

FINAL

The Institute of Optics 2019 Fall Industrial Associates Symposium

Thursday, October 31st through Sunday, November 3rd

Program Agenda

THURSDAY, October 31, 2019

Events held at the Hilton Garden Inn | University & Medical Center, 30 Celebration Drive, Rochester, NY
For Strategic Level Members only and others at personal invitation of Dr. Carney.

Director's Advisory Council Meeting (DAC)
Strategic IA Members and Guests
Invitation Only

2:00 PM - 5:30 PM DAC Meeting
5:30 PM - 7:00 PM DAC Reception
7:00 PM - 9:00 PM Night Cap

FRIDAY, November 1, 2019

Industrial Associates Symposium
Douglass Commons | Feldman Ballroom

All IA Members, Faculty, Staff, & Students
Special Guests Invitation Only

8:00 AM - Continental Breakfast

2:15 PM - Blake Coughenour, Sr. Optical Engr, Apple
Topic: Fresnel Lens Design Innovation

8:45 AM - Introductory Remarks

President Sarah Mangelsdorf

2:35 PM - Company Connection Intros (Part 3)
Douglass Commons | Feldman Ballroom (N → K)

9:00 AM - Welcome and Update

Professor P. Scott Carney (UR, Inst of Optics)

IA Member Companies provide brief introductions

9:15 AM - Dr. Altaf Carim, High Energy Physics

Topic: DOE Office of Science QIS Programs

2:50 PM - Kai Davies, Optics Graduate Coordinator
Topic: MS Co-ops

9:35 AM - Chris B. Schaffer, Assoc. Prof., Nancy E. and Peter C. Meinig School of Biomedical Engineering @ Cornell University on behalf of The Optical Society (OSA)
Topic: OSA Updates and Current Events

9:55 AM - Stavros Demos, Optical Materials Technology Group Leader, LLE

Topic: Relocation of the SPIE Laser damage conference to Rochester and opportunities for Industrial Partners

10:15 AM - Company Connection Intros (Part 1)
Douglass Commons | Feldman Ballroom (J → A)

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3:00 PM - Master's Student Showcase
Featuring nine (9) MS students presenting educational background, work experience, and career goals. Note: They typically expect to graduate in May.

3:30 PM - Company Connection Showcase (2 Hrs)
Wilson Commons | May Room
An interactive feature for company delegates to connect with students in a streamlined meet and greet format.
Note: Registration in advance is required.

10:45 AM - Networking Break

5:45 PM - Networking Break

11:05 AM - Nicholas Kochan, Graduate Student in Optics & President, SPIE Student Chapter

Topic: Early Career Membership & Chapter Engagement

6:00 PM - 8:30 PM: IA Reception
Douglass Commons | Feldman Ballroom

6:30 PM - Welcoming Remarks

Professor P. Scott Carney, Director of The Institute of Optics

11:20 AM - Company Connection Intros (Part 2)
Douglass Commons | Feldman Ballroom (Z → O)

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SATURDAY, November 2, 2019

8:00 AM - 5:00 PM – Company | Student Interviews
Various Rooms in Goergen Hall & Wilmot Building
(All Level IA Members)

11:50 AM - Dr. Alexis Vogt, Endowed Chair & Assoc. Prof. of Optics, MCC Engineering Tech
Topic: \$4.4M Federal Grant for MCC

12:15 PM - Lunch and Poster Session
Douglass Commons | Feldman Ballroom
Wilson Commons | Bridge Lounge

Note: Lunch will be in Feldman Ballroom

Poster Session will be in Bridge Lounge

12:00 PM Lunch - Interviewing Employers and Faculty/Staff - Goergen Hall | CR108
Students - Goergen Hall | Munnerlyn Atrium

SUNDAY, November 3, 2019

8:00 AM - 12:00 PM - Student Interviews
Various Rooms in Goergen Hall & Wilmot Building
(Select and Strategic IA members only)

1:15 PM - Graduate Student Research Talks
Featuring four (4) outstanding upper level Graduate Students (~10 minutes each)

Register for the 2019 Fall Industrial Associates Symposium

<https://fall-ia-optics-symposium.eventbrite.com>