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Course agenda (I) From Feb. 24th to April 13th by Dr. Chun-Wei Pao

How and why do nanomaterials form?

- Feb. 24th: Introduction and review of thermodynamics
- Mar 2nd : Capillary
- Mar 9th : Diffusion: Elementary Concepts
- Mar 16th: Diffusion under External Fields
- Mar 23rd: Diffusion and Self-Assembly
- Mar 30th : Phase Separation
- Apr. 6th: Nucleation and Growth
- Apr. 13th: Special Topics in Nucleation and Growth Growth Kinetics of 2D materials

References

- Robert T. DeHoff, "Thermodynamics in Materials Science", McGraw-Hill.
- D.A. Porter and K.E. Easterling, "Phase Transformations in Metals and Alloys", Taylor & Francis.

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Course agenda (II) From April 20th to June 6th by Dr. Wei-Li Lee

Carbon nanostructure

April 20th - **Lecture I**: 0D system, carbon-based buckyballs (fullerene)

April 27th - Lecture II: 2D system, emerging material: graphene

May 4th - Lecture III: 1D system, carbon nanotube

Nanomagnetism and Spintronics

May 11th - Lecture IV: Introduction to magnetism

May 18th - Lecture V: Magnetic Nanostructure

May 25th - Lecture VI: Spintronics (I)

June 1st - Lecture VII: Spintronics (II)

June 8th - Lecture VIII: Other novel materials and their physical property

June 15th: Study group oral presentation lunch boxes provided

June 22nd - Final exam

Score: 50% final exam + 30 % oral presentation + 20 % class attendance

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Guideline

Lecture - Wednesday 9:10am - 12pm

20 minutes break from 10:20am to 10:40 pm

Study group – 2-3 people a group

each person, 15 minutes oral presentation, 5 for questions

topics:

- 1. Formation mechanism of 2D materials and nanomaterials
- 2. Physical property of transition metal dichalcogenide
- 3. Physical property of silicone and other 2D materials beyond graphene
- 4. Realistic application of graphene-based device
- 5. Recent development of magnetic data storage technology
- 6. Novel properties of nano-devices, nanostructures or materials.
- 7. Emergent phenomena at material interfaces
- 8. Novel materials and their properties that are not covered in this course.
- 9. Advanced characterization technique and its applications that are not covered in this course.

Oral presentation guideline (30% of your final score!) (15 minutes presentation+ 5 minutes question

- Introduction and review
- What is the main difference to the previous known system?
- What is the current interests and issues?
- What is the importance to current Science and technology?

Reference Books:

Introduction to Nanotechnology by Poole and Owens

Science of Fullerenes and carbon nanotubes by Dresselhaus and Eklund

Solid state Physics by Ashcroft/ Mermin

Modern Magnetic Materials by O'Handley