)	F04	3	1	•
NUCL 200	Introduction to Nuclear Engineering	S04	3	109	4.2
NUCL 698	Nuclear Engineering Graduate Student Seminar	S04	0	39	•
NUCL 120	Freshman Research Projects (Independent Study)	S04	1	2	•
NUCL 200	Introduction to Nuclear Engineering	F03	3	140	4.3
ENGR 103J	Introduction to Eng. Careers - Radiation Effects	F03	1	17	4.5
NUCL 305L	Nuclear Engineering Undergraduate Laboratory-II	F03	2	7	•
NUCL 698	Nuclear Engineering Graduate Student Seminar	F03	0	44	•
NUCL 320	Introduction to Materials for Nuclear Applications	F02	3	26	4.7
NUCL 211	Fundamentals of Nuclear Reactors	F90	3	13	4.1

*1 – Average response to “Overall, I would rate this instructor as” (Scores based on a 5.0 scale with 5 as the highest and 1 as the lowest)*

### Student Development Activity

Graduate Degrees in Progress at Texas A&M University:

NAME	DEGREE	EST. COMP.	DRAFT THESIS TITLE
S. Ahn	PhD	8/2013	U-Zr Alloy Nuclear Fuel Performance
M. Arietta	PhD	5/2016	FB-CVD Coatings for Nuclear Fuel Applications
G. Helmreich	PhD	5/2014	Metal Fuel Processing Methods
A.J. Parkison	PhD	12/2012	Zircaloy Recycle via Iodide Volatility
W.J. Sames	PhD	5/2015	Delayed hydride cracking in used nuclear fuel
A.R. Totemeier	PhD	12/2012	Cermet Fuel Development w/ Irradiation Study
S. Irukuvarghula	PhD	5/2013	U-Zr Alloy Nuclear Fuel Performance
B. Barnhart	MSNE	5/2013	Characterization of Zr-Fe-Cu Alloys for Inert Fuel Matrix
B. Blamer	MSNE	8/2013	Extrusion of U-Zr alloy tubular fuel form
D.R. Eichel	MSNE	8/2013	ATR Irradiation for U-Zr Alloy Nuclear Fuel
C. Garcia	MSNE	12/2012	High Conductivity UO <sub>2</sub> -BeO Nuclear Fuel
J.C. Martinez	MSNE	5/2014	U-Zr alloy casting methods
C.A. Thompson	MSNE	12/2012	U-Zr Process Development – Rotating Electrode

Graduate Degrees Completed:

NAME	DEGREE	GRAD DATE	THESIS TITLE
M.Y. Arietta	MSNE	8/2012	Low Temperature Chemical Vapor Deposition of Zirconium Nitride in a Fluidized Bed Reactor
S.H. Kuhr	MSNE	8/2012	An Electrolytic Method to Form Zirconium Hydride Phases in Zirconium Alloys with Morphologies Similar to Hydrides Formed in Used Nuclear Fuel
C.J. Humrickhouse	MSNE	5/2012	Characterization of Thermal Properties of Depleted Uranium Metal Microspheres
W.J. Sames	MEN	5/2012	Materials Science and Engineering Program Non-Thesis Master of Engineering
J. Creasy	MSNE	12/2011	Thermal Properties of uranium-molybdenum alloys: phase decomposition effects of heat treatments
J. Hausaman	MSNE	12/2011	Hot Extrusion of Alpha Phase Uranium-Zirconium Alloys for TRU-Burning Fast Reactors

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G. Helmreich	MSNE	12/2010	Characterization of Alpha-Phase Sintering of Uranium and Uranium-Zirconium Alloys for Advanced Nuclear Fuel Applications	
T.R. Hogelin	MSNE	12/2010	Radioactive Flow Characterization for Real-Time Detection Systems in UREX+ Nuclear Fuel Reprocessing	
R.D. Kelley	PhD (INEN)	8/2010	Design of an Integrated System to Recycle Zircaloy Cladding using a Hydride-Milling-Dehydride Process	
M.J. Naramore	MSNE	8/2010	High Thermal Conductivity UO <sub>2</sub> -BeO Nuclear Fuel: Neutronic Performance Assessments and Overview of Fabrication	
L.H. Ortega	PhD (MSEN)	12/2009	Sintered Bentonite Ceramics for the Immobilization of Cesium- and Strontium-Bearing Radioactive Waste	
B. Goddard	MSNE	12/2009	Development of a Real-Time Detection Strategy for Material Accountancy and Process Monitoring during Nuclear Fuel Reprocessing using the UREX+3a Method	
D.J. Garnetti	MSNE	12/2009	Uranium Powder Production via Hydride Formation and Alpha Phase Sintering of Uranium and Uranium-Zirconium Alloys for Advanced Nuclear Fuel Applications	
J.J. Wegener	MSNE	12/2008	Production of Cerium Oxide Microspheres by an Internal Gelation Sol-Gel Process	
A.J. Parkison	MSNE	5/2008	Hydride Production in Zircaloy-4 as a Function of Time and Temperature	
P.A. Mews	MSNE	12/2007	Evaluation of Zirconium-Iron-Rhenium Alloys as Surrogates for a Technetium Alloy Waste Form	
Purdue University	L.H. Ortega	MSNE	8/2006	Engineered Storage Forms for the Immobilization of Radioactive Cesium and Strontium from Spent Nuclear Fuel
	A.C. Slaga	MSNE	8/2006	Chemical Vapor Deposition of Porous Silicon Carbide onto Ceramic Microspheres Using a Fluidized Bed Reactor
	A.R. Totemeier	MSNE	8/2006	Evaluation of a Zirconium-Matrix Cermet for the Storage and Transmutation of Transuranic Isotopes
	D.T. Kraemer	MSNE	8/2005	Establishing Methods for Recycling Spent Zircaloy Cladding Using a Hydride-Dehydride Processing Route

**Participation as a Graduate Committee member (partial listing):**

NAME	DEGREE	DATE	DEPARTMENT
R. Balerio	MSNE	TBD	Nuclear Engineering
J.D. Burns	PhD	TBD	Chemistry
T. Chen	MSNE	TBD	Nuclear Engineering
M.M. Cuvelier	MSNE	TBD	Nuclear Engineering
T. Duong	PhD	TBD	Mechanical Engineering
B. Goddard	PhD	TBD	Nuclear Engineering
L. Hu	PhD	TBD	Materials Science & Engineering
Z.A. Kulage	PhD	TBD	Nuclear Engineering
A.G. LeCoq	MSNE	TBD	Nuclear Engineering
H. Lee	PhD	TBD	Nuclear Engineering
M.S. Martin	PhD	TBD	Nuclear Engineering
R.R. Metcalf	PhD	TBD	Nuclear Engineering
M.T. Meyers	PhD	TBD	Nuclear Engineering
M.L. Pritchard	PhD	TBD	Nuclear Engineering
J. Smith	MSNE	TBD	Nuclear Engineering
J. Wallace	MSNE	TBD	Nuclear Engineering
A.J. Wagers	PhD	5/2012	Physics
K. Jeon	MS	8/2011	Mechanical Engineering
S. Bajaj	MS	5/2011	Mechanical Engineering

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D.E. Ames II	PhD	8/2010	Nuclear Engineering
J. Lapinskas	PhD	8/2010	Purdue Univ. – Nucl. Eng.
T.G. Lewis III	PhD	8/2010	Nuclear Engineering
A.S. Stafford	MSNE	8/2010	Nuclear Engineering
J. Webster	MSNE	82010	Purdue Univ. – Nucl. Eng.
A.B. Alajo (Deji)	Ph.D	5/2010	Nuclear Engineering
B. Barkley	MS	5/2010	Mechanical Engineering
J.S. Feener	MSNE	5/2010	Nuclear Engineering
M.S. Martin	MSNE	5/2010	Nuclear Engineering
M.T. Meyers	MSNE	5/2010	Nuclear Engineering
A. Aitkaliyeva	MSNE	8/2009	Nuclear Engineering
J.J. Carter	PhD	5/2009	Nuclear Engineering
M.L. Pritchard	MSNE	2008	Nuclear Engineering
J. Walter	PhD	2007	Purdue University - NUCL
A. Pollman	MSNE	2004	Purdue University - NUCL
C.T. Snyder	MS	2003	UIUC – Civil and Mat. Engr.

**Undergraduate Research Projects:**

NAME	SEM	PROJECT	TITLE	
N.J. Meli	S12	NUEN 485: Ind. Study (3 credit)	Uranium Alloy Metallurgy	
J.T. Clemens	S12	NUEN 485: Ind. Study (3 credit)	Radiolysis of Methane	
A. Faizullah	S12	NUEN 485: Ind. Study (3 credit)	Nuclear Fuel Reprocessing	
L.W. Merchant	F11	NUEN 485: Ind. Study (3 credit)	Zircaloy Cladding	
S.J. Smiley	F11	NUEN 485: Ind. Study (3 credit)	Nuclear Power Plant Systems	
D.R. Eichel	S11	NUEN 485: Ind. Study (2 credit)	Fuel Irradiation Experiments	
A. Rakhmzhanov	S11	NUEN 485: Ind. Study (1 credit)	Nuclear Reactor Accidents	
J. Borgmeyer	F10	NUEN 485: Ind. Study (1 credit)	Powder Coating Evaluations	
R. Miller	S10	NUEN 485: Ind. Study (1 credit)	BET Powder Analysis	
W.J. Sames	S10	Undergraduate Research Fellow	Uranium Powder Metallurgy (NUEN 485: 3 cred.)	
W.J. Sames	F09	Undergraduate Research Fellow	Uranium Powder Metallurgy (NUEN 485: 1 cred.)	
M.R. Greer	F09	NUEN 491: Undergr. Research	Thermal Diffusivity Measurement	
N.M. Lynn	S09	Undergraduate Research Scholar	High Conductivity UO <sub>2</sub> -BeO nuclear fuel	
W.D. Duncan	S09	NUEN 485: Ind. Study (3credit)	Neutron Activation of NanoBi Metal	
N.M. Lynn	S09	NUEN 485: Ind. Study (1credit)	Introduction to FRAPCON	
J.A. Hausaman	S08	NUEN 485: Ind. Study (1credit)	Thermochemical Property Measurements	
C. Ryan	S07	NUEN 485: Ind. Study (1credit)	Nuclear Fuel Performance Modeling	
C. Ryan	F06	NUEN 485: Ind. Study (3credit)	Materials Science for Nuclear Energy Applications	
K.A Wright	F06	NUEN 485: Ind. Study (3credit)	Materials Science for Nuclear Energy Applications	
Purdue University	A.J. Parkison	F06	Purdue SURF Internship	FCML Research Assistant
	C. Clark	S05	NUCL 120 – Fresh. Res. Project	Heavy Liquid Metal Coolants
	D. Rohan	S05	NUCL 120 – Fresh. Res. Project	Fuel Fabrication for the Gas Fast Reactor System
	A. Webster	S05	NUCL 120 – Fresh. Res. Project	Nucl. Eng. Appl. for Space Propulsion
	E.C. Howell	Su04	Purdue SURF Internship	DAQ for Nuclear Materials Experiments
	B. Haan	S04	NUCL 120 – Fresh. Res. Project	Fabrication Method for TRISO Fuel Particles
	J. Anglin	S04	NUCL 120 – Fresh. Res. Project	Corrosion of Zircaloy Cladding

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**D. Honors and Awards****S.M. McDevitt Awards**

- 2012 American Nuclear Society, Materials Science and Technology Division, “2010 Significant Contribution Award” for paper entitled “.
- 2010 Charles H. Barclay Jr. '45 Faculty Fellow from Texas A&M University College of Engineering.
- 2005 Purdue Research Foundation International Travel Grant for travel to 2005 International Congress on Advances in Nuclear Power Plants in Seoul, South Korea.
- 2004 American Nuclear Society, Materials Science and Technology Division, “2002 Significant Contribution Award” for research.
- 2003 “Outstanding Mentor Award” from 2002 U.S Department of Energy education programs.
- 2002 Argonne National Laboratory, “Critical Skills” Award.
- 1996 American Nuclear Society Literary Award (“Best Paper”) from the ANS Materials Science and Technology Division.
- 1995 Argonne National Laboratory Pacesetter Award.
- 1990-91 Purdue University, Magoon Teaching Award for graduate student teaching.
- 1987-88 Institute of Nuclear Power Operations (INPO) Graduate Fellowship in Nuclear Engineering, Purdue University.
- 1986-87 Institute of Nuclear Power Operations (INPO) Undergraduate Scholarship in Nuclear Engineering, Purdue University.

**Awards Received by S.M. McDevitt’s Students**

- 2012 William J. Sames, 2012 DOE Nuclear Energy University Programs Graduate Fellowship
- 2011 Carissa J. Humrickhouse, First Place Poster (Golden Neutron Award), 2011 Advanced Test Reactor National Scientific User Facility (ATR NSUF) User's Week
- 2011 Adam J. Parkison, First Place Paper – Nuclear Fuels, 2011 Innovations in Fuel Cycle Research Award
- 2011 William J. Sames, Undergraduate Prize, 2011 Innovations in Fuel Cycle Research Award
- 2011 William J. Sames, 2010 Level II National Excellence Fellowship
- 2010 Marie Arietta, 2010 Sandia National Laboratory Fellowship
- 2009 Braden Goddard, 2009 Roy G. Post Foundation Scholarship
- 2009 Braden Goddard, 2009 J.D. Institute of Nuclear Materials Management Williams Student Paper Award, First Place
- 2007 K.A. Wright, U.S. Department of Energy Advanced Fuel Cycle Initiative (AFCI) Fellowship (to Texas A&M).
- 2007 P.A. Mews, ANS Student Conference - Best Paper.
- 2006 A.R. Totemeier, 2006 Roy G. Post Scholarship (to Texas A&M).
- 2006 P.A. Mews, U.S. Department of Energy Advanced Fuel Cycle Initiative (AFCI) Fellowship (to Texas A&M).
- 2006 K.A. Prater, U.S. Department of Energy Office of Civilian and Radioactive Waste Management (OCRWM) Fellowship (to University of Michigan).
- 2004 J.J. Wegener, Institute of Nuclear Power Operations (INPO) Fellowship (to Purdue University).

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## E. Professional Service

### Professional Society Activities

The American Nuclear Society (ANS) – Active Member

1. Materials Science and Technology Division Executive Committee (2012 to present)
2. Materials Science and Technology Division Executive Committee: University Liaison (2007 to 2008)
3. Materials Science and Technology Division Executive Committee (2004 to 2007)
4. Materials Science and Technology Division Executive Committee (1999 to 2002)

The Minerals, Metals, and Materials Society (TMS) – Active Member

1. Member – Joint ASM/TMS Nuclear Materials Committee (2005 to 2008)
2. Vice Chair – Joint ASM/TMS Nuclear Materials Committee (2004 to 2005)
3. Secretary – Joint ASM/TMS Nuclear Materials Committee (2002 to 2004)
4. Member – Joint ASM/TMS Nuclear Materials Committee (1999 to 2006)
5. Chair – Reactive Metals Committee (2000 to 2003)
6. Member – Reactive Metals Committee (1996 to 2003)

Executive Committee of the Users Organization for the Advanced Test Reactor National Scientific User Facility (ATR NSUF) (2011-2012)

### Technical Symposia Organization

1. Technical Program Committee, “2010 LWR Fuel Performance Meeting/TopFuel/WRFPM”, September 26-29 (2010) Orlando, Florida, USA.
2. Session Organization Committee: “The 6<sup>th</sup> Pacific Rim International Conference on Advanced Materials and Processing (PRICM-6),” Jeju Island, Korea, November 6-9 (2007), Session #14: Energetic Particles: Materials Interactions and Nuclear Materials.
3. Technical Program Committee: “Global 2007: Advanced Nuclear Fuel Cycles and Systems,” Boise, ID, September 9-13 (2007).
4. Session Organizer: “Materials Issues for Advanced Nuclear Systems,” 134<sup>th</sup> TMS Annual Meeting, February 13-17, 2005, San Francisco, CA. (Co-Organizer).
5. Session Organizer: “Actinide Materials: Processing, Characterization, and Behavior,” 132<sup>nd</sup> TMS Annual Meeting, March 2-6, 2003, San Diego, CA. (Primary Organizer, 31 Papers).
6. Session Organizer: “Advances in Molten Salt Processing Technology,” 131<sup>st</sup> TMS Annual Meeting, February 17-21, 2002, Seattle, WA. (Sole Organizer, 13 Papers).
7. Session Organizer: “Reactive Metals,” 131<sup>st</sup> TMS Annual Meeting, February 17-21, 2002, Seattle, WA. (Sole Organizer, 5 Papers).

### Other Professional Activities and Service

1. Member of Project Independent Review panel for the U.S. Department of Energy project entitled “Overall Signature Work on Aqueous and Dry Processing” April 24, 2008
2. Texas A&M Department of Nuclear Engineering Representative to *Nuclear Power Engineering 2007* at the Indian Institute of Technology, Kanpur, India, July 13, 2007.
3. Texas A&M Department of Nuclear Engineering Representative at the U.S. Department of Energy’s “Academic Meeting on the Advanced Test Reactor Transitioning to a User Facility,” January 29, 2007, Hebron, Ky. (near Cincinnati, OH).
4. Proposal Reviewer for the U.S. Civilian Research & Development Foundation (CRDF) for the Independent States of the Former Soviet Union, 2006.

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5. Journal Reviewer, **Nuclear Engineering and Design**, 2006 to present.
6. Journal Reviewer, **Nuclear Technology**, 2003 to present.
7. Journal Reviewer, **Journal of Materials Engineering and Performance**, 2004.
8. Editorial Advisor to **JOM** (TMS publication) 2000 and 2003.
9. Proposal Reviewer, U.S. Department of Energy, Nuclear Engineering and Education Research (NEER) program, 2003.
10. Proposal Reviewer, U.S. Department of Energy, Small Business Innovative Research (SBIR) program, 1998 to present..
11. Co-chair of the Nuclear Materials Subgroup of the Argonne Materials Coordinating Committee (AMCC), 2001 to 2003.
12. Member of the Advisory Committee to the School of Nuclear Engineering, Purdue University, 1999 and 2002.

### **Texas A&M University Service**

1. College of Engineering ad hoc committee to consider the formation of a Department of Materials Science & Engineering May 2012 to present
2. College of Engineering Strategic Plan Research Subcommittee Feb. 2012 to May 2012
3. NUEN Department Head Search Committee Jan. 2012 to present
4. NUEN Safety Committee Spring 2011 to present
5. NUEN Faculty Search Committees (including NSI positions) Fall 2009 to present
6. NUEN: Space & Facilities Committee (Chair 2009 to present) Jan. 2008 to present
7. TEES: Reactor Safety Board Sept. 2007 to present
8. NUEN: PhD Qualifying Exam Committee (Nuclear Materials) Jan. 2008 to present
9. NUEN: PhD Qualifying Exam Committees (Reactor Engineering) Jan. 2007 to present
10. NUEN: PhD Qualifying Exam Committee (Reactor Theory) Jan. 2007 to present
11. NUEN: PhD Qualifying Exam Committee (Interactions) Jan. 2007 to present
12. NUEN: PhD Curriculum Committee Jan. 2008 to 2009
13. NUEN: Graduate Affairs Committee Jan. 2008 to 2009
14. NUEN High School Recruiting Visit: Alamo Heights High School Dec. 7, 2007
15. NUEN: Laboratory Management Committee, Chair Jan. 2007 to Dec. 2008
16. NUEN: PhD Qualifying Exam Committee (Applied Health Physics) Jan. 2007
17. NUEN: Ad hoc Committee to review PhD Qualifying Oral Exam Dec. 2006 to Jan. 2007

### **Purdue University Service**

1. Purdue University: Faculty Senate June 2004 to Aug. 2006
2. Purdue University: Resource Policy Committee June 2004 to Aug. 2006
3. Purdue University: Military Programs Committee May 2005 to Aug. 2006
4. Purdue University: Committee on Reactor Operations July 2003 to Aug. 2006
5. Purdue University: Radiation Safety Committee Sept. 2003 to Aug. 2006
6. College of Engineering: K-12 Eng. and Outreach Task Force 2005 to Aug. 2006
7. College of Engineering: Eng. Recruitment Plan Committee 2005 to Aug. 2006
8. College of Engineering: Awards Committee 2004 to Aug. 2006
9. Freshman Engineering Curriculum Committee 2003 to 2004
10. Nuclear Engineering: Undergraduate Committee Sept. 2003 to Aug. 2006
11. Nuclear Engineering: Graduate Committee Sept. 2003 to Aug. 2006
12. Nuclear Engineering: Chair, Safety Committee Sept. 2005 to Aug. 2006
13. Nuclear Engineering: Safety Committee Sept. 2003 to 2005

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## F. Research Grants and Contracts

### Research Grants at Academic Institutions (Texas A&M University since Aug. 2006)

Grant Title	Dates	Sponsor	Funding to S. McDeavitt	Total Funding
Prototype Demonstration of Gamma-Blind Tensioned Metastable Fluid Neutron / Multiplicity/Alpha Detector-Real Time Methods for Advanced Fuel Cycle Applications	<i>Est. 10/2012 to 9/2015 (in negotiation)</i>	US Department of Energy – Nuclear Energy University Programs	~\$250,000 (Lead PI)	\$875,000
Advanced Metallic Nuclear Fuels: Design and Development: (addendum)	Extended to 12/31/ 2014	TerraPower, Intellectual Ventures, LLC	\$1,040,874	\$1,040,874
RERTR Fuel Development: Particle Coatings & Thermal Properties (addendum)	Extended to May 22, 2013	Idaho National Laboratory	\$110,000	\$110,000
Fuel Aging in Storage and Transportation (FAST): Accelerated Characterization and Performance Assessment of the Used Nuclear Fuel Storage System	12/15/2011-12/14/2015	US Department of Energy – Nuclear Energy University Programs Integrated Research Project	~\$650,000 (Lead PI)	\$4,500,000
Fuel Manufacturing Development for an Advanced Composite Nuclear Fuel (addendum)	Extended to 9/30/2014	Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory	\$157,500	\$157,500
TAMU/LLNL Partnership	10/1/2012 to 9/30/2014	Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory	\$157,500 (1 of 18 Co-PIs)	\$2,448,000
High Thermal Conductivity Oxide Nuclear Fuels: Concept Design and Preparation for Irradiation Testing	4/1/2011-3/31/2013	IBC Advanced Alloys Corp.	~\$172,000	\$342,524
Fuel Manufacturing Development for an Advanced Composite Nuclear Fuel	1/1/2011-12/30/2011	Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory	\$100,000	\$100,000
Advanced Metallic Nuclear Fuels: Design and Development	6/1/2010-6/30/2013	TerraPower, Intellectual Ventures, LLC	\$1,419,896	\$1,419,896
Irradiation Behavior and Performance of a Uranium-Zirconium Metal Alloy Fuel	Start Date Jul. 1, 2010	Department of Energy Advanced Test Reactor National Scientific User Facility	~\$50,000 over course of expt.	~\$50,000 w/ irradi. and PIE services
RERTR Fuel Development: Particle Coatings & Thermal Properties	Jun. 2010 to Dec. 2011	Idaho National Laboratory	\$109,879	\$109,879
Zirconium Recovery from Spent Cladding Using an Iodide Volatility Process	Jan. to Sept. 2010	Lockheed Martin, Inc. - Oak Ridge National Lab	\$20,000	\$20,000
Fuel Performance Experiments and Modeling: Fission Gas Bubble Nucleation and Growth in Alloy Nuclear Fuels	Oct. 2009 to Sept. 2012	US Department of Energy – Nuclear Energy University Programs	\$708,659 (Lead PI)	\$1,476,231
High Conductivity Fuel Research	Sept. 2008 to Aug. 2010	IBC Advanced Alloys (Subcontract from Purdue University)	\$325,000	\$325,000

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Fuel Development Support: U/Mo Fuel Development for the Global Threat Reduction Initiative	Aug. 2008 to Aug. 2009	Idaho National Engineering & Environmental Laboratory	\$28,233 (Co-PI)	\$56,466
A Framework for Developing Novel Detection Systems Focused on Interdicting Shielded HEU	Sept. 2008 to Aug. 2009	US Department of Homeland Security	~\$25,000 (Co-PI)	\$1,500,000
NERI Consortium for Real-Time Detection of Actinide Compositions in the UREX+ Process	Oct. 2007 to Sept. 2011	US Department of Energy – Nuclear Energy Research Initiative for Consortia (NERI-C)	~\$375,000 (Consortium Lead PI)	\$1,885,498
Fuel Cycle and Materials Laboratory Capability Upgrade: Thermophysical Property Analyses for Advanced Fuels	Aug. 2007 to Aug. 2008	US Department of Energy – GNEP Readiness	\$100,000	\$100,000
Safety Curriculum Development to Facilitate Nuclear Energy in the 21st Century	July 2007 to June 2008	US Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC)	~\$12,000 (Co-PI)	\$200,000
Powder Metallurgy of Uranium Alloy Fuels for TRU-Burning Fast Reactors	April 2007 to March 2010	US Department of Energy – Nuclear Energy Research Initiative (NERI)	\$414,550	\$414,550

#### Research Grants at Academic Institutions (continued)

	Grant Title	Dates	Sponsor	Funding to S. McDeavitt	Total Funding
Purdue University	Engineered Materials for Cesium and Strontium Storage <i>(sub. ~\$219,300 to TAMU after 7/2006)</i>	April 2006 to Dec. 2009	US Department of Energy – Nuclear Energy Research Initiative (NERI)	\$254,000	\$254,000
	Development of an engineered product storage concept for the UREX+1 combined transuranic / lanthanide product streams <i>(sub. ~\$287,364 to TAMU after 7/2006)</i>	April 2005 to March 2009	US Department of Energy – Nuclear Energy Research Initiative (NERI)	\$525,000 (Lead PI)	\$900,000
	Advanced Nuclear Fuel Fabrication and Testing	April 2005 to May 2006	Bechtel Energy Alliance LLC/DOE	\$80,725	\$80,725
	Ceramic-Liquid Metal Interactions at Elevated Temperatures: Developing Ti, Zr, and Hf Alloys for High Temperature Joining	July 2005 to June 2006	Purdue Research Foundation	\$14,912	\$14,912
	Purdue Research Foundation International Travel Grant: 2005 International Congress on Advances in Nuclear Power Plants in Seoul, South Korea	May 2005	Purdue Research Foundation	\$1,000	\$1,000
	University Reactor Instrumentation	June 2005 to May 2006	US Department of Energy	\$11,400	\$11,400
	Year 4 Reactor Sharing	June 2005 to May 2006	US Department of Energy	\$9,700	\$9,700
	Year 3 Reactor Sharing	June 2004 to May 2005	US Department of Energy	\$10,000	\$10,000
	Creep of Irradiated Zircaloy	Sept. 2004 to Aug. 2005	Argonne National Laboratory	\$13,277	\$13,277

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**Peer-Reviewed Grants at Argonne National Laboratory (Beyond Program Funding)**

Grant Title	Dates	Sponsor
Development of Structural Materials to Enable the Electrochemical Reduction of Spent Oxide Nuclear Fuel in a Molten Salt Electrolyte <i>(Collaborating Nation: South Korea)</i>	2003 to 2005 (original PI)	US Department of Energy – 2003 International Nuclear Energy Research Initiative (I-NERI)
Integrated Nuclear and Hydrogen-Based Energy Supply/Carrier System	2001 to 2003 (co-PI: 02-03)	US Department of Energy – 2000 Nuclear Energy Research Initiative (NERI)
Fuel for a Once-Through Cycle – (Th,U)O <sub>2</sub> in a Metal Matrix	2000 to 2003 (Lead PI)	US Department of Energy – 1999 Nuclear Energy Research Initiative (NERI)
Evaluation of TRU-Bearing Disposal Alloys	1994 to 1997 (Co-PI)	Argonne National Laboratory LDRD Program

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