

Energetic Materials/Insensitive Munitions Joint MURI Review
11-13 July 2006
The Officers Club
Aberdeen Proving Ground, MD

***Please note:** We are incorporating breakout sessions within the review format, to promote an informal exchange of ideas between MURI investigators and Army researchers, and a workmanlike approach to problem solving. The breakout schedule is extremely flexible, so you may be asked to participate, or you may ask to participate in a session.*

Tuesday - 11 July 2006

8:00 Bob Shaw, Army Research Office

Introduction

8:50 David Ceperley University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign

Quantum Simulations of Materials Under Extreme Conditions

Breakout Session – Don Thompson, Univ. of Missouri (session leader – Rice)

9:40 Rod Bartlett, University of Florida

Ab-Initio Predictions of PES for Chemical Reactions

Breakout Session – Ceperley, UIUC (session leader- Mattson/Romero)

10:30 Break

10:45 Herman Ammon, University of Maryland

Structure and Density Predictions for Energetic Materials

Breakout Session – Bartlett, UF (session leader – Byrd/Taylor)

11:30 Lunch – APG Officers Club

1:00 Don Brenner, North Carolina State Univ.

**Condensed Phase Energetic Materials: A Bridge Between
Ab Initio Calculations And Experimental Shock Dynamics**

Breakout Session – Chamberlin, UIUC (for Truhlar/Cramer (session leader – Hurley)

1:50 Don Thompson, University of Missouri-Columbia

Simulations of Physical/Chemical Processes in Gas/Liquid/Solid Phases

Breakout Session – Brenner, NCSU (session leader – Rice)

2:40 John Adams, Univ. of Missouri - Columbia

Flame-Surface Heat Exchange

Breakout Session – Brenner, NCSU (session leader – Rice)

3:30 Break

3:45 Adam Chamberlin, Univ. of Minnesota

**Progress Towards an Accurate and General Model for the Solubility of
High-Energy Compounds in Supercritical Solvents**

Breakout Session – Adams, UM-C (session leader – Rice)

4:30 Bob Shaw, Army Research Office

Discussion/Closing Remarks

Wednesday - 12 July 2006

- 8:15** Kevin McNesby, Army Research Office/Army Research Laboratory
Introduction
- 8:30** Bill Goddard, CalTech
Overview of Accomplishments and Goals
- 8:45** Adri van Duin, Caltech
Progress In Developing Reaxff For Describing Reactive Processes In EM Materials And Also In Catalysis, Ceramics, And Metallic Systems
- 9:15** Sergey Zybin, Caltech
Applications Of Reaxff To Shock And Thermal Impact Studies Of EM. Dependence On Orientation And Phase And Formation Of Clusters
- 9:45** **Break**
- 10:00** Aiichiro Nakano, Univ. of Southern California
Multi-Million Atom Simulations Of Energetic Materials
Breakout Session – Malcolm Nicol , UNLV (session leader – Ciezak)
- 10:30** Eric Surber, Univ. of Illinois Urbana-Champaign
Sum Frequency Generation Characterization Of The Surface Structure Of HMX
Breakout Session – Aiichiro, USC (session leader – Mattson)
- 11:00** Tahir Cagin, Texas A&M Univ.
Nonlinear Elastic Constants From First Principles QM
Breakout Session – Surber, UIUC (session leader – Ciezak/McNesby)
- 11:30** **Lunch APG Officers Club**
- 1:00** Malcolm Nicol, University of Nevada Las Vegas
Overview
- 1:30** Oliver Tschauner Univ. of Nevada, Las Vegas
Shear Induced Transition in PETN – Structure of New Phase
Breakout Session – Zybin, van Duin, Caltech (session leader – Rice/Andzelm)
- 1:45** Michael Pravica, Univ. of Nevada, Las Vegas
Radiation Damage Studies of TATB and PETN
Breakout Session – Zybin, van Duin, Caltech (session leader – Rice/Andzelm)
- 2:00** Przemek Dera Univ. of Nevada, Las Vegas
New Approaches to Single-Crystal Diffraction
Breakout Session – Zybin, van Duin, Caltech (session leader – Rice/Andzelm)
- 2:15** B Yulga, Univ. of Nevada, Las Vegas
Spectra and Structure of HFNX
Breakout Session – Zybin, van Duin, Caltech (session leader – Rice/Andzelm)
- 2:30** **Break**
- 2:45** Maija Kukla, NSF
Overview And Progress Report On Simulation And Theory Projects
Breakout Session – Zybin, van Duin, Caltech (session leader – Rice/Andzelm)
- 3:15** Ivan Oleynik, Univ. South Florida
First-Principles Modeling of Energetic Materials
Breakout Session – Zybin, van Duin, Caltech (session leader – Rice/Andzelm)

- 3:30** Sergey Rashkeev, Vanderbilt Univ.
Shear-Induced Modeling in FOX-7 and TATB
Breakout Session – Zybin, van Duin, Caltech (session leader – Rice/Andzelm)
- 3:45** Alexander Roytburd, Univ. of Maryland
Polymorphic Transitions under Extreme Stress
Breakout Session – Zybin, van Duin, Caltech (session leader – Rice/Andzelm)
- 4:00** Discussion
Breakout Session – Nicol Theoretical Team (session leader – Rice)

Thursday - 13 July 2006

- 8:00** Kevin McNesby, Army Research Office/Army Research Laboratory
Introduction
- 8:05** Don Thompson, University of Missouri-Columbia
Overview - UM-C Team Multiscale Modeling
- 8:30** Steve Stuart, Clemson Univ.
Reactive Potential Development
Breakout Session – (session leader – Rice/Andzelm)
- 9:15** Tommy Sewell, LANL
**Atomistic-Based Mesoscopic Constitutive Models for High Explosive
Constituent Materials**
Breakout Session – Stuart, Clemson (session leader – Rice/Andzelm)
- 10:00** **Break**
- 10:15** Don Brenner, North Carolina State Univ.
Multiscale Modeling
Breakout Session – Sewell, LANL (session leader – Rice/Andzelm)
- 11:00** Don Thompson, University of Missouri-Columbia
MD Simulation Methods
Breakout Session – Brenner, NCSU (session leader – Rice/Andzelm)
- 11:30** **Discussion**
- 12:00** Kevin McNesby/David Mann, ARO
Concluding Remarks