



INTERNATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR CARBON-NEUTRAL ENERGY RESEARCH

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**- CENTER FOR ENERGY SYSTEMS DESIGN -**  
**WORKSHOP**

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**DATE: JANUARY 28TH, 2026, WEDNESDAY**

**TIME: 9:30AM – 5:00PM (JST)**

**VENUE: I²CNER HALL AB, ITO CAMPUS, KYUSHU UNIVERSITY**

Time	Speaker	Affiliation	Title
<b>9:30 a.m.</b>	Hiroshige Matsumoto	I²CNER, Kyushu University	Opening Remarks
<b>9:40 a.m.</b>	Yoichi Yamada	RIKEN	Functional Heterogeneous Catalyses for Molecular Transformation
<b>10:05 a.m.</b>	Ken-ichi Shimizu	Hokkaido University	Periodic Unsteady-State Surface Reactions for GHG Conversion and Catalytic Mechanism Studies
<b>10:30 a.m.</b>	Nobutaka Maeda	I²CNER, Kyushu University	Advanced Spectroscopy Platform at the Material Conversion Team
<b>10:55 a.m.</b>	Julian Andres Ortiz Corrales	Institute of Science Tokyo	Controlling Transport Properties in Proton-Conducting Oxides for Improved Performance of Electrochemical Cells
<b>11:20 a.m.</b>	Leonard Kwati	I²CNER, Kyushu University	Breaking the 1600°C Barrier: Sr-Activated Sintering of Proton-Conducting Perovskites
<b>11:45 a.m.</b>	<b><i>Lunch Meeting</i></b>		
<b>1:10 p.m.</b>	Adroit T. N. Fajar	I²CNER, Kyushu University	Autonomous Molecular Discovery with Language Models
<b>1:35 p.m.</b>	Guillaume Lambard	National Institute for Materials Science (NIMS)	SMILES-X: A Tailored and Effective Molecular Property Inference and Generation Pipeline
<b>2:00 p.m.</b>	Zhanglin Guo	I²CNER, Kyushu University	Small Molecule Design and Discovery for Efficient Halide Perovskite Solar Cells
<b>2:25 p.m.</b>	Bashir Ahmmad Arima	Yamagata University	Synthesis and Evaluation of Visible-Light-Active Photocatalysts for Z-Scheme-Type Water-Splitting Systems
<b>2:50 p.m.</b>	<b><i>Coffee Break</i></b>		
<b>3:10 p.m.</b>	Islam Md Amirul	I²CNER, Kyushu University	Isotherm and Kinetic Modeling of Adsorbent–Adsorbate Pairs for Sustainable Heat Pump and Decarbonization Systems

<b>3:35 p.m.</b>	Yuan Gao	I <sup>2</sup> CNER, Kyushu University	The Application of Large Language Models in Renewable Energy Systems
<b>4:00 p.m.</b>	Saeid Akrami	I <sup>2</sup> CNER, Kyushu University	Engineering High-Entropy Fluorite Oxides for Enhanced Photocatalytic Hydrogen Production
<b>4:25 p.m.</b>	Shang Juan	I <sup>2</sup> CNER, Kyushu University	Pressure- and Concentration- Dependent Effects of CO <sub>2</sub> on Hydrogen-Assisted Fatigue in Steels: Experimental and First-Principles Insights
<b>4:50 p.m.</b>	Yoichi Yamada	RIKEN	Closing Remarks