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### EDUCATION

Northwestern University, Evanston, IL; **Ph.D** in Materials Science and Engineering (1989)  
Banaras Hindu University, India; **B. Tech.** in Metallurgical Engineering (1985)

### EXPERIENCE

**Rice University, Dept. of Mechanical Engineering & Materials Science, Houston, TX**  
Benjamin M. and Mary Greenwood Anderson Professor in Engineering (From July 2007)  
**Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Materials Science and Engineering Department, Troy, NY**  
Henry Burlage Chair Professor in Engineering (September 2004)  
Director, RPI Interconnect Focus Center New York (September 2004)  
Professor with tenure (May 2001)  
Associate Professor with tenure (December 99 – May 2001)  
Assistant Professor, tenure track (January 97 – December 99)  
**ISIS, Universite Louis Pasteur, Strasbourg, France**  
Visiting Professor; Sabbatical Leave (March 2003 – August 2003)  
**Max-Planck-Institut fur Metallforschung, Stuttgart, Germany**  
Alexander von Humboldt Research Fellow (August 95 – December 96)  
**Laboratoire de Physique des Solides, Universite Paris-Sud, Orsay, France**  
Researcher *au* CNRS (May 93 – July 95)  
**Fundamental Research Laboratory, NEC Corporation, Tsukuba, Japan**  
Post-doctoral Researcher (April 90 – May 93)

### RECOGNITION

Selected **Nano50**<sup>TM</sup> Innovator by Nanotech Briefs (2007)  
Selected by Scientific American Magazine as one of *2006 Scientific American 50*:  
Citation “*Research Leader in the Material Progress category because of work over the past year creating super-resilient springs from carbon nanotubes that could one day be suitable for artificial joints*”  
MRS Medal (2006): Citation “*for important developments in the material science and applications of carbon nanotubes*”  
Total of ~230 Peer Reviewed Publications with ~12,000 citations (*h factor* ~ 51)  
(*Articles related to published research has appeared in several popular journals over last decade; e.g. NY Times, Washington Post, Business Week, NPR, National Geographic, C&E News, MIT Technology Review, New Scientist, Science News etc.*)  
Guinness Book of World Records (2006): Smallest Brush in the World (co-inventor)  
Distinguished Alumnus Award, Department of Metallurgy, Banaras Hindu University (2005)  
Distinguished Professor, Institute of Physics, Chinese Academy of Sciences, Hefei, China (2005)  
RPI School of Engineering Research Award, 2003  
National Science Foundation CAREER Award, 1998  
Burton Award, Microscopy Society of America, 1997  
Alexander von Humboldt Research Fellowship, 1995

Presidential Student Award, Electron Microscopy Society of America, 1989  
Hadfield Medal for Outstanding Metallurgist, Calcutta (India), 1985  
Bachelor of Technology Gold Medal, Banaras Hindu University (India), 1985  
Advisory Board Member, *Petroleum Research Fund, ACS, 2003-2006*  
Advisory Editorial Board Member of *Advanced Materials*  
Advisory Editorial Board Member of *Journal of Experimental Nanoscience*  
Advisory Editorial Board Member of *Small (VCH-Wiley Journal of Nanotechnology)*  
Advisory Editorial Board Member of *International Journal of Nanomedicine*  
Advisory Editorial Board Member of *Journal of Nanoscience and Nanotechnology*  
Advisory Editorial Board of *TIP Revista Especializada en Ciencias Quimico-Biologicas*  
Advisory Editorial Board Member of *Zeitschrift für Metallkunde*  
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## RESEARCH INTERESTS

Carbon Based Materials (Carbon Nanofibers, Fullerenes and Nanotubes, Nanodiamond)  
Nanostructured Materials (Nanoparticles, Nanocomposites, Self-assembled Nano-architectures)  
Nanoscale Electrical Interconnects and Devices  
Nanomaterials Enabled Energy Storage Systems, Nanomaterials in Energy  
Electron Microscopy & Electron Spectroscopy  
Sensors, Electromechanical Actuators  
Nanoscale Materials of Natural and Biological Origin

## BOOKS / SPECIAL ISSUES

1. "Making Functional Materials with Carbon Nanotubes"  
MRS Conference Proceeding  
Editors: P. Bernier, P. M. Ajayan, P. Nikolaev and Y. Iwasa  
Year of Publication: 2002
2. "Nanocomposite Science and Technology",  
VCH/Wiley Publishers  
Book Authors: P. M. Ajayan, L. Schadler and P. Braun.  
Year of Publication: 2003
3. Special Issue of Journal of Materials Research (Focus: Nanotubes and Nanowires)  
Editors: R. Tenne, P. M. Ajayan, Z. L. Wang, Y. D. Li, and P. D. Yang  
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1. P. M. Ajayan and S. Iijima, "Carbon nanotubule enclosing a foreign material", NEC Corporation, Japan, 1993. U.S. Patent (**#5,457,343**).
2. T. W. Ebbesen, P. M. Ajayan and H. Hiura, "Method of Purifying Carbon Nanotubes", NEC Corporation, Japan, 1993. U.S. Patent (**#5,641,466**).
3. R. W. Siegel, S. Chang, R. Doremus and P. M. Ajayan, "Ceramic Matrix Nanocomposites Containing Carbon Nanotubes For Enhanced Mechanical Behavior", 2002. U.S. Patent (**#6,420,293**).

4. Y. P. Zhao, Y. C. Chen, X-C. Zhang, N. Raravikar, P. M. Ajayan, T. M. Lu, G. W. Wang and L. S. Schadler, "Ultrafast All-Optical Switch using Carbon Nanotube Polymer Composites", 2004. U.S. Patent (**#6,782,154**).

5. A. Cao, G. Ramanath and P. M. Ajayan, "Directed assembly of highly-organized carbon nanotubes", 2007, U.S. Patent (**#7,189,430**)

- *Several (~25) other patent applications pending* -

## REFEREED JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS

**Total # of papers: 236**

**(Includes 4 book chapters, 4 invited review articles \*\*)**

**Total # of citations: ~12,000**

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2. J. Dundurs, L. D. Marks and P. M. Ajayan, "Structural fluctuations in small particles", **Phil. Mag. A**, 57, 605 (1988).
3. P. M. Ajayan and L. D. Marks, "Quasimelting and phases of small particles", **Phys. Rev. Lett.**, 60, 585 (1988). \*
4. P. M. Ajayan and L. D. Marks, "Experimental evidence for quasimelting in small particles", **Phys. Rev. Lett.**, 63, 279 (1989).\*
5. P. M. Ajayan and L. D. Marks, "Evidence for sinking of small particles into substrates and implications for heterogeneous catalysis", **Nature**, 338, 139 (1989).
6. P. M. Ajayan and L. D. Marks, "Phase instabilities in small particles", **J. Phase Transitions**, 24, 229 (1990).
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8. P. M. Ajayan and S. Iijima, "Wetting and de-wetting transitions of small metal particles on substrates under electron irradiation", **J. Colloid & Interface Sci.**, 147, 281 (1991).
9. S. Iijima and P. M. Ajayan, "Substrate and size effects on the coalescence of small particles", **J. Appl. Phys.**, 70, 5138 (1991).
10. S. Iijima and P. M. Ajayan, "Effects of electron irradiation and coulombic interactions on the structure and mobility of small particles and amorphous phases", **Rad. Eff. Def. Solids**, 118, 169 (1991).
11. P. M. Ajayan, T. Ichihashi and S. Iijima, "Electron irradiation damage and sputtering from oxidized silicon particles supported on amorphous carbon", **Rad. Eff. def. Solids**, 118, 281 (1991).
12. P. M. Ajayan and S. Iijima, "Electron beam enhanced flow and instability in amorphous silica fibers and tips", **Phil. Mag. Lett.**, 65, 43 (1992).
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## INVITED TALKS

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1. "Structure and Growth of Carbon Nanotubes", American Chemical Society Meeting, Denver, Colorado, U.S.A. (March 1993).
2. "Exotic Forms of Carbon", Universite Montpellier II, Montpellier, France (July 1994).
3. "Structure of Carbon Nanotubes", Indian Institute of Science", Bangalore, India (December 1994).
4. "Carbon Nanotubes", Centre d'Etude de Chimie Metallurgique, CNRS, Vitry, France (February 1995).
5. "EELS From Carbon Nanotube Structures", International Winterschool on Electronic Properties of Novel Materials", Kirchberg, Austria (March 5-12, 1995).
6. "Carbon Nanotubes and Related Composites: Structure and Growth", C, Soot and Sun; French-American Workshop, Odeillo, France (October 8-12, 1995).
7. "Carbon Nanotubes and Nanocomposites", Institut des Materiaux des Nantes, Nantes, France (14 October, 1995).
8. "Nanocomposites Based on Carbon Nanotubes", Materials Research Society Fall Meeting, Boston, U. S. A. (November 27-30, 1995).
9. "Carbon Nanotubes and Nanocomposites", Max-Planck-Institute für Festkörperforschung, Stuttgart, Germany (December 12, 1995).
10. "Carbon Nanotubes and Nanocomposites", Ecole Polytechnic Federale des Lausanne, Lausanne, Switzerland (February 5, 1996).
11. " Carbon Nanotube Based Nanocomposites", NEC Research Institute, Princeton, New Jersey, U.S.A. (March 7, 1996).
12. "Carbon Nanotube and Related Nanocomposites", Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, New York, U.S.A. (March 11, 1996).
13. "Structure and Properties of Carbon Nanotubes", German Carbon Society Meeting, Dartmund, Germany (March 14, 1996).
14. "Novel Architecture in Nanometer Space", Chimie et les Surprises du Carbone, Ecole de Chimie, Paris, France (March 19, 1996).
15. "Growth of Carbon Nanotubes", NATO Workshop on Atomic and Molecular Wires, Les Houches, France (May 6-10, 1996).
16. "Analysis of Filled Carbon Nanotubes", Gordon Conference on Phase Transitions in Non-metallic Solids, New England College, New Hampshire, U.S.A. (June 10-14, 1996).
17. "Properties of Carbon Nanotubes", Meeting of the French Microscopy Society, Rennes, France (June 26-28, 1996).
18. "Nanostructures From Carbon Nanotubes", XIth European Congress on Microscopy, Dublin, Ireland (August 26-30, 1996).
19. "Architecture of Carbon Nanostructures", Seminar, Tata Institute of Fundamental Research, Bombay, India (January 2, 1997).
20. "Carbon Nanostructures", Materials Science Seminar, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, NY, U.S.A., (February 20, 1997).
21. "Nucleation and Growth of Diamond inside Carbon Onions", Molecular Nanostructures: International Winterschool on Electronic Properties of Novel Materials, Kirchberg in Tirol, Austria (March 1, 1997).
22. "The Architecture of Carbon Nanostructures", Materials Science & Engineering Colloquim Series, Northwestern University, Evanston, U.S.A. (March 11, 1997).

23. "Carbon Nanotubes", Readings in Chemical Engineering, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, NY, U.S.A. (April 7, 1997).
24. "Architecture of Carbon Nanostructures: From Nanotubes to Diamond", Special Seminar, General Electric Corporation, Schenectady, NY, U.S.A. (April 10, 1997).
25. "Carbon Onions as Nanoscopic Pressure Cells for Diamond Formation", Electrochemical Society Meeting, Montreal, Qubec, Canada (May 5, 1997).
26. "Topology and Doping Related Electronic Structure in Carbon Nanotubes: Experimental Study", Adsorbent Carbon Workshop and Science of Carbon Nanotube Workshop, Lexington, Kentucky (June 10, 1997).
27. "Activity and Reactivity of Carbon Nanotubes: Relation to Structure and Topology", NAMITECH, NEDO Joint Workshop on the Microscopies of Nanotubular Structures", Nantes, France (October 28, 1997).
28. "Carbon Nanotubes: Past, Present and Future", Special Seminar, Trinity College, Dublin, Ireland (October 31, 1997).
29. "Carbon Architecture in Nanometer Space", Physics Colloquium, SUNY Binghamton, NY (November 24, 1997).
30. "Carbon Nanotubes: The Ultimate Fiber?", Physics Seminar, Department of Physics & Astronomy, Clemson University, Clemson, S.C. (February 19, 1998).
31. "Structure & Phase Stability Inside Carbon Onions", Colloquium, Department of Materials Science & Engineering, North Carolina State University, Raleigh, N.C. (February 20, 1998).
32. "Structure and Topology of Carbon Nanostructures: Tubes and Onions", ", Colloquium, Department of Materials Science & Engineering, SUNY, Stonybrook, N.Y. (March 25, 1998).
33. "Surface and Interface Properties of Multiwalled Carbon Nanotubes", Electrochemical Society Meeting, San Diego, C.A. (May 2, 1998).
34. "Novel Filler Based Applications of Carbon Nanotubes", Seminar, GE Plastics, Selkirk, N.Y. (June 15, 1998).
35. "Applications of Carbon Nanotubes", Coologyium, Universidad, Nacional Autonoma de Mexico, Mexico City, Mexico (August 27, 1998).
36. "Multiwalled Carbon Nanotubes for Applications", International Materials Congress, Cancun, Mexico (September 1, 1998).
37. "Realities of Applications of Carbon Nanotubes", Carbon Nanotechnology Meeting, University of Sussex, Brighton, England (September 11, 1998). **Plenary Lecture**
38. "Defects in Carbon Nanostructures", Department of Materials Science & Engineering Seminar, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY (October 7, 1998).
39. "Nanotube Applications: Materials Science Perspective", Department of Physics, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, NC (February 3, 1999).
40. "Nanocomposites: Introduction", Engineering Foundation Conference, Nanocomposites: Design and Applications, Girdwood, Alaska (March 28-April 2, 1999).
41. "Carbon Nanotubes: Macromolecules to Nanotechnology", German-American Frontiers of Science meeting, Potsdam, Germany (June 8-June 11, 1999).
42. "Novel Architectures in Nanometer Space", Institute of Magnetism, CSIS, Madrid, Spain (July 6, 1999).
43. "Dynamic Interfaces in Carbon Nanostructures", Microscopy Society of America Annual Meeting, Portland, Oregon (August 2- August 4, 1999).
44. "Carbon Nanotubes and Related Structures: Experiment and Theory", International Materials Congress, Cancun, Mexico (August 31, 1999).
45. "Nanocomposites from Carbon Nanotubes", Carbon Nanotechnology Meeting, University of Sussex, Brighton, England (September 10, 1999). **Digital Instruments Lecture**

46. "Metal-Carbon Onions: Phase Stability", International Symposium on Cluster and Nanostructure Interfaces, Richmond, Virginia (October 27, 1999).
47. "Carbon Nanotube Polymer Composites", Materials Research Society Fall Meeting, Symposium on nanostructured and nanocomposite materials, Boston, MA (December 1, 1999).
48. "Carbon Nanostructures", National Institute for Research in Inorganic Materials, Tsukuba, Japan (December 20, 1999).
49. "Impact of Carbon Nanostructures", Joint Research Center for Atom Technology, c/o National Institute for Advanced Interdisciplinary Research, Tsukuba, Japan (December 24, 1999).
50. "Carbon Nanotubes: New Opportunities", National Institute of Materials and Chemical Research, Tsukuba, Japan (December 24, 1999).
51. "Defects in Carbon Nanostructures", Department of Materials Science & Engineering, Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, GA (February 22, 2000).
52. "Tailoring Carbon Nanotubes: Experiment and Theory", Mardi Gras Conference, Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, LA (March 2, 2000).
53. "From Carbon Nanotubes to Nanocomposites: Opportunities in Materials Technology", Key Note address, International Conference on Research Trends in Science and Technology, Beirut, Lebanon (March 7, 2000).
54. "Topological and Dopant Defects in Carbon Nanostructures", ICMCTF (AVS meeting), San Diego, CA (April 10, 2000).
55. "Carbon Nanotube Research: A Progress Report", Special Seminar, GE Plastics, Selkirk, N.Y. (April 17, 2000).
56. "Defects in Carbon Nanotubes", Colloquium, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, India (May 18, 2000).
57. "Synthesis and Applications of Carbon Nanotubes", Special Seminar, GE India, Bangalore, India (May 19, 2000).
58. "Materials Science Applications of Carbon Nanotubes-I & II", Lectures, NATO-ASI workshop, Budapest, Hungary (June 16-28, 2000). \*\*
59. "Issues in Growth and Processing of Carbon Nanotubes", Seminar, Max-Planck-Institute fur Metallforschung, Stuttgart, Germany (July 21, 2000).
60. "Role and Impact of Defects in Carbon Nanostructures", NANO 2000, Sendai, Japan (August 22, 2000).
61. "Structure and Growth of Carbon Nanotubes", Seminar, NTT Basic Research Laboratories, Atsugi (near Tokyo), Japan (August 25, 2000).
62. "Synthesis and Properties of Carbon Nanotubes", NSF-CNRS Nanomaterials Workshop, Montreal, Canada (October 25, 2000).
63. "Growth of Carbon Nanotubes on Planar Substrates: A Closer Look", Department of Applied Physics and Advanced Technology, UNAM, Juriquilla, Queretaro, Mexico (December 13, 2000).
64. "Growth of Carbon Nanotubes on Planar Substrates: A Closer Look", Institute of Physics, Autonomous University of San Luis Potosi, San Luis Potosi, Mexico (December 14, 2000).
65. "Defects in Carbon Nanostructures", Jawaharlal Nehru University/Indian Institute of Technology Delhi Joint Seminar, Delhi, India (December 27, 2000).
66. "Tailoring structure and Growth of Carbon Nanotubes", International Conference on Science and Technology of Nanostructured materials, Puri, India (January 5, 2001).
67. "Defects in Carbon Nanotubes", Seminar, Department of Chemistry, Princeton University, Princeton, NJ (February 1, 2001).
68. "Carbon Nanotube Based Nanocomposites", Tutorial: Putting Nanotubes to Work, American Physical Society Meeting, Seattle, WA (March 11, 2001). \*\*
69. "Tailoring Carbon Nanotube for Applications", Seminar, Philip Morris USA, Richmond, VA (April 4, 2001).

70. "Defects in Carbon Nanostructures", Seminar, Rochester Institute of Technology, Rochester, New York (April 10, 2001).
71. "Early Stages of Carbon Nanotube Film Growth; Nanotube Domains", Materials Research Society Meeting (Spring), San Francisco, CA (April 18, 2001).
72. "Defects in Carbon Nanostructures", Seminar, NASA Ames Research Center, Mountain View, CA (April 20, 2001).
73. "Impact of Defects in Carbon Nanotubes", Seminar, Tsinghua University, Beijing, P.R. China (May 18, 2001).
74. "Nanocomposites from Carbon Nanotubes", Seminar, Institute of Physics, Chinese Academy of Sciences, Beijing, P.R. China (May 21, 2001).
75. "Tailoring the Growth of Carbon Nanotubes by CVD", Seminar, Xian Jiaotong University, Xian, P.R. China (May 22, 2001).
76. "Building carbon nanotube architectures by CVD", Chinese Youth Symposium on Nanomaterials and Applications, Institute of Solid State Physics, Chinese Academy of Sciences, Hefei, P.R.China (May 25, 2001).
77. "Tailoring the growth of carbon nanotube architectures", Perspectives in Physical Metallurgy, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, India (July 12, 2001).
78. "Building carbon nanotube architectures", Seminar, ABB Corporate Research, Ladenburg, Germany (July 23, 2001).
79. "Building carbon nanotube architectures", Seminar, Department of Physics, University of Ulm, Ulm, Germany (July 24, 2001).
80. "Building carbon nanotube architectures", Seminar, Max-Planck-Institute fur Metallforschung, Stuttgart, Germany (July 25, 2001).
81. One Day Workshop on Nanotechnology and Precision Engineering, University Putra Malaysia, Malaysia (August 8-9, 2001). \*\*
82. "Nanocomposites from carbon nanotubes", Filler Technology session, Annual meeting of the American Chemical Society, Chicago (August 26, 2001).
83. "Building carbon nanotube architectures", Seminar, TORAY Corporation, Nagoya, Japan (October 2, 2001).
84. "Fabrication of highly organized carbon nanotube architectures", Tsukuba Symposium on Carbon Nanotube: In Commemoration 10th Anniversary of Discovery, Tsukuba, Japan (October 5, 2001).
85. "Growth of organized carbon nanotube structures", Colloquium, Drexel University, Philadelphia, PA (October 25, 2001).
86. "Growth of organized carbon nanotube structures", Seminar, Seagate Media Research Center, Fremont, CA (November 1, 2001).
87. "Growth of organized carbon nanotube structures", Special seminar, Materials Science and Engineering Department, Clemson University, Clemson, SC (November 15, 2001).
88. "Building carbon nanotube architectures", Bio-MEMS and smart nanostructures Conference, Adelaide, Australia (December 17, 2001).
89. "Organized Carbon Nanotube Architectures", Seminar, Argonne National Laboratory, Argonne, IL (January 11, 2002).
90. "Organized Carbon Nanotube Architectures", Mardi Gras 2002 Conference, Baton Rouge, Louisiana (February 9, 2002).
91. "Organized Assembly of Carbon Nanotubes", International Conference on Research trends in Science and Technology, Organized by the Lebanese American University, Beirut and Byblos, Lebanon (March 4, 2002).

92. "Nanotechnology and Applications", Short Course at the International Conference on Research trends in Science and Technology, Organized by the Lebanese American University, Beirut and Byblos, Lebanon (March 4, 2002). \*\*
93. "Center for Directed Assembly of Nanostructures at RPI", Brookhaven Nanocenter Workshop, Brookhaven National Laboratory, Upton, New York (March 7-9, 2002).
94. "Nanocomposites from Carbon Nanotubes", Nanotube School organized at the US Patent & Trademark Office, Washington, DC (May 2, 2002). \*\*
95. "Building Architectures with Carbon Nanotubes", Seminar, Department of Electrical Engineering, University of South Carolina, Columbia, SC (May 15, 2002).
96. "Building Architectures with Carbon Nanotubes", Seminar, Dpto. Fisica de Materiales, Facultad de Quimicas, U. Pais Vasco, Centro Mixto CSIC-UPV/EHU, Apdo. 1072, 20018 San Sebastian/Donostia. Spain (June 14, 2002).
97. "Building Architectures with Carbon Nanotubes and Exploring their Applications", NANO-2002, St. Petersburg, Russia (17 June, 2002).
98. "Materials in Nanotechnology: Nanotubes to Nanocomposites", World Engineering Congress, Sarawak, Malaysia (23 July, 2002)
99. "Organized Assembly of Carbon Nanotubes", NATO-ASI workshop, Crete, Greece (29 July, 2002). \*\*
100. "Synthesis and Assembly of Nanostructures", Short Course, NY-Nanotech Symposium, AVS Regional Meeting, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, New York (7 August, 2002). \*\*
101. "Building Architectures with Carbon Nanotubes", NY-Nanotech Symposium, AVS Regional Meeting, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, New York (8 August, 2002).
102. "Building Architectures with Carbon Nanotubes", CANEUS (Canada-Europe-Japan Space agencies) Workshop on Nanotechnology, Canadian Space Agency, Montreal, Canada (August 26, 2002).
103. "Carbon Nanotubes and Nanotechnology", Colloquium, Department of Physics, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi, India (September 1, 2002).
104. "Building Organized Carbon Nanotube Structures", Special Seminar, ARCI (Indian Department of Defense Institute), Hyderabad, India (September 2, 2002).
105. "Building Organized Carbon Nanotube Structures", Conference on BioMEMS and Biomedical Nanotechnology, Columbus, Ohio (September 8, 2002).
106. "Building Organized Carbon Nanotube Structures", Seminar, GE Global Research Center, Schenectady, New York (September 23, 2002).
107. "Impact of Carbon Nanotubes in Nanotechnology", NSF US-Romania workshop, Brasov, Romania (October 2, 2002).
108. "Building Organized Carbon Nanotube Structures", US Army Research Laboratory, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Maryland (October 8, 2002).
109. "Building Architectures with Carbon Nanotubes", Colloquium, Department of Materials Science and Engineering, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, IL (October 28, 2002).
110. "Defects in Carbon Nanostructures", Nanohour Seminar, Beckman Institute, University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign, IL (October 29, 2002)
111. "Building Architectures with Carbon Nanotubes", Seminar, Department of Chemistry, University of Massachusetts, Dartmouth, Massachusetts (October 30, 2002).
112. "Small Things, Big Opportunities", Breakfast talk, Temple Gates of Heaven (Jewish Synagogue), Schenectady, NY (November 10, 2002) \*\*
113. "Fabrication of Highly Organized Carbon Nanotube Architectures", Seminar, Chemistry Division, Naval Research Laboratory, Washington, DC (November 18, 2002).
114. "Building Organized Architectures with Carbon Nanotubes", Colloquium, Institute of Materials Science – Polymer Program, University of Connecticut, Storrs, CT (November 20, 2002)

115. "Fabrication of Organized Carbon Nanotube Architectures", Seminar, ISIS, Universite Louis Pasteur, Strasborug, France (January 7, 2003).
116. "Fabrication of Highly Organized Carbon Nanotube Architectures", Seminar, Institut de Physique te Chimie des Matériaux de Strasbourg, CNRS, Strasbourg, France (January 7, 2003).
117. "Carbon Nanotubes: Complex Structures by Simple Techniques", International Conference On Metallurgical Coatings And Thin Films, San Diego, CA (April 30, 2003).
118. "Building Organized Architectures with Carbon Nanotubes", Colloquium, Department of Polymer Engineering, University of Akron, Akron, OH (May 2, 2003).
119. "Building Organized Architectures with Carbon Nanotubes", Special Seminar, Department of Physics, University of Geneva, Geneva, Switzerland (May 12, 2003).
120. "Fabrication of Organized Carbon Nanotube Architectures", Seminar, Institute of New Materials, University of Saarbrucken, Saarbrucken, Germany (June 10, 2003).
121. "Fabrication of Organized Carbon Nanotube Architectures", Seminar, Department of Materials Science, TU Darmstadt, Darmstadt, Germany (June 11, 2003).
122. "Fabrication of Organized Carbon Nanotube Architectures", Seminar, Department of Materials Science and Engineering, Royal Institute of Technology (KTH), Stickholm, Sweden (July 18, 2003).
123. "Synthesis, Characterization and Properties of One Dimensional Nanostructures", Summer School on Functional Nanostructures, Bad Herrenalb, Germany (September 27, 2003). \*\*
124. "Building Organized Architectures with Carbon Nanotubes", Conference on Functional Nanostructures, Karlsruhe, Germany (October 2, 2003).
125. "Building Organized Architectures with Carbon Nanotubes", Seminar, ACS Chapter, SUNY, Oneonta, New York (October 7, 2003).
126. " Fabrication of Organized Carbon Nanotube Architectures", Seminar, Department of Chemical Engineering and the NASA URETI Center, Princeton, New Jersey (October 13, 2003).
127. "Synthesis and Properties of 1-D Nanostructures", Workshop at the Nanoparticles 2003 Conference, Boston, MA (October 26, 2003). \*\*
128. "Why Nanotechnology", First Szeged International Workshop on Advances in Nanoscience", Szeged, Hungary (October 28, 2003). \*\*
129. "Directed Assembly of Singlewalled Nanotubes and Applicatios of Nanotubes", First Szeged International Workshop on Advances in Nanoscience", Szeged, Hungary (October 28, 2003).
130. "Fabrication of Organized Carbon Nanotube Architectures", Conference on Functional Semiconductor Nanostructures, NTT Research Laboratories, Atsugi, Japan (November 12, 2003).
131. "Fabrication and Applications of Carbon Nanotube Architectures: Progress and Challenges", Seminar, International Materials Institute, Tohoku University, Sendai, Japan (November 14, 2003).
132. "Carbon Nanotube Architectures", Seminar, Department of Physics and Chemistry, Osaka City University, Osaka, Japan (November 17, 2003).
133. "Fabrication of Functional Carbon Nanotube Architectures", The 7th International Conference on Atomically Controlled Surfaces, Interfaces and Nanostructures, Nara, Japan (November 19, 2003).
134. "Applications of Carbon Nanotube Architectures", Seminar, , SINTEF, Oslo, Norway (November 26, 2003).
135. "Complex Carbon Nanotube Architectures by Simple Techniques", ICON-2004, Chandigarh, India (December 23, 2003).
136. "Fabrication of Organized Carbon Nanotube Architectures", Seminar, Regional Research Laboratory, Trivandrum, India (December 31, 2003).
137. "Fabrication of Organized Carbon Nanotube Architectures", Seminar, Vikram Sarabhai Space Center, Trivandrum, India (December 31, 2003).
138. "Organized Carbon Nanotube Architectures for Applications", The 11th International Symposium on Advanced Materials (Frontiers of Nanomaterials and Colloid Chemistry), Tokyo, Japan (March 9, 2004).

139. "Fabrication of Organized Carbon Nanotube Architectures", Seminar, Electrical Engineering Department, Texas A&M University, College Station, Tx (March 11, 2004).
140. "Organized Carbon Nanotube Architectures for Applications", Seminar, Materials Science and Engineering Department, University of Florida, Gainesville, Fl (March 24, 2004).
141. "Organized Carbon Nanotube Architectures for Applications", Seminar, Mechanical Engineering Department, University of Hawaii, Honolulu, Hawaii (April 15, 2004).
142. "Carbon Nanotubes: Looking into Future", US-French Workshop on Nanotechnology, Honfleur, France (May 6, 2004).
143. "Fabrication of Organized Carbon Nanotube Architectures", Seminar, Structural Materials Branch, AFRL/MLBC, Wright-Patterson AFB, Dayton, OH (May 12, 2004).
144. "Fabrication of Organized Carbon Nanotube Architectures", Hilliard Symposium, Northwestern University, Evanston (May 13, 2004). (**Keynote Talk**)
145. "Organized Carbon Nanotube Architectures for Applications", Nanofactory Workshop, Meijo University, Nagoya, Japan (May 29, 2004).
146. "Directed Assembly of Carbon Nanotube Structures", DARPA Workshop on Direct Write Technology, Seward, Alaska (June 29, 2004).
147. "Carbon Nanotubes and Nanocomposites", ACS Meeting (Polymers and Coatings Session), Philadelphia (August 25, 2004).
148. "Carbon Nanotubes Structures for Applications", AFOSR MURI Workshop on Tribology, Annapolis, MD (November 4, 2004).
149. "Fabrication of Complex Functional Carbon Nanotube Architectures", MRS Fall Meeting, Boston, MA (November 30, 2004).
150. "Tailoring Carbon Nanotube Architectures for Applications", Agilent Technologies, San Jose, CA (December 9, 2004).
151. "Carbon Nanotubes and Applications", IIT-B Nanotechnology Workshop, Mumbai, India (January 6, 2005). (**Keynote Lecture**)
152. "Fabrication of Complex Functional Carbon Nanotube Architectures", Special Lecture, Goodyear Corp., Akron, Ohio (February 4, 2005).
153. "Carbon Nanotube Architectures and Applications", Akron Polymer Group Lecture, Department of Polymer Science, Akron University, Akron, Ohio (February 4, 2005).
154. "Organized Carbon Nanotube Architectures", Special Seminar, Department of Electrical Engineering, Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, LA (February 9, 2005).
155. "Carbon Nanotubes and Applications", Research Trends in Science and Technology, International Conference, Beirut, Lebanon (March 8, 2005). (**keynote Lecture**)
156. "Carbon Nanotube Structures for Interconnect Applications", Special Seminar, Components Research Division, Intel Corporation, Hillsboro, Oregon (March 18, 2005).
157. "Carbon Nanotube Architectures for Applications", Special Seminar, YTC America Inc., Camarillo, CA (March 23, 2005).
158. "Carbon Nanotube Architectures for Applications", Seminar, Department of Textiles and Materials Science, University of Massachusettes, Dartmouth, MA (April 21, 2005).
159. "Controlled Fabrication of Carbon Nanotube Architectures", Nano-Biotechnology Center Seminar, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY (May 3, 2005).
160. "Nanomaterials: Synthesis, Assembly, Properties and Applications of Nanostructures", Short Course, NanoBusiness Alliance Meeting, New York City, NY (May 22, 2005). \*\*
161. "Carbon Nanotube Architectures for Applications", ASM New York Chapter Meeting, GE Global Research Center, Schenectady, NY (April 24, 2005).
162. "Carbon Nanotube; Structure, Properties and Applications", Short Course, University of Oulu, Oulu, Finland (May 30, 2005). \*\*

163. "Carbon Nanotube Architectures for Applications", NANOMAT Birkeland Conference, Trondheim, Norway (June 2, 2005).
164. "Controlled Assembly of Carbon Nanotube Architectures", Seminar, Wake Forest University, Greensboro, NC (June 10, 2005).
165. "Organized Carbon Nanotube Architectures for Applications", Seminar, Pacific Northwest National Laboratory, Richland, WA (June 16, 2005).
166. "Controlled Fabrication of Carbon Nanotube Based Structures", Colloquium, ISSP, Chinese Academy of Sciences, Hefei, China (July 15, 2005).
167. "Carbon Nanotubes and Applications", Zhejiang University, Batou (Inner Mongolia), China (July 16, 2005).
168. "Carbon Nanotubes and Applications", Gansu Technology University, Lanzhou, China (July 19, 2005).
169. "Carbon Nanotubes and Applications", Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, India (August 2, 2005).
170. "Carbon Nanotubes and Nanotechnology", Seminar, National Institute of Technology, Calicut, India (August 12, 2005).
171. "Organized Carbon Nanotube Architectures for Applications", Seminar, Cochin University of Science and Technology, Cochin, India (August 16, 2005).
172. "Fabrication of Carbon Nanotube Hybrids: A Collaboration between RPI and IPICYT", Materials World Network, International Materials Congress, Cancun, Mexico (August 24, 2005).
173. "Organized Carbon Nanotube Architectures for Applications", Special Seminar (Distinguished Alumnus Award Ceremony), Benaras Hindu University, Varanasi, India (October 3, 2005).
174. "Organized Carbon Nanotube Architectures for Applications", Seminar, University of Hyderabad, Hyderabad, India (October 4, 2005).
175. "Organized Carbon Nanotube Architectures for Applications", Colloquium, Colgate University, Colgate, NY (November 11, 2005).
176. "Carbon Nanotubes and Applications", Seminar, City College of New York, CUNY, NY (November 21, 2005).
177. "Fabrication of Carbon Nanotubes", Seminar, Intel Corporation, Chandler, AZ (Dec. 7, 2005).
178. "Materials in Nature and Biomimetic Strategies", Short Course, IPICYT, San Luis Potosi, Mexico (December 20-23, 2005). \*\*
179. "Controlled Assembly of Carbon Nanotube Structures", Seminar, Rice University, Houston, TX (January 23, 2006).
180. "Engineering of Carbon Nanotube Architectures", Seminar, California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, CA (February 22, 2006).
181. "Carbon Nanotubes: The Tall Order", Seminar, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA (February 23, 2006).
182. "Controlled Assembly of Carbon Nanotube Structures", Brandon Symposium, TMS Meeting, San Antonio, TX (March 13, 2006).
183. "Engineering of Carbon Nanotube Architectures", ICONSAT, New Delhi, India (March 16, 2006).
184. "Carbon Nanotubes and Applications – Update", Seminar, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi, India (March 21, 2006).
185. "Engineering of Carbon Nanotube Architectures", NSLS/CFN User Meeting, Brookhaven National Laboratory, Upton, NY (May 15, 2006).
186. "Controlled Assembly of Carbon Nanotube Structures", Special Seminar, IIT Madras, Chennai, India (July 24, 2006).
187. "Engineering of Carbon Nanotube Architectures", Nano-biotechnology Conference, Pune, India (August 10, 2006).

188. "Engineering of Carbon Nanotube Architectures", International Conference on Trends in nanotechnology, Cochin, India (August 18, 2006).
189. "Controlled Assembly of Carbon Nanotubes", NANO2006, Bangalore, India (August 25, 2006).
190. "Engineering of Carbon Nanotube Architectures", Seminar, Helsinki University of Technology (August 15, 2006).
191. "Nanocomposites: A tour de Force", ASME International Conference on Multifunctional Nanocomposites, Honolulu, Hawaii (August 20, 2006).
192. "Engineering of Carbon Nanotube Architectures", Missouri Nanoalliance Meeting, University of Missouri, Columbia, MO (October 7, 2006). (**Keynote Lecture**)
193. "Engineering of Carbon Nanotube Architectures", Workshop on Carbon Technologies, Pennsylvania State University, State College, PA (October 16, 2006).
194. "Engineering of Carbon Nanotube Architectures", Kavli US-Chinese National Academy of Science Meeting, Irvine, CA (October 27, 2006).
195. "Engineering of Carbon Nanotube Architectures", Seminar, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, NJ (November 17, 2006).
196. "Engineering of Carbon Nanotube Architectures", Seminar, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA (November 16, 2006).
197. "Controlled Assembly of Carbon Nanotubes" MRS Medal Talk, Symposium Q, Materials Research Society Fall Meeting, Boston, MA (November 27, 2006).
198. "Carbon Nanotube Architectures and Applications" **Distinguished Lecture Series**, Northeastern University, Boston, MA (November 28, 2006).
199. "Engineering of Carbon Nanotubes" MRS Medal Talk, Symposium G, Materials Research Society Fall Meeting, Boston, MA (November 29, 2006).
200. "Engineering of Carbon Nanotubes" Gordon Research Conference on Chemistry of Hydrocarbon Resources, Venture, CA (January 9, 2007).
201. "Engineering of Carbon Nanotubes" Special seminar, Applied Materials, San Jose, CA (January 11, 2007).
202. "Controlled Assembly of Carbon Nanotubes", IFC-MSD Focus Center Workshop, MIT, Cambridge, MA (March 23, 2007).
203. "Carbon Nanotube Growth: Understanding or Lack of", Singlewalled Nanotube Growth Workshop, Canyon of the Eagles, Texas (April 17, 2007).
204. "Carbon Nanotubes – Related Technologies and Engineering Concepts", Seminar, Air Force Research Labs, Dayton, OH (April 20, 2007).
205. "Engineering Carbon Nanotube Architectures", Nanotechnology Symposium, Polytechnic University of Brooklyn, Brooklyn, NY (April 23, 2007).
206. "Engineering Carbon Nanotube Architectures", Nanotube 07, Ouro Preto, Brazil (June 25, 2007) (**Keynote Lecture**).