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Dear Colleague -

Here is some logistical information for those of you attending all or part of the Fusion Materials workshop on the University of Tennessee campus from 25-27 July. Apologies for filling your inbox if you will not be able to attend, and please be sure to forward this information and RSVP request to members of your research groups whom may not be on this email list.

Local hotel information is provided below (many of which offer a UTK rate, although we have not specifically requested a hotel block) and I will note that the meeting locations are a relatively easy walk (within 10-15 minutes) from most of these downtown hotels, as is the dinner location on Wednesday evening. We will have parking permits available for those whom prefer to drive (driving directions are attached from ORNL to each meeting location, respectively). The driving time from downtown Knoxville to ORNL is about 30-40 minutes (depending on traffic), so it is only about 10-20 minutes longer than from the hotels recommended by Eraina Elliot, if you prefer not to change hotels (assuming you are also participating in the thursday and friday meetings hosted at ORNL).

Monday and Tuesday, 25-26 July, we will meet in Pasqua 308. Parking will be available in the S7/C15 lot (not these locations with blue/orange stripe and black star on the map below). Lunch will be provided both days, along with coffee breaks.

Wednesday, 27 July, we will be meeting at the Howard Baker Center located on the corner of Cumberland

Avenue and Melrose. The meeting will be in the Toyota Auditorium, and the lunch and poster session will be in the rotunda. Parking will be available in the White Avenue Parking Garage (note these locations are also located on the map below, again with blue/orange stripe for parking and the black star for the Baker Center). A poster session will be held during the hosted lunch on Wednesday (more information on poster board size will be forthcoming early next week), and we will host a dinner for all participants on Wednesday evening at the Copper Cellars restaurant (1807 Cumberland Ave).

We will have a representative in the parking location each morning with parking permits available, as well as to confirm the walking directions to the meeting location.

Please RSVP to Caitlin Hardy so that we can get a firm count on attendee's for the catering, as well as to ensure that we will have a sufficient number of parking permits available. You can RSVP by clicking this link ([Caitlyn Hardy](#)) and including the following information (please cut and paste, and then respond appropriately):

Attending Meeting: Monday, July 25<sup>th</sup> Y/N Tuesday, July 26<sup>th</sup> Y/N Wednesday, July 27<sup>th</sup> Y/N

Presenting a Poster on Wednesday, July 27<sup>th</sup> Y/N Title: \_\_\_\_\_.

Attending dinner at Copper Cellars: Wednesday, July 27<sup>th</sup> Y/N

Parking Needed: Monday, July 25<sup>th</sup> Y/N Tuesday, July 26<sup>th</sup> Y/N Wednesday, July 27<sup>th</sup> Y/N

Food Allegories:

Please note that attendance on Monday and Tuesday (25-26 July) will be limited by the meeting room location in Pasqua (and thus could yet be restricted). However, we do plan to have a bluejeans feed available with the slide presentations and audio/video of the presenter. This means that we will use a single computer (MAC) for all presentations, so presenters will need to load their slides as either powerpoint or PDF in advance. Please email me to be put on the mailing list for connection information if you are interested in being able to connect remotely.

### **Local hotel information**

There are numerous hotels close to campus for which participants could easily walk to the Mon-Wed meeting locations. These include:

Hilton Garden Inn (<http://hiltongardeninn3.hilton.com/en/hotels/tennessee/hilton-garden-inn-knoxville-university-TYSKNGI/index.html>)

Sheraton 4 Points/Cumberland House (<http://www.fourpointsknoxville.com/>)

Hampton Inn (<http://hamptoninn3.hilton.com/en/hotels/tennessee/hampton-inn-and-suites-knoxville-downtown-TYSHSHX/index.html>)

Slightly farther away from campus are:

Hilton Knoxville (<http://www3.hilton.com/en/hotels/tennessee/hilton-knoxville-KNXKHHF/index.html>)

Holiday Inn Knoxville

(<http://www.ihg.com/holidayinn/hotels/us/en/knoxville/tysec/hoteldetail#directions>)

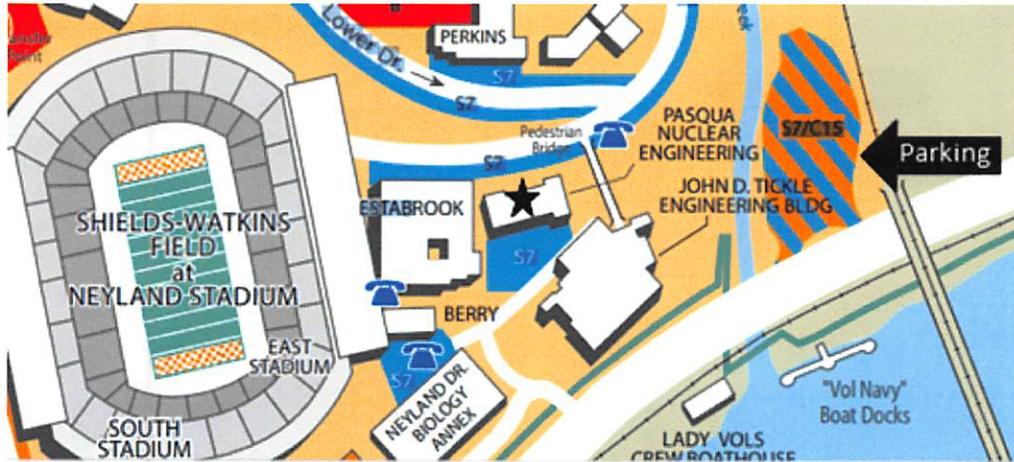
Crowne Plaza Knoxville (<http://www.crowneknnox.com/>)

Marriott Knoxville (<http://www.marriott.com/hotels/travel/tysmc-knoxville-marriott/>)

### **Venue & Parking Information**

**July 25<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup>**

Meeting Location: 308 Pasqua Nuclear Engineering★ )  
 Parking Location: S7/C15 (Orange & Blue stripe)  
 Permit to be **visible** on dash board



**July 27<sup>th</sup>**

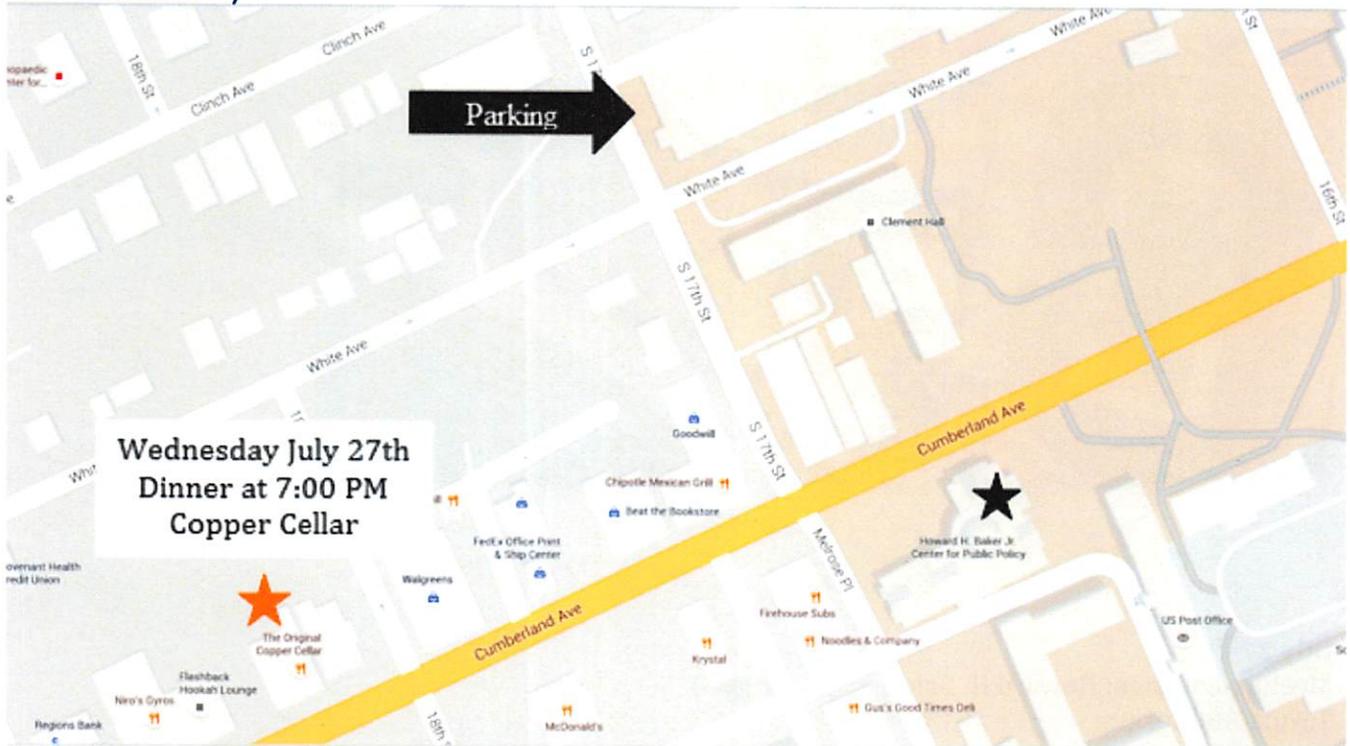
Meeting Location: Howard H. Baker Jr. Center (★ )  
 Toyota Auditorium

Howard H. Baker Jr. Center is located on the corner of Cumberland and Melrose

Parking Location: White Avenue Parking Garage  
 (Orange & Blue stripe)  
 Permit to be visible on dash board



# Wednesday, 27 July — Dinner location (Copper Cellar Restaurant)



## Oak Ridge National Laboratory

1 Bethel Valley Road, Oak Ridge, TN 37831

1. Head east on Bethel Valley Rd toward Melton Valley Access Rd  
⚠ Partial restricted usage road

Take TN-162 S and I-40 E to Dale Ave NW in Knoxville. Take exit 387 from I-40 E

2. Merge onto TN-62 E
3. Keep right to continue on TN-162 S
4. Use the right 2 lanes to merge onto I-40 E/I-75 N toward Knoxville  
📍 Continue to follow I-40 E
5. Take exit 387 toward TN-62/17th St/Western Ave

Take 16th St to your destination

6. Merge onto Dale Ave NW
7. Turn right onto N 17th St
8. Turn left onto Grand Ave
9. Turn right onto 16th St
10. Turn right  
📍 Destination will be on the left

## White Avenue Parking Garage G12

Knoxville, TN 37916

## Oak Ridge National Laboratory

1 Bethel Valley Road Oak Ridge TN 37831

1. Head east on Bethel Valley Rd toward Melton Valley Access Rd  
 Partial restricted usage road

Take TN-162 S and I-40 E to TN-158 W in Knoxville. Take the TN-158 W/Neyland Dr/Cumberland Ave exit from TN-158 W

2. Merge onto TN-62 E
3. Keep right to continue on TN-162 S
4. Use the right 2 lanes to merge onto I-40 E/I-75 N toward Knoxville  
 Continue to follow I-40 E
5. Use the 2nd from the right lane to take exit 388A for James White Parkway
6. Continue onto TN-158 W
7. Use the right 2 lanes to take the TN-158 W/Neyland Dr/Cumberland Ave exit toward University of Tennessee/US-441 S/Downtown

Follow TN-158 W to your destination

8. Continue onto TN-158 W
9. Turn right
10. Turn right at Neyland Greenway  
 Destination will be on the left

C15

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