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报告题目：Size effects of Materials Confined to Nanometer Dimensions including 2D Membranes, Metal Clusters, Nanocalorimetry and NMR Studies

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报告摘要：

The nature of materials at nanometer size scales is fascinating and ubiquitous. In nanoscience, size-effects membranes (single/stacked), lipid-like vesicles (bioscience), magic number cluster formation, glass-transition melting point depression (Gibbs-Thompson), odd/even chain length artifacts, nucleation controlled phase-tra (nanoelectronics), etc. This talk discusses experimental small-size material studies using Nanocalorimetry, AFM, X more recently NMR. The studies follow the progressive and sometime abrupt changes in material properties durir incremental increase from 1-nm to bulk in several systems. Finally, I will discuss the future direction of our development of a “Local Atomic-level Thermodynamic Probe for Nanoscience of 2D Membranes” that coi synthesis, NMR, Nanocalorimetry, and computational DFT Methods. NMR adds new possibilities for research at scale. While Nanocalorimetry yields average thermodynamic values at extremely small scales (one atomic lay melting), it has no depth perception – it can’ t reveal the underlying nature of the material at the atomic level. In chemical shift from NMR has the ability to distinguish one atom-type from another. However, it does not yield ir the local or composite thermal properties of the material. Combining these two techniques with the modelling con available with DFT computational machinery will potentially develop a new probe for material characterization at tl size domain.

报告人简介：

Prof. Leslie Allen received his BS degree in mathematics (University of North Dakota, 1975), MS degree in physics (Cornell University, New York, 1979), and PhD degree in materials science and engineering (Cornell University, 1990). He has authored Over 100 journal papers and 4 patents.

SYNERGISTIC ACTIVITIES:

Innovations in Undergraduate and Teaching Teaching: Awarded/rated 10 years - Top 10% Teachers in Engineering (2001, 2003, 2011-2013). Developed undergraduate senior Electronic Materials Laboratory that has been rated in the top 10% of all Engineering classes for 10 years. With over 15 contact-hours a week, the class attracts the best students in the department. Most of them later go to top graduate schools and obtain NSF/DOD scholarships. A new experiment is developed typically coming from a problem in my research that is "simple" enough for them to solve in weeks, but deep enough to stump us for months.

Development of Instrumentation Infrastructure Research Tools: Nanocalorimetry (NanoDSC) My group developed a highly sensitive calorimeter device NanoDSC to date for material science research. In addition to serving on many NSF panels, we have also served NIH review panel specifically to review MEMS based "bio-calorimetry" devices. I have given over 20 (National/International) talks on the device and research using NanoDSC for nanoscale materials. My group has been funded (and funded).

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