

# 2022 CNF 45<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration & Annual Meeting

### TUESDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2022







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### **Tuesday, October 18, 2022 Cornell University Campus**

7:30-8:15 AM, Registration & Hot Breakfast Buffet, (Foyer & G10 Biotechnology)
Session Chairs, All Day: CNF Directors Fischbach, Ober & Olson
8:15-8:30 AM, CNF Directors' Welcome (G10 Biotechnology Building)page 6 Christopher Kemper Ober, Lester B. Knight Director Claudia Fischbach, Associate Director Ron Olson, CNF Director of Operations
8:30-8:45 AM, A Selection of CNF 45 <sup>th</sup> Anniversary Shout Outs! (Very Brief History, page 5)
8:45-9:25 AM, Plenary Speaker Dr. Mathieu Foquet, Principal Scientist, Pacific Biosciencespage 7 <i>"The Evolution of SMRT Sequencing"</i>
9:25-9:40 AM, Break
9:40-10:05 AM, Prof. Sharon Gerecht, Biomedical Engineering, Duke Universitypage 8 "Examples of Micro and Nanotechnology in Regenerative Medicine and Cancer Research"
10:05-10:30 AM, Prof. Itai Cohen, Physics Department, Cornell University
10:30-10:55 AM, Nancy Stoffel, Horizontal Leader-Flexible Hybrid Electronics, GE Global Research page 10 "Printed Hybrid Electronic Integration for Industrial and Medical Uses"
10:55-11:20 AM, Prof. Abraham Stroock, Smith School of Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering, Cornell University . page 11 "Programmable Plants and the Internet of Living Things"
11:20-11:45 AM, Travel Time to Statler Hotel

11:45-12:45 PM, Lunch Buffet (Statler Hotel Ballroom)

1:00-1:15 PM, Emmanuel P. Giannelis, VP Research & Innovation Cornell University
1:15-1:40 PM, Prof. Gregory D. Fuchs, Applied & Engineering Physics, Cornell University
1:40-2:05 PM, Prof. Robert F. Shepherd, Mechanical and Aerospace Engineering, Cornell University
2:05-2:30 PM, Dr. Charles Black, Director, Center for Functional Nanomaterials, Brookhaven National Lab page 15 "Let's Do Work that Matters: Nanoscience at the Center for Functional Nanomaterials, a DOE Scientific User Facility"
2:30-2:55 PM, Prof. Karan Kartik Mehta, Electrical & Computer Engineering, Cornell University
2:55-3:20 PM, Prof. Judy Cha, Materials Science and Engineering, Cornell University
3:20-3:40 PM, Break for panel set up
3:40-4:30 PM, Panel Discussion on Skill Set and Capabilities Needed for the Next Ten Years

#### 4:30-4:40 PM, CNF Directors' Wrap Up

4:40-5:00 PM, Break for poster session set up

### 5:00-6:30 PM, Poster Session & Corporate Soiree (Duffield Hall Atrium)

6:30-6:45 PM, CNF User Poster Awards and the Nellie Yeh-Poh Lin Whetten Memorial Award

6:45-7:00 PM, Group Photo in Baum Atrium

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### **A Very Brief History of the CNF!**

The Cornell NanoScale Science & Technology Facility (CNF) had its beginnings within the National Science Foundation (NSF) during the mid-1970s. In 1976, NSF held country-wide workshops to assess the need for a university-based national research and resource facility for submicron structures (NRRFSS). As a result, NSF issued a request for proposals. The winning proposal came from Cornell University and was promoted and coordinated by Prof. Joseph M. Ballantyne, School of Electrical and Computer Engineering.

To facilitate the creation of NRRFSS in 1977, Cornell appointed Prof. Ballantyne as Acting Director, assembled a Program Committee to advise him on equipment and program issues, and rallied faculty to respond to the five-year \$5-million grant that provided for \$2 million dollars in equipment purchases, and \$750 thousand dollars per year for four years of program support. Dr. Edward D. Wolf became NRRFSS director in July 1978.

During the first several years, the focus was on securing full-time technical staff to operate and repair the growing capital equipment investment (the 2016 replacement price is about \$ 45M) and to design and build a cleanroom facility that would be durable. In fall of 1981, CNF moved into a \$4.2M facility with a 7,500 square foot cleanroom. Its construction, and subsequently the directorship, was endowed by Lester B. Knight (Cornell '29). This successful period of growth and transition was possible only through the unfailing interest and support of a core group of Cornell faculty from ECE, AEP, and MSE.

Over the next fifteen years (1982-1997), the operation of the facility remained at a nearly steady state with about twenty full-time staff members servicing as many projects as was humanly possible. Lester B. Knight directors Prof. Harold Craighead (1989-1995) and Prof. Noel MacDonald (1995-1997), and Associate Director Prof. Alton Clark (1994-2000) led the staff in successful tool upgrades, funding proposals, and many many visits, tours, and conferences advancing nanoscience.

The long term success of the facility is primarily the result of a talented and persevering staff that often works well into the night during the short visits by researchers from around the world. CNF staff must astutely bridge the gap between wishful thinking by users and what is possible. They are, or become, the resident expert in their particular area of nanofabrication. The user generally leaves satisfied and impressed, and the facility advances in its capability with a greater appreciation of the wide range of user needs.

In 1993, NSF enlarged the funding and number of nanofabrication facilities. Cornell University won the competition for the National Nanofabrication Users Network (NNUN) with CNF as a key facility among five other laboratories. In 1998, the NNUN was notified of another five years of funding. It is only fitting that Prof. Ballantyne, who was key in winning the original 1977 competition, was at the helm as director again.

In 2003, Cornell University was honored to become a member of the National Nanotechnology Infrastructure Network (NNIN) competition. This expanded network included 12 sites and one affiliate. In 2009, we were furthered honored by the NSF's renewal of the NNIN funding, but now with 14 members.

During that period, CNF Director Prof. Sandip Tiwari (1999-2005) became NNIN Director too. In 2006, Prof. John Silcox came on board as interim director until Prof. George Malliaras (2007-2009) stepped up. In addition, Don Tennant was hired as Director of Operations.

CNF Director Prof. Dan Ralph (2009-2016) led Cornell's effort to become a member of the 16-site National Nanotechnology Coordinated Infrastructure (NNCI).

In July 2016, the CNF welcomed our newest Lester B. Knight Director — Professor Christopher Ober. Prof. Ober stated, "As the new CNF Director, I am excited about the new job and about the new opportunities afforded by the creation of the NNCI, a network focused on nanoscience and nanotechnology. As the users of CNF know, we have first-rate facilities and outstanding staff who are dedicated to helping our users achieve success in all their efforts. As a long time user of CNF myself, I am always very impressed with the enthusiasm of the staff for teaching new users and working with them to solve interesting and often difficult problems. We welcome inquiries from all researchers about CNF's capabilities and the new network."

Today, the leadership includes Prof. Ober (MSE, 2016-), Mr. Ron Olson, Director of Operations (2019-), Prof. Claudia Fischbach (BME, 2020-), Associate Director, and of course — Dr. Lynn Rathbun, who continues his important management role in CNF (1979-!!!!).

We now have a "Directors Wall" online -- https://www. cnf.cornell.edu/about/directors\_wall

CNF serves well over 600 regular users in a year across a broad range of subject areas. With such a diverse user membership, the impact of CNF can be felt across the entire research landscape. It is noteworthy that CNF continues to provide uniquely enabling technology for a wide spectrum of science and engineering research at a university, founded by Ezra Cornell, under the motto,

"I would found an institution where any person can find instruction in any study." - Ezra Cornell



**Christopher Ober**, Francis Bard Professor of Materials Engineering, and Lester B. Knight Director, Cornell NanoScale Facility (director@cnf.cornell. edu) Chris received his B.Sc. in Honours Chemistry (Co-op) from the University of Waterloo, Ontario, Canada in 1978 and his Ph.D. in Polymer Science and Engineering from the University of Massachusetts (Amherst) in 1982. From 1982 until 1986 he was a senior member of the research staff at the Xerox Research Centre of Canada where he worked on marking materials. Ober joined Cornell University in the Department of Materials Science and Engineering in 1986. He recently served as Interim Dean of the College of Engineering. From 2008 to 2011 he was President of the IUPAC Polymer Division and he is an elected member of the IUPAC Bureau Executive, its core governing group. A Fellow of the ACS, APS and AAAS, his

awards include the 2013 SPSJ International Award, 2009 Gutenberg Research Award from the University of Mainz, the 1st Annual FLEXI Award in the Education Category (for flexible electronics) awarded in 2009, a Humboldt Research Prize in 2007 and the 2006 ACS Award in Applied Polymer Science. In 2014 he was a JSPS Fellow in Tokyo, Japan and in 2015 he received the ICPST Outstanding Achievement Award.



**Claudia Fischbach**, Stanley Bryer 1946 Professor of Biomedical Engineering at Cornell, and CNF Associate Director (cf99@cornell.edu) Claudia is the Director of Cornell's Physical Sciences Oncology Center on the Physics of Cancer Metabolism. She received her Ph.D. in Pharmaceutical Technology from the University of Regensburg, Germany and holds an M.S. in Pharmacy from the Ludwigs-Maximilians-University, Munich, Germany. She conducted her postdoctoral work at Harvard University in Engineering and Applied Sciences and joined the faculty of Cornell in 2007. Dr. Fischbach-Teschl's lab applies biomedical engineering strategies to study cancer with the ultimate goal of identifying new mechanisms that may ultimately help to prevent and treat this disease. She serves on the NIH Tumor Microenvironment Study Section and is an editorial board member of various journals including the new ACS journal Biomaterials Science and Engineering.



**Ron Olson**, CNF Director of Operations (olson@cnf.cornell.edu) Ron has over 32+ years of progressive experience as an innovator in fab operations as well as process and device development. Prior to his new role at CNF, Ron was Manager of the SiC Technology Transfer Team for GE Global Research at SUNY Polytechnic Institute's Power Electronics Manufacturing Consortium (PEMC) where he provided technical direction and facilities/operational excellence for high volume manufacturing for next generation SiC power semiconductor devices. During his tenure at GE he served as Manager of the Wide Band Gap Process Engineering Team and Micro and Nano Fab Operations. Ron was responsible for the SiC engineering development and pilot production operations as well as management of a 28,000 sq. ft. Class 100 clean room supporting advanced research and development for a diverse range of technologies including: advanced packaging, wide band

gap semiconductors, MEMS, photonics, photovoltaics and nanotechnology. Prior to joining GE in 2005, Ron was a founding member and Director of Fab Operations at Xanoptix, Inc., a start-up company specializing in next generation optical connections. In addition, he has held various Process Development and Engineering positions at Sanders, a Lockheed Martin Company, Quantum, and Raytheon's Research Division and Microwave Device Research Laboratory. Ron received a Bachelor of Science degree in Physics from Allegheny College and a Master of Science degree in Material Science and Engineering from Northeastern University.

### "The Evolution of SMRT Sequencing"

### **Mathieu Foquet**

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#### Abstract:

Pacific Biosciences has developed a unique DNA sequencing technology, Single-Molecule Real-time (SMRT) Sequencing. It is based on intellectual property originally from Cornell, and prototype devices manufactured right here at CNF. In this



talk, after a quick overview of SMRT sequencing basics, centered around our use of nature's own technology to read and reproduce DNA, we will review how the convergence of three technology platforms, digital image sensors, integrated photonics and microfluidics enabled the full promise of SMRT sequencing.

Digital image sensors have become ubiquitous, and their availability at low cost is one of the keys to our technology, forming a base for all our current devices. The development of on-wafer integrated photonic components allowed us to move beyond the original device, the Zero-Mode Waveguide (ZMW) and enable a truly fully integrated platform. In particular, the rise of datacom, moving away from the IR wavelength of telecom has proven to also been very enabling for life-science applications of photonic integration. And of course, the rise of a mature established microfluidics industry allows us to smoothly blend the biochemistry world to the semiconductor world.

This convergence of multiple technologies, which only occurred in the last 10 years, lead Pacific Biosciences to develop its SequEl and SequeIII sequencing platforms. These novel platforms put Pacific Biosciences in an ideal place to become the gold standard reference genome builders of the sequencing market, combining high accuracy, long read length and completeness of the genomes.

### **Biography:**

Mathieu Foquet graduated from his alma mater, the Free University of Brussels, in 1996, with a degree in applied engineering physics. He immediately joined the doctorate program at the Applied and Engineering School of Cornell University. It is there that his interest in biophysics, and in particular the use of micro and nanofabrication techniques for studying biologically relevant problem developed. Upon completion of his thesis in 2002 on the use of nanofabricated devices for single molecule detection and a short post-doctoral period, he joined Pacific Biosciences. Pacific Bioscience was then a startup based on intellectual property from Cornell University. He remains at Pacific Biosciences to this day, working on developing its Single-Molecule Real-Tine sequencing technology. Particularly, he was a key manager and technical lead for developing the SequEl platform, the first Pacific Bioscience platform integrating all optical function of its detection process on a single chip.

### "Examples of Micro and Nanotechnology in Regenerative Medicine and Cancer Research"

### Sharon Gerecht, Ph.D.

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#### Abstract:

Cell differentiation, tissue formation, and regeneration occur in a complex milieu. Disruption of physicochemical cues in the cell microenvironment can compromise homeostasis, leading to tissue dysfunction. For example, nanoscale topographic features of the extracellular matrix regulate cell fate, organization, and motility. In this talk, I will present several examples of how we incorporate micro- and nanotechnology to recapitulate physicochemical cues in the cell microenvironment to understand cellular responses and harness these to engineer and manipulate cells.

### **Biography:**

Dr. Sharon Gerecht is the Paul M. Gross Distinguished Professor of Biomedical Engineering at Duke University. She is currently serving as the Associate Dean for Research and Infrastructure at Pratt School of Engineering at Duke University. She is a global expert in vascular and stem cell biology and engineering, including pioneering engineering principles to understand and harness cell fate decisions for therapeutic developments. She and her lab team study how the microenvironment modulates stem cell fate, differentiation, and tissue assembly. These include understanding how various properties of the extracellular matrix modulate cellular responses and how oxygen gradients regulate tissue performance. They develop biomaterials to guide morphogenesis through sequential activation of signaling pathways to form functional tissues and use a range of disease and injury models to delineate these mechanisms in vivo.

Dr. Gerecht is the recipient of the Allan C. Davis Medal from the Maryland Academy of Sciences (2008), the North America Vascular Biology Organization Junior Investigator Award (2009), the Basil O'Connor Starter Scholar Research Award from the March of Dimes Foundation (2009-2011), the National Scientist Development Award (2008-2012) and Established Investigator Award (2014-2019) both from the American Heart Association, the National Science Foundation CAREER award (2011-2016), the W.W. Smith Charitable Trust Heart award (2014-2017), and the Johns Hopkins University Inaugural President's Frontier Award (2015). Dr. Gerecht is an elected Fellow of the American Institute for Medical and Biological Engineering (2016), an elected Member of the National Academy of Medicine (2019), and an elected fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Sciences (2020) and the National Academy of Inventors (2020). She is the author of more than 200 papers, book chapters, and patents in her field.

### "Electronically Integrated Microscopic Robots"

### Itai Cohen

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#### **Abstract:**

What would we be able to do if we could build electronically integrated machines the at a scale of 100 microns? At this scale, semiconductor devices are small enough that we could put the computational power of the spaceship Voyager



onto a machine that could be injected into the body. Such robots could have on board detectors, power sources, and processors that enable them to sense, interact, and control their local environment. In this talk I will describe several cutting edge technologies we are developing to achieve this vision.

### **Biography:**

Professor Itai Cohen studies the physics of matter in motion. At Cornell, his research has focused on building microscopic robots, controlling the shear thickening behavior of microscopic and nanoscopic particles suspended in a fluid, exploring the mechanics of materials ranging from biological tissues to origami inspired metamaterials, discovering the aerodynamic and neuromuscular mechanisms used by insects during flapping flight, and determining how audiences at heavy metal concerts coordinate their movement. Understanding how emergent behaviors arise from the microscopic rules governing these systems remains one of the biggest challenges in Physics.



Professor Cohen received his BS in Physics from the University of California at Los Angeles, and his PhD in Physics from the University of Chicago. Following his graduate studies, he was a Post-doctoral fellow in Physics and the Division of Engineering and Applied Science at Harvard University. In 2005 he joined Cornell and is currently a professor of Physics. Professor Cohen is an NSF Career grant recipient, he is a Fellow of the American Physical Society, and is the recipient of the Kappa Delta Ann Doner Vaughn Award for his work on cartilage mechanics. He has served as a Feinberg and Braginsky fellow (2012) and the Rosi and Max Varon Visiting Professor at the Weizmann Institute (2021) and the van der Waals Visiting Professor at the University of Amsterdam (2022). He has published over 110 research articles, given nearly 300 invited seminars, colloquia and conference presentations, and co-authored the book Finding Your Research Voice: Story Telling and Theater Skills for Bringing Your Presentation to Life. His work has been covered by various outlets ranging from the BBC, to Scientific American, NPR, and the NYTimes.

### "Printed Hybrid Electronic Integration for Industrial and Medical Uses"

### **Dr. Nancy Stoffel**

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### **Abstract:**

Printed hybrid electronics is a nascent approach to electronics system integration. It has special appeal to applications where the production of a flexible, robust or large format article would be advantageous. In PHE, Printing technologies can be used to create conductive traces, passives such as resistors, inductors and capacitors, RF structures such as antenna, and actuators. Complex electronic devices are incorporated through use of silicon microelectronics, MEMS, as well as power or optoelectronics. Printed hybrid electronics involves creation of electronic systems that fit into the world, whether as a wearable medical patch, a sensing system on an engine, the blade on a wind turbine, or a system built into the infrastructure of your home. The substrate may be thin, bendable, and stretchable or it may be a large metal piece. In this talk, I will cover the fundamental approaches and applications of flexible hybrid electronics in projects at GE Research and application areas in industrial applications including Healthcare, Power, and Aerospace.

### **Biography:**

Dr. Nancy Stoffel holds a PhD in Materials Science from Cornell University. Her career has focused on materials, process development and reliability for electronics integration. During her 30+ year industry career, she has worked at a variety of companies and held roles in both management and technology leadership. Currently Nancy specializes in design and manufacturing of printed electronic systems and electronic packaging. She works both internally and through external companies and collaborators to mature technologies useful for GE sensing systems. She has also worked at Xerox, Infotonics, and IBM. Nancy is also active in the IEEE Electronics Packaging Society where she is on the Executive Committee for ECTC. Nancy remains tied to Cornell through service on a number of advisory boards including the Cornell Center for Materials Research, CNF, and the Materials Science Department.

### "Programmable Plants and the Internet of Living Things"

### **Abe Stroock**

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### **Abstract:**

Plant life plays critical roles in regulating the earth's climate and as the primary source of food and energy for all living things. Human's understanding of and interactions with plants need to become more sophisticated to improve the sustainability, resilience, and productivity of agriculture and mitigate the negative impacts of climate change on natural and managed ecosystems. Micro- and nanotechnologies have important potential applications in this area, for discovery and application in both crop management and breeding. I will present a brief overview of the vision of the Center for Research on Programmable Plant Systems (CROPPS – NSF STC) for a transdisciplinary effort to develop an Internet of Living Things (IoLT) in which micro-, nano, and biotechnologies allow integration with plants to provide access to their deep biology for sensing and actuation. I will provide example from my lab on the development of a MEMS sensor for continuous, in-plant monitoring of water stress and a nanomaterial for tracking these stresses in critical tissues within the leaf. These examples will illustrate the value of learning from the target biological system for the design on an appropriate, effective technology and the challenges and opportunities for the integration of devices into a field-ready IoLT for research and commercial applications.

### **Biography:**

Abe Stroock is a professor in the Smith School of Chemical and Biomolecular Engineering and adjunct professor in the School of Integrative Plant Sciences at Cornell. He is the director of the NSF-STC Center for Research on Programmable Plant Systems. After completing a bachelor's degree in Physics at Cornell, Stroock spent two years in France where he worked in the research division of Electricite de France and completed a master's degree at the University of Paris VI and XI in Solid State Physics. He then returned to the US to pursue a PhD in the Chemistry department at Harvard University. The Stroock lab focuses on manipulating and measuring dynamics and chemical processes on micrometer scales with an emphasis on biophysical contexts. Current efforts in the lab center around the transport, thermodynamics, and physiology of water in plants and in synthetic systems inspired by plant function.

### **Prof. Emmanuel P. Giannelis**

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Emmanuel Giannelis serves as Vice President for Research and Innovation. He leads the Research Division on the Ithaca Campus and, across all Cornell campuses, is responsible for technology transfer, intellectual property, and research policy. In this dual role, he reports to the Provost and to the President.



The Office of the Vice President for Research and Innovation (OVPRI) enables and advances Cornell research priorities, including research activities of Cornell colleges, schools, and research centers, institutes, and laboratories. The OVPRI advocates for researchers within the university, working with external agencies, sponsors, and government representatives; supports specialized research facilities and services for researchers; provides campus-wide research administrative support services; and facilitates major interdisciplinary research initiatives.

In his university-wide role, Giannelis, along with Cornell's Center for Technology Licensing (CTL) and the Office of Corporate Engagement (OCE), champions innovation, entrepreneurship, and technology commercialization. The OVPRI, CTL, and OCE support researchers and entrepreneurs to translate scientific discoveries, technological innovations, medical advances, and new products to the marketplace. The goal is to accelerate the impact of research to society, to foster economic development within New York State and across the nation and to further Cornell's land grant mission.

Giannelis joined the Department of Materials Science and Engineering at Cornell in 1987, where he is currently the Walter R. Read Professor of Engineering. He received a BS degree in chemistry from the University of Athens (Greece) in 1980 and a PhD in chemistry from Michigan State University in 1985. His recent research focus is on design and application of nanomaterials for energy, biomedicine, and the environment.

Giannelis is a member of the European Academy of Sciences, a fellow of the American Chemical Society, and a fellow of the Polymer Materials Science and Engineering Division of the American Chemical Society. He received the Cooperative Research Award from the American Chemical Society in 2014. He was awarded a Doctorat Honoris Causa (honorary PhD) in July 2017 from the Institut National des Sciences Appliquées de Lyon, Université de Lyon.

### "Hybrid Quantum Devices Using a Superconducting Resonator and Low-Damping Magnons in an Integrated Platform"

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### Abstract:

Hybrid quantum systems – in which quantum excitations of distinct origin are hybridized through a resonant interaction – are attractive for quantum technologies because they enable tunability and the ability to combine desirable properties of each excitation. Here we study the hybrid excitation of a superconducting microwave resonator mode and a ferromagnetic resonance mode of vanadium tetracyanoethylene (V[TCNE] x) thin films. Our work addresses a key challenge for hybrid resonator-magnon devices: the integration of a low damping thin-film material with microfabricated superconducting circuits. V[TCNE]x is a molecular-based ferrimagnet with exceptionally low magnetic damping – the Gilbert damping coefficient is as low as 5×10–5 at room temperature. The ability to grow thin films of this material at low temperature via chemical vapor deposition and pattern it via lift-off processing enables the fabrication of integrated quantum magnon devices in a scalable, integrated platform. We couple a V[TCNE]x magnon mode to the mode of a thin-film Nb lumped-element LC resonator and demonstrate strong coupling, characterized by cooperativities in above 103. Characterization of this hybrid resonator-magnon system in both the frequency domain and the time domain reveals hybridization between resonator photons and magnons. This work demonstrates a pathway for scalable and integrated quantum magnonic technologies.

### **Biography:**

Fuchs earned his Ph.D. in Applied Physics from Cornell University in 2007. Afterward, he moved to the University of California, Santa Barbara as a postdoctoral associate. In 2011, he joined the Cornell faculty of Applied and Engineering Physics. In 2012 he received a Young Investigator Award from the Air Force Office of Scientific Research, in 2013 he received an Early Faculty Career Award from the National Science Foundation along with the Presidential Early Career Award for Scientists and Engineers, and in 2014 he received the Early Career Award from the Department of Energy.

### "Embracing Complexity for Enduring and Adaptive, Organic Robots via Autonomous Materials"

**Prof. Robert F. Shepherd** 

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### **Abstract:**



Controlling soft robots is difficult. The infinite passive degrees of freedom in elastomeric actuators presents variability in the control architecture that is computationally expensive to overcome, or sometimes intractable without external motion capture. In animals, this problem is solved with large numbers of redundant mechanoreceptors for tactile perception and kinesthetic sense. Existing devices for tactile sensing (i.e., pneumatic, hydraulic, electrical load cells) could make the benefits of using soft robots (adaptability, conformability, simplicity) irrelevant at the densities required for accurate feedback control. As a result, significant efforts have been put forth towards soft strain gauges that can become part of the robot's elastomeric body without reducing its performance. These sensors are typically electrical (i.e., resistive or capacitive), which creates material requirements that can be limiting—good stretchable conductors are still an intense area of research. In 2016, we began using stretchable lightguides as a photonic solution to tactile perception in soft robots. The use of photons, instead of electrons provides new material opportunities for soft strain gauges. This talk will discuss the synthesis, fabrication, and use of materials for these stretchable photonic solutions that we call Light Lace. Further, this talk will discuss the multifunctional use of energy as hydraulic force transmission and electrical energy storage, increasing the operational lifetime of robots. This method is more general and will be discussed under the context of embodied energy and a framework for future improvements in endurance and agility of robots will be presented.

### **Biography:**

Rob Shepherd is an associate professor at Cornell University in the Sibley School of Mechanical & Aerospace Engineering. He received his B.S. (Material Science & Engineering), Ph.D. (Material Science & Engineering), and M.B.A. from the University of Illinois in Material Science & Engineering. At Cornell, he runs the Organic Robotics Lab (ORL: http://orl.mae.cornell.edu), which focuses on using methods of invention, including bioinspired design approaches, in combination with material science to improve machine function and autonomy. We rely on new and old synthetic approaches for soft material composites that create new design opportunities in the field of robotics. Our research spans three primary areas: bioinspired robotics, advanced manufacturing, and human-robot interactions. He is the recipient of an Air Force Office of Scientific Research Young Investigator Award, an Office of Naval Research Young Investigator Award, and his lab's work has been featured in popular media outlets such as the BBC, Discovery Channel, and PBS's NOVA documentary series. He is an advisor to the American Bionics Project (americanbionics.org) which aims to make wheelchairs obsolete. He is also the co-founder of the Organic Robotics Corporation (ORC; lightlace.io), which aims to digitally record the tactile interactions of humans and machines with their environment.



### Let's Do Work that Matters: Nanoscience at the Center for Functional Nanomaterials, a DOE Scientific User Facility

### **Charles Black**

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#### Abstract:

The Center for Functional Nanomaterials (CFN) is a national scientific user facility operated at Brookhaven National Laboratory for the U.S. Department of Energy. One of five DOE Nanoscale Science Research Centers, the CFN mission is to support the worldwide community by providing leading capabilities & expertise, and making breakthrough nanoscience contributions to national science initiatives through research.

I will briefly present some perspectives on the role of nanoscience in today's research ecosystem, viewed through the lens of the now 20+ years of the U.S. National Nanotechnology Initiative. As a nanoscience community, we can be proud of our many advances in chemistry, materials, biology, and instrumentation, while also recognizing and fully embracing the challenge of helping to solve the most important issues in today's world.

Tackling these daunting challenges will require the scientific community to work together in new ways, and scientific user facilities like the CFN and the Cornell Nanofabrication Facility have a vital role to play — because of their foundational culture of collaboration. Let's resist the urge to leave solving impossible problems to others, because there are so many important challenges for which science must provide the answer. Let's work together and make a difference.

### **Biography:**

I am the Director of the Center for Functional Nanomaterials (CFN) at Brookhaven National Laboratory, where I am also a Senior Scientist. The CFN is a national scientific user facility, which we operate for the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) as a resource for the worldwide scientific community. Prior to becoming Director, I was a Group Leader in the CFN, responsible for setting research directions using nanostructured electronic materials for clean energy. From 1996 to 2006, I was a Research Staff Member at the IBM Thomas J. Watson Research Center in Yorktown Heights, New York, where my collaborators and I pioneered using polymer self-assembly for high-resolution patterning in semiconductor electronics. In my 25-year career so far, I have also at different times performed research in: superconductivity of nanoscale materials; nanocrystal-based materials and devices; low-temperature scanning tunneling microscopy; and ferroelectric non-volatile memories. From 2015–17, I was a Member of the Board of Directors of the Materials Research Society. I am a Fellow of the American Physical Society and a Senior Member of the IEEE. I earned a Ph.D. degree in Physics from Harvard University in 1996, studying with Professor Michael Tinkham. I earned B.S. degrees in Physics and Mathematics from Vanderbilt University in 1991.

### "Integrated Optical Control of Atomic Quantum Systems"

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### **Abstract:**

Practical quantum information processing requires significant advances over current systems in error and robustness of basic operations, and in scale. The fundamental qualities of trapped atomic ion qubits are promising for long-term systems, and have enabled leading systems in both academic and commercial efforts today. The optics required have however presented a central challenge in scaling. Interfacing low-noise atomic qubits with scalable integrated photonics [1] has emerged as a promising route forward, enabling practical extensibility while simultaneously lending robustness to noise . After a brief introduction to trapped-ion QC, I will discuss recent experiments utilizing ion trap devices with integrated waveguide optical delivery, demonstrating methods that facilitate scaling while simultaneously reducing key sources of error in sensitive quantum logic operations [2]. I will discuss novel possibilities for basic quantum operations enabled by structured light profiles practically delivered with such approaches; opportunities and challenges in photonics posed by applications in atomic systems [3]; and possibilities at this interface to advance future experiments in areas including sensing and precision metrology.

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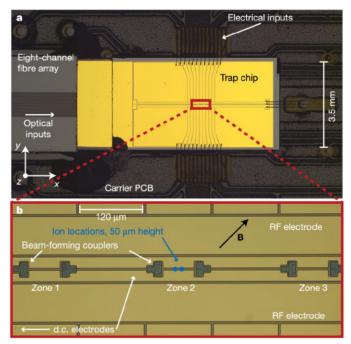
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### **Biography:**

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From [2]. Surface-electrode ion trap device with integrated optical delivery, enabling integrated high-fidelity multi-ion quantum logic. Ions are confined 50  $\mu$ m above the surface metallization. Light addressing qubits is delivered via attached optical fiber arrays to multiple channels of silicon nitride waveguides on chip, and emitted to ions above the surface via beam-forming grating couplers emitting through openings in the electrode patterns.

### Intercalation and Functionalization in 2D Materials

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#### **Abstract:**

The large surface areas and interlayer gaps of 2D materials enable surface functionalization and intercalation as effective post-synthesis design knobs to tune the properties of 2D materials using ions, atoms, and organic molecules. For complete engineering control, detailed understanding of the interactions between the 2D materials and the molecules adsorbed on 2D materials surface or between the 2D materials and the intercalants is necessary.

I will first discuss surface functionalization to tune the electrical properties of 2D materials. We developed an experimental approach to quantitatively measure the doping powers of organic electron donors (OEDs) to monolayer MoS2. Using novel and previously studied OEDs, we demonstrate experimentally that the measured doping power is a sensitive function of molecule's reduction potential, size, surface coverage, and orientation to 2D materials [1, 2].

I will then discuss electrochemical intercalation into 2D materials to induce novel phases that were previously undetected and to study heterointerface effects on the intercalation induced phase transition [3, 4]. We discover a new structural phase in Td-WTe2 with lithium intercalation and this new phase is semiconducting even though the initial WTe2 is semimetallic and lithium ions donate electrons to WTe2. In the lithium intercalation-induced phase transition from the 2H to 1T' phase of MoS2, we show that the nucleation of the 1T' phase proceeds via heterogeneous nucleation where the nature of heterointerface dictates the thermodynamics of the phase transition.

#### **References:**

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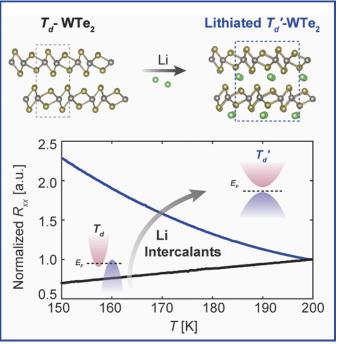
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Lithium intercalation into the gaps between layers of WTe2 converts semimetallic WTe2 to semiconducting Li-WTe2, demonstrating intercalation as a powerful tuning knob to control properties of layered materials, post synthesis.

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### **CNF USER POSTER INFORMATION & NUMBERS**

# 1

### Wang Poster Information

#### *Cilia metasurfaces for electronically programmable microfluidic manipulation* CNF Project # 241616

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### **Zheng Poster Information**

#### Ultrathin Ruthenium Electrochemical Microactuators

CNF Project # 900-00

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### **Cestarollo Poster Information**

Design and Fabrication of Integrated Magnetic Elastomer-Based Soft Actuator

CNF Project #286620

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### **Liu Poster Information**

### *Microscopic, continuum, compliant, and electronically configurable metamaterial robots*

CNF Project # 2416-16

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### Yu Poster Information

Patternable Mesoporous Thin Film Superconductors via Block Copolymer Self-Assembly: An Emergent Technology toward Quantum Metamaterials? CNF Project #: 135605 Author(s): Fei Yu, Paxton Thedford, Ulrich Wiesner Principal Investigator: Ulrich Wiesner Affiliation(s): Department of Materials Science and Engineering, Cornell University Email addresses: fy84@cornell.edu, ubw1@cornell.edu Primary CNF Tools Used: Oxford 81 Etcher, ABM Contact Aligner

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### **Kaefer Poster Information**

Chemically Amplified Photoresists with Precise Molecular Structure CNF Project #: 175709, Direct Patterning of Polymer Brushes by Electron-Beam Lithography Author(s): Florian Kaefer, Christopher Kemper Ober Principal Investigator: Christopher Kemper Ober Affiliation(s): Cornell, Department of Material Science and Engineering Email addresses: fhk28@cornell.edu, cko3@cornell.edu Primary CNF Tools Used: JEOL 6300, ASML DUV stepper 2021-2022 CNF Research Accomplishments Report, pages 46-47

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### **McCullian Poster Information**

### *Quantifying NV-Center Spectral Diffusion by Symmetry*

CNF Project #: 212612

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### **Mahalanabish Poster Information**

Nanotopographical metasurfaces for FTIR based biosensing CNF Project #: 247216 Author(s): Aditya Mahalanabish, Steven H Huang, Gennady Shvets Principal Investigator: Gennady Shvets Affiliation(s): Applied and Engineering Physics, Cornell University Email addresses: am2952@cornell.edu, hh623@cornell.edu, gs656@cornell.edu Primary CNF Tools Used: Oxford PECVD, JEOL 9500, CVC SC4500 Odd Hour Evaporator, PT 740 2021-2022 CNF Research Accomplishments Report, pages 22-23

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#### **Xie Poster Information**

Magnetic Field Sensor Based on Spin-Hall Nano-oscillators CNF Project #: 209111 Author(s): Yanyou Xie, Hil Fung Harry Cheung and Gregory D. Fuchs Principal Investigator: Prof. Gregory D. Fuchs Affiliation(s): School of Applied & Engineering Physics, Cornell University Email addresses: yx322@cornell.edu, hc663@cornell.edu, gdf9@cornell.edu Primary CNF Tools Used: JEOL9500, MA6 Contact Aligner 2021-2022 CNF Research Accomplishments Report, pages 164-165

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### **Zhang Poster Information**

#### *Investigation of palladium strains and actuation in gaseous environments* CNF Project # 273618

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### **Chung Poster Information**

**Probing Nanoscale Magnetism in Fe5GeTe2 with Magneto-Thermal Microscopy** CNF Project #: 209111

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### Liu Poster Information

*Microfluidic modeling of photosynthetic microorganisms for a sustainable future* CNF Project #: 2262-13

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### **Suh Poster Information**

Development of a 3D Microfluidic Platform for Dynamic Compression of Tumor Spheroids

CNF Project #: 206811

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### **Thomas Poster Information**

Mesenchymal Stromal Cells Transfer Functional Mitochondria to Chondrocytes in Microvesicles

**CNF Project # 286420** 

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### **Crowley Poster Information**

Microfluidic purification of photo-biotinylated DNA toward image-correlated genomics research at sub-femtoliter resolution

**CNF Project # 142506** 

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Smart Poster Information Magnetically Controlled Diffractive Robotics CNF Project # 900-00 Author(s) Conrad Smart, Zexi Liang, Melody Lim Principal Investigator: Paul McEuen Affiliation(s) Laboratory of Atomic and Solid State Physics Email addresses: cs2239@cornell.edu, zl467@cornell.edu, mxl3@cornell.edu, plm23@cornell.edu Primary CNF Tools Used: JEOL, ASML, SEM, AFM, etc. 2021-2022 CNF Research Accomplishments Report, pages 98-99

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### **Mathur Poster Information**

Spin Control and Spectroscopy of Defects in Hexagonal Boron Nitride CNF Project #: 212612 Author(s): Nikhil Mathur, Arunabh Mukherjee, Xingyu Gao, Jialun Luo, Brendan A. McCullian, Tongcang Li, A. Nick Vamivakas, Gregory D. Fuchs Principal Investigator: Gregory D. Fuchs Affiliation(s): Applied and Engineering Physics, Cornell University Email addresses: nm648@cornell.edu, gdf9@cornell.edu Primary CNF Tools Used: GCA 5x Stepper, AJA Sputter Deposition

### **Alfonso Poster Information**

Super-resolution imaging of unusual metal-responsive transcriptional regulation mechanisms in bacteria

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### **Luo Poster Information**

Magneto-photoluminescence in Single GaN Quantum Emitters

CNF Project # 212612

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### **Reynolds Poster Information**

In-air Electrochemical Polymer Microactuators for Mi-crorobotics

CNF Project #: 273618

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Growth and fabrication of N-polar high-electron-mobility transistors

**CNF Project # 280019** 

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Choi Poster Information *Electric field sensing using inter- and intra-layer excitons in WSe2* CNF project number: 212612 Authors: Jaehong Choi Principal Investigator: Greg Fuchs Affiliation: Applied and Engineering Physics, Cornell University Email address: jc3452@cornell.edu, gdf9@cornell.edu Primary CNF Tools Used: GCA 5X g-line stepper, SC4500 Odd-Hour Evaporator, Anatech Resist Strip 2021-2022 CNF Research Accomplishments Report, pages 124-125

### **Guo Poster Information**

Developing a single spin microscope for nanoscale magnetic imaging CNF Project #: 212612 Author(s): Qiaochu Guo, Anthony D'Addario, Yang Cheng, Jeremy Kline, Isaiah Gray, Hil Fung Harry Cheung, Fengyuan Yang, Katja Nowack, Gregory D. Fuchs Principal Investigator: Katja Nowack, Gregory D. Fuchs Affiliation(s): Cornell AEP Email addresses: qg58@cornell.edu, kcn34@cornell.edu, gdf9@cornell.edu Primary CNF Tools Used: photolithography

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### **Bosch Poster Information**

### Tunable Semiconductor Metasurfaces for Active Lensing

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### Liang & Lim Poster Information

Self-Assembling Digital Magnetic Polymer CNF Project # 296421 Author(s): Zexi Liang, Melody Xuan Lim Principal Investigator: Itai Cohen, Paul McEuen Affiliation(s): LASSP Email addresses: zl467@cornell.edu, mxl3@cornell.edu, ic64@cornell.edu, plm23@cornell.edu Primary CNF Tools Used: ASML stepper, JEOL 6300, Oxford PECVD, AJA sputter, ebeam evaporator 2021-2022 CNF Research Accomplishments Report, pages 98-99, 110-111

### **Zhao Poster Information**

### X-band and Ku-band epitaxial AlN-on-SiC FBARs

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Struzyk Poster Information Biodegradable Phosphate Sensor for Agricultural Use Author(s): Ariel A. Struzyk, Elizabeth V. Schell, and Mark G. Allen NNCI REU Principal Investigator: Mark G. Allen NNCI REU Affiliation(s): The Singh Center REU Program: Singh Center for Nanotechnology, University of Pennsylvania Elizabeth and Professor Allen's affiliation: Electrical and Systems Engineering, University of Pennsylvania Ariel's affiliation: College of Engineering, Cornell University Email addresses: aas324@cornell.edu, evschell@seas.upenn.edu, mallen@upenn.edu (Not Eligible for CNF User Poster Awards)

### **Chen, Yulan Poster Information**

Exploring Magnetic Nanochain Anisotropy for Flexible Composite Micro-Actuators CNF Project # 286720 Author(s): Yulan Chen; Amal El-Ghazaly Principal Investigator: Amal El-Ghazaly Affiliation(s): Materials Science and Engineering, Cornell University Email addresses: yc2555@cornell.edu; ase63@cornell.edu Primary CNF Tools Used: AFM - Veeco Icon; Zeiss Ultra SEM

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### **Tan Poster Information**

Electroluminescence Study of Buried Tunnel Junction Laser Diode CNF Project #: 280119 Author(s): Justin Tan, Len van Deurzen, Vladimir Protasenko, Grace Xing, Debdeep Jena Principal Investigator: Debdeep Jena Affiliation(s): ECE, AEP, MSZE, Cornell University Email addresses: jt779, dj326 Primary CNF Tools Used: photolithography

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### **D'Addario Poster Information**

*Dynamic strain measurements in thin-film bulk acous-tic resonators with stroboscopic x-ray diffraction microscopy* 

CNF Project #212612

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### **Maiti Poster Information**

Liquid crystal-based sensors for guiding chemotaxis in microrobots

CNF Project #: 287420

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Primary CNF Tools Used: Heidelberg Mask Writer, ABM contact aligner, Dicing Saw - DISCO

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### **Huang Poster Information**

### Visualization of solvent-induced organization of polypeptide rod brushes via fluorescent probes and molecular simulations

CNF Project #: 1757-09

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### **Pelster Poster Information**

Strong Bulk Electrochemical Actuators for Micro-Scale Applications

CNF Project #: 2416-16

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Kuan Poster Information Nuclear Spin Dephasing in NV centers under Optical Illumination CNF Project #: 212612 Author(s): Johnathan Kuan, Anthony D'Addario Principal Investigator: Gregory Fuchs Affiliation(s): Department of Physics, Applied and Engineering Physics, Cornell University Email addresses: jk2788@cornell.edu, ajd344@cornell.edu, gdf9@cornell.edu Primary CNF Tools Used: GCA 5x g-line stepper, AJA sputter deposition 2021-2022 CNF Research Accomplishments Report, pages 100-101

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### **Mokhtare Poster Information**

Selective single-beam acoustic tweezers for cell ma-nipulation CNF Project # Developing Microfluidic Systems for Cell Sorting and Immunoassay Purposes Author(s): Amir Mokhtare, Alireza Abbaspourrad Principal Investigator: Alireza Abbaspourrad Affiliation(s): College of Agriculture and life Sciences, Cornell University Email addresses: am2964@cornell.edu, ali-reza@cornell.edu Primary CNF Tools Used: DWL2000, Odd evaporator, PT740 2021-2022 CNF Research Accomplishments Report, pages 28-29

### VanderBurgh Poster Information

Scalable continuous-flow electroporation platform en-abling T cell transfection for cellular therapy manufacturing CNF Project #290020 Author(s) Jacob VanderBurgh, Thomas Corso, Stephen Levy, Harold Craighead Principal Investigator: Harold Craighead Affiliation(s): CyteQuest Email addresses: jvander-burgh@cytequest.com and hcraighead@cytequest.com Primary CNF Tools Used: Odd hour evaporator 2021-2022 CNF Research Accomplishments Report, pages 36-37

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Jadhav Poster Information HZO-based FerroNEMS MAC for In-Memory Computing CNF Project #: 112103 Author(s): Shubham Jadhav, Ved Gund, Amit Lal Principal Investigator: Amit Lal Affiliation(s): School of Electrical and Computer Engineering, Cornell University Email addresses: saj96@cornell.edu; vvg3@cornell.edu; amit.lal@cornell.edu Primary CNF Tools Used: SUSS MA-6 contact aligner, CVC SC-4500 Odd-hour evaporator, Zeiss SEM, Arradiance ALD, AJA sputter deposition Primaxx Vapour HF Etcher, Xactix Xenon Difluoride Etcher, AJA ion mill, P7 Profilometer, Zygo Optical Profilometer, Flexus Film Stress Measurement 2021-2022 CNF Research Accomplishments Report, pages 54-55

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Norris Poster Information *Optically Powered Microscopic Bubble Rockets* CNF Project # 900-00 Author(s) Samantha Norris, Michael Reynolds, Alejandro Cortese, Paul McEuen Principal Investigator: Paul McEuen Affiliation(s): Cornell Physics Email addresses: sn588@cornell.edu, mfr74@cornell.edu, ajc383@cornell.edu, plm23@cornell.edu Primary CNF Tools Used: Heidelberg 2000, ABM Contact aligner, Oxford etchers, Oxford PECVD 2021-2022 CNF Research Accomplishments Report, pages 116-117

### **Ghajari Poster Information**

Microsystems for Autonomous Sensors and Actuators CNF Project #: 265818 Author(s): Shahaboddin Ghajari, Sunwoo Lee, Michael Reynolds, Daniel Palmer, Samantha Norris, Paul McEuen, Alyosha Molnar Principal Investigator: Alyosha Molnar, Paul McEuen Affiliation(s): Cornell, ECE Email addresses: sg2367@cornell.edu, plm23@cornell.edu, am699@cornell.edu Primary CNF Tools Used: ABM, Gamma Automatic Tool, YES Vapor Prime Oven, Oxford 80 / 100 2021-2022 CNF Research Accomplishments Report, pages 60-61

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#### **Sun Poster Information**

Towards ultra-resolution mechanical detection of elec-tron magnetic resonance CNF Project # 863-00 Author(s): Peter Sun Principal Investigator: John Marohn Affiliation(s): Chemistry and Chemical Biology Email addresses: hs859@cornell.edu, jam99@cornell.edu Primary CNF Tools Used: JEOL 6300

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### Lee Poster Information

Micro-scale Opto-electrically Transduced Electrodes for Electrophysiological Monitoring

**CNF Project # 257817** 

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### **Alvarez Poster Information**

*High thermal conductivity and ultrahigh thermal boundary conductance of homoepitaxial AIN thin films* 

**CNF Project # 275819** 

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**Xu Poster Information** 

Coupling between Superconducting Resonator and other degrees of freedom

CNF Project #: 212612

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