## FINAL PROGRAM



EFC15

## European Fuel Cell <br> Conference \& Exhibition

Naples
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This book is dedicated to the memory of Piero Lunghi, creator of the European Fuel Cell Technology \& Applications Conference, dear friend and colleague, who prematurely passed away in a car accident on damned November 9, 2007.

Piero made significant contributions in the field of fuel cells in the course of his too short career.
He was the eading figure in the formation of the fuel cell research group at the University of Perugia and several activities and research projects initiated by him are still ongoing.
This means that, thanks to Piero, many young people are working in this exciting research field and are coming to Rome to present their results.

Therefore, Piero's memory is in the conference name but Piero's contribution is still in the contents of this book.

The memory of our friend Piero, his great personal generosity and energy, survives in our hearts, his contribution and his tenacity survive in the work of young people who carry on his vision throughout the world.

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## EXHIBITORS



The research project "Fuel Cell Lab" (FCLAB) is part of the Cluster "Energy, Environment and Green Chemistry" funded by the National Operational Programme for "Research and Competitiveness" 2007-2013, and aims to support the development of innovative technologies for energy conversion, with the aim of creating complex energy systems that combine the needs of the cheap energy availability and environmental sustainability. The research activities of the FCLAB project are oriented to:

- Development of innovative technologies for energy conversion, with the aim of creating energy systems that combine the needs of the cheap energy availability and environmental sustainability. - Development of modular technology platforms based on fuel cells for stationary poly-generation and micro-CHP and for mobile and portable power.
Among the various kind of fuel cells, the research activities are oriented to the development of molten carbonate fuel cells (MCFC) for poly-generation, solid oxide fuel cells (SOFC) for micro-CHP and polymer electrolyte (PME) for mobile applications, microbial cells (MFC) for the direct conversion of organic waste into electricity (bio- electrolysis), also in combination with anaerobic digestion processes for the production of biofuels (bio-hydrogen and bio-methane).
The innovative energy conversion systems developed within this project and, therefore, with performance characteristics in terms of efficiency, and greenhouse-gas emissions that are not reflected in the panorama of the international technology sector, will greatly contribute to the growth of the involved companies, which will broaden their horizons far beyond current areas of business.



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The research activity is organized in 4 sectors:
1 - Direct production of electric energy technologies
2 - Hydrogen and clean fuels production
3 - Energy transformation and storage technologies
4 - Integration of new energy technologies and renewable
Beside these four lines of research, there are three support activities that cut across all research lines and are: socio-economic impact analysis of cutting-edge energy technologies; study about the regulations governing the application and use of energy technologies; technology transfer and exploitation of R\&D results.

The institute is provided with 19 equipped laboratories for preparative and characterization of materials and components, energy systems and for the construction and testing of devices and prototypes.
These laboratories are located in a building which is on three levels with a total area of 4800 square meters, and includes laboratories, offices, a conference room, a library, a guest quarters and the canteen.

Moreover, the ITAE has, in an area close to its headquarters, a "Center for new energetic technology testing, innovation and industrial promotion", that is a testing center supplying technical and scientific support to companies operating in the production of innovative energy systems

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## RITMARE

is the leading national marine research project for the period 2012-2016; the overall project budget amount to 250 million euros, co-funded by public and private resources. It is coordinated by the National Research Council and involves an integrated effort of most of the scientific community working on marine and maritime issues, as well as some major industrial groups.

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## FUNDING FUEL CELLS AND HYDROGEN TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENTS ACROSS EUROPE

The Fuel Cells and Hydrogen Joint Undertaking (FCH JU) finances Research \& Development (R\&D) and Demonstration projects on fuel cells and hydrogen. It is a unique public-private partnership between the European Commission, Europes fuel cell and hydrogen industry and research organisations. A public-private partnership model works as an effective way for European intervention to coordinate R\&D activities by pooling financial resources together.

The European Union is committed to changing its transport and energy systems in pursuing a future low carbon economy. Fuel Cells and Hydrogen (FCH) technologies hold great promise for energy and transport applications from the perspective of meeting Europe's energy, environmental and economic challenges.

Hydrogen can be produced using renewable energy sources, offering a clean fuel for road transportation. Moreover, hydrogen offers the ability to store electricity, addressing the intermittent character of renewable energy. When coupled with highly efficient, silent and clean fuel cells as energy convertors, hydrogen opens up new horizons for decreasing Europe's dependency on imported fossil fuels.

The aim of the FCH JU is to accelerate the market introduction of these technologies, realising their potential as an instrument in achieving a carbon-lean energy system.

Established in 2008, the FCH JU has supported 169 projects to date. Its second phase was approved by the Council of the European Union in May 2014 under the Horizon 2020 EU funding programme, with a total budget of $€ 1.33$ billion as FCH 2 JU. This marks Europe's continued confidence and support for fuel cells and hydrogen as key technologies for decarbonising our energy system, and creating a secure sustainable energy supply capable of generating new jobs.

The FCH JU programme is structured around two research and innovation pillars dedicated to Transportation and Energy Systems, complemented by a set of Cross-Cutting research activities.

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## PLENARY SESSION

## 16th December

| 08:00-09:30 | Registration <br> Welcome and formal opening |
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|  | location: Auditorium |
| 09:30-09:45 | Welcome to the Conference and formal opening Angelo Moreno, Conference chairman |
| 09:45-10:00 | Welcome and formal opening from Institutions |
|  | WORLD ROADMAPS AND NEW HORIZONS |
| 10:00-10:20 | Horizon 2020: priorities and future perspectives for Fuel Cell and Hydrogen deployment. The role of FCH-JU Bert De Colvenaer \| FCH JU |
| 10:20-10:40 | Fuel Cell Progress and Perspectives in the United States Gregory Kleen \| DOE |
| 10:40-11:10 | Coffee Break |
| 11:10-11:30 | State of the art and long term strategy in Germany Klaus Bonhoff \| NOW |
| 11:30-11:50 | State of the art and long term strategy of Hydrogen Energy development in Japan Eiji Ohira \| NEDO |
| 11:50-12:10 | Worldwide strategies and policies aimed to improve Hydrogen and Fuel Cell technology development and commercialization Bernard Frois \|IPHE |
| 12:10-12:30 | "Mobilità Idrogeno Italia" - Strategic Plan for deployment of Hydrogen Infrastructures Angelo Moreno \| ENEA |
| $\begin{aligned} & 12: 30-13: 30 \\ & 13: 30-14: 00 \\ & 13: 30-14: 30 \end{aligned}$ | Question time \& round tab Press briefing Lunch |

## PARALLEL SESSION 1

16th December
SESSION 1a PEM MATERIALS
location: Aragonese

| 14:40-15:00 | EFC15239 <br> The effects of the composition of microporous layers on the permeability of gas diffusion layers <br> Orogbemi Olutomisin Manase \| University of Sheffield |
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| 15:00-15:20 | EFC15183 <br> Durability evaluation of innovative FEP-based gas diffusion media for PEM fuel cells <br> Latorrata Saverio \| Politecnico di Milano |
| 15:20-15:40 | EFC15288 <br> Electrochemical and membrane electrode assembly (MEA) studies <br> of performance stability of supported platinum catalyst <br> Paritosh Kumar Mohanta \| Zentrum für Sonnenenergie- und Wasserstoff-Forschung Baden-Württemberg (ZSW) |
| 15:40-16:00 | / |

SESSION 1b $\begin{aligned} & \text { NEW IDEAS IN FUEL CELL TESTING } \\ & \text { location: Sveva }\end{aligned}$
14:40-15:00 EFC15121
Upgrading a commercial PEMFC-test bench for the integration of test gases and gas leakage studies for individual stack cavities Koehrmann Frank | NEXT ENERGY-EWE-Forschungszentrum fuer Energietechnologie e. V. at the University of Oldenburg
15:00-15:20 EFC15301
Voltage peak attenuation obtained with the integrated steamer and full ceramic new kit for cell testing and gas analysis in the open-flanges ${ }^{T M}$ set-up
Ihringer Raphael | Fiaxell Sarl
15:20-15:40 EFC15079
SOFC's anode protection by bias current application: first experimental results on a short stack. Squadrito Gaetano | CNR-ITAE
15:40-16:00 EFC15248
Isochoric Differential Apparatus: an enhancement of classic Sievert instrument Testi Matteo | FBK

## SESSION 1c SOFC MODELLING

location: Santa Lucia

| 14:40-15:00 | EFC15138 <br> Dynamic modeling of solid oxide fuel cell-engine hybrid system <br> Kang Sanggyu \| Korea Institute of Machinery and Materials |
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| 15:00-15:20 | EFC15006 <br> The influence of electrolyte type on dynamic response of 1 kW-size SOFC stack <br> MilewskiJarek \| Warsaw University of Technology |
| 15:20-15:40 | EFC15119 <br> SOFC operation under partial direct reforming: numerical study on the impact <br> of carbon deposition on electrochemical performance <br> Ferrero Domenico \| Politecnico di Torino |
| 15:40-16:00 | EFC15148 <br> A novel planar solid oxide fuel cell configuration for indirect internal reforming <br> Elizalde Francisco \| University of Guanajuato |

## PARALLEL SESSION 2

## 16th December

SESSION 2a PEM MATERIALS<br>location: Aragonese

| 16:10-16:30 | EFC15296 <br> Iodine doped graphene as catalyst for fuel cells <br> Adriana Marinoiu \| National RD Institute for Cryogenics and Isotopic Technologies- ICSI |
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| 16:30-16:50 | EFC15166 <br>  <br> New high-temperature proton conducting polymer nanocomposite membranes <br> Latorrata Saverio \| Politecnico di Milano |
| 16:50-17:10 | EFC15032 <br>  <br> Electrocatalytic layers based on reduced graphene oxide for PEM electrochemical systems <br> Grigoriev Sergey \| National Research University "Moscow Power Engineering Institute" |
|  | EFC15166 |
|  | Synchrotron SAXS and GISAXS characterization of Pt catalyst nano-morphology <br> in high temperature PEM fuel cells <br> Taccani Rodolfo \| Università degli Studi di Trieste |

SESSION 2b NEW FUEL CELL DESIGN STRATEGIES location: Sveva

| 16:10-16:30 | EFC15074 |
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|  | Structural and conceptual challenges in high-temperature fuel cells <br> Michel Cassir \| PSL Research University |
| 16:30-16:50 | EFC15087 <br>  <br> Design and experimental evaluation of a novel SOFC stack concept with parallel-connected cells <br> Ihringer Raphael \| Fiaxell Sarl |
| 16:50-17:10 | EFC15009 |
|  | Control strategies to minimize cell degradation in fuel cell gas turbine hybrids |
| Zaccaria Valentina \| U.S. Department of Energy, NETL |  |

SESSION 2c REFORMING
location: Santa Lucia

| 16:10-16:30 | EFC15096 <br> Green fuels from Biogas via tuned Reforming/Fischer-Tropsch route: <br> performances of Rh/CeO2 and FeOx based catalysts <br> Vita Antonio \| CNR-ITAE |
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| 16:30-16:50 | EFC15142 <br> Methane steam reforming intensification by innovative structured catalysts configuration <br> Ricca Antonio \| University of Salerno |
| 16:50-17:10 | EFC15140 <br> Oxidative Steam Reforming of Ethanol on mesoporous silica supported Pt-Ni/CeO2 catalysts <br> Ruocco Concetta \| University of Salerno |
| 17:10-17:30 $\quad$EFC15102 <br> Hydrogen produced in Pd-composite membrane reactor via bioethanol <br> reforming reaction over Me/CeO2 (Me Ni, Rh-Ni) catalysts <br> lulianelli Adolfo \| Institute on Membrane Technology of the Italian National Research Council (Cnr-itm) |  |
| 17:30-19:00 $\quad$Cocktail \& Poster Session |  |

## PARALLEL SESSION 3 <br> 17th December <br> SESSION 3a PEM LAB TESTS <br> location: Aragonese

| 9:00-9:20 | EFC15023 <br> Performance Analysis of Polybenzimidazole Fuel Cells Subjected to Different Ageing Tests Taccani Rodolfo \| Università degli Studi di Trieste |
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| 9:20-9:40 | EFC15061 <br> Polymer Fuel Cell Stack based on Sulfonic Acid Membranes with Extended Operating Temperature Range up to $120^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$ <br> Ruiu Tiziana \| German Aerospace Center (DLR) |
| 9:40-10:00 | EFC15192 <br> Investigating the effect of water vapor and residual methanol on the anode of high temperature pem fuel cell Thomas Sobi \| Aalborg University |
| 10:00-10:20 | EFC15017 <br> PEM fuel cell operating with nitrogen dioxide as contaminant Acevedo Gomez Yasna \| Royal Institute of Technology |
| SESSION 3b | SOFC MATERIALS <br> location: Sveva |
| 9:00-9:20 | EFC15151 <br> Complete Relaxation of Stresses During Reduction of Fuel Cells Frandsen Henrik Lund \| Technical University of Denmark |
| 9:20-9:40 | EFC15152 <br> Synergic interaction between CeO2 and tin in SOFC anodes. <br> Boaro Marta \| University of Udine |
| 9:40-10:00 | EFC15249 <br> Durability and stability of tungsten and nickel combined with cerium anode for SOFC with H2S containing fuel <br> Escudero Maria Jose \| CIEMAT |
| 10:00-10:20 | EFC15037 <br> Direct Utilisation of Ethanol in Solid Oxide Fuel Cells using a Protective Catalytic Layer-modified Anode Arico' Antonino Salvatore \| CNR-ITAE |
| SESSION 2c | BIOFULLED HIGH-TEMPERATURE FUEL CELLS location: Santa Lucia |
| 9:00-9:20 | EFC15075 <br> Analysis of the exploitation of biogas from waste in high efficiency SOFC plants: from WWTP to agro-industrial sectors <br> Gandiglio Marta \| Politecnico di Torino |
| 9:20-9:40 | EFC15077 <br> Harvesting Energy from Wastewater: the SOFCOM Polygeneration Plant Lanzini Andrea \| Politecnico di Torino |
| 9:40-10:00 | EFC15139 <br> Performance characterization of a novel sorbent for anaerobic gas desulfurization finalized to high temperature fuel cell applications <br> Barelli Linda \| University of Perugia |
| 10:00-10:20 | EFC15135 <br> Vanadium-Ceria Catalysts for H2S abatement from biogas to feed to MCFC <br> Barba Daniela \| University of Salerno |
| 10:20-10:40 | Coffee Break |

## PARALLEL SESSION 4 <br> 17th December <br> SESSION 4a PEM AUTOMOTIVE <br> location: Aragonese

| 10:40-11:00 | EFC15155 <br> AutoStack-Core-Industry led European consorti-um to develop next generation automotive stack hardware <br> Jörissen Ludwig \| ZSW |
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| 11:00-11:20 | EFC15088 <br>  <br> Concept for fuel cell based mobility with closed CO2-cycle <br> Christoph Immisch \| CUTEC-Institut GmbH |
| 11:20-11:40 | EFC15244 <br>  <br> Detection of coolant leakage for thermal management system of fuel cell vehicle <br> Park Jisoo \| Chungnam National University |
| 11:40-12:00 | EFC15068 <br>  <br> Efficient Hydrogen Supply System with Cascaded PEMFC Stack and Ejector <br> Jenssen Dirk \| Volkswagen AG |

SESSION 4b MODELLING APPROACHES
location: Sveva

| 10:40-11:00 | EFC15217 <br> The openFuelCell project: recent progress and future developments <br> Beale Steven \| Forschungszentrum Jülich GmbH |
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| 11:00-11:20 | EFC15211 <br> Coupling Continuum and Pore-Network Models in Polymer-Electrolyte Fuel Cells <br> Weber Adam \| Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory |
| 11:20-11:40 | EFC15112 <br> Full multi-scale modelling approach of PEMFC degradation mechanisms: <br> upscaling method by a bottom-up approach <br> Mathias Gerard \| CEA LITEN |
| 11:40-12:00 $\quad$EFC15251 <br> Effect of the current collector structure on the performance of the molten carbonate fuel cells: <br> the combined computational and experimental study <br> Lee Chang-whan \| KIST |  |

SESSION 4c SOFC FUELLING
location: Santa Lucia

| 10:40-11:00 | EFC15021 <br> Operation of micro-tubular solid oxide fuel cells with a porous zirconia support on methane fuel <br> Panthi Dhruba \| The University of Tokyo |
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| 11:00-11:20 | EFC15025 <br> SOFC fed with European standard road diesel by an adiabatic pre-reforming fuel processor for 1000 hours <br> Kleinohl Nils \| OWI Oel-Waerme-Institut GmbH |
| 11:20-11:40 | EFC15067 |
| The effect of doping on the ionic conductivity of SOFCs Ni-YSZ anodes operated <br> in carbon- and sulfur-containing fuels <br> Rolland Mélanie \| Department of Industrial Engineering, Università degli Studi di Trento |  |
| 11:40-12:00 | EFC15120 <br> SOFC Anodes for the Direct Utilization of Ethanol as Fuel <br> Venancio Selma Aparecida Venancio \| Hydrogen Laboratory COPPE/UFR) (Federal University of Rio of Janeiro |
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## PARALLEL SESSION 5

## 17th December

| SESSION 5a | PEM MATERIALS <br> location: Aragonese |
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| 12:10-12:30 | EFC15164 <br> A highly active and stable Pt-skin over PtCu3/C intermetallic shell ORR electrocatalyst <br> Hocevar Stanko \| National Institute of Chemistry |
| 12:30-12:50 | EFC15275 <br> Cobalt-doped carbon nanofibers as effective ORR catalyst <br> Mahmoud Mohamed \| Minia University |
| 12:50-13:10 | EFC15022 <br> Advancement of Group 4 and 5 Metal Oxide Cathode Based Cathode for PEFCs <br> Ota Kenichiro \| Yokohama National University |
| SESSION 5b | PEM MODELLING <br> location: Sveva |
| $12: 10-12: 30$ | EFC15078 <br> Mass transport issues in low Platinum loading catalyst layers for polymer fuel cells <br> Baricci Andrea \| Politecnico di MIlano |
| $12: 30-12: 50$ | EFC15062 <br> Modelling membrane hydration and water balance of a PEM fuel cell |
| Liso Vincenzo \| Aalborg University |  |

SESSION 5c SOFC FUELLING
location: Santa Lucia

| 12:10-12:30 | EFC15230 |
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|  | Convion SOFC system development |
|  | Stenberg Henri \| Convion |
| 12:30-12:50 | EFC15076 |
|  | Crossing effects of contaminants on SOFC single cells fed by biogas <br> Papurello Davide \| Politecnico di Torino |

12:50-13:10 EFC15144
Experimental and modeling investigation of IT-SOFC for use with biogas and syngas mixtures Donazzi Alessandro | Politecnico di Milano

13:10-14:10 Lunch

## PARALLEL SESSION 6 17th December

## SESSION 6a HT-PEM SYSTEMS

location: Aragonese

| 14:10-14:30 | EFC15029 <br> Recent Results from the JU Project CISTEM <br> Rastedt Maren \| NEXT ENERGY • EWE Research Centre for Energy Technology at the University of Oldenburg |
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| 14:30-14:50 | EFC15108 <br> Long term performance optimization of a high temperature PEM fuel cell based cogeneration system <br> Najafi Behzad \| Politecnico di Milano |
| 14:50-15:10 | EFC15252 <br> Modeling and simulations of 5kWe HT-PEMFC system for residential heat and power generation Han Donghee \| INHA University |
| SESSION 6b | HIGH-TEMPERATURE FUEL CELL MATERIALS location: Sveva |
| 14:10-14:30 | EFC15031 <br> Electrochemical and Microstructural Studies of the Redox Behaviour of a Ni-YSZ Anode Vladikova Daria \| IEES-BAS |
| 14:30-14:50 | EFC15049 <br> Study of microstructural properties of durable electrodes for MCFC and correlation to long-term operation of single cells. <br> Frattini Domenico \| University of Naples Parthenope, Department of Engineering |
| 14:50-15:10 | EFC11048 <br> Influence of Lithium on the Sintering Behavior and on Electrical Properties of Gd-Doped Ceria Electrolyte for IT-SOFC <br> Accardo Grazia \| Università Parthenope Napoli |
| SESSION 6c | REGULATIONS, CODES \& STANDARDS location: Santa Lucia |
| 14:10-14:30 | EFC15308 <br> Activities for deregulation and standardization on fuel cell technologies Hashimoto Noboru \| Panasonic Corporation |
| 14:30-14:50 | EFC15207 <br> Variability and Comparability of Testing Procedures for PEMFC Modules and Stacks regarding Performance and Safety Aspects Harms Corinna \| NEXT ENERGY - EWE Research Centre for Energy Technology |
| 14:50-15:10 | EFC15209 <br> Solid Oxide Cell and Stack Testing, Safety and Quality Assurance (SOCTESQA) Lang Michael \| German Aerospace Center (DLR) |

## PARALLEL SESSION 7 <br> 17th December

SESSION 7a GRID BALANCING \& ENERGY STORAGE
location: Aragonese
15:20-15:40 EFC15013
Romanian participation into European assessment project by the name of HyUnder, multi-criterial analyses of salt cavern locations lordache loan | ICIT Rm. Valcea
EFC15118
Battery and hydrogen-based systems to store electric energy from renewable sources: performance and comparisons Cristofaro Roberta | Fuel Cell Lab

16:00-16:20
EFC15167
EDEN: Novel power-to-power system for enhanced hydrogen storage in solid state
Crema Luigi | Fondazione Bruno Kessler
SESSION 7b SOFC MATERIALS
location: Sveva
15:20-15:40 EFC15185
Effect of synthetic route on performance of La0.8Sr1.2Fe0.9Cu0.104 $\pm \delta$ electrodes for symmetrical solid oxides fuel cells Cordaro Giulio | Politecnico di Milano
15:40-16:00
EFC15228
Strontium and copper doped lanthanum cobaltites: new cathode materials for Solid Oxide Fuel Cells? Glisenti Antonella | University of Padova

16:00-16:20
EFC11146
Evaluation of Ba deficient $\mathrm{NdBaCo2O5}+\mathrm{d}$ oxide as cathode material for IT-SOFC Donazzi Alessandro | Politecnico di Milano

SESSION 7c HYDROGEN PRODUCTION \& CATALYSIS
location: Santa Lucia

| 15:20-15:40 | EFC15297 <br>  <br>  <br> Catalytic Hydrogen Production from Ammonia over Ru/La(x)-Al2O3 (x 0-10 mol \%) <br> Park Hyun S. \| Korean Institute of Science and Technology |
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| 15:40-16:00 | EFC15082 |
|  | CO2 to Methanol through direct catalytic conversion by structured promoted CeO2 based catalysts <br> Palella Alessandra \| CNR-ITAE |
| 16:00-16:20 | EFC15055 <br>  <br> Catalytic activity of Me/CeO2-based (Me Rh, Pt) catalysts in pellet and monolith <br> form towards the steam reforming of n-dodecane <br> Italiano Cristina \| CNR-ITAE |

## PARALLEL SESSION 8

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SESSION 8a GRID BALANCING \& ENERGY STORAGE
location: Aragonese

| 16:40-17:00 | EFC15103 <br>  <br>  <br>  <br> Techno-economic analysis of power-to-gas storage options of wind farms in day-ahead markets <br> Lanzini Andrea \| Politecnico di Torino |
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| 17:00-17:20 | EFC15069 |
|  | Reducing wind farm forecast errors and providing balancing energy with a fuel cell / electrolyzer system <br> Grueger Fabian \| Reiner Lemoine Institut gGmbH |
| 17:20-17:40 | / |

SESSION 8b OFF-GRID SYSTEMS
location: Sveva
16:40-17:00 EFC15287
FCPowered RBS: a demonstration project to supply Telecom Stations through FC technology.
Installation of Remote Sites and Data Analysis.
Mulone Vincenzo | University of Rome Tor Vergata
17:00-17:20 EFC15291
Alkammonia: Fuel Cell for the global industry telecommunications
Carletta Federica | FAST
17:20-17:40 EFC11274
Design and fabrication of miniaturized pem fuel combined microreactor with self regulated hydrogen mechanism
Balakrishnan Arvind | University of Freiburg, IMTEK.
SESSION 8c HYDROGEN PRODUCTION \& CATALYSIS
location: Santa Lucia
16:40-17:00 EFC15083
Fuel production by photocatalytic conversion of CO 2 and Water from the cement works emissions Palella Alessandra | CNR-ITAE
17:00-17:20
EFC15182
Fermentative hydrogen production by the hyperthermophilic bacterium Thermotoga neapolitana Pradhan Nirakar | University of Cassino and Southern Lazio
17:20-17:40

17:40-19:00
EFC15197
Innovative fuel cell, electrolysis, and hydrogen energy technologies for transport Colella Whitney | Johns Hopkins University (JHU)

Cocktail \& Poster Session

## PARALLEL SESSION 9

## 18th December

SESSION 9a PEM LAB TESTS
location: Aragonese

| 9:00-9:20 | EFC15260 <br> Hydrogen Recirculation and Purge Strategy in Self-humidified PEM Fuel Cell System <br> Migliardini Fortunato \| Istituto Motori of National Research Council of Italy |
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|  | EFC15051 <br> Kinetics of water sorption and desorption in Nafion® membrane: <br> influence of the interfacial mass transfer coefficient. <br> Sophie Didierjean \| Lorraine University |
| 9:40-10:00 | EFC15041 |
|  | Water nucleation mechanism in planar breathing fuel cells |
| Erwan Coz \| CEA Grenoble |  |

SESSION 9b FUEL CELL SYSTEM INTEGRATION
location: Sveva

| 9:00-9:20 | EFC15173 <br>  <br> New concept of highly integrated MSR - HT PEMFC system for small portable power units <br> 9:20-9:40$\quad$Hocevar Stanko \| National Institute of Chemistry |
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|  | EFC15198 <br> Innovative fuel cell systems for addressing constraints in stationary power <br> Colella Whitney \| Johns Hopkins University UHU) |
| 9:40-10:00 | EFC15298 <br> Sofc stack coupled with dry reforming <br> Cinti Giovanni \| Università degli Studi di Perugia |
| 10:00-10:20 | EFC15035 <br> SOFC Hybrid Plants: Experimental Analysis on a Re-Compression System <br> Ferrari Mario Luigi \| University of Genoa |

SESSION 9c ALTERNATIVE FUEL CELLS
location: Santa Lucia

| 9:00-9:20 | EFC15264 <br> Development of miniature enzymatic fuel cells for healthcare applications <br> Di Lorenzo Mirella \| University of Bath |
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| 9:20-9:40 | EFC15188 <br> Polyacrinolytrile derived carbon based nanofiber mats as anodes in Microbial Fuel Cells <br>  <br> Massaglia Giulia \| Italian Institute of Technology IIT (CSHR(at)polito) |
| 10:00-10:00 | EFC15186 <br> Porous electrode optimization in anion-exchange membrane fuel cells <br> Carlson Annika \| Royal Institute of Technology |
|  | EFC15018 <br> Silver/Manganese Dioxide Compounds for Enhanced Oxygen Reduction Capabilities <br> in Fuel Cell/Battery System <br> Musil Mike \| The University of Tokyo |
| 10:20-10:40 | Coffee Break |

## PARALLEL SESSION 10

## 18th December

SESSION 10a PEM LAB TESTS<br>location: Aragonese

| 10:40-11:00 | EFC15084 <br> Novel macro-segmented fuel cell approach to investigation of localized degradation in PEMFCs <br> Rabissi Claudio \| Politecnico Di Milano |
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| 11:00-11:20 | EFC15145 <br>  <br> Electrochemical Impedance Spectroscopy for PEM Fuel Cell Degradation Diagnostics <br> Ivan Pivac \| FESB University of Split |
| 11:20-11:40 | EFC15086 <br> Local electrochemical impedance spectroscopy measurements of the cathode ionic resistance <br> of a PEMFC. A tool for the characterization of degradation <br> Gaumont Thomas \| CEA |
| 11:40-12:00 | EFC15045 <br> Determination of Reversible and Irreversible Voltage Losses in PEM Fuel Cells <br> Gazdzicki Pawel \| German Aerospace Center (DLR) |

## SESSION 10b FUEL CELLS IN REVERSE MODE

location: Sveva

## 10:40-11:00 EFC15170

Coupling of a high temperature electrolyser with concentrated solar energy Monnerie Nathalie | DLR

11:00-11:20 EFC15038
Enhanced performance and cost-effective materials for long-term operation of PEM water electrolysers coupled to renewable power sources
Arico' Antonino Salvatore | CNR-ITAE
11:20-11:40 EFC15008
Performance and Durability of the MoIten Carbonate Electrolysis Cell (MCEC) Hu Lan | KTH Royal Institute of Technology

11:40-12:00 EFC15058
Lectrochemical models development for the prediction of sofc and soec behaviors and performance Scarfogliero Simona | University of Naples "Parthenope"

## SESSION 10c DIRECT ALCOHOL FUEL CELLS

location: Santa Lucia

| 10:40-11:00 | EFC15115 <br>  <br>  <br>  <br>  <br> Experimental analysis of DMFC cathode temporary degradation \| Politecnico di Milano |
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| 11:00-11:20 | EFC15085 <br>  <br> Methanol tolerant Pd-based electrocatalysts for the oxygen reduction reaction <br> Lo Vecchio Carmelo \| C.N.R. Istituto di Tecnologie Avanzate per l'Energia "Nicola Giordano" |
| 11:20-11:40 | EFC15276 <br>  <br>  <br> Electrocatayltic activity of graphene containing different percentages of Nickel to ethanol oxidation <br>  <br> Mahmoud Mohamed \| Minia University |
|  | EFC15138 |
|  | Effect of Flow Channel Size on Carbon Dioxide and Product Water Exhausts |
| in a Small Direct Methanol Fuel Cell |  |
|  | Nakashima Kohei \| Meijo University |

## PARALLEL SESSION 11

## 18th December

SESSION 11a PEM PLATES
location: Aragonese

| 12:10-12:30 | EFC15150 <br> Study of the processing and geometric parameters on forming of the metallic bipolar plates <br> of PEM fuel cell with pin-type pattern by using hydroforming method <br> Belali Owsia Moosa \| Babol Noshirvani University of Technology |
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| 12:30-12:50 | EFC15176 <br> Effect of Mixed Torsion and Bending on Performance <br> of Bendable Polymer Electrolyte Fuel Cell based on PDMS Endplates <br> Park Taehyun \| Seoul National University |
| 12:50-13:10 | // |

## SESSION 11b FUEL CELL SYSTEMS

location: Sveva
12:10-12:30 EFC15078
SOFC in Auxiliary Power Units (APU) for aeronautic applications
Micoli Luca | University of Naples Federico II
12:30-12:50 EFC15292
ower Up: 500 kWe alkaline fuel cell system with heat capture
Essameldin Aly Ahmed | Federazione delle associazioni scientifiche e tecniche
12:50-13:10
EFC11294
KnowHy - Improving the Knowledge in Hydrogen and Fuel Cell Technology
for Technicians and Workers
Ispano Giulia | FAST

## SESSION 11c FUEL CELLS IN THE COMMODITY INDUSTRY <br> location: Santa Lucia

EFC15133
Modeling of a MW scale PEM fuel cell power plant integrated in industrial chlor-alkali process
Guandalini Giulio | Politecnico di Milano
12:30-12:50
EFC15136
Coupling Solid Oxide Electrolyser (SOE) and ammonia production plant Cinti Giovanni | Università degli Studi di Perugia
12:50-13:10
EFC15195
Techno-economic analysis of producing hydrogen using electrolyzers based solid oxide electrolysis cells (SOECs)
Colella Whitney | Johns Hopkins University (UHU)

# SIDE EVENT <br> MICROBIAL <br> FUEL CELL <br> SESSION 

PROGRAM


16th DECEMBER

| 14,40-15,00 | EFC15070 | Haluk Beyenal Washington State University | Key Note | Evaluation of long-term performance of sediment microbial fuel cells and the role of natural resources |
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| 15,00-15,20 | EFC15100 | Gajda Iwona Bristol BioEnergy Centre |  | Microbial Fuel Cell - a self-powered wastewater electrolyser for electrocoagulation |
| 15,20-15,40 | EFC15109 | Pizza Francesca Vettabbia S.c.a r.l. |  | Experimentation of Microbial fuel cells in progress at Milano-Nosedo Wastewater Treatment Plant |
| 15,40-16,00 | EFC15263 | Di Lorenzo Mirella University of Bath |  | Towards miniature microbial fuel cells for water quality monitoring |
| 16,10-16,30 | EFC15026 | Falcucci Giacomo Univ. of Naples "Parthenope" |  | Performance assessment of of Microbial Fuel Cells fed by solid organic waste |
| 16,30-16,50 | EFC15265 | Monasterio M. Sara Univ. Degli Studi di Cagliari |  | A Cascade of Miniature Microbial Fuel Cells Coupled with an Electrochemical Reactor for Energy Harvesting |
| 16,50-17,10 | EFC15277 | Walter Xavier Alexis Bristol BioEnergy Centre Univ. of the West of England |  | A new design of membraneless microbial fuel cell: anode and cathode sharing the same self-stratified electrolyte of urine |
| 17,10-17,30 | EFC15280 | M. Mitov Innovative Center for Eco Energy Technologies, South-West University |  | Possible applications of freshwater sediment microbial fuel cells |
| 17,30-19,00 |  |  |  | COCKTAIL \& POSTER SESSION |
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## 17th DECEMBER

| 9,00-9,20 | EFC15313 | Abraham Nunez IMDEA WATER | Focus Note | Microbial desalination cells: wastewater treatment coupled to freshwater production |
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| 9,20-9,40 | EFC15270 | Merino J. Irene <br> Univ. of the West of England |  | Electricity and catholyte production from ceramic MFCs treating urine |
| 9,40-10,00 | EFC15095 | S. Kerzenmacher University of Freiburg |  | An air-breathing enzymatic cathode with extended lifetime by continuous laccase supply |
| 10,00-10,20 | EFC15122 | Franzetti Andrea Univ. di Milano - Bicocca |  | Use of MFC systems as biosensors of organics |
| 10,20-10,40 |  |  |  | COFFEE BREAK |
| 10,40-11,00 | EFC15222 | Erable Benjamin Laboratoire de Génie Chimique |  | The method for designing oxygen reducing biocathodes influences electrocatlytic performances, electrode colonization and bacterial population of the biofilm |
| 11,00-11,20 | EFC15117 | Colombo Alessandra <br> University of Milan |  | Investigation of different configurations of MFCs for treatment of oilfield produced water |
| 11,20-11,40 | EFC15129 | Yee Li Kang <br> University of Malaya |  | Enhancement of microbial fuel cell anode through conductive polymer |
| 11,40-12,00 | EFC15111 | Davide Perrino University of Milan |  | Solid organic substrates as fuel in microbial fuel cells: an electrochemical study |
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| 12,10-12,30 | EFC15267 | Theodosiou Pavlina BBiC |  | Gelatine as a promising printable nutrient feedstock for Microbial Fuel Cells (MFC) |
| 12,50-13,10 | EFC15205 | Marone Antonella INRA-LBE |  | Coupling of microbial electrolysis cells and dark fermentation to enhance the production of biohydrogen from agro-industrial wastewaters |
| 13,10-14,10 |  |  |  | LUNCH |
| 14,10-14,30 | EFC15105 | Grattieri Matteo Politecnico di Milano |  | Enzyme-based glucose electrode for MFC application |
| 14,30-14,50 | EFC15153 | Kamaraj Sathishkumar Elec. Gen. Nopal Biogas Waste Biomass |  | Electricity Generation from Nopal Biogas Waste Biomass using Clay Cup (cantarito) Modified Microbial Fuel Cell |
| 14,50-15,10 | EFC15278 | Nastro Rosa Anna Parthenope University of Naples |  | Use of a single-chamber,air-cathode MFC for Policyclic Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs) remediation in water environment |
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| 15,20-15,40 | EFC15227 | Martinez H. Orlando Power Elec. Lab., Univ. of Pavia |  | A power management system to parallel mfcs with different electrical characteristics |
| 15,40-16,00 | EFC15190 | Agostino Valeria \|st. It. di Tecnologia IIT |  | Comparison of enriched biofilm communities from different natural environment in a single chamber MFC with open air cathode |
| 16,00-16,20 | EFC15030 | Dellosso Penteado E. <br> University of São Paulo |  | Influence of anode volume on the performance of mfc treating winery wasterwater |
| 17,30-19,00 |  |  |  | COCKTAIL \& POSTER SESSION |

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formulating univocal procedures relevant for industry
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Monitoring, Diagnostics and Control for SOFC systems
Improving SOFC-based CHP performance through innovative diagnosis and control
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