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Employment

- 10/18- Tenured CNRS CRCN (Section 5), Centre Interdisciplinaire de Nanoscience de Marseille
- 04/17 09/18, Postdoc, T-1, Los Alamos National Laboratory (Supervisor: Dr D Perez)
- 03/15 02/17, EUROFusion Fellow, Culham Centre for Fusion Energy (Supervisor: Prof SL Dudarev)

Education

- PhD, 09/11 03/15, Imperial College London (Physics Department. Advisor: Prof AP Sutton FRS)
- MSc, 09/10 07/11, Imperial College London (Theory and Simulation of Materials. Top Mark in Year)
- MPhys, 10/2006 07/2010, University of Oxford (4-Year Physics degree. 1st Class)

Funding Awarded (all as PI / individual)

- 2020-2023: ANR JCJC project MeMoPAS (2-year postdoc), €200k
- 2020-2022: DARI computational allocation, €20k (1.8MCPUh)
- 2019-2020: EUROFusion WPMAT/IREMEV project, €18k
- 2016-2017: IPAM Postdoctoral Residency \$12k

Individual Awards

- Finalist, Rising Stars in Computational Materials Science, Elsevier, 2020.
- Postdoc presentation award, MRS Fall 2015.
- Eurofusion research fellowship award (in addition to CCFE fellowship), December 2015.
- Springer Outstanding PhD Thesis Award, June 2015.
- Johnson-Matthey Thesis Prize, June 2015.
- Blackett Laboratory Industry Thesis Prize, January 2015.
- Materials Design Advanced Graduate Research Prize, January 2014.
- Director's prize for best overall result in MSc, October 2011.

Selected Journal Publications (all as corresponding/sole author)

• Automated calculation of defect transport tensors,

TDS and D. Perez, NPJ Computational Materials, 2020

- Anharmonic free energy of lattice vibrations in fcc crystals from a mean-field bond
 - TDS, J. Janssen, M. Todorova, J. Neugebauer et al. PRB Rapid Communications, 2020
- Defining, calculating and converging observables of kinetic transition networks
 - TDS and D.J. Wales, Journal of Chemical Theory and Computation 2020
- Machine learning surrogate models for prediction of point defect vibrational entropy
 - C. Lapointe, TDS, S. Mallat, M-C Marinica, et al. Physical Review Materials 2020
- Kink-limited Orowan strengthening explains the ductile to brittle transition of bcc metals
 - TDS and S. L. Dudarev, Physical Review Materials (Editor's Suggestion), 2018
- Self-optimized construction of transition rate matrices with Bayesian uncertainty quantification
 - TDS and D. Perez, Physical Review Materials, 2018
- Unsupervised calculation of free energy barriers in large crystalline systems
 - TDS and M. C. Marinica, Physical Review Letters, 2018
- Computing energy barriers from QM/MM simulations through the virtual work principle
 - TDS and J.R. Kermode, Physical Review B, 2017
- Fast, vacancy free climb of dislocation loops in bcc metals
 - TDS, K. Arakawa, S. L. Dudarev et al., Scientific Reports, 2016
- The classical mobility of highly mobile crystal defects
 - TDS, S. L. Dudarev and A. P. Sutton, Physical Review Letters, 2014
- Collective transport in the discrete Frenkel-Kontorova model

TDS, Physical Review E, 2013

Book Publications

• Stochastic Dynamics of Crystal Defects

TDS, Outstanding Thesis Series, Springer, 2015

Publicly Released Software (sole author unless otherwise stated)

• PAFI: Projected Average Force Integrator (C++11 / Python)

https://github.com/tomswinburne/pafi.git, 2020

• Fix-PAFI module in LAMMPS package (allowing constrained dynamics for PAFI code, C++)

https://github.com/lammps/lammps.git, 2020

• TAMMBER: Temperature Accelerated Markov Models with Bayesian Estimation of Rates (C++11)

(with D Perez, LANL) https://github.com/tomswinburne/tammber.git, 2020

• BLaSa: Bond Lattice Sampling and Analysis (C++/Python)

(With J Janssen, MPIE) https://github.com/tomswinburne/blasa.git, 2020

• PyGT: Graph transformation in Python

(With D Kannan, U Cambridge) https://pygt.readthedocs.io, 2020

Selected Invited Presentations

• Quantifying exploration in nanoparticle energy landscapes

MMM 2020 (postponed to 2021)

• Automated calculation of defect transport tensors

WCCM 2020 (postponed to 2021)

Diffusion in chemically complex alloys

SIAM MS 2020 (postponed to 2021)

Uncertainty-driven massively parallel sampling of crystal defects

Energy Landscapes 2019

Autonomous construction of Markov Models from accelerated sampling methods

ods ICIAM 2019

Using free energy calculations and statistical mechanics to probe the bcc-BDT
Autonomous and optimal exploration of defect energy landscapes

MMM 2018 COSIRES 2018

• Temperature accelerated rate matrix construction in the Parsplice framework

IPAM, UCLA, 2017

• Fast, vacancy free climb of dislocation loops

Dislocations 2016

• Using projection operators to understand dislocations Advances in Nanoscale Phenomena, 2016

• Simulations of dislocation motion at experimentally realistic stresses

TMS 2014

Community Service

- Lead organiser, COSIRES 2020 (postponed to 2021) http://sites.google.com/view/cosires2020
- Conference chair at MRS Fall 2017/19, Boston, USA and Dislocations 2019, Haifa, Israel
- Referee for PR[L/B/E/Materials], Acta/Scripta Materialia, NPJ, Nat. Comms., Advanced Materials...
- Organisation committee (finance / accounts), Hermes 2012 Conference, London.

Teaching and Supervision

- 2020-22 Postdoc supervisor for P Grigorev 2020-22, CINaM
- 2018-21 External PhD supervisor for C Lapointe with M-C Marinica, CEA Saclay
- 2020-23 External PhD advisor for R. Dsouza with Prof J Neugebauer, MPIE Dusseldorf
- 2020-21 External MSc supervisor for D Kannan with Prof DJ Wales FRS, University of Cambridge
- 2017: Mentoring of PhD students during 12 week program at Los Alamos National Laboratory
- 2011-14: Undergraduate teaching and MSc/PhD supervision at Imperial College London
- 2006-13: 40+ students in private tuition and after school classes, both privately and for charity.

Additional Skills / Employment

- Intermediate spoken and written French.
- Research for Isis Innovations, Oxford (2007-2009). Design of electromagnetic fuel probes
- Founder and lead designer of rucksack company (Hawthorn Rucksacks).

References

Prof S L Dudarev, Culham Centre for Fusion Energy Prof A P Sutton FRS, Imperial College London Prof D J Wales FRS, University of Cambridge Dr M-C Marinica, CEA Saclay Dr D Perez, Los Alamos National Laboratory sergei.dudarev@ccfe.ac.uk a.sutton@imperial.ac.uk dw34@cam.ac.uk mihai-cosmin.marinica@cea.fr danny perez@lanl.gov