**BAPVC** BAY AREA PHOTOVOLTAIC CONSORTIUM



# BAPVC Spring Meeting DuraMAT Workshop May 22 - 23, 2017

Bechtel Conference Center, Stanford University

## MONDAY, MAY 22, 2017

## **BAPVC Session**

- 8:00 Coffee and Networking
- 8:30 Welcome John Benner, Executive Director BAPVC Dana Olson, DOE PVMI Portfolio Manager DOE PV Manufacturing Initiative
- 8:45 BAPVC Update and Action, Ali Javey, BAPVC Co-Director, Berkeley

## Session I: BAPVC Technology Showcase

- 9:00 Flexible Thin Single-Crystal Silicon Solar Cells and Processing, Yi Cui, Stanford
- 9:15 Cost Analysis of Tandem Solar Modules, Sarah Sofia and Tonio Buonassisi, MIT
- 9:30 11.2%-Efficient Monocrystalline MgCdTe Solar Cell with 1.7 eV Bandgap, Calli Campbell, ASU
- 9:45 Operational stability of halide perovskites, Andrea Bowring, Stanford
- 10:00 Advanced Contacts for High Efficiency Silicon Solar Cells, James Bullock, UC Berkeley
- 10:15 Break

# Session II: Photovoltaic Modules and Application

- 10:45 BAPVC Module Reliability Research and Advanced Module Materials, Reinhold Dauskardt, Stanford
- 11:15 PV Cost Drivers and Approaches for Using Techno-Economic Analysis to Guide Research and Design, Kelsey Horowitz, NREL
- 12:00 Luncheon

**BAPVC Industry Board Meeting – Oksenberg Room** 

## **DuraMAT Session**

1:30 Welcome

Introduction to DuraMAT, Teresa Barnes, NREL

1:45 DOE's Vision of DuraMAT, Dana Olson, DOE

## Invited Session I: PV Durability in the Lab and Outdoors

- 2:00 What Are Appropriate Accelerated Tests for New Module Components?, Ingrid Repins, NREL
- 2:25 Field Failures and Accelerated Tests, David Meakin, SunPower
- 2:50 Value of Recycling PV Modules, Market Size and Need for Design for Recycling, Garvin Heath, NREL

## **Panel Discussion**

3:15 Moderator- Ingrid Repins, NREL

Risks of new materials and designs, how to extend the tests we have now to these materials, how good are we at predicting field failures using accelerated tests and modeling, what are the research needs to improve our failure mode and service life predictions?

Doug Rose, SunPower; Garvin Heath, NREL; Allan Ward, First Solar; Gabriela Bunea, SunPower

3:45 Break

#### **DuraMAT Capability Presentations**

- 4:00 Developing an Applied Materials Discovery Workflow, Mike Toney, SLAC *Capability 3: Materials Discovery and Forensics*
- 4:15 Combined-Accelerated Stress Testing in DuraMAT, Peter Hacke, NREL Capability 4: Module Durability
- 4:30 Thermal-Mechanical-Electrical Model for PV Module-Level Mechanical Failure Mechanisms, James Y. Hartley, Sandia Capability 2: Predictive Simulation

#### **Panel Discussion**

4:45 Discussion and Panel with Capability Leads

#### **BAPVC and DuraMAT Poster Presentations – Oksenberg Room**

- 5:30 Initiate Session
- 6:00 Open Reception
- 7:00 Adjourn

## TUESDAY, MAY 23, 2017

### **DuraMAT Session**

- 8:00 Coffee and Networking
- 8:30 Changes in Field Degradation Modes Over Time, Dirk Jordan, NREL

## **DuraMAT Capability Presentations**

- 9:00 Designing and Developing a Collaborative Data Infrastructure for DuraMAT, Robert White, NREL Infrastructure- Data Hub
- 9:15 Opportunities and Challenges in PV Performance Analytics: A Case Study in Module Soiling, Mike Deceglie, NREL Capability 1: Data Analytics
- 9:30 Field Testing: Overview and Capability Development Activities, Birk Jones, Sandia *Capability 5: Field Deployment*

## **Panel Discussion**

9:45 Discussion and Panel with Capability Leads

## 10:15 Break with Posters

10:45 Collaborative Tools for Investigating PV Degradation, Ben Ellis, LBL Infrastructure/Capability 1: Data Hub & Data Analytics

#### **Invited Session II: Solar and Materials Data**

- 11:00 PV Equipment Testing: Historical Data and Best Practices for Product Qualification, Jenya Meydbray, DNVGL
- 11:30 Cross-sector Opportunities to Improve Solar Data Analysis and Capabilities, Adam Shinn, kWh Analytics
- 12:00 Orange Button Data Standards for Solar Financing: Using Common Data Formats and Analysis Tools to Increase Efficiency and Reliability of PV Deployment, Michelle Savage and Tom Tansy, Orange Button
- 12:30 Luncheon

DuraMAT Industry Advisory Board Meeting

## **SLAC Tour**

- 1:45 Travel to SLAC
- 2:00 SLAC Tour
- 3:30 Adjourn