

Technical Session	Technical Session Organizer
4.1 Fusion (Inertial, Magnetic and Alternate Concepts)	Peter Stoltz (pstoltz@txcorp.com)

## Session WE 1.1: Fusion

Wednesday, May 24, 2017 from 10:00-12:00, Wildwood 9

Session Chair: Justin R Angus, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory

### 10:00 WE 1.1-1 (invited) FORMATION AND CHARACTERIZATION OF A CONICAL SECTION OF A SPHERICALLY IMPLODING PLASMA LINER

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### 10:30 WE 1.1-2 SIMULATION OF SPHERICALLY IMPLODING PLASMA LINERS FOR THE PLX-ALPHA PROJECT

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### 10:45 WE 1.1-3 APPLICATION OF A KDVB EQUATION TO SHOCK FORMATION IN THE STAGED Z-PINCH

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### 11:00 WE 1.1-4 THE NEW SCHEME TO PROMOTE IGNITION BY COMPRESSING COLLISION-MERGING TARGET OF FIELD REVERSED CONFIGURATION

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### 11:15 WE 1.1-5 INCREASING LOAD CURRENT IN MAGNETIZED LINER INERTIAL FUSION EXPERIMENTS

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### 11:30 WE 1.1-6 MODIFYING MAGLIF STAGNATION CONDITIONS AND MORPHOLOGY BY CHANGING LINER INITIAL CONDITIONS

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### 11:45 WE 1.1-7 STABILIZED LINER COMPRESSOR FOR LOW-COST CONTROLLED FUSION: PROGRESS AND ISSUES

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## Session WE 2.2: Joint Fusion HEDP

Wednesday, May 24, 2017 from 16:00-18:00, Wildwood 10

Session Chair: David Ampleford, Sandia National Lab

### 16:00 WE 2.2-1 (invited) INVESTIGATION OF CORE TRANSPORT DURING THE FIRST W7-X EXPERIMENTAL CAMPAIGN

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### 16:30 WE 2.2-2 UNDERSTANDING AND PREDICTION OF INTERNAL TRANSPORT BARRIERS IN TOKAMAKS USING INTEGRATED MODELING

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### 16:45 WE 2.2-3 A HYBRID TRANSPORT-DIFFUSION SIMULATION IN LASER FUSION

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### 17:00 WE 2.2-4 THE SIMULATION OF FORMING PROCESS OF Z-PINCH DRIVEN DYNAMIC HOHLRAUM BASED ON THE PROGRAM MULTI2D-Z

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### 17:15 WE 2.2-5 (invited) AZIMUTHAL CURRENT DENSITY DISTRIBUTION RESULTING FROM A POWER FEED VACUUM GAP IN METALLIC LINER EXPERIMENTS AT 1 MA

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### 17:45 WE 2.2-6 MEASURING PRESSURE IN WARM DENSE TUNGSTEN PLASMA CREATED IN PLASMA-FILLED ROD-PINCH DIODES

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