

Program

2025 International Conference on Semiconductor Technology for Ultra Large Scale Integrated Circuits and Thin Film Transistors (ULSIC VS TFT 9)

March 30 - April 3, 2025

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Semiconductor Technology for Ultra Large Scale Integrated Circuits and Thin Film Transistors
July 29-Aug 3, 2007

Barga, Italy

Conference Chairs:

Yue Kuo, Texas A&M University, USA
Michael Shur, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, USA
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Semiconductor Technology for Ultra Large Scale Integrated Circuits and Thin Film Transistors II
July 5-10, 2009

Xi'an, China

Conference Chairs:

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Semiconductor Technology for Ultra Large Scale Integrated Circuits and Thin Film Transistors III
June 26-July 1, 2011

Hong Kong, China

Conference Chairs:

Yue Kuo, Texas A&M University, USA
Gennadi Bersuker, Sematech, USA

Semiconductor Technology for Ultra Large Scale Integrated Circuits and Thin Film Transistors IV
July 8-11, 2013

Grenoble, France

Conference Chairs:

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Semiconductor Technology for Ultra Large Scale Integrated Circuits and Thin Film Transistors V
June 14-18, 2015

Lake Tahoe, California, USA

Conference Chairs:

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Gennadi Bersuker, Sematech, USA
Olivier Bonnaud, University of Rennes, France

Semiconductor Technology for Ultra Large Scale Integrated Circuits and Thin Film Transistors VI
May 21-25, 2017
Hernstein, Austria
Conference Chairs:
Yue Kuo, Texas A&M University, USA
Olivier Bonnaud, University of Rennes, France

Semiconductor Technology for Ultra Large Scale Integrated Circuits and Thin Film Transistors VII
May 19-23, 2019
Kyoto, Japan
Conference Chairs:
Yue Kuo, Texas A&M University, USA
Prof. Junichi Murota, Tohoku University, Japan
Prof. Yukiharu Uraoka, Nara Advanced Institute of Science and Technology

Semiconductor Technology for Ultra Large Scale Integrated Circuits and Thin Film Transistors VIII
May 14 – 18, 2023
Otaru (Sapporo), Japan
Conference Chairs:
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Sunday, March 30, 2025

17:30 – 18:30	Conference Check-in (Great Room)
18:30 – 19:30	Welcome Reception (Great Room)
19:30 – 21:00	Dinner (Dining Room)

Locations and Notes

- *Technical Sessions will be in the Conference Center*
- *Speakers – Please have your presentation loaded onto the conference computer prior to the session start (preferably the day before).*
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- *Audiotaping, videotaping and photography of presentations are prohibited*

Monday, March 31, 2025

- 07:30 – 09:00 Breakfast (Breakfast Room)
- 09:00 – 09:05 **Opening remarks** (Conference Center)
Yue Kuo, Texas A&M University & National Yang Ming Chiao Tung University
- 09:05 – 09:40 **Plenary**
Materials issues in oxide semiconductors for ULSIC and TFTs
Hideo Hosono, Institute of Science Tokyo & National Institute for Materials Science
- Session: Challenges of TFTs in ULSICs**
Chair: Andrew Flewitt, University of Cambridge
- 09:40 – 10:10 **Invited**
Nano-scale IGZO FET
Di Geng, Ling Li, Chinese Academy of Sciences
- 10:10 – 10:40 **Invited**
Monolithic Integration of Heterogeneous Complementary Thin-Film Transistors for Advanced Logic Circuits Applications
Po-Tsun Liu, Tsung-Che Chiang, Cheng-Wei Wang, Pei-Yun Huang, National Yang Ming Chiao Tung University
- 10:40 – 11:10 Coffee Break (Patio)
- 11:10 – 11:40 **Invited**
Flexible 2D transition metal dichalcogenide transistors
Quynh Thi Phung, University of Freiburg, Germany; Alwin Daus, University of Stuttgart
- Session: Flexible Electronics**
Chair: Niko Münzenrieder, Free University of Bozen-Bolzano
- 11:40 – 12:10 **Invited**
Flexible nanoscale organic thin-film transistors
Hagen Klauk, Max Planck Institute for Solid State Research
- 12:15 – 14:00 Lunch (Dining Room)
- 14:00 – 19:30 Networking / Free-time
- 16:00 – 16:30 Afternoon refreshments (Patio) & Networking
- 19:30 – 21:00 Dinner (Dining Room)
- 21:00 – 21:30 Panel Discussion: Challenges of TFTs in IC Applications

Tuesday, April 1, 2025

- 07:30 – 09:00 Breakfast (Breakfast Room)
- Session: Processes and Devices**
Chairs: Hideo Hosono, Institute of Science Tokyo
Helmut Baumgart, Old Dominion University
- 09:00 – 09:30 **Invited**
'Nano-In-Nano': Unlocking The Potential of Nanomaterials Through Low Cost, Bottom-Up Processing
Andrew Flewitt, Umer Farooq Ahmed, Gwenthvir Wyatt-Moon, University of Cambridge
- 09:30 – 10:00 **Invited**
Process and Reliability of Ferroelectric Aluminum Scandium Nitride Films
Kuniyuki Kakushima, Institute of Science Tokyo
- 10:00 – 10:30 **Investigating RF Sputtered a-IGZO Substrate Dependency: The Role of Power Density**
Inês Santos, NOVA University of Lisbon; Henrique Gomes, University of Coimbra; Tobias Cramer, University of Bologna; Pedro Barquinha, NOVA University of Lisbon
- 10:30 – 11:00 Coffee Break (Patio)
- 11:00 – 11:30 **Invited**
Low-temperature HfZrO₂ Ferroelectric Thin-Film Transistors with IGZO Channels
I-Chun Cheng, Chun-Wei Chang, Che-Chuan Lee, Kuan-Chou Buu, Sie Beng Ting, National Taiwan University
- 11:30 – 12:00 **Invited**
Optimization of Oxide TFT Device Characteristics Borrowing a-Si:H TFT Experience
Yue Kuo, National Yang Ming Chiao Tung University
- 12:00 – 12:30 **Invited**
Charge Trapping Kinetics in Back-end Compatible Zinc-based Oxide Semiconductor Thin-Film Transistors with Aluminum Oxide Gate Dielectrics
Chadwin Young, Mohammad Abousaba, Md Abdullah Al Mamun, Rodolfo A. Rodriguez-Davila, Shumiya Alam, Jongchan Kim, Tanvir Haider Pantha, Adam A. Gruszecki, Manuel Quevedo-Lopez, Kyeongjae Cho, Sourav Dutta; University of Texas at Dallas
- 12:30 – 14:00 Lunch (Dining Room)
- 14:00 – 19:30 Networking / Free-time
- 16:00 – 16:30 Afternoon Refreshments (Patio)

Tuesday, April 1, 2025 (continued)

19:30 – 21:00 Dinner (Dining Room)

21:00 – 21:15 **Poster presentation**
Over 5000-PPI OLED display with Multi-Function circuits using OSFET/Si-FET structure
Akitsugu Miyairi, Minato Ito, Munehiro Kozuma, Yuichi Yanagisawa, Takashi Shingu, Yasumasa Yamane, Yuto Yakubo, Shunpei Yamazaki, Semiconductor Energy Laboratory Co.

21:15 – 22:15 Panel Discussion: Challenges in TFT and IC Materials and Fabrication Processes

Wednesday, April 2, 2025

- 07:30 – 09:00 Breakfast (Breakfast Room)
- Session: Sensors, Memories, Imagers, Displays**
Chairs: Hagen Klauk, Max Planck Institute
Po-Tsun Liu, National Yang Ming Chiao Tung University
- 09:00 – 09:30 **Invited**
Metal-Oxide Thin-Film Transistor: Technology Development and Applications to In-Memory and In-Sensor Computation
Man Wong, Hong Kong University of Science and Technology
- 09:30 – 10:00 **Invited**
Oxide Semiconductor Based Thin-Film Transistors and Sensors on Unconventional, Flexible and Natural Substrates
Niko Münzenrieder, Free University of Bozen-Bolzano
- 10:00 – 10:30 **Invited**
Low Power Metal Oxide Semiconductor Gas Sensor for Oral H₂S Detection
Hsiao-Wen Zan, Moumita Deb, Chia-Jung Lu, Ding-Han Wang, National Yang Ming Chiao Tung University
- 10:30 – 11:00 Coffee Break (Patio)
- 11:00 – 11:30 **Invited**
New Applications for Flexible Oxide Transistors: Energy Management, Ionizing Radiation Detectors and Active Crossbar Arrays
Pedro Barquinha, NOVA FCT and NOVA University Lisbon
- 11:30 – 12:00 **Invited**
TFT-Based Pixel Circuits With Enhanced Compensation and Driving Schemes for AMOLED and Micro-LED Displays
Chih-Lung Lin, National Cheng Kung University
- 12:00 – 12:30 Discussion
- 12:30 – 14:15 Lunch (Dining Room)
- 14:30 – 18:30 Excursion (Meet at HOTEL LOBBY) to Diamante and Belvedere
- 19:00 – 19:30 Reception (Great Room)
- 19:30 – 21:30 Gala Dinner (Dining Room)

Thursday, April 3, 2025

- 07:30 – 09:00 Breakfast (Breakfast Room)
- Session: Advanced and Novel Applications**
Chairs: Olivier Bonnaud, University of Rennes & GIP-CNFM
Pedro Barquinha, NOVA FCT and NOVA University Lisbon
- 09:00 – 09:30 **Invited**
Challenges of Digital World Based on ULSI and TFT Technologies Involving New Neuromorphic Approaches
Olivier Bonnaud, University of Rennes & GIP-CNFM
- 09:30 – 10:00 **Invited**
Oxide Semiconductor LSI device for the AI age
Yuto Yakubo, Shunpei Yamazaki, Semiconductor Energy Laboratory Co.
- 10:00 – 10:30 **Invited**
TFT X-ray Image Sensor with In-pixel Computation
Kai Wang, Sun Yat-sen University
- 10:30 – 11:00 Coffee Break (Patio)
- 11:00 – 11:30 **Invited**
Review of recent Progress in the thermoelectric Figure of Merit
Helmut Baumgart, Old Dominion University and Thomas Jefferson National Accelerator Laboratories
- 11:30 – 12:00 **Invited**
Group IV Mid-Infrared Integrative Optoelectronics
Oussama Moutanabbir, École Polytechnique de Montréal
- 12:00 – 12:30 **Closing Remarks**
Yue Kuo
- 12:45 – 14:15 Lunch (Dining Room) and Departures



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2025

March 17-20	25AU	SINGLE USE TECHNOLOGIES VII: REVOLUTIONIZING MANUFACTURING FOR TOMORROW'S MEDICINES (Malta) N. Montenay, Sartorius; A. Rayat, University College London; K. Neutsch, Roche Genentech
March 30-April 3	25AM	MICROBIAL ENGINEERING III: NEW GENERATION OF CELL FACTORY TO MEET THE FUTURE CHALLENGES AND TO SEIZE NEW OPPORTUNITIES (Porto, Portugal) E. Keshavarz-Moore, University College London; T. Sauer, Sanofi
March 30-April 3	25AY	2025 INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON SEMICONDUCTOR TECHNOLOGY FOR ULTRA LARGE SCALE INTEGRATED CIRCUITS AND THIN FILM TRANSISTORS (ULSIC VS TFT 9) (Cetraro, Italy) Yue Kuo, Texas A&M University and National Yang Ming Chiao Tung University
April 27–May 2	25AC	CELL CULTURE ENGINEERING XIX (Tucson, AZ) A. Khetan, BMS; M. Yu, Gilead; M. Betenbaugh, Johns Hopkins University
May 19-23	25AG	ALKALI ACTIVATED MATERIALS AND GEOPOLYMERS: HIGH-END TECHNICAL APPLICATIONS (Finland) C. Leonelli, Università degli Studi di Modena e Reggio Emilia; J. Yliniemi, University of Oulu; W.M. Kriven, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign; J.L. Provis, University of Sheffield; A.R. Boccaccini, University of Erlangen-Nuremberg
May 18-23	25AB	BIO-CHAR IV (Santa Marta, Colombia) F. Berruti, Western University, Canada; F.C. Janna, The National University of Colombia
May 18-22	25AO	ADVANCES IN OPTICS FOR BIOTECHNOLOGY, MEDICINE AND SURGERY XVIII (Cork, Ireland) S. Gibbs, M. Skala and S. Andersson-Engels
June 1-6	25AP	POLYMER REACTION ENGINEERING XII (Clearwater, Florida) I. Konstantinov, The Dow Chemical Company; P. Iedema, University of Amsterdam; M. Grady, Axalta
June 22-27	25AT	THERMAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL BARRIER COATINGS VII (Irsee, Germany) B. Pint, Oak Ridge National Laboratory; E. Opila, University of Virginia; B. Hazel, Pratt & Whitney; Uwe Schulz, German Aerospace Center; Ram Darolia, GE Aviation (retired); B. Harder, NASA
July 6-11	25AW	MICRO- AND NANOPLASTICS IN WATER: CHARACTERIZATION, CURE AND PREVENTION (Davos, Switzerland) D. Hunkeler, Aqua+Tech
September 14-19	25AQ	PYROLIQ III – 2025: Pyrolysis and Liquefaction of Biomass and Wastes (Calabria, Italy) M. Garcia-Perez, Washington State University; Paulita Gauthier-Maradei, Institute of Science and Technologies for Sustainable Energy and Mobility, CNR; Axel Funke, KIT
Oct 5-9	25-AJ	INTEGRATED CONTINUOUS BIOMANUFACTURING VII (Dubrovnik, Croatia) I. Ramos, AstraZeneca; M. Brower, Merck; A. Jungbauer, BOKU; K. Brower, Sanofi
Oct 12-16	25AD	ELECTROPHORETIC DEPOSITION VIII: FUNDAMENTALS AND APPLICATIONS ((Calabria, Italy) A.R. Boccaccini, University of Erlangen-Nuremberg; B. Ferrari, Institute for Ceramic and Glass, Spanish Research Council; A. J. Pascall Center for Functional Nanomaterials, Brookhaven National Laboratory; F. Grasset, IRL LINK, CNRS; K. Katagiri, Hiroshima University
October 19-24	25AE	ENZYME ENGINEERING XXVIII (Helsingør, Denmark) J. Woodley, DTU; D. Heddam-Welner, DTU

October 26-31	25AS	CERAMIC MATRIX COMPOSITES III (Yamanashi, Japan) R. Darolia, GE Aerospace; K. Goto, JAXA; G. Vignoles, University of Bordeaux; S. Kitaoka, Japan Fire Ceramics Center; T. Akatsu, Tokyo University of Technology
November 2-7	25AI	BENEFICIATION OF PHOSPHATES X (Hanoi, Vietnam) Chair: P. Zhang, Florida Industrial and Phosphate Research Institute, USA; Co-Chairs: P. Vo, Ardaman & Associates Inc, USA; E. Rova, Yara Suomi Oy, Finland; A. C. Silva, Federal University of Goiás, Brazil; E. Wingate, Bechtel Australia
<u>2026</u>		
January 11-16	26AG	INNOVATIVE MATERIALS & METHODS FOR ADDITIVE MANUFACTURING III (IM2AM) (Savannah, GA) B. Compton, University of Tennessee, Knoxville; E. Eastwood, KCNSC; N. Gupta, New York University; D. Schmidt and J. Gonzalez-Gutierrez, Luxembourg Institute of Technology; P. Cortes, University of Texas at El Paso
Feb TBA	25AA	ADVANCED MEMBRANE TECHNOLOGY VIII: ENVIRONMENT, FOOD, HEALTH AND NEW FRONTIERS (TBA) J. Hestekin, University of Arkansas; U. Beusche, W.L. Gore, Inc.; D. Bhattacharyya, University of Kentucky
February 1-5	26AT	ADVANCING MANUFACTURE OF CELL AND GENE THERAPIES IX (Hilton Head, SC) J. Moscariello, BMS; C. Hoesli, McGill University; B. Marques, CenturyTC
TBA Spring	26AD	CATBIOINNOV – 2026: INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON INNOVATION IN CATALYTIC BIOMASS VALORIZATION (TBA) R. Wojcieszak, CNRS, University of Lorraine; L. Rossi, IQ, USP; K. Wilson, Griffith University; D. Vlachos, University of Delaware
April 9-13	26AC	DELIVERY OF NUCLEIC ACID THERAPEUTICS III: BIOLOGY, ENGINEERING & DEVELOPMENT (Dubrovnik, Croatia) L. Sepp-Lorenzino, Intellia Therapeutics; S. F. Dowdy, University of California San Diego School of Medicine; M. Stanton, Generational Bio
April 12-17	26AA	VACCINE TECHNOLOGY X (Porto, Portugal) T. Tagmyer, PATH; N.E. Alteras, Moderna; S. Frank, UCL; D. Cowley, AstaZeneca
May/June TBA	26AH	NANOTECHNOLOGY IN MEDICINE V: PHYSICAL TRIGGERS AND ADVANCED MATERIALS (TBA) R. Fernandes, George Washington University; J. Nguyen, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill; A. Schroeder, Technion
June 7-12	26AW	WASTELCA 5: LIFE CYCLE SUSTAINABILITY ASSESSMENT FOR WASTE MANAGEMENT AND RESOURCE OPTIMIZATION V (Cetraro (Calabria), Italy) U. Arena, University of Campania "Luigi Vanvitelli"
TBA	26AM	BIOCHEMICAL AND MOLECULAR ENGINEERING XXIV (TBA) D. Tullman-Ercek, Northwestern University; M. Blenner, University of Delaware; A. Lewis, Moderna
TBA	26AV	ENG2WINE: An International Conference on Wine and Spirits Engineering (TBA) (Anthony Dufour and Franco Berruti)
TBA	25AR	CHEMREC II: THERMOCHEMICAL RECYCLING OF PLASTICS (Dubrovnik, Croatia) S. Kersten, University of Twente; M. Pilar Ruiz, Maastricht University; E. Heeres, University of Groningen

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