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Welcome to the 2018 Edition of the Nuclear Science and Engineering Education (NS&EE) Sourcebook. We keep evolving and improving! The core mission of the Sourcebook has not changed, however. Our purpose is to facilitate interaction among faculty, students, industry, and government agencies to accomplish nuclear research, teaching and service activities. Since 1986 we have compiled critical information on nuclear engineering enrollments, degrees, and faculty expertise in printed and electronic formats.

There has been much growth and change in the nuclear community in recent years and is evidenced in the 2018 NS & EE Sourcebook.

We currently use a web based input format that allows quick changes to the Sourcebook and the capability to do ranking and sort manipulations in a spreadsheet environment as the data is displayed. We will publish a PDF version of the Sourcebook. This year we will also include programs that are new and growing, which might include undergraduate curricula with a nuclear energy minor or graduate programs that offer a track or certificate option. We will list only faculty involved in the nuclear options in all of these cases. In general we list faculty that have at least a budgeted 25% appointment in nuclear activities.

Other nuclear energy or related programs can be found under the listings for the ANS Student Branches and University Reactors. The Sourcebook data will be placed on the web at the Nuclear Energy University Programs (NEUP) site and on the DOE-NE website. Copies of the Sourcebook will be distributed to academic Department Heads, and libraries, as well as key industry, society and government officials. A limited number of extra printed copies can be requested in cases where web access is limited or inconvenient.

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We are excited to present the 2018 Edition of the NS&EE Sourcebook (Version 5.18) available in PDF file format and on the web at <a href="https://www.neup.gov">www.neup.gov</a> > Documents > Nuclear Science and Engineering Sourcebook.

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B.S.	9	15	21	8	9
Masters	10	7	16	14	8
PhD	10	15	6	9	17

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#### **Nuclear Science and Engineering Research Centers**

**Nuclear Science and Security Consortium (NSSC):** The NSSC is a consortium of seven major research universities and five DOE national laboratories, of which UC Berkeley is the lead institution. Funded by the DOE Office of Non-Proliferation (\$25M/5 years), the purpose of the NSSC is to reinvigorate the pipeline of

scientific, engineering and policy talent into the national laboratories and federal service in national security. Primarily the Consortium is intended to fund undergraduate, graduate student and postdoctoral research, introducing and connecting this talent with participating DOE labs. The NSSC supports research across the entire spectrum of relevant disciplines, including nuclear and particle physics, nuclear instrumentation and radiation detection, nuclear- and radiochemistry, nuclear engineering, and nuclear security international policy and programs. Additionally, NA-22 has expanded and augmented the program to include solicitations for research grants and internships to Minority Serving Institutions (MSI) as well.

**Applied Nuclear Physics Laboratories**: These labs are concerned with the low-energy nuclear physics and interaction of radiation with matter important to nuclear chemistry, nuclear technology and applications. Research programs include fundamental nuclear physics measurements for applied purposes and the development of advanced detectors and methodologies, in addition to the application of nuclear techniques in a wide range of studies. Current emphasis is on experimental and modeling studies in support of neutrino mass measurements, the design of methodologies and systems to counter the possible transport of clandestine nuclear materials and applications in the biomedical and radiological sciences.

**Detection Laboratory** - Kelp Watch (http://kelpwatch.berkeley.edu/) and Rad Watch. Additional Research Areas: Computational Methods, Nonproliferation, Risk, Safety, and Large-Scale Systems Analysis, Ethics and the Impact of Technology on Society, Energy Systems and the Environment, Bionuclear and Radiological Physics, Laser, Particle Beam, and Plasma Technologies Plasma and Fusion Science and Technology

**Nuclear Materials Laboratory:** This lab uses thermogravimetric techniques with microbalances to investigate the hydriding and oxidation of nuclear reactor core materials and positron annihilation spectroscopy to characterize the microstructural changes in irradiated structural steels. In addition to understanding the performance of nuclear fuels and materials in current nuclear fission plants, the materials aspects of new fuel element designs and advanced nuclear fuels and structural material systems are investigated. The lab is devoted to understanding the many causes of materials degradation and failure in nuclear technology. Specific emphasis is on the behavior of nuclear fuels, cladding and structural materials in nuclear fission and fusion environments where radiation damage and corrosion are the overarching concerns. This research combines computational, experimental and theoretical techniques to investigate the dynamic response of nuclear materials.

**Nuclear Waste and Fuel Cycle Laboratory**: The lab focuses on performance assessment of nuclear and radioactive waste management. Research topics include (1) mass-flow analyses in the nuclear fuel cycle to quantify compositions and quantities of wastes from various concepts of fuel cycles, ranging from reactors, separation processes, and waste stabilization processes, (2) performance assessment of geological disposal for various different waste forms and repository concepts and designs, ranging from shallow-land burial for low and intermediate level wastes, mined repository for spent nuclear fuels and high-level wastes, and most recently deep borehole disposal for separated long-lived iodine, and (3) development of integrated performance assessment systems covering both the fuel cycle and the

geological disposal. After the Fukushima accident, the criticality safety for geological disposal of molten corium and accumulated plutonium has emerged as an important topic.

Renewable and Appropriate Energy Laboratory (RAEL): RAEL is a unique new research, development, project implementation, and community outreach facility that focuses on designing, testing, and disseminating renewable and appropriate energy systems. The laboratory's mission is to help these technologies realize their full potential to contribute to environmentally sustainable development in both industrialized and developing nations while also addressing the cultural context and range of potential social impacts of any new technology or resource management system. The work in RAEL is guided by the principles of use-inspired basic research, interdisciplinary approaches to the needs that energy services can provide, and a dedication to understanding and addressing the opportunities and risks in the implementation of novel energy generation and management programs. At one level, the goal for RAEL is to update, integrate and nurture a collaborative synthesis of E. F. Schumacher's Small is Beautiful appropriate technology and development philosophy with the energy industry as it exists today. On another level, it is to promote sustainable development that includes deep cuts in greenhouse gas emissions and resource consumption. RAEL studies how to evolve the current energy infrastructure through analysis of coal, oil, and integrated fossil-fuel/fuel cells systems, biomass energy, and combinations of energy-efficiency and renewables, as well as entirely new long-term energy options for industrialized, decentralized, and rural energy needs.

Thermal Hydraulics Laboratory: The UCB Thermal Hydraulics Laboratory studies heat transfer and fluid mechanics phenomena that are relevant to fission and fusion energy systems. A principal focus of the laboratory is on the development of and experimental validation of models for passive safety systems. Experimental work in the laboratory has investigated effects of noncondensables on condensation in passive light water reactor containments, large-scale mixing processes in reactor containments and high level waste tanks, coolant fluid mechanics for inertial fusion energy chambers, convective heat transport for high Prandtl number fluids simulating the behavior of fluoride salts, pebble bed granular flows, and other phenomena. The laboratory has extensive capabilities for quality assurance, instrumentation and data acquisition, and modeling and simulation.

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Graduate Student Enrollment: 13 Masters/14 Ph.D.

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#### **Nuclear Science and Engineering Research Centers**

**Nuclear Science and Engineering Center (NuSEC)** - Coordinates nuclear science and engineering research across campus and maintains the CSM nuclear science and engineering laboratory facilities located adjacent to the GSTR.

**Geological Survey TRIGA Reactor (GSTR)** - 1 MW thermal TRIGA reactor used for teaching and research located on the Denver Federal Center, approximately 10 minutes from campus.

**Active Materials Characterization Laboratory (ActMCL)** - Provides materials synthesis and characterization capabilities for radioactive materials. Located adjacent to the GSTR. Capabilities include scanning electron microscopy, transmission electron microscopy, optical microscopy, x-ray diffraction, and x-ray nano-computed tomography.

Mines Neutron Radiography (MINER) - Provides neutron radiography capabilities at the GSTR. Capabilities include direct and indirect foil imaging capabilities. The facility can provide a beam flux of  $2.2X10^6$  n/cm<sup>2</sup> – s with an effective L/D of approximately 200.

Laboratory for Applied & Environmental Radiochemistry (LAER) – Located on the Mines Campus, the Laboratory for Applied & Environmental Radiochemistry (LAER) is a multi-user facility well equipped for use and analysis of radioactive materials, especially transranic elements. Our emphasis is on understanding the behavior of radionuclides relevant to nuclear energy. Capabilities include all forms of radioactive counting, alpha and gamma spectroscopy, UV-visible spectroscopy calorimetry, biochemistry, chemical synthesis, and all types of chemical separations.

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B.S.	26	25	32	20	24
Masters	6	6	7	9	16
PhD	0	1	1	2	6

Graduate Student Enrollment: 19 Masters/24 Ph.D. ABET Accreditation: Nuclear Engineering (BS)

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B.S.	38	55	32	23	21
Masters	25	25	24	29	8
PhD	5	7	6	11	9

Graduate Student Enrollment: 37 Masters/36 Ph.D.

ABET Accreditation: B.S.N.R.E.

CAMPEP Accreditation: M.S.M.P. and Ph.D. NRE - MP option

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Masters	19	19	*	13	13
PhD	2	4	*	3	2

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The North American Technical Center (NATC) for the Information System on Occupational Exposure (ISOE) is located at the Department of Nuclear, Plasma, and Radiological Engineering. NATC is one of four technical centers for the Organization for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD) Nuclear Energy Agency and International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA) global occupational dose reduction information exchange engineering database. NATC manages the Canadian, Mexican, and US nuclear power plants data analysis. Website: <a href="http://isoe-network.net">http://isoe-network.net</a>

The **High Temperature Nuclear Material Laboratory** (HTNML), http://materials.npre.illinois.edu/ members.html, objective is to study nuclear material relevant to microstructure, properties, performance, and interactions with irradiation through microscopy, x-ray analysis, experimental approaches, and modeling for light water reactor, and advanced nuclear reactor. Material studied in this lab includes structural material: copper alloys, nickel-based alloys, stainless/ austenitic/ ferritic/ ODS steel, zirconium alloy, silicon-carbide composites, and fuel material: uranium dioxide, and cerium dioxide. Frederick Seitz Materials Research Laboratory (FS-MRL) in UIUC provides variety of analytical techniques. NSUF program supports activities of post irradiation examination (PIE). State-of-the-art characterization technologies such as IVEM, APS, and ATP enhance research progress via tight coloration with ANL, ORNL and INL. Projects are supported by department of energy (DOE) to further application and knowledge of nuclear material at elevated temperature. Facilities includes in situ biaxial creep-fatigue system which is capable of dynamic measurement of tubular specimen's dimension change under high temperature creep-fatigue test.

The **Non-Equilibrium Matter Laboratory** focuses on the study of non-equilibrium matter, with particular emphasis on liquids and soft matter, using integrated atomistic theory, computation, and simulation and neutron and synchrotron light experimental probes. The structure and dynamics of these systems are either inherently complex or driven away from equilibrium by extreme conditions. In particular, our current interests include a range of fundamental and technical problems involving slow phenomena and rare events, such as: materials far from equilibrium and in extreme environments; extreme properties of liquids; and glassy or jammed soft matters. Website: http://zhang.npre.illinois.edu

The Socio-Technical Risk Analysis (SoTeRiA) Laboratory (http://soteria.npre.illinois.edu/), directed by Zahra Mohaghegh, is advancing Probabilistic Risk Assessment (PRA) for conventional Nuclear Power Plants (NPPs) and advanced reactors by explicitly incorporating the underlying science of accident causation into risk scenarios. Explicit inclusion of failure phenomena allows for a model-based Common Cause Failure (CCF) analysis that deals with modeling dependent failures and is one of the most challenging topics of PRA. The research provides quantitative insights that aid in: (a) reducing CCF occurrence in operating NPPs and (b) making risk-informed designs and licensing decisions for new reactors. Two key areas of theoretical and methodological scientific developments include: (1) spatio-temporal causal modeling of social and physical failure mechanisms in PRA, and (2) the fusion of big data analytics with PRA. The SoTeRiA Laboratory has integrated classical PRA techniques with simulation-based methods, leading to the development of an Integrated PRA (I-PRA) that enables explicit incorporation of time and space in a "spatio-temporal" PRA. These new PRA approaches are quantified using state-of-the-art big data analytics. The lab's on-going research applications for NPPs include: fire PRA; location-specific Loss-Of-Coolant Accident (LOCA) frequency estimations; global risk importance measure; modeling the effects of human and organizational influences on technical system failure; monetary value of PRA; and risk-informed emergency preparedness, planning and response modeling for severe accidents. The SoTeRiA Lab has also been actively involved in the risk-informed resolution of Generic Safety Issue 191, a long-standing issue for commercial nuclear power plants and the NRC.

**Virtual Education and Research Laboratory (VERL):** Goals of VERL in the Department of Nuclear, Plasma, & Radiological Engineering at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign span research, teaching, service and outreach. Tools used in this lab are innovative and mostly computer based. From fundamental

advances in numerical methods; advanced modeling and simulation of different aspects of scientific and engineering problems; to virtual, 3D models for training, education and outreach; this laboratory is focused on development and use of new methods and tools to address fundamental scientific and applied engineering problems. 3D, interactive and immersive virtual models have been developed for labs mimicking measurement of half-life and attenuation coefficients measurements. Applications to problems specific to the field of nuclear power include advanced numerical methods development; high performance computing; neutronics, thermal hydraulics and coupled problems; digital I&C and cyber security of NPPs; etc. Website: http://verl.npre.illinois.edu

#### **Other Relevant Research Facilities**

The **Beckman Institute for Advanced Science and Technology** at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign is an interdisciplinary research institute devoted to leading-edge research in the physical sciences, computation, engineering, biology, behavior, cognition, and neuroscience. The Institute's primary mission is to foster interdisciplinary work of the highest quality, transcending many of the limitations inherent in traditional university organizations and structures. The Institute was founded on the premise that reducing the barriers between traditional scientific and technological disciplines can yield research advances that more conventional approaches cannot. Website: http://beckman.illinois.edu

The University of Illinois' **Coordinated Science Laboratory** is a premier, multidisciplinary research laboratory that focuses on information technology at the crossroads of computing, control and communications. With a rich history of more than 60 years of innovation, CSL has developed and deployed new technologies that have achieved international scientific recognition and transformed society. Led by a faculty of world-renowned experts and researchers, CSL uses these innovations to explore critical issues in defense, medicine, environmental sciences, robotics, life-enhancement for the disabled and aeronautics. Website: http://csl.illinois.edu

The **Materials Research Laboratory** Central Research Facilities allow for the sharing of expensive and complex cutting-edge research instrumentation while providing for maintenance and continuous development by a dedicated professional staff. The presence of the facilities dramatically enhances intellectual interactions among users. Additionally, having expert scientists to work with users improves efficiency as well as the quality of the scientific results. Website: http://mrl.illinois.edu

Micro and Nanotechnology Laboratory (MNTL) is one of the country's largest and most sophisticated university facilities for conducting photonics, microelectronics, biotechnology, and nanotechnology research. MNTL is the place where campus researchers and visiting scientists come to design, build, and test innovative nanoscale technologies with feature sizes that span the range of atoms to entire systems. Our 16 class 100 and 1000 cleanrooms, 46 general purpose labs, and 2,500 square foot biosafety level-2 bionanotechnology complex contain all the tools researchers need to conduct their work. The building houses faculty and graduate students from the departments of Electrical & Computer Engineering, Bioengineering, Physics, Mechanical Science & Engineering, Material Science & Engineering, Agricultural and Biological Engineering, and Chemical & Biomolecular Engineering. Website: http://mntl.illinois.edu

The National Center for Supercomputing Applications (NCSA) is a hub of transdisciplinary research and digital scholarship where University of Illinois faculty, staff, and students, and collaborators from around the globe, unite to address research grand challenges for the benefit of science and society. Current research focus areas are Bioinformatics and Health Sciences, Computing and Data Sciences, Culture and Society, Earth and Environment, Materials and Manufacturing, and Physics and Astronomy. The Center also provides integrated cyberinfrastructure—computing, data, networking, and visualization resources and expertise that are essential to the work of scientists, engineers, and scholars at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign and across the country. NCSA is also an engine of economic impact for the state and the nation, helping companies address computing and data challenges and providing hands-on training for undergraduate and graduate students and post-docs. Website: http://www.ncsa.illinois.edu

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B.S.	55	11	7	12	*
Masters	2	0	1	0	*
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Laboratory for Nuclear Security and Policy (LNSP) [http://lnsp.mit.edu] Director, R. Scott Kemp (NSE). LNSP is home to interdisciplinary research that aims to solve the social challenges arising from nuclear technologies. Research has focused in areas such as the detection of nuclear proliferation, the proliferation risk of emerging fuel-cycle technologies, verification technologies for arms control treaties, and the detection of smuggled nuclear material in cargo. LNSP researchers combine a broad range core analytical methods, ranging from low-energy nuclear physics to information science, and history to international politics.

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Masters	14	14	14	*	*
PhD	5	5	6	*	*

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### **Nuclear Science and Engineering Research Centers**

Applied Nuclear Science Instrumentation Laboratory. The Applied Nuclear Science Instrumentation Laboratory (ANSIL) was established in the new Nuclear Engineering Building in 2017. This facility features approximately 1000 ft^2 of high-cleanliness laboratory space and supports the development of advanced instrumentation for a wide range of projects. Some examples of current research include the development of novel neutron and antineutrino detectors and detection methodologies for applications in nuclear security, nonproliferation, nuclear power, and fundamental scientific research.

Website: https://ansg.engin.umich.edu/applied-nuclear-science-instrumentation-laboratory/

Center for Ultrafast Optical Science (CUOS-EECS): The Center for Ultrafast Optical Science (CUOS) is an interdisciplinary research center in the College of Engineering at the University of Michigan in Ann Arbor. CUOS was sponsored as a Science and Technology Center by the National Science Foundation during 1990- 2001, and as a College of Engineering Center continues its research in ultrafast optics with funding from a variety of government agencies and industry. Its mission is to perform multidisciplinary research in the basic science and technological applications of ultrashort laser pulses, to educate students from a wide variety of backgrounds in the field, and to spur the development of new technologies.

Website: https://cuos.engin.umich.edu/

The Detection for Nuclear Nonproliferation Laboratory: The Detection for Nuclear Nonproliferation Lab develops new techniques for radiation detection and characterization for nuclear nonproliferation and homeland security applications. In addition, we study the detailed response of liquid and plastic scintillation detectors in the presence of neutron and gamma-ray sources. The laboratory is equipped with many detection systems, including a dual-particle imager for standoff detection of special nuclear material, a portable dual-particle imager, a fast-neutron multiplicity counter for the assay of fissile material, and radiation portal monitors. The lab also hosts a 9 MV electron linear accelerator for active interrogation experiments. The laboratory is also equipped with tens of detectors and dedicated readout electronics, including silicon photomultiplier arrays, fast (GHz) digitizers for pulse acquisition and workstations for data real-time analysis and post-processing.

Website: http://www-ners.engin.umich.edu/labs/dnng/

Experimental and Computational Multiphase Flow (ECMF) Laboratory: This lab was established in 2013 with the purpose of advancing and understanding thermal-hydraulics and fluid-dynamics phenomena of relevance for nuclear applications. It is used to perform experiments for single-phase and two-phase flows using advanced state-of-the-art high-resolution experimental techniques. The highly-resolved (in time and space) experimental data are used to establish a database for the validation and further development of Computational Fluid Dynamics models.

Website: http://www.umich.edu/~nuclear/labs/ecmf/

Glenn F. Knoll Nuclear Measurements Laboratory: The Position-Sensing Semiconductor Radiation Detector Laboratory is dedicated to the development of room-temperature semiconductor radiation detectors. The focuses of research include the design of advanced semiconductor-based gamma and neutron spectrometers, ultra- low noise Application Specific Integrated Circuitries (ASICs), real- time gamma-ray imaging reconstruction algorithms, and real-time nuclear isotope detection techniques.

These instruments are being developed for applications in national security, nuclear non-proliferation, homeland security, nuclear power safety, medical imaging, astrophysics, planetary sciences, particle physics, etc. Website: https://cztlab.engin.umich.edu/

High Temperature Corrosion Laboratory (HTCL): The High Temperature Corrosion Laboratory (HTCL) contains five high pressure, high temperature autoclave systems that provide the capability to conduct corrosion, stress corrosion cracking, and hydrogen embrittlement tests in high temperature aqueous environments and, in particular, simulated light water reactor environments.

Website: https://htcl.engin.umich.edu

Irradiated Materials Testing Complex (IMTC): The PML hot cells combined with the Irradiated Materials Testing Laboratory provides the capability to conduct high temperature corrosion and stress corrosion cracking of neutron irradiated materials and to characterize the fracture surfaces after failure. Website: https://imtl.engin.umich.edu/

**Materials Preparation Laboratory:** The Materials Preparation Laboratory provides facilities for the preparation and characterization of materials for materials research studies. The lab houses a grinding and polishing table for metallographic sample preparation, a tube furnace for annealing and heat treating, an electropolishing and etching system, a jet-electropolisher for making TEM disc samples, a slow speed cut-off wheel, a slurry drill, and a microscope and camera for imaging sample surfaces. Website: https://ners.engin.umich.edu/research/labs/materials/

MCASL Center: The University of Michigan branch of CASL, the Consortium for Advanced Simulation of Light Water Reactors (LWRs) that is centered at Oak Ridge National Laboratory. CASL was established in 2010 as a ten-institution partnership to create a virtual reactor for predictive simulation of LWRs. The partnership includes three universities (Michigan, MIT and NC State), four national labs (Oak Ridge, Los Alamos, Sandia, and Idaho), a reactor manufacturer (Westinghouse), a reactor owner/operator (TVA), and the research arm of the nuclear utility industry (Electric Power Research Institute). The MCASL Center includes faculty, PhD students, and postdoctoral fellows from four engineering departments: NERS, Aerospace, Mechanical Engineering, and Materials Science and Engineering. MCASL faculty are involved in development of advanced computational methods for analysis of coupled nuclear reactor phenomena including neutron transport, thermal/hydraulics, materials performance, and validation of these methods against experimental data.

Website: https://ners.engin.umich.edu/research/labs/fission-radiation/

**Metastable Materials Laboratory:** In the Metastable Materials Laboratory, phase transformations and mechanical behavior of nanocrystalline and amorphous materials are studied. The lab is equipped with facilities for x-ray diffraction, calorimetry, mechanical alloying, and annealing in high-purity atmosphere. Website: https://ners.engin.umich.edu/research/labs/materials/

**Michigan Center for Materials Characterization [(MC)<sup>2</sup>-MSE]**: (MC)<sup>2</sup> supports a diverse multi-disciplinary user-base of more than 450 users from various colleges and department across the UM campus, more than 100 internal research groups, and 20 non-academic companies. The mission of (MC)<sup>2</sup> is to provide

cost effective, efficient, safe, and socially responsible access to advanced characterization equipment and expertise thereby promoting, enabling, and encouraging cutting-edge education, research, and business development. Website: https://mc2.engin.umich.edu/

Michigan Ion Beam Laboratory (MIBL): The Michigan Ion Beam Laboratory for Surface Modification and Analysis (MIBL) was completed in October of 1986, and extensively renovated and expanded in 2015. The laboratory was established for the purpose of advancing our understanding of ion-solid interactions by providing up-to-date equipment with unique and extensive facilities to support research at the cutting edge of science. Researchers from the University of Michigan as well as industry and other universities are encouraged to participate in this effort. MIBL is houses 3 accelerators, 9 beam lines and 5 end stations in addition to a transmission electron microscope for conducting in situ irradiations in the TEM. MIBL is a fully, digitally controlled laboratory providing unparalleled capabilities and control for radiation damage studies. Website: https://mibl.engin.umich.edu/

**Neutron Science Laboratory.** The Neutron Science Laboratory (NSL) is dedicated to advancing the fundamental understanding and applications of neutrons science, particularly the development of radiation detection materials, devices, and systems. This laboratory is also an important educational resource, providing hands-on measurement experience to NERS students. The laboratory is equipped with DD and DT neutron generators, a Cf-252 neutron source, and a variety of standard and advanced radiation detectors and nuclear electronics. The neutron sources are also available for researchers in NERS and elsewhere within the university who require a neutron radiation field for the conduct of their research. Website: https://ansg.engin.umich.edu/facilities/neutron-science-laboratory/

Plasma, Pulsed Power and Microwave Lab: The purpose of this lab is to investigate the fundamental physics and technologies associated with pulsed-power-driven plasmas and electron beams. Focus areas include experimental and theoretical plasma physics, high-energy-density physics, nuclear fusion (magneto-inertial fusion, inertial confinement fusion, and fusion energy), pulsed-power technology development (including linear transformer drivers), magnetically driven implosions (fast z-pinches), advanced diagnostic instrumentation (plasma imaging techniques, plasma spectroscopy, electric and magnetic field measurements), laboratory astrophysics, and radiation source development (x-rays, neutrons, and high-power microwaves). Numerous state-of-the-art high-power accelerators, lasers, high-power microwave sources, diagnostic instruments, and simulation codes are utilized in this research. Website: http://www-ners.engin.umich.edu/labs/plasma/

**Plasma Science and Technology Laboratory:** The Plasma Science and Technology Laboratory's focus is on understanding basic plasma science phenomena and applying plasma science concepts to real world problems. The lab has four major thrust areas: plasma space propulsion, environmental hazards mitigation, plasma processing, and plasma-materials interactions as related to fusion. Particular attention is paid to those applications that protect the environment and those that improve the quality of life in underdeveloped countries. Website: http://www-ners.engin.umich.edu/lab/pstlab/

**Radiation Effects and Nanomaterials Lab:** The Radiation Effects and Nanomaterials Laboratory is for the preparation and analysis of materials for the study of radiation effects and nanoscience/technology. The laboratory facilities include: a Regarku Miniflex x-ray diffractometer (XRD), a high temperature furnace,

a Gatan precision ion polishing (PIPS) workstation, an ultramicrotomy workstation, a carbon coater, and other standard equipment for TEM sample preparation.

**Radiation Imaging Laboratory:** The Radiation Imaging Laboratory's goal is to develop high- energy gamma ray imaging systems for industrial, space, homeland security, and medical applications. The laboratory explores the fundamental properties of nuclear radiation detectors, develops novel pulse processing electronics, simulates builds and tests unique radiation measurement systems, and explores new ideas in radiation image formation and reconstruction.

Website: http://www-ners.engin.umich.edu/labs/radmeas/

Radiological Health Engineering Laboratory: The Radiological Health Engineering (RHE) Laboratory includes equipment and space for the development and testing of new instruments and systems for application to specific radiological health problems. Work is concentrated on practical systems and radiation measurements methods deployable within the immediate future. Work is conducted in novel detector and dosimeter design, as well as improvements in measurement methods for medical, industrial, laboratory and nuclear power radiation safety applications.

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Masters	*	11	15	*	*
PhD	*	6	11	*	*

Graduate Student Enrollment: 33 Masters/36 Ph.D. ABET Accreditation: MS and PhD degree in Medical Physics

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B.S.	25	38	40	34	37
Masters	8	6	20	6	9
PhD	0	4	5	5	3

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### **Nuclear Science and Engineering Research Centers**

The Nuclear Reactor: The Missouri S&T Nuclear Reactor is a Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) licensed 200 kilowatt pool-type reactor that is used to support the engineering and science activities on campus. Using the facility, the reactor staff provides hands-on laboratory, research and development, and project opportunities. The reactor uses uranium fuel and is cooled by either natural convection or a forced cooling system in a pool containing approximately 30,000 gallons of water. The open pool design allows access to the reactor core where experiments and samples to be irradiated can be positioned. The facility is equipped with a pneumatics sample irradiation system, a neutron beam port that provides a collimated neutron beam, a thermal column, and an internet accessible hot cell. The reactor is open to the greater campus community and offers an active (operations) licensure program for interested students and others.

Radiation Measurements and Spectroscopy Laboratory (RMSL): The Nuclear Engineering RMSL is equipped with NIM standard electronic units, neutron and gamma scintillation detectors, solid-state detectors, coincidence electronics, and multi-channel analyzers connected to PCs for automated data analysis. The laboratory also includes two portable EG&G HPGe detectors, a Canberra Thermoluminescent dosimeter with state-of-the-art electronics and software, and a Lynx digital data analysis system for remote web-based experimental capacity.

**Graduate Center for Materials Research:** The facilities of the Graduate Center for Materials Research, and metallurgical engineering and nuclear engineering departments are available for nuclear materials-related research. The Nuclear Materials Lab allows for use of instruments such as a scanning electron microscope, a 300 keV EM-430 Phillips transmission electron microscope, an atomic absorption spectrometer, and a quadrupole mass spectrometer.

Internet-Accessible Hot Cell Facility: A dual-chambered internet-accessible heavily shielded facility with pneumatic access to the 200 kW Research Nuclear Reactor (MSTR) allows authorized distance users to remotely manipulate and analyze neutron irradiated samples. The system consists of two shielded compartments, one for multiple sample storage, and the other dedicated exclusively for radiation measurements and spectroscopy. The second chamber has multiple detector ports, with graded shielding, and has the capability to support gamma spectroscopy using radiation detectors such as a HPGe detector. Both these chambers are connected though a rapid pneumatic system with access to the MSTR nuclear reactor core. The total transportation time between the core and the hot cell is less than 3.0 second.

Advanced Radiography and Tomography Lab (ARTLAB): The Nuclear Engineering ARTLAB is designed to perform radiation imaging for medical or industrial purpose. Students have opportunities of running Monte Carlo simulation codes for radiation imaging systems and experimenting with digital x-ray radiography, x-ray computed tomography (CT), neutron radiography, neutron CT, etc. The technologies developed in the lab can be applied to either medical imaging or non-destructive inspection of various materials or objects including nuclear fuel rods and plates. On-going researches include flat-panel x-ray source for imaging, neutron and x-ray combined CT, and digital image processing.

**Neutron Generator Laboratory**: The neutron generator laboratory has a D-D neutron generator that produces approximately 109 neutrons/sec. The neutron generator is available for both graduate and undergraduate research and education at Missouri S&T. Examples of research using the neutron generator are reactor kinetics research, the study of two-phase flow, research in nuclear forensics and radiochemistry, particle tracking in complex flows, and the photon-neutron tomography for mechanical testing of structural materials.

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Masters	*	2	2	2	0
PhD	*	0	1	1	4

Graduate Student Enrollment: 4 Masters/ 3 Ph.D.

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**Laboratory for Threat Material Detection**: using atomic/nuclear radiation to detect and characterize concealed objects.

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B.S.	13	11	16	16	*
Masters	4	8	12	10	*
PhD	4	4	5	1	*

Graduate Student Enrollment: 30 Masters/ 20 Ph.D. ABET Accreditation: BS in ChE and BS in NE

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Masters	25	25	12	12	13
PhD	6	4	3	11	9

Graduate Student Enrollment: 36 Masters/88 Ph.D.
ABET Accreditation: BS

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Chief Scientist: David Kropaczek

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PhD	6	3	5	4	7

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## **Nuclear Science and Engineering Research Centers**

## The Ohio State University Nuclear Reactor Laboratory (OSUNRL)

The OSUNRL is a major asset of the OSU NE Program. The OSUNRL houses the OSURR a 500-kW pool type reactor, a Co-60 high-dose rate irradiation facility, and a sub-critical assembly. Director: Dr. Thomas E.

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Website: http://reactor.osu.edu/

**The Ohio State University Research Reactor:** The Ohio State University Research Reactor (OSURR) is a general-purpose research and testing reactor based on the Materials Testing Reactor (MTR) design.

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PhD	-	2	3	1	2

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#### **AEROSOL AND RADIATION RESEARCH LABORATORY**

A state-of-the-art aerosol research laboratory is used to investigate potential hazards from terrorist use of radiological dispersal devices (RDDs). The research is widely applicable to determination of hazards from airborne radioactive contaminants. Dr. Ed Waller.

## **DETECTOR PHYSICS AND EXPERIMENTAL MICRODOSIMETRY LABORATORY**

The radiation detector development and experimental microdosimetry laboratory is set up for the custom design, construction and testing of advanced gas ionization detectors such as tissue equivalent proportional counters and gas electron multipliers and other detection systems for mixed-field radiation protection dosimetry and microdosimetry. Coupled with these detectors are the electronic and computer facilities necessary for the development of novel data acquisition systems and control software. Dr. Anthony Waker.

**CORROSION AND ELECTROCHEMISTRY LABORATORY**The corrosion and Electrochemistry lab is set-up to investigate the electrochemical processes that drive corrosion at elevated temperatures. A particular

emphasis is placed on the chemical and electrochemical processes associated with localized corrosion processes such as localized corrosion and stress assisted corrosion cracking. Special facilities are used to examine processes in molten salts that range from ow melting point, but noxious fluoride salts to high temperature metal chloride salts. A variety of electrochemical methodologies are available to interrogate localized corrosion processes. Dr. Brian Ikeda.

#### **NUCLEAR DESIGN LABORATORY**

The primary mission of the Nuclear Design Laboratory is to study multi-disciplinary interfaces and integrated designs related to nuclear technology including mechanical design, system controls, instrumentation, and nuclear thermalhydraulics. Dr. Glenn Harvel.

#### HIGH PERFORMANCE COMPUTING AND VISUALIZATION LAB

The High Performance Computing and Visualization Lab is set up for the investigation of computationally and output intensive problems that appear in reactor and radiation physics. It supports research into parallel algorithms and into methods for displaying large amounts of data in a meaningful way using three-dimensional graphic representations. Dr. Eleodor Nichita.

#### **NUCLEAR MATERIALS LABORATORY**

The nuclear materials laboratory investigates and characterizes metals, alloys, and aqueous systems that are important in nuclear reactor systems and other energy production facilities. The lab houses an X-ray Diffractometer capable of characterizing samples at both room temperature and elevated temperatures. Custom built vessels allow for exploration of aqueous systems up to 250 °C. The experimental work can provide fundamental thermochemical data that supports applied thermodynamic modelling work also performed in this laboratory. Dr. Matthew Kaye.

## APPLIED THERMODYNAMICS LABORATORY

The applied thermodynamics laboratory investigates various thermodynamic properties of nuclear fuels, nuclear materials, and other non-nuclear materials pertinent to energy systems and manufacturing. Examples include oxidation tests of advanced research reactor fuels and Accident Tolerant Fuel (ATF) cladding materials. Experimental measurements play an integral role in providing validation data for various modelling and simulation efforts. Dr. Markus Piro.

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Masters	31	30	26	21	*
PhD	7	3	3	9	*

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Masters	34	28	31	30	21
PhD	10	6	5	8	6

Graduate Student Enrollment: 41 Masters/27 Ph.D.
ABET Accreditation: BS

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Masters	25	20	13	11	6
PhD	8	11	7	4	4

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The Gaerttner Linear Accelerator (LINAC) Center has been engaged in active research continuously for over 45 years, and is centered around a multi-million dollar, high power, >60 MeV, L-band traveling wave, electron linear accelerator. The primary research thrust of the center is obtaining nuclear data for use in a variety of applications, ranging from the design of nuclear reactors and analysis of criticality to radiation damage and new nuclear medicine technologies. A newly constructed facility adds new research capabilities in the area of nuclear criticality safety, with a new detection system designed to measure the probability of neutron capture in different materials.

The **Walthousen Critical Reactor Facility** is a low watt, fully functioning reactor for operational training and core physics studies and is available for student use in conjunction with modern nuclear radiation detection and characterization systems.

The **Center for Multiphase Research (CMR)** brings together faculty from the Schools of Engineering and Science. There are opportunities for both graduate and undergraduate students to participate in research at the CMR. Current areas of research include: Designing and performing two-phase flow experiments, including fundamentals of two-phase flow physics and system-type experiments. Examples include: two-phase flow turbulence, interfacial forces, bubble size distribution, phase separation, boiling heat, pressure drop in two-phase channels and loops, phase distribution in various channel geometries, gas distribution and heat transfer form ablating surfaces exposed to spreading liquid flows, multi- channel effects, flooding, two-phase flow transients and oscillations. Development of physically-based constitutive models of two-phase flow, and of component models of two-phase flow systems. Examples: mechanistic models of interfacial forces, a mechanistic model of void distribution in subcooled boiling, a widely used model of wall heat flux partitioning in subcooled boiling, a mechanistic model of critical heat flux (CHF). Application of Computational Multiphase Fluid Dynamics (CMFD) and other computational methods to simulate two-phase flow systems, including steady-state operation, transients/instabilities and 3-dimensional effects. Development of graphical tools, such as graphical user interface (GUI) for computer simulations.

The **Multiscale Science & Engineering Center (MSEC)** was established in October 2006 to create a collaborative environment of faculty to develop and transition Multiscale technologies to industry and government. Rensselaer is among the first universities to recognize that a systematic multiscale theory combined with intensive technology transfer effort would propel the Institute's initiatives in numerous fields. One MSEC project is the VIP-Man Virtual Patient, with which researchers study multiscale human computing applications on radiation modeling in geometry modeling, radiation transport, treatment optimization, and X-ray CT imaging.

The **Center for Engineering-Based Patient Modeling (CEPM)** brings together engineers, biomedical scientists and clinicians who conceive and carry out synergistic projects that solve important clinical problems using physics-based and design-driven computational and experimental methods.

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Masters	10	13	6	4	7
PhD	2	0	2	1	0

Graduate Student Enrollment: 19 Masters/14 Ph.D.

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**Thermal Hydraulics Laboratory:** Thermal hydraulic test loops and laboratories are dedicated to studies of enhanced heat transfer, fluid flow, pressure drop and other phenomena associated with nuclear fuel rods and assemblies.

**High Performance Computing:** High performance computing facilities are used to analyze and model nuclear reactors, advanced fuel cycles, and advanced nuclear fuels and materials. Modeling and simulation codes and tools are employed for neutronic, thermal hydraulic, computational fluid dynamics (CFD), thermochemical, safety and risk, shielding, and finite element analyses. Sample code packages include MCNP6.2, SCALE6.2, ERANOS2.1, FACT-SAGE7.0, ABAQUS, Comsol Multiphysics, etc.

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Masters	25	24	29	35	18
PhD	8	12	9	16	14

Graduate Student Enrollment: 26 Masters/116 Ph.D. ABET Accreditation: B.S. (N.E.)

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Masters	31	22	26	24	23
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**Institute for National Security Education & Research (INSER):** Dr. Marvin Adams, Director. INSER develops and implements graduate-level education programs targeted at national security professionals as well as organizes and implements multidisciplinary research and development programs that are relevant to national security. http://inser.tamu.edu

**Nuclear Security Science and Policy Institute (NSSPI)**: Dr. William Charlton, Director. The mission of NSSPI is to work collaboratively with national laboratories and other partners to develop and apply science and

technology to detect, prevent, and reverse the proliferation of nuclear and radiological weapons and guard against nuclear terrorism; educate the next generation of leaders in the field of nuclear security sciences; and to study the policy implications of deploying new technologies. http://nsspi.tamu.edu.

**Nuclear Science Center (NSC)**: This facility has a one-megawatt TRIGA swimming pool reactor that can be pulsed and a variety of other features including experimental laboratories, a large irradiation cell, beam ports, a thermal column and a pneumatic "rabbit" system. One of the best-equipped facilities of its type in the country, the facility is used in our laboratory courses as well as our research program. http://nsc.tamu.edu

**Nuclear Power Institute (NPI):** Dr. K. Lee Peddicord, Director. NPI brings together four-year universities, two-year technical and community colleges, and public schools with the nuclear power industry, state and local organizations, and state, federal, and international agencies to assist with meeting the challenge of providing the trained workforce needed to operate new and existing reactors in Texas. http://www.nuclearpowerinstitute.org

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Masters	7	8	6	10	6
PhD	13	2	3	4	6

Graduate Student Enrollment: 24 Masters/23 Ph.D. ABET Accreditation: BS in Mechanical Engineering

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B.S.	17	18	16	23	11
Masters	3	7	15	18	12
PhD	0	1	2	6	9

Graduate Student Enrollment: 55 Masters/55 Ph.D.
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Masters	0	1	1	3	2
PhD	0	0	2	0	0

Graduate Student Enrollment: 4 Masters/12 Ph.D.

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B.S.	22	21	32	33	28
Masters	30	19	33	23	29
PhD	6	9	10	9	10

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