

Montana Biofilm S&T Meeting FINAL AGENDA: July 16–18, 2013 Center for Biofilm Engineering

07/18/2013

Monday July 15

6:00–8:30 p.m. Pre-registration & welcome reception

Larkspur Foyer, Hilton Garden Inn, Bozeman

Tuesday July 16

7:30-8:00 a.m. Registration & continental breakfast

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8:00-8:10 Introductory remarks

Larkspur Ballroom
Paul Sturman, CBE Industrial
Coordinator
Chuck Pettigrew, IA Vice-Chair,
Procter & Gamble
Phil Stewart, CBE Director

SESSION 1: Oral Biofilms

8:10-8:20 Session introduction

Garth James, Medical Projects Manager, CBE; Associate Research Professor, Chemical & Biological Engineering, MSU

8:20**–**9:00 Visualizing

Visualizing the spatial organization of microbes in oral biofilms

Jessica Mark Welch, Assistant Research Scientist, Marine Biological Laboratory, The Josephine Bay Paul Center

9:00-9:30

Evaluating oral biofilm treatments using the CDC biofilm reactor and treatment imaging flow cell

Garth James

9:30–10:00 Survey of emerging approaches for control of oral biofilms

Phil Stewart

10:00-10:30 Networking Break

SESSION 2: Cyclic-di-GMP

10:30–10:50 Cyclic-di-GMP: A universal signaling molecule for bacterial biofilm formation

Michael Franklin, Associate Professor, Microbiology, CBE

10:50-11:25

Probing second messenger molecules in biofilm formation: C-di-GMP and pGpG inhibitors and chemical probes

William Wuest, Assistant Professor, Chemistry, Temple University

11:25–12:00 Elucidating and targeting cyclic-di-GMP signaling

Chris Waters, Assistant Professor, Microbiology and Molecular Genetics, Michigan State University

12:00-1:00 Catered lunch, Hilton Garden Inn

SESSION 3: Biofuels/Algal Biofilms

1:00-1:10

Session introduction

Matthew Fields, Associate Professor, Microbiology, CBE

1:10-1:40

Biofilm-based sustainable production of wastewater algae for biofuels and other co-products

Ron Sims, Biological Engineering Department Head & Co-Director, Sustainable Waste-to-Bioproducts Engineering Center, Utah State University

1:40-2:10

Direct measurement and characterization of active photosynthesis zones inside biofuel producing and wastewater remediating microalgal biofilms

Rob Gardner, Postdoctoral Researcher, CBE

2:10-2:40

Lipid profiling of *Chlamydomonas* reinhardtii cultured under three different inorganic carbon regimes

Egan Lohman, PhD Candidate, Chemical & Biological Engineering, CBE

CBE Open House: Lab demonstrations and poster session

3:00-5:00

CBE Laboratories, 3rd Floor EPS Building, MSU Detailed schedule provided at registration

Wednesday July 17

7:30-8:00 a.m. Registration & continental breakfast

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SESSION 4: Medical Biofilms

8:00–8:05 Session introduction Garth James

8:05-8:40

Molecular snapshots of pilus biogenesis, UTI pathogenesis and biofilm formation: Blueprint for therapeutics

Scott Hultgren, Professor, Molecular Microbiology; Director, Center for Women's Infectious Disease Research, Washington University Medical School

8:40-9:15 Defining biofilms on intravascular catheters as microbial

communities

Rodney Donlan, Research
Microbiologist/Biofilm Laboratory,
Division of Healthcare Quality
Promotion, Centers for Disease
Control and Prevention

9:15-9:50

Catheter-associated urinary tract infection: How pathogenesis affects prevention and management

Rabih Darouiche, MD,
VA Distinguished Service
Professor, Medicine, Surgery and
PM&R; Director, Center for
Prostheses Infection, Baylor
College of Medicine, Baylor
University

9:50-10:20 Networking Break

10:20–10:55
Efficacy of disinfection devices and protocols to remove bacterial spore contamination of needle-free connectors

Elinor Pulcini, Biosafety Manager, CBE; Assistant Research Professor, Chemical & Biological Engineering, MSU

10:55-11:15

Medical Biofilms Panel Discussion

Rod Donlan, CDC Matt Trebella, Bard Access Systems Phil Stewart, CBE Garth James, CBE

11:15-11:50 2013 State of the CBE

Phil Stewart

11:50–12:00 CBE Award Presentations:

W.G. Characklis
Outstanding Researcher
Student Citizen
Phil Stewart

12:00-1:00 Catered lunch, Hilton Garden Inn

SESSION 5: Biofilm-Mineral Interactions

1:00-1:20

Session introduction: Minerals and biofilms at the CBE

Robin Gerlach, Associate Professor, Chemical & Biological Engineering, CBE 1:20-1:45

Controlling permeability reduction in the subsurface through biofilm-induced mineral precipitation:
A multi scale approach

Adie Phillips, PhD Candidate, Chemical & Biological Engineering, CBE

1:45-2:10

I mage-based modeling of biofilminduced calcium carbonate precipitation

James Connolly, PhD Candidate, Chemical & Biological Engineering, CBE

2:10-2:35

Critical occlusion via biofilm induced calcite precipitation in porous media

Tianyu Zhang, Assistant Professor, Mathematical Sciences, CBE

2:45-3:50

CBE Industrial Associates Business Meeting

6:00-9:00 Banquet

Rockin TJ Ranch, Bozeman

Thursday July 18

7:30–8:00 a.m. Registration & continental breakfast

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SESSION 6: Biomimicry

8:00–8:10 Session introduction Phil Stewart

8:10-8:40

The art and science of biomimicry Dayna Baumeister, Co-founder,

Biomimicry 3.8

8:40-9:10

Natural product mimetics that inhibit and disperse bacterial biofilms

Christian Melander, Co-founder & Chief Research Officer, Agile Sciences; Associate Professor, Chemistry, North Carolina State University 9:10-9:40

Activity of antimicrobial peptide mimetics against fungal biofilms in vivo

Gill Diamond, Associate Professor, Oral Biology, UMDNJ-New Jersey Dental School

9:40-10:10

Packing them in: Using selfassembled protein cages to direct synthesis and packaging of polymers, minerals, and proteins

Trevor Douglas, Professor, Chemistry/Biochemistry, MSU

10:10-10:40 Networking Break

SESSION 7: Biofilm Methods

10:40-11:10

Results of a multi-laboratory evaluation of the Single Tube Method (ASTM Method E2871)

Darla Goeres, Assistant Research Professor, Chemical & Biological Engineering, CBE

11:10–11:40
Putting proteomics and metabolomics to work for you

Brian Bothner, Associate Professor, Chemistry/Biochemistry, MSU

11:40-12:10

Biofilms on orbit and on Earth: Current methods, future needs

Leticia Vega, Scientist, Water Recovery Systems Group, NASA-Johnson Space Center

12:10-12:20 Meeting Wrap-up