



DAY 1: JULY 20, 2026

Time	Session	Details	Location
8:00 – 8:45 AM	Registration	Registration will be outside of the main ballroom	SU Second Floor
8:45 – 9:15 AM	Welcome Address	Alan Tennant (CAMM)	SU Room 272
9:15 – 10:15 AM	Plenary Session	<i>Fusion Energy</i> John Echols (DOE Program Manager) (virtual) Session Chair: Sydney Copp	SU Room 272 Hybrid on Zoom - tiny.utk.edu/TEAMSPlenary Password: TEAMS2026
10:15 – 10:30 AM	Break	Refreshments available	
10:30 AM – 12:00 PM	Poster Session	Student & Postdoc Poster Session	SU Room 272
12:00 – 12:15 PM	Group Photo	All attendees convene for a group photo	SU Stairs
12:15 – 1:30 PM	Lunch & Career Panel	Academia Khalid Hattar (UTK) Kostas Vogiatzis (UTK) Industry Jonas Kessing (TypeOne Energy) Andrea Lehn-Bradshaw (CFS) National Labs TBA (Y-12) Zachary Morgan (ORNL) Moderators: Sutithra Paul, IRG 1 & Jade Holliman, IRG 2	SU Room 272
1:30 – 3:00 PM	Technical Session 1A (IRG 2)	<i>Materials for Fusion Energy Science</i> Speakers: Jonas Kessing (TypeOne Energy) Cecile Mejean (Helion Energy) Andrea Lehn-Bradshaw (CFS)	SU Room 262ABC Hybrid on Zoom - tiny.utk.edu/TEAMS1A Password: TEAMS2026



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		Session Chairs: Dalton Pearl & Josh Norton	
1:30 – 3:00 PM	Technical Session 1B (IRG 1)	<i>Quantum Algorithms for Materials and Chemistry</i> Speakers: Ilias Magoulas (Emory University) Michael McGuire (ORNL) Rebekah Herrman (UTK) Session Chair: <i>TBA</i>	SU Room 270
3:00 – 3:15 PM	Break		
3:15 – 5:00 PM	Cross-Center Talk	<i>Future-Focused: Emerging Directions for IRG 3 - Talks from prospective IRG 3 teams + discussion on integration & future outlook</i> Tom Zawodzinski, Gabe Veith Mark Dadmun, Weinan Xu, Philip Barnett Klaus-Dieter Liss Moderators: Alan Tennant & Amber White	SU Room 272 Hybrid on Zoom - tiny.utk.edu/TEAMSirg3 Password: TEAMS2026



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DAY 2: JULY 21, 2026

Time	Session	Details	Location
8:15 – 9:00 AM	Registration		SU Room 272
9:00 – 10:15 AM	Workshop 1 (IRG 2)	<i>Autonomous Labs for Materials Discovery</i> Mahshid Ahmadi (UT) Facilitators: Roo Walker & Jacob Fischer	SU Room 272
10:15 – 10:30 AM	Break	Refreshments available	
10:30 – 11:45 AM	Workshop 2 (IRG 1, ECOR)	<i>Education with AI & Quantum</i> Yi Lin (U Alabama) Facilitator: Yishu Wang	SU Room 272
11:45 AM – 12:45 PM	Lunch & Awards	Awards • Poster Session Awards • Student/Participant of the Year • ECOR Service Award	SU Room 272
12:45 – 1:00 PM	Closing Address	Alan Tennant (CAMM)	SU Room 272