

# UIE-2024 Conference Program

## Nice, France October 8<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup>, 2024

### Tuesday, October 8<sup>th</sup>, 2024:

**17:00 - 19:30: Registration at the conference venue**

**19:30 - 21:00: Welcome Cocktail at the conference venue**

### Wednesday, October 9<sup>th</sup>, 2024:

**08:30 - 09:00: Conference opening: F. Bay, J. Alves, K. Van Reusel, E. Baake**

**09:00 - 09:30: Keynote 1: Exposure of workers and the general public to magnetic fields at 50 Hz**

**Prof. K. Van Reusel**

Laborelec, Rodestraat 125, B-1630 Linkebeek, Belgium

**09:30 - 10:30: Decarbonisation of Thermal Processes by Electrification – 1**  
**Chairman: Prof. K. Van Reusel**

09:30 - 09:50: Electrification - A sustainable solution for defossilization of thermoprocess technologies

E. Baake, I. Niedzwiecki

Leibniz University Hannover, Institute of Electrotechnology Wilhelm-Busch-Str. 4, D-30167 Hannover, Germany

09:50 - 10:10: Towards sustainable decarbonization of industrial heat treatment processes

S. El Aouad, G. Lissoni, L. Ratte, L. Sardo

Sciences Computers Consultants, 10 rue du plateau des Glières, 42 000 Saint-Etienne, France

10:10 - 10:30: Evaluation of the substitution potential of fossil burners by resistive heating elements in existing thermoprocessing applications

I. Niedzwiecki, E. Baake

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### 10:30 - 11:00 - Coffee-Break

**11:00 - 12:20: Decarbonisation of Thermal Processes by Plasma Heating**  
**Chairman: Prof. E. Baake**

11:00 - 11:20: Development of an inductive hot gas torch for the decarbonization of metallurgical processes

L. Mastaler<sup>1</sup>, G. Wolf<sup>1</sup>, A. Keßler<sup>1</sup>, T. Buddenberg<sup>2</sup>, M. Rische<sup>3</sup>, M. Ennen<sup>3</sup>,

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<sup>3</sup>ABP Induction Systems GmbH, Kanalstraße 25, 44147, Dortmund, Germany

- 11:20 - 11:40: High Power Plasma Torches Enabling the Decarbonization of High-Temperature Industrial Processes  
N. Alavandar, S. Salem, H. Basche, G. Hintz, E. Mann, C. Winnewisser  
 TRUMPF Hüttinger GmbH + Co. KG, Freiburg, Germany
- 11:40 - 12:00: Substitution of fossil Combustion in Industrial high-temperature processes by Advanced Electrical and plasma heating technologies – the CITADEL project  
 D. Castano, G. Dolanc, S. Eckert, N. Egido, A. Gebremariam, B. Glaser, C. Grabner, J. Jyrinki, G. Krese, C. Leyva, M. Mallah, P. Perumal, R. Pio Iavagnillio, I. Unamuno  
 Helmholtz-Zentrum Dresden-Rossendorf, Institute of Fluid Dynamics, Department Magnetohydrodynamics, Bautzner Landstraße 400, 01328 Dresden, Germany
- 12:00 - 12:20: Investigations on flexible ladle preheating procedures using plasma heated refractory  
B. Glaser<sup>1</sup>, M. Holmström<sup>1</sup>, H. Köchner<sup>2</sup>, D. Sundberg<sup>3</sup>, A. Arteaga<sup>4</sup>, N. Egido<sup>4</sup>, R.P. Iavagnillio<sup>5</sup>, F. Boenzi<sup>5</sup>  
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<sup>4</sup>Sidenor Investigacion y Desarrollo SA, Spain  
<sup>5</sup>Politecnico di Bari, Italy

### **12:20 - 13:20 – Lunch**

#### **13:20 - 14:20: Roundtable 1 “Decarbonization of Industrial Thermal and Manufacturing Processes”**

E. Baake

Leibniz University Hannover Institute of Electrotechnology Wilhelm-Busch-Str. 4, D-30167 Hannover

#### **14:20 - 15:20: Induction heating and heat treatment processes - 1 Chairman: Prof. F. Dughiero**

14:20 - 14:40: Induction heating for energy and CO2 savings in hot rolling mills,  
M. Ennen, M. Rische, A. Walther  
 ABP Induction Systems GmbH, Kanalstr. 25, 44147 Dortmund, Germany

14:40 - 15:00: Saturated induction heating of magnetic metals: a case study  
A. Morandi, M. Fabbri, M. Simonazzi, G. Russo, E. Guerra and F. Mimmi  
 University of Bologna - Dep. of Electrical, Electronic and Information Engineering  
 Viale Risorgimento n. 2, 40136 Bologna, Italy

15:00 - 15:20: Suitability of the additive FFF process for copper induction coils,  
J. Kimme, J. Gruner, A. Fröhlich, A. Kunke  
 Technische Universität Chemnitz, Straße der Nationen 62, D-09111 Chemnitz, Germany

### **15:20 - 15:50 - Coffee-Break**

**15:50 - 17:30 Induction heating and welding processes**

**Chairman: Dr. A. Smalcerz**

15:50 - 16:10: Simulation of electrically assisted welding processes

S. Marie<sup>1</sup>, J. Alves<sup>1</sup>, J. Queval<sup>2</sup>, K. Mocellin<sup>3</sup>, F. Bay<sup>3</sup>

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16:10 - 16:30: Characterization of Soft Magnetic Composite Impeders

S. Muyskens, R. Goldstein

Fluxtrol Inc. 1388 Atlantic Blvd., Auburn Hills MI, 48326, United States

16:30 - 16:50: Geometry optimization and efficiency increase of HFI welding processes while using SMC materials in impeders

D. Günther<sup>1</sup>, M. Kroll<sup>1</sup>, R. C. Goldstein<sup>2</sup>, A. Kunke<sup>1</sup>

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<sup>2</sup>Fluxtrol Inc. 1388 Atlantic Blvd. Auburn Hills MI, 48326, United States

16:50 - 17:10: Advanced designing of induction heating systems with magnetic flux concentrators

A. Nikanorov, E. Baake, I. Niedzwiecki, Y. Zhou

Leibniz University Hannover Institute of Electrotechnology Wilhelm-Busch-Str. 4 D-30167 Hannover, Germany

17:10 - 17:30: Design of an inductive sinter module for power packaging: FEM analysis and thermal management characterization based on multi-die applications

C. Hofmann<sup>1</sup>, P. Rochala<sup>2</sup>

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**17:30 - 18:10 Induction heating and heat treatment processes - 2**

**Chairman: Prof. M. Forzan**

17:30 - 17:50: Pushing the Boundaries of High-Temperature Process Heat: Demonstration of the First-of-its-kind Ceramic Induction Air Heater

S. Belik

German Aerospace Center, Institute of Engineering Thermodynamics Pfaffenwaldring 38-40, 70569 Stuttgart, Germany

17:50 - 18:10: Generation of Hot Gas Based on Susceptor Induction Heating

A. Hackert<sup>1</sup>, J. Stiller<sup>1</sup>, V. Kotlan<sup>2</sup>, D. Nestler<sup>1</sup>

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**18:10 - 18:30: FISUEL presentation**

**M. Maslowski**

Presentation of FISUEL (International Federation for the Safety of Electricity Users)

CONSUEL, 6 Espace Henry Vallée, F-69007 Lyon, France

**Thursday, October 10<sup>th</sup>, 2024:**

**09:00 - 09:30: Keynote 2: Advancing Industrial Electric Furnace Operation and Design Through Mathematical Modeling and Simulation Insights**

**Prof. D. Gómez**

A. Bermúdez, D. Gómez, D. González-Peñas

Galician Centre for Mathematical Research and Technology (CITMAga)

Department of Applied Mathematics, Universidade de Santiago de Compostela Lope Gómez de Marzoa s/n, 15782 Santiago de Compostela, Spain

**09:30 - 10:30: Optimisation and Machine-Learning Tools for Design of Electromagnetic-Coupled Processes - 1**

**Chairman: Dr. J. Alves**

09:30 - 09:50: Smart-Tune: Optimizing Induction Hardening with Automatic Model Calibration

R. Klesa, V. Kotlan

University of West Bohemia, Univerzitni 8 30614, Pilsen, Czech Republic

09:50 - 10:10: Simulation of multi-physics processes based on Lagrangian formulations. Application to an industrial problem of electric upsetting

M. Benítez<sup>1</sup>, A. Bermúdez<sup>1,2</sup>, P. Fontán<sup>1,2</sup>, I. Martínez<sup>1,2</sup>, P. Salgado<sup>1</sup>

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10:10 - 10:30: Process optimization in foundries with numerical methods

A. Umbrasko

ABP Induction Systems GmbH, Kanalstraße 25 D-44147 Dortmund, Germany

**10:30 - 11:00 - Coffee-Break**

**11:00 - 12:30: Optimisation and Machine-Learning Tools for Design of Electromagnetic-Coupled Processes - 2**

**Chairman: Prof. F. Bay**

11:00 - 11:20: Surrogate Model of a Dual Frequency Induction Heating Device: a Neural Network Approach for Fast Synthesis

P. Di Barba<sup>1</sup>, M.E. Mognaschi<sup>1</sup>, A. Ghafoorinejad<sup>1</sup>, F. Dughiero<sup>2</sup>, S. Lupi<sup>2</sup>, E. Sieni<sup>3</sup>, M. Forzan<sup>2</sup>

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<sup>3</sup>Dept of Theoretical and Applied Sciences, University of Insubria, Varese, Italy

11:20 - 11:40: Towards hybrid FEM-AI simulation and optimization of electrically driven material processing technologies

J. Alves<sup>1</sup>, M. Chenaud<sup>1,2</sup>, A. Pion<sup>1,2</sup>, F. Magoules<sup>2</sup>, E. Vazquez<sup>2</sup>

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<sup>2</sup>CentraleSupélec, Université Paris Saclay, 3 rue Joliot, 91190 Gif-sur-Yvette, France

11:40 - 12:00: **Anisotropic Mesh Adaptation for Electromagnetic Modelling**  
J. Garcia Oswaldo<sup>1</sup>, J. Alves<sup>1</sup>, U. Ripert<sup>1</sup>, J. Barlier<sup>1</sup>, F. Bay<sup>2</sup>  
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<sup>2</sup>CEMEF Mines Paris, PSL University, Rue Claude Daunesse F-06904 Sophia Antipolis, France

12:00 - 12:20: **Lifting capability analysis of a Longitudinal Electromagnetic Levitator prototype**  
F. Lucchini<sup>1</sup>, G. Poggiana<sup>1</sup>, M. Zorzetto<sup>1</sup>, R. Torchio<sup>1,3</sup>, M. Forzan<sup>1</sup>, F. Dughiero<sup>1</sup>, P. Di Barba<sup>2</sup>  
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### **12:20 - 13:20 - Lunch**

**13:20 - 14:20 - Roundtable 2 “Smart Processes: Integrating AI and Digitalization in electro-Thermal Manufacturing”**

J. Alves

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**14:20 - 15:20: Numerical Simulation of Electromagnetic-Coupled Processes**  
**Chairwoman: Prof. D. Gómez**

14:20 - 14:40: **Numerical Investigation of Motion in Oxide Molten Using Indirect Induction Heating**

J. Hrbek, V. Putna, B. Mészáros

Research Centre Rez, Hlavní 130, 250 68 Husinec, Czech Republic

14:40 - 15:00: **Numerical Simulation of Macroseggregation in Casting Processes with Application of Electromagnetic Stirring**

A. Gotti, S. Zhang, G. Puaux, F. Costes

Transvalor S.A, E-Golf Park, 950 Avenue Roumanille, F-06410 Biot, France

15:00 - 15:20: **Simulation of an industrial scale reducing electric furnace**

D. Van Odyck

Tata Steel R&D, Ijmuiden, The Netherlands

### **15:20 - 15:50 - Coffee Break**

**15:50 - 17:10: Induction Cold Crucible and Skull Melting Processes**  
**Chairman: Prof. V. Bojarevics**

15:50 - 16:10: **Electrical efficiency of cold crucible furnaces - modeling and measurements,**

A. Smalcerz, J. Barglik, R. Przyłucki, A. Smagór

Faculty of Material Science, Silesian University of Technology, Akademicka 2A, 44-100 Gliwice, Poland

16:10 - 16:30: **Advancements in Cold Crucible Induction Glass Melting: Enhancing Glass Homogeneity and Thermal Dynamics through Numerical Modeling**

E. Sauvage<sup>1</sup>, P. Brun<sup>1</sup>, R. Didierlaurent<sup>2</sup>

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16:30 - 16:50: Cold crucible induction melting as an alternative to the electric arc furnace for the production of fused oxides  
A. Villalba Weinberg, A. Börger  
Imerys Villach GmbH, Dpt. Imerys Technology Center Austria Seebach 2, 9523 Villach, Austria

16:50 - 17:10: The use of ISM technology in metal alloy refining processes,  
A. Smalcerz<sup>1</sup>, J. Łabaj<sup>1</sup>, B. Wecki<sup>2</sup>, L. Blacha<sup>1</sup>  
<sup>1</sup>Faculty of Material Science, Silesian University of Technology, Akademicka 2A, 44-100 Gliwice, Poland  
<sup>2</sup>ZETOM, Ks. Bpa H. Bednorza 17, 40-384 Katowice, Poland

**17:10 - 18:10: Electromagnetic Melting and Stirring Processes**  
**Chairman: Dr. V. Kotlan**

17:10 - 17:30: Axial Flux Stirrer for Continuous Casting of Thin Aluminium Strips  
M. Forzan<sup>1</sup>, M. Guglielmi<sup>2</sup>, D. Iosa<sup>3</sup>, G. Pirovano<sup>3</sup>, P. Severini<sup>3</sup>  
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<sup>3</sup>Continuus-Properzi S.p.A, via Emilia km 310, 26858 Sordio (LO), Italy

17:30 - 17:50: Extended Electrode Induction Melting Technique for Metallic Powder Production  
V.Bojarevics, K.Pericleous  
University of Greenwich, London, UK

17:50 - 18:10: EM control of free surface dynamics in the direct strip casting process  
V. Dzelme, A. Jakovics  
Institute of Numerical Modelling University of Latvia, 3 Jelgavas str., Riga, Latvia

**19:30 - Gala Dinner at the Aston Hotel**

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## **Friday, October 11<sup>th</sup>, 2024:**

### **09:00 - 09:30: Keynote 3: A process condition selection chart for MW-assisted synthesis**

#### **Prof. P. Veronesi**

P. Veronesi, E. Colombini, C. Leonelli

Department of Engineering "Enzo Ferrari" University of Modena and Reggio Emilia I-41121 Modena, Italy

### **09:30 – 10:30: Decarbonisation of Thermal Processes by Electrification - 2**

#### **Chairman: Prof. A. Jakovics**

#### **09:30 - 09:50: Investigations on heat transfer of electrical resistance heaters in convection-dominated thermal processing plants**

J. Wilkers, D. Büschgens, J. Hof, H. Pfeifer, C. Wuppermann

Department for Industrial Furnaces and Heat Engineering, Kopernikusstr. 10 D-52074 Aachen, Germany

#### **09:50 - 10:10: Maximizing decarbonization through electrification of process heat: A comparative analysis for low-to-high temperature applications**

A. Chiesa, M. Colombi, S. Quevedo, P. Colbertaldo, M. Binotti, M. Romano

Politecnico di Milano, Department of Energy, via Lambruschini 4, 20156 Milano, Italy

#### **10:10 - 10:30: Electrification and flexible operation of a cement manufacturing plant**

S. Quevedo, M. Romano

Politecnico di Milano, Department of Energy, Via Lambruschini 4, 20156 Milano, Italy

## **10:30 - 11:00 - Coffee-Break**

### **11:00 - 12:20: Dielectric Heating and Electromagnetics in Process Control and Monitoring**

#### **Chairwoman: Prof. C. Leonelli**

#### **11:00 - 11:20: Investigation of Wafer-Level Electromagnetic Heating of Metallic Frames at Radio Frequencies: Analysis and Characterization of Standing Waves**

S. Panhale<sup>1</sup>, C. Hofmann<sup>2</sup>, M. Kroll<sup>1</sup>, P. Rochala<sup>1</sup>

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<sup>2</sup>Fraunhofer Institute for Electronic Nanosystems ENAS, Technologie-Campus 3 09126 Chemnitz, Germany

#### **11:20 - 11:40: Microwave heating as electrification option for the cement industry**

J. Vermeiren<sup>1</sup>, V. Goovaerts<sup>2</sup>, C. Groffils<sup>2</sup>, J. Vleugels<sup>1</sup>

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#### **11:40 - 12:00: Optical imaging of bubble flow in external magnetic field**

A. Jegorovs, M. Birjukovs, A. Jakovics

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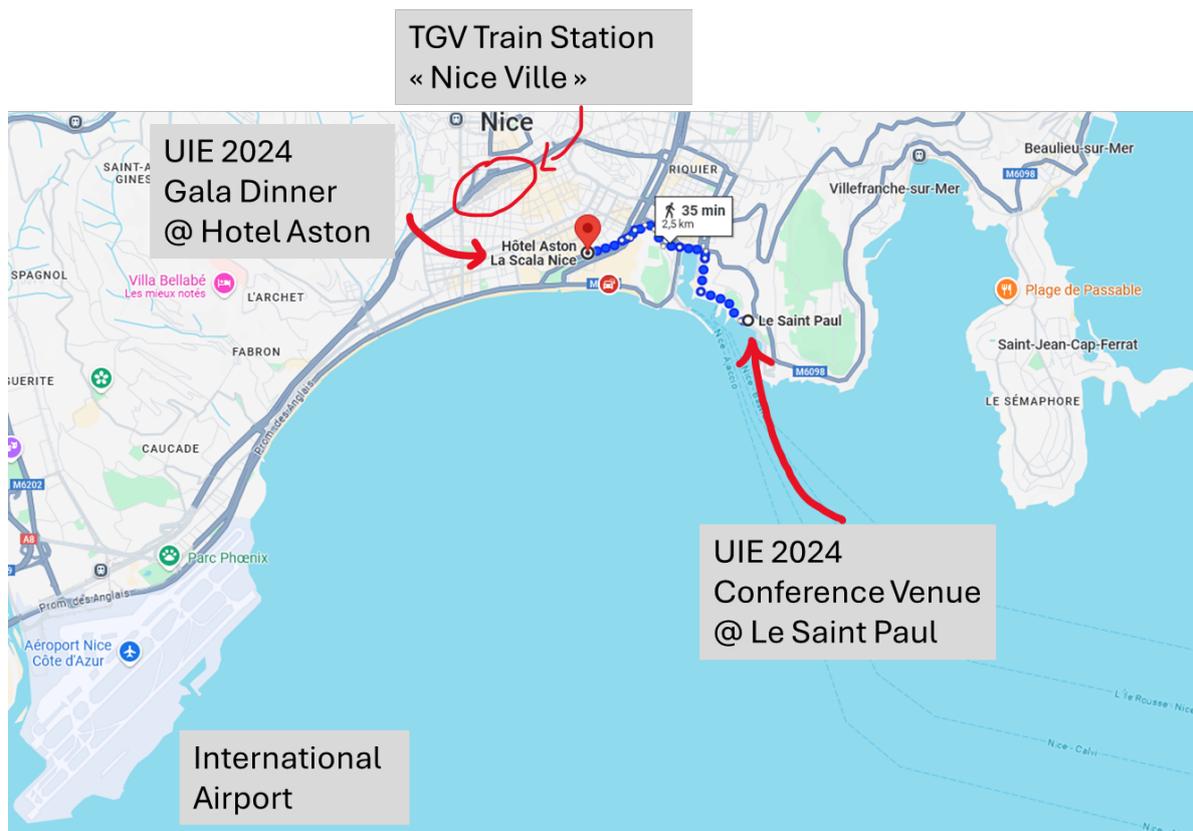
#### **12:00 - 12:20: Innovative industrial process monitoring by inductive measurements**

T. Wondrak, M. Sieger, L. Krause, S. Eckert

Helmholtz-Zentrum Dresden-Rossendorf, Institute of Fluid Dynamics, Department Magnetohydrodynamics, Bautzner Landstraße 400, 01328 Dresden, Germany

## **12:20 - 12:45: Conference closure: F. Bay, J. Alves, K. Van Reusel, E. Baake**

## Practical information:



Getting to Nice City Center and the conference venue:

- **Arrival at Nice international airport:** Take the tram line 2 bound to “Port Lympia”, get off at the terminal, from here you can walk for 15 minutes to the Saint Paul hotel, or wait for the bus 98 and get off at “La Réserve”, from here, just 2 minutes’ walk to the hotel.
- **Arrival at Nice TGV train station:** walk towards the tram station “Gare thiers”, take the line 1 bound to “Hôpital Pasteur”, get off at “Garibaldi” tram stop, you can walk for 25 minutes or get the bus 98 at “Garibaldi/Le Château” bus stop, get off at “La Réserve”, from here, just 2 minutes’ walk to the hotel.

Recommendations:

- Make sure to visit « La Colline du Château » hill just that it’s just in between Nice Old Twon and the port.
- Take the time to walk around and get lost within Nice Old Twon and enjoy the Mediterranean styled and colorful buildings.
- A photo at the #I Love Nice in front of the sea will certainly be a good souvenir.