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BOSTON PARK PLAZA BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS configuration of NiO-YSZ(support)|YSZ(electrolyte)|Anode. Although perovskite oxides are considered as promising candidates for Ni-based cermet cathode, the lack of highly stable and active cathodes still limit the development of SOECs. This report focuses on our group's research advances in recent years from several aspects, such as materials characteristics, cathode activation process, cathode construction strategies. We hope our efforts in this field are beneficial to the advancement of SOECs.

The relationship between properties of perovskite oxide and  $CO_2$  electroreduction performance was investigated. We found the strength of metal-oxygen bond decides their phase stability under cathode polarization, and further influences performance. In addition, the performance of LaFeO<sub>3</sub> is enhanced due to the improvement in oxygen desorption and  $CO_2$  adsorption abilities, increase of oxygen vacancy and the electron density of Fe site, but too much alkaline earth elements will lead to carbonate formation and degrade their activity and stability. Fe-based perovskite cathodes were activated via surface reconstruction with more generated oxygen vacancies and Fe nanoparticles. The electro-exsolved Fe nanoparticles are the major active site and tridentate carbonate species are considered as the transition species for  $CO_2$  electroreduction. Therefore, the expected cathode should own a stable skeleton with strong metal-oxygen bond, active surface with metal nanoparticles and be free of carbonate formation. Metal nanoparticles were formed under cathode polarization.

Based on the design idea, novel 1/3 A-site deficient perovskite cathodes  $La_{0.66}Ti_{1-x}Fe_xO_{3.6}$  (x=0.2, 0.3 and 0.4; LTF2, LTF3, LTF4) without doping alkaline earth elements were synthesized and tested. These cathodes show superior electrochemical performance with a low polarization resistance of 0.16 W cm<sup>2</sup> at 1.4 V and 800 °C for CO<sub>2</sub> electroreduction. LTF2 exhibits stable electrochemical performance over 300 h with the current density keeping above 0.5 A cm<sup>-2</sup> and Faradaic efficiency close to 100%. Surface reconstruction with the electrochemically exsolved iron nanoparticles under applied voltages was observed, and it shows high activity towards the CO<sub>2</sub> electroreduction.

Further, an alkaline earth elements free garnet oxide  $(Gd_3Fe_5O_{12})$  was developed for CO<sub>2</sub> electroreduction, which can be converted into perovskite oxide and iron nano particles via *in situ* electrochemical phase transition during CO<sub>2</sub> electroreduction, resulting in high activity with Faradaic efficiency close to 100% and great stability over 1000 h galvanostatic test. A variety of experimental characterizations and density functional theory calculations indicate *in situ* exsolved Fe clusters effectively enhance the adsorption energies of intermediates and lowering the CO<sub>2</sub> dissociation barriers. Microkinetic modelling confirms that CO<sub>2</sub>RR goes through a dissociative adsorption mechanism and the electronic transfer for CO<sub>2</sub> dissociation is the rate-determining step.

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Engineering the Surface of Ceria for CO<sub>2</sub> Reduction in High Temperature Solid Oxide Electrolysis Cells (SOECs) <u>Elena Marzia Sala<sup>1</sup></u>, Nicola Mazzanti<sup>1</sup>, Francesco M. Chiabrera<sup>1</sup>, Simone Sanna<sup>2</sup>, Mogens Mogensen<sup>1</sup>, Peter V. Hendriksen<sup>1</sup> and Christodoulos Chatzichristodoulou<sup>1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>Danmarks Tekniske Universitet, Denmark; <sup>2</sup>Universita degli Studi di Roma Tor Vergata, Italy

The electrochemical reduction of CO<sub>2</sub> in Solid Oxide Electrolysis Cells (SOECs) has the potential to alter the landscape of the chemical industry by conversion and storage of renewable energy in the form of hydrocarbons, gradually phasing out the production of chemicals from fossil sources. One of the biggest challenges associated with the large-scale commercialization of SOECs lies in improving the lifetime of the fuel electrode. The state-of-the-art Ni-YSZ composite cathode employed in SOECs nowadays suffers from various degradation mechanisms under operating conditions, such as carbon deposition, poisoning of the electrode surface by impurities present in the gas feed stream and Ni agglomeration/depletion from the electrode/electrolyte interface region<sup>1</sup>. All these challenges can be alleviated with the introduction of doped ceria (CeO<sub>2</sub>) as component of the fuel electrode. Ceria surfaces are less prone to carbon deposition, and more tolerant to impurities. Furthermore, the mixed ionic electronic conducting (MIEC) nature of ceria, under the reducing conditions of the cathode, extends the electrochemical reaction zone from the typical three-phase boundary (3PB), where YSZ, Ni, and gas phase meet, to a two-phase boundary (2PB) between ceria surface and the gas phase.

Recent research efforts highlight the promising perspective of ceria as single-phase technological fuel electrode<sup>2</sup>. Accelerating this effort entails the optimization of the intrinsic electrocatalytic activity of ceria for  $CO_2$  reduction, through the in-depth atomistic understanding of the underlying reaction mechanism and a systematic study of the levers that can modify the properties of ceria surfaces, by means of model systems with well-defined geometry, composition and surface area.

This work will offer an overview of our efforts investigating how the engineering of ceria surfaces influences its electrocatalytic activity towards  $CO_2$  reduction. Two of the major strategies to tailor the properties of ceria surface consist of promoting a specific surface orientation and incorporating different type and amount of dopants in its fluorite structure. The presence of dopants at the surface and the surface termination have been shown to strongly influence the energy of oxygen vacancy formation and the reducibility of ceria, and to affect the reaction pathway through different types of reaction intermediates forming at the ceria/gas interface<sup>3</sup>. Dense thin film model electrodes of pure and doped ceria with well-defined surface orientation were produced by pulsed laser deposition and characterized under conditions relevant for SOECs by electrochemical impedance spectroscopy. Our work strives to reveal the role that these two levers play in the electrocatalytic activity of ceria and to unravel the energy landscape of the  $CO_2$  reduction mechanism.

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# 4:15 PM EF17.06

Perovskite-Like  $Pr(A)MnO_3$  (A = Ca, Sr) as Anode Materials for Solid Oxide Fuel-Assisted Electrolysis Cells <u>Aleksey Yaremchenko<sup>1</sup></u>, Dziyana Boiba<sup>1</sup>, Mikhail Patrakeev<sup>2</sup>, Aleksey Lisenkov<sup>1</sup>, Aleksandr Bamburov<sup>1</sup> and Blanca I. Arias-Serrano<sup>1,3</sup>; <sup>1</sup>University of Aveiro, Portugal; <sup>2</sup>Institute of Solid State Chemistry UB RAS, Russian Federation; <sup>3</sup>Leibniz Institute for Plasma Science and Technology, Germany

Long-term degradation remains the main issue for the viability of solid oxide electrolysis cell (SOEC) technology as a practical hydrogen production system. One of the main specific degradation mechanisms in SOECs relates to the delamination phenomena at or near the electrolyte/anode interface. The principle of so-called fuel-assisted electrolysis is to supply the carbon-containing species which can react with oxygen at the anode side thus bringing down the oxygen chemical potential at the electrolyte/anode interface and improving its stability. The present work is aimed at the characterization of PrMnO<sub>3</sub>-based perovskites for potential application as anodes in solid oxide fuel-assisted electrolysis cells.

 $Pr_{0.60-x}A_{0.40}MnO_{3\pm\delta}$  (A = Sr, Ca; x = 0 and 0.05) were synthesized by glycine-nitrate combustion technique. The characterization included XRD, SEM/EDS, XPS, dilatometry and thermogravimetry, measurements of electrical properties and oxygen permeability, and determination of oxygen nonstoichiometry. XRD analysis confirmed the formation of solid solutions with orthorhombic perovskite structure. The oxides exhibit negligible variations of oxygen content under oxidizing conditions while reducing  $p(O_2)$  below  $10^{-4}$  atm results in oxygen losses from the lattice and reduction of Mn cations. XPS results

suggest that praseodymium remains in a 3+ oxidation state in the bulk of ceramics but may adopt a mixed 3+/4+ oxidation state at the surface. The lowp(O<sub>2</sub>) stability boundary of the perovskite phase at 800°C corresponds to  $\sim 10^{-17}-10^{-16}$  atm; the stability domain is wider for Ca-substituted compositions and narrows with the introduction of A-site vacancies. Dilatometric studies confirmed good thermomechanical compatibility with common solid electrolytes under oxidizing conditions; however, reduction at operation temperatures (800°C) leads to undesirable chemical expansion. The electrical conductivity of  $P_{0.60-x}A_{0.40}MnO_{3\pm\delta}$  ceramics is *p*-type electronic and decreases with reducing p(O<sub>2</sub>) but still exceeds 40-50 S/cm under anticipated oxygen electrode operation conditions. The electrochemical activity of  $P_{0.6-x}A_{0.4}MnO_{3\pm\delta}$  electrodes was evaluated in contact with yttria-stabilized zirconia solid electrolyte as a function of relevant parameters (fabrication conditions, with and without buffer layers, with modifications via infiltration of praseodymia and/or doped ceria). The best performance was obtained for the cells with  $P_{0.55}A_{0.40}MnO_{3\pm\delta}$  electrodes (gadolinia-doped ceria buffer layers,  $PrO_y$  load of ~ 33 wt.%) that showed anodic overpotential of around 50 mV under 500 mA/cm<sup>2</sup> at 800°C in air.

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Rapid Assessment and Optimization of Electrodes for Solid Oxide Fuel Cells and Electrolyzers Using Long-Term Performance Modeling and Machine Learning William K. Epting<sup>1,2</sup>, Yinkai Lei<sup>1,2</sup>, Jerry H. Mason<sup>1,2</sup>, Thomas Kalapos<sup>1,2</sup>, Gregory Hackett<sup>1</sup> and Harry W. Abernathy<sup>1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>National Energy Technology Laboratory, United States; <sup>2</sup>NETL Support Contractor, United States

A major impediment to the widespread commercialization of solid oxide cells (SOCs) for fuel cell and electrolysis usage is the long-term degradation in performance, much of which is driven by the complex 3D microstructure of the electrodes. The 3-phase electrode microstructures are highly heterogeneous, with variations occurring on length scales 2-3 orders of magnitude greater than the characteristic feature size, complicating many efforts to both characterize and model them. Previous works have found that electrode areas on the order of (100  $\mu$ m)<sup>2</sup> must be collected to adequately measure the important microstructural parameters that dictate long-term performance [1] – volumes that call for esoteric and time-consuming techniques like Xe-plasma FIB-SEM tomography. The system is also of high dimensionality – even the somewhat simplified description employed in our approach [2] requires 11 independent initial parameters to specify an electrode's microstructure.

In this work, we present a comprehensive framework and toolset for rapid assessment and optimization of SOC electrode microstructures, accommodating both fuel cell and electrolysis operation. A machine learning model was trained on a bank of simulations of lifetime performance over 1,000 hours for hundreds of thousands of unique SOC electrode configurations, in fuel cell and electrolysis operation. The trained model can perform rapid prediction of lifetime cell performance. It can also produce tailored recommendations for improvement of these electrodes using SHAP analysis [3]. This approach has produced general recommendations as well – for example, that the LSM/YSZ or Ni/YSZ ratio is the most impactful parameter on long-term performance, with lower values tending to yield better performance.

To increase the utility of this trained model to cell developers, we have also developed a convolutional neural network (CNN) model that is able to predict microstructural properties from microstructural data with resolutions far coarser than the characteristic feature size. The predicted microstructural properties can then be used with the model described above to generate predictions of lifetime performance and tailored improvement recommendations, with coarse data generated with widely accessible and quick techniques such as microscale X-ray computed tomography. This allows cell developers and other stakeholders to evaluate their cells rapidly, either during development or as a form of quality control, using more widely accessible and rapid techniques such as microscale X-ray computed tomography.

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#### 4:45 PM EF17.09

Designing REBa<sub>0.5</sub>Sr<sub>0.5</sub>CoCuO<sub>5+6</sub> (RE: Selected Lanthanides, Y) Perovskites for the Anode-Supported Solid Oxide Fuel Cells <u>Piotr Winiarz</u><sup>1</sup>, Keyun Li<sup>1</sup>, Kun Zheng<sup>1</sup>, Muhammet E. Alagöz<sup>2</sup>, Anna Niemczyk<sup>3</sup>, Ryszard Kluczowski<sup>4</sup>, Yevgeniy Naumovich<sup>3</sup> and Konrad Swierczek<sup>1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>Akademia Gorniczo-Hutnicza imienia Stanisława Staszica w Krakowie Wydział Energetyki i Paliw, Poland; <sup>2</sup>Middle East Technicał University, Turkey; <sup>3</sup>Center for Hydrogen Technologies, Poland; <sup>4</sup>Institute of Power Engineering, Poland

Cobaltite-based double perovskite REBaCo<sub>2-x</sub> $M_xO_{5+\delta}$  (M:selected 3d elements) oxides are known for their high electrocatalytic activity and mixed ionicelectronic conductivity. These materials have been successfully applied to construct air electrodes in Solid Oxide Fuel Cells (SOFCs), replacing commonly used La<sub>1-x</sub>Sr<sub>x</sub>Co<sub>1-y</sub>Fe<sub>y</sub>O<sub>3-\delta</sub> simple perovskites. The dopant M in REBaCo<sub>2-x</sub> $M_xO_{5+\delta}$  is usually Fe, Mn, or Ni, while substitution with Cu has not been yet studied in much detail for different RE cations and a wide concentration range. At the same time, it has been documented that partial replacement of Ba with Sr is possible, and the A-site layered double perovskite structure may be maintained even if Ba:Sr ratio is 1:1.

In this work, a comprehensive evaluation of the selected REBa<sub>0.5</sub>Sr<sub>0.5</sub>CoCuO<sub>5+ $\delta</sub>$  (RBSCCO) oxides is given, focusing on their phase composition and crystal structure, thermal expansion, oxygen content, chemical stability, and electrical conductivity. X-ray diffraction (XRD) was performed at room and high temperatures, with Rietveld analysis of the data. Apart from the XRD-derived unit cell expansion on temperature, dilatometry experiments were also conducted. The total oxygen content and its temperature change was evaluated on the basis of iodometric titration combined with thermogravimetric measurements. DC-4W electrical conductivity studies were performed in the air between RT and 900°C. Additionally, ab initio calculations were also done to investigate the energy of defects formation, using VASP and Medea software. General trends could be observed in the series, with smaller RE resulting in the decreased unit cell size, but also lowered oxygen content in the materials. Also, the formation of the layered structure was found to be hindered for larger RE cations, however, preparation of the expectations, doping with Cu enabled to decrease the thermal expansion, in comparison to Co-based reference samples. Overall, the results suggest that materials with RE = Pr, Nd, Sm, and Gd are the most interesting regarding the application in SOFCs. The chemical reactivity studies were conducted on the selected samples using the X-ray diffraction method. The investigated powders of RBSCCO materials were mixed together in a weight ratio of 1:1 with La<sub>0.8</sub>Sr<sub>0.2</sub>Ga<sub>0.8</sub>Mg<sub>0.2</sub>O<sub>3.6</sub> (LSGM) or Ce<sub>0.9</sub>Gd<sub>0.1</sub>O<sub>2.6</sub> (GDC10) electrolytes. After annealing at 900°C for 2 h in air, some additional peaks could be noticed in the RBSCCO:LSGM sample, indicating unwanted reactivity. However, good stability was observed in relation to GDC10, which was selected as a buffer layer in the further electrochemical studies.</sub>

Initial evaluation of the selected REBa<sub>0.5</sub>Sr<sub>0.5</sub>CoCuO<sub>5+δ</sub> electrodes was performed on symmetrical cells consisting of 0.6 mm LSGM electrolyte pellet and GDC10 buffer layers screen-printed on both sides, sintered respectively at 1450°C for 8 h, and at 1350°C for 2 h. For the cathode slurries, fine powders of RBSCCO precursors were prepared by the sol-gel method and initially annealed in air at 900°C for 2 h, and then at 1000°C for 12 h. The screen-printed REBa<sub>0.5</sub>Sr<sub>0.5</sub>CoCuO<sub>5+δ</sub> electrodes were sintered at 850 °C for 2 h in air. In general, the polarization resistances for the selected RBSCCO electrodes were found to be small, with the best values on the order of 0.02  $\Omega$ •cm<sup>2</sup> at 850°C, and 0.5  $\Omega$ •cm<sup>2</sup> at 600°C. This suggests possible application for SOFCs operating in the 600-800 °C range. Long-term stability tests were also conducted, e.g. for 120 h at 700°C, in which no significant increase of the polarization resistance was noticed. Finally, commercial-type anode-supported fuel cells based on the Ni-YSZ|YSZ support and the added GDC10 buffer were used with the RBSCCO cathodes. Notably, for the GdBa<sub>0.5</sub>Sr<sub>0.5</sub>CoCuO<sub>5+δ</sub> electrode, the obtained power density at 625°C was measured to exceed 300

# **SYMPOSIUM DT**

Defects and Transport Mechanisms in Solid Electrolytes and Mixed Conductors July 18 - July 22, 2022

Symposium Organizers George Harrington, Kyushu University / MIT Rotraut Merkle, Max Planck Institute for Solid State Research Alexander Opitz, Technische Universität Wien

# SYMPOSIUM EF

Energy and Fuels Conversion July 18 - July 22, 2022

<u>Symposium Organizers</u> Sean Bishop, Sandia National Laboratories Georgios Dimitrakopoulos, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

\* Invited Paper

SESSION EF16: Proton Conducting Fuel Cells II Session Chairs: Dong Ding and Jose M. Serra Thursday Afternoon, July 21, 2022 Lobby Level, Avenue 34, Studio 2

# 2:00 PM EF16.01

Composite Effects on PCFC Cathodes Investigated by Utilizing Patterned Thin-Film Model Electrodes Zhuo Diao, Katsuya Nishidate, Takaaki Imaizumi, Yuta Kimura, Takashi Nakamura, Keiji Yashiro, Tatsuya Kawada and Koji Amezawa; Tohoku Daigaku, Japan

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Fabrication of High Performance Tubular Protonic Ceramic Fuel Cells <u>Youdong Kim</u>, Charlie Meisel, Carolina Herradon, Jake Huang, Neal Sullivan and Ryan O'Hayre; Colorado School of Mines, United States

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**3D** Printing of Electrodes for Proton Ceramic Electrochemical Cells— Recent Developments and Challenges <u>Sebastian Wachowski</u><sup>1</sup>, Malgorzata Nadolska<sup>1</sup>, Mateusz Cieslik<sup>1</sup>, Joanna Pospiech<sup>1</sup>, Marek Chmielewski<sup>1</sup>, Tomasz Sobczyk<sup>1</sup>, Aleksandra Mielewczyk-Gryn<sup>1</sup>, Maria Gazda<sup>1</sup>, Jose M. Serra<sup>2</sup>, Einar Vollestad<sup>3</sup> and Ragnar Strandbakke<sup>4</sup>; <sup>1</sup>Politechnika Gdanska, Poland; <sup>2</sup>Instituto de Tecnologia Quimica, Spain; <sup>3</sup>SINTEF Industry, Norway; <sup>4</sup>Universitetet i Oslo, Norway

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Revitalizing Performance and Expanding Lifetime of Protonic Ceramic Cells by Interfacial Acid Etch Wenjuan Bian<sup>1</sup>, <u>Wei Wu<sup>1</sup></u>, Meng Zhou<sup>2</sup>, Congrui Jin<sup>3</sup>, Hanping Ding<sup>1</sup>, Yanhao Dong<sup>4</sup>, Ju Li<sup>4</sup> and Dong Ding<sup>1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>Idaho National Laboratory Research Library, United States; <sup>2</sup>New Mexico State University Board of Regents, United States; <sup>3</sup>University of Nebraska, Lincoln, United States; <sup>4</sup>Massachusetts Institute of Technology, United States

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SESSION EF17: Oxygen-Ion Conducting Electrolysis Cells II Session Chairs: Georgios Dimitrakopoulos and Anne Hauch Thursday Afternoon, July 21, 2022 Lobby Level, Avenue 34, Studio 1

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Emergent Nanomaterials for CO2 Electrochemical Conversion John T. Irvine; University of St Andrews, United Kingdom

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SESSION DT25: Mixed Conductors II Session Chair: James LeBeau Thursday Afternoon, July 21, 2022 Mezzanine Level, Second Floor, Georgian

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*In Situ* Raman Spectroscopy—Novel Approaches to Study Oxygen Defect Dynamics in Mixed Conducting Oxides Alexander Stangl<sup>1</sup>, Adeel Riaz<sup>1</sup>, Odette Chaix-Pluchery<sup>1</sup>, Dolors Pla<sup>1</sup>, Caroline Pirovano<sup>2</sup>, Stefano Ambrosio<sup>1</sup>, Federico Baiutti<sup>3</sup>, Albert Tarancón<sup>3</sup>, Carmen Jimenez<sup>1</sup>, Michel Mermoux<sup>4</sup> and <u>Monica Burriel<sup>1</sup></u>; <sup>1</sup>Laboratoire des Materiaux et du Genie Physique, France; <sup>2</sup>Universite de Lille, France; <sup>3</sup>Institut de Recerca en Energia de Catalunya, Spain; <sup>4</sup>Laboratoire d'Electrochimie et de Physicochimie des Materiaux et des Interfaces, France

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Selected Examples of High-Throughput Experimental Studies in Solid State Ionics and Solid State Electrochemistry <u>Sossina Haile</u>; Northwestern University, United States

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Simultaneous Electrical Impedance and Optical Absorption Measurements for Rapid Characterization of Defect and Transport Properties of Praseodymium Substituted Ceria Dmitri Kalaev and <u>Harry</u> <u>Tuller</u>; Massachusetts Institute of Technology, United States

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Peculiarities of Ionic Conductivity Mechanisms in Bi<sub>1-x</sub>Pr<sub>x</sub>O<sub>1.5</sub> Rhombohedral System Jan Jamroz<sup>1</sup>, Wojciech Wrobel<sup>1</sup>, Marcin Krynski<sup>1</sup>, Marcin Malys<sup>1</sup>, Isaac Abrahams<sup>2</sup> and Franciszek Krok<sup>1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>Politechnika Warszawska, Poland; <sup>2</sup>Queen Mary University of London, United Kingdom

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Novel Model-Building Tools for the Development of Near-Surface Mixed Ionic-Electronic Conducting Emulator Models for High-Temperature CO<sub>2</sub> Electrolysis Cells <u>Alejandro Mejia<sup>1,2</sup></u> and David S. Mebane<sup>1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>West Virginia University, United States; <sup>2</sup>Idaho National Laboratory, United States

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Perspectives of Hydrogen and Syngas Production Using High Temperature Electrolyzers <u>Olga A. Marina</u>, Kerry Meinhardt, Dan Edwards and Jie Bao; Pacific Northwest National Laboratory, United States

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Solid Oxide Electrolysis Cells for CO<sub>2</sub> Electroreduction <u>Weishen Yang;</u> Chinese Academy of Sciences, China

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# 5:00 PM EF17.10

Phase-Field Modeling of Crack Growth and Mitigation in Solid Oxide Cells <u>Fei Xue<sup>1,2</sup></u>, Yinkai K. Lei<sup>1,2</sup>, Tian-Le Cheng<sup>1,2</sup>, William K. Epting<sup>1,2</sup>, Gregory Hackett<sup>1</sup>, Harry W. Abernathy<sup>1</sup> and You-Hai Wen<sup>1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>National Energy Technology Laboratory, United States; <sup>2</sup>NETL Support Contractor, United States

#### 5:15 PM EF17.11

Ionic Conductivity of LaO<sub>x</sub>F<sub>3-2x</sub> Based Compounds in Air and H2 <u>Yatir</u> <u>Sadia<sup>1,2</sup></u>, Inna Shusterman<sup>2</sup> and Brian Rosen<sup>3</sup>; <sup>1</sup>Ben Gurion University of the Negev, Israel; <sup>2</sup>Nuclear Research Center of the Negev, Israel; <sup>3</sup>Tel Aviv University, Israel

# 5:30 PM EF17.12

A Highly Robust and Reactive Metal-Oxide Nanocomposite Electrocatalyst for Facile Oxygen Reduction Reaction in Solid Oxide Fuel Cell Cathode <u>SungHyun Jeon<sup>1</sup></u>, Jongsu Seo<sup>1</sup>, Jeonwoo Shin<sup>2</sup>, Sung Je Lee<sup>2</sup>, Han Gil Seo<sup>1,3</sup>, Siwon Lee<sup>1,4</sup>, Jinwook Kim<sup>1</sup>, Nikolai Tsvetkov<sup>1</sup>, Jihwan An<sup>2</sup> and WooChul Jung<sup>1</sup>; <sup>1</sup>Korea Advanced Institute of Science and Technology, Korea (the Republic of); <sup>2</sup>Seoul National University of Science and Technology, Korea (the Republic of); <sup>3</sup>Massachusetts Institute of Technology, United States; <sup>4</sup>University of Pennsylvania, United States

# **SYMPOSIUM EI**

Electrochemical Interfaces July 18 - July 22, 2022

<u>Symposium Organizers</u> Koji Amezawa, Tohoku University WooChul Jung, Korea Advanced Institute of Science and Technology Jonathan Polfus, University of Oslo

\* Invited Paper

SESSION EI12: Solid-State Batteries II Session Chairs: Taro Hitosugi and Jongwoo Lim Thursday Afternoon, July 21, 2022 Mezzanine Level, Second Floor, Berkeley/Clarendon

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Electron and Ion Transfer at Solid-Solid Interface—DFT-Based Electrochemistry with Explicit Interface Model Yoshitaka Tateyama; National Institute for Materials Science, Japan

# 2:20 PM EI12.03

*In Operando* Characterization of Interface Between Al doped Lir<sub>La3</sub>Zr<sub>2</sub>O<sub>12</sub> Garnet Sold Electrolyte and LiN<sub>0.6</sub>Mn<sub>0.2</sub>Co<sub>0.2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> Cathode by Soft X-Ray Absorption Spectroscopy <u>Younggyu Kim</u> and Bilge Yildiz; Massachusetts Institute of Technology, United States

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