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77. X. Xi, Y. M. Dai, C. C. Homes, M. Kildun, S. Haindl, and G. L. Carr, *Conventional and Time-Resolved Infrared Spectroscopy of La-1111 Thin Films*, Bull. Am. Phys. Soc. **58**, 611 (2013), V1.155, March Meeting of the American Physical Society, Baltimore, Maryland; March 18-22, 2013.
78. S. V. Dordevic, D. N. Basov, and C. C. Homes, *Universal scaling relations in exotic superconductors*, Bull. Am. Phys. Soc. **58**, 653 (2013), W35.3, March Meeting of the American Physical Society, Baltimore, Maryland; March 18-22, 2013.

Invited Conference Talks

1. *Electron-phonon coupling in organic conductors and superconductors*, Canadian Institute for Advanced Research, Superconductivity Meeting, January, 1991.
2. *Optical properties along the c-axis of $YBa_2Cu_3O_{6+x}$ for $x = 0.6 \rightarrow 0.95$* , Aspen Winter Condensed Matter Physics Conference, *High-Temperature Superconductors and Related Materials*, Aspen, Colorado, USA, January, 1994.
3. *Pseudogap in the c-axis optical conductivity of oxygen-reduced $YBa_2Cu_3O_{6+x}$* , APS March Meeting, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, USA, March , 1994.
4. *Charge transport and the optical properties of cuprate superconductors*, Invited talk at the Asia Pacific Center for Theoretical Physics Winter Workshop on Strongly Correlated Electron Systems, Bokwang Phoenix Park, Kangwon-do, Korea, February 8-13, 1999.
5. *Charge transport and screening effects in the high-temperature superconductors*, National Synchrotron Light Source Annual Users Meeting, Complex Materials Workshop, May 24–26, 1999.
6. *Infrared studies of correlated systems at very long wavelengths at the NSLS*, Future Directions for Far-infrared Sources, ALS Users' Meeting Workshop, October 18, 2000.
7. *Infrared Spectroscopy at the National Synchrotron Light Source* (keynote talk), Canadian Light Source: 3rd Users' Meeting, Infrared Spectroscopy and Microscopy Workshop, University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon, Canada, November 17–18, 2000.

8. *Optical properties of cuprate superconductors and related materials*, VII Internal Conference on Advanced Materials, Cancun, Q.R., Mexico, August 26–30, 2001.
9. *Optical properties of the giant dielectric materials $\text{CaCu}_3\text{Ti}_4\text{O}_{12}$ and $\text{CdCu}_3\text{Ti}_4\text{O}_{12}$* (symposium), APS March Meeting, Indianapolis, IN, March 18–22, 2002.
10. *The role of phonons in high-temperature superconductors — is there one?*, International Conference on Low Energy Electrodynamics in Solids (LEES 02), Montauk, LI, NY, October 13–18, 2002.
11. *Energy scales in High- T_c Superconductors*, International Conference on Dynamic Inhomogeneities in Complex Oxides and Related systems, Bled, Slovenia, June 14–20, 2003.
12. *A universal scaling relation in high-temperature superconductors*, Aspen Winter Conference in Condensed Matter Physics: High-Temperature Superconductivity, January 9–15, 2005.
13. *Universal scaling relation in high-temperature superconductors*, APS March Meeting, Los Angeles, CA, March 21–25, 2005.
14. *Scaling of the superfluid density in high-temperature superconductors*, Strongly Correlated Electron Materials: Physics and Nanoengineering, SPIE International Symposium on Optics and Photonics, San Diego, CA, July 31 – August 4, 2005.
15. *Scaling of the superfluid density in high-temperature superconductors*, International Symposium on Superconductivity, Tsukuba, Japan, October 24–26, 2005.
16. *High-field magneto-optical studies in high-temperature superconductors*, Lattice Effects in Superconductors, Santa Fe, NM, April 17–20, 2006.
17. *Scaling of the superfluid density in high-temperature superconductors and related materials*, Low Energy Electrodynamics in Solids (LEES 06), Tallinn, Estonia, July 1–6, 2006.
18. *Nature of the electronic gap in stripe-ordered cuprates*, March Meeting of the American Physical Society, Denver, Colorado, March, 2007.
19. *Scaling of the superfluid density in high-temperature superconductors and other materials*, Workshop on routes to superconductivity at ambient conditions, University of Brasilia, Brasilia/DF, Brazil, April 13–24, 2009.
20. *Electronic and vibrational properties of BaFe_2As_2 and related materials*, Frontiers in Density Functional Theory, Montauk, NY, September 2009.
21. *Optical properties and determination of the superconducting gap in $\text{FeTe}_{1-x}\text{Se}_x$* , The 9th International Conference on Spectroscopies in Novel Superconductors, Shanghai, P. R. China, May 23–28, 2010.
22. *Scaling of the superfluid density in the iron-based superconductors*, Villa Conference on Iron Pnictide Superconductors, Las Vegas, Nevada, April 2011.
23. *Superconductivity, charge and spin order: optical conductivity and spectral weight as a method of determining the nature of the gap*, Telluride Science Research Workshop on Competing Interactions and Colossal Responses in Transition Metal Compounds, Telluride, Colorado, July 2011.
24. *Evidence for a Josephson phase in the optical conductivity of the iron-selenide $\text{K}_{0.8}\text{Fe}_{2-y}\text{Se}_2$* , Villa Conference on Iron-based Superconductors, Orlando, Florida, April 2012.
25. *Gap signatures in the IR and THz properties of the cuprate and iron-based superconductors*, Low Energy Electrodynamics in Solids 2012, Napa, California, July 2012.
26. *Optical properties and electronic correlations in the cuprate and iron-based superconductors*, International Workshop on Strongly Correlated Physics in the Cuprates, Montauk, Long Island, New York, September 4–7, 2012.
27. *Fractional power law in the optical conductivity of iron-based superconductors*, Energy Materials Nanotechnology West Meeting, Houston, TX, January 7–10, 2013.

28. *Scattering rate in iron-based superconductors*, Recent developments in Fe-based high-temperature superconductors, Riverhead, NY, September 3–6, 2013.

Seminars and Colloquia

1. *Electron-phonon coupling in the conducting organic (TMTSF)₂X salts*, McMaster University, *Superconductivity Study Group*, October, 1990.
2. *The optical conductivity of the icosahedral quasicrystals AlCu(Fe,Ru), and AlMnSi and its crystalline approximant*, Cornell University, July 1992.
3. *Optical Properties of quasicrystals*, University of British Columbia, Condensed Matter Seminar, September, 1992.
4. *Optical properties along the c-axis of YBa₂Cu₃O_{6.70}: evidence for a pseudogap*, University of British Columbia, Condensed Matter Seminar, March 1993.
5. *The effect of impurities on the optical properties of YBa₂Cu₃O_{6+x}*, SUNY at Stony Brook, *Solid State Seminar*, April 1997.
6. *Infrared spectroscopy of solids*, SUNY at Binghamton, *Chemistry Colloquium*, November 1997.
7. *Charge transport and screening effects in cuprate superconductors*, NSLS, Brookhaven National Laboratory, May, 1999.
8. *Screening effects in high-temperature superconductors*, University of Connecticut, *Physics Colloquium*, February 2000.
9. *Optical conductivity sum rules and kinetic energy mechanisms in high-T_c materials*, R.G. Herb Materials Physics seminar, University of Wisconsin, Madison, February 2003.
10. *Energy scales and scaling relations in high-temperature superconductors*, Walther Meissner Institut, Munich, Germany, February 2004.
11. *Universal scaling in high-temperature superconductors*, SUNY Stony Brook, *Physics Colloquium*, October 2004.
12. *Universal scaling relation in high-temperature superconductors*, Princeton, November 2004.
13. *Scaling in high-temperature superconductors*, Boston College, November 2004.
14. *Scaling in high-temperature superconductors*, Simon Fraser University, February 2006.
15. *Scaling in high-temperature superconductors*, University of British Columbia, March 2006.
16. *Scaling laws in the high-temperature superconductors: possible insights into a mechanism*, University of Toronto, November 2006.
17. *Scaling laws in the high-temperature superconductors: energy scales and the pseudogap*, University of California at San Diego, February 2007.
18. *Scaling laws in the high-temperature superconductors: energy scales and the pseudogap*, University of Wisconsin at Madison, March 2007.
19. *Scaling relations and the dirty limit in high-temperature superconductors: energy scales and the pseudogap*, Laboratoire Photons et Matière, Ecole Supérieure de Physique et de Chimie Industrielles de la Ville de Paris, CNRS, UPR 5 - 10, April 2007.
20. *The first high-temperature superconductor La_{2-x}Ba_xCuO₄: an optical investigation*, R. G. Herb Materials Physics Seminar, University of Wisconsin at Madison, Madison, WI, December 2007.
21. *Electronic correlations in the optical properties of the iron-based superconductors*, R. G. Herb Condensed Matter Seminar, Physics Department at the University of Wisconsin at Madison, December 2010.

22. *Optical properties of the iron-selenide superconductor $K_{0.8}Fe_{2-y}Se_2$: evidence for a Josephson phase*, Condensed Matter Seminar, Department of Physics and Astronomy at McMaster University, December 2011.
23. *Infrared optical properties of metals and superconductors* (undergraduate talk), Department of Physics and Astronomy, SUNY Stony Brook, December 2011.

Contributed talks and other presentations...

1. March Meeting of the American Physical Society, Condensed Matter, Baltimore, Maryland, USA, March, 1985.
2. Low-Dimensional Conductors and Superconductors, NATO Advanced Study Institute, Magog, P.Q., Canada, August 24-September 6, 1986.
3. March Meeting of the American Physical Society, Condensed Matter, New Orleans, Louisiana, USA, March 21-25, 1988.
4. March Meeting of the American Physical Society, Condensed Matter, Cincinnati, Ohio, USA, March 18-22, 1990.
5. Gordon Research Conference on Condensed Matter Physics, Magnetism and Superconductivity, Wolfeboro, New Hampshire, USA, June 10-14, 1991.
6. March Meeting of the American Physical Society, Condensed Matter, Indianapolis, Indiana, USA, March 16-20, 1992.
7. Canadian Association of Physicists Annual Congress, Superconductivity Symposium, University of Windsor, Ontario, June 15-17, 1992 .
8. March Meeting of the American Physical Society, Condensed Matter, Seattle, Washington, USA, March 22-26, 1993.
9. Canadian Association of Physicists Annual Congress, Simon Fraser University, Burnaby, B.C., June 16-19, 1993.
10. Canadian Institute for Advanced Research, Superconductivity Meeting, Hamilton, Ontario, February 25-27, 1993.
11. March Meeting of the American Physical Society, Condensed Matter, San Jose, CA, March 20-24, 1994.
12. SPIE International Symposium on Lasers and Integrated Optoelectronics (Spectroscopic Studies of Super-conductors), San Jose, CA, January 27 - February 2, 1995.
13. March Meeting of the American Physical Society, Condensed Matter, Kansas City, MO, March 17-21, 1997.
14. Spectroscopy of Novel Superconductors, September 14-18, 1997, Cape Cod, Massachusetts.
15. March Meeting of the American Physical Society, Condensed Matter, Los Angeles, CA, March 16-20, 1998.
16. National Synchrotron Light Source Annual Users Meeting, Upton, NY, May 18-20, 1998.
17. Gordon Conference on Condensed Matter Physics, Correlated Electron Systems, Plymouth, NH, July 19-24, 1998.
18. March Meeting of the American Physical Society, Condensed Matter, Atlanta, GA, March 20-26, 1999.
19. March Meeting of the American Physical Society, Condensed Matter, Seattle, WA, March 12-16, 2001.
20. Pittcon, FTIR Spectroscopy, New Orleans, LA, March 17-22, 2002.

21. March Meeting of the American Physical Society, Condensed Matter, Indianapolis, IN, March 18-22, 2002.
22. International Conference on the Low Energy Electrodynamics in Solids (LEES 02), Montauk, NY, October 13-18, 2002.
23. March Meeting of the American Physical Society, Condensed Matter, Austin, TX, March 3-7, 2003.
24. March Meeting of the American Physical Society, Condensed Matter, Montreal, PQ, Canada, March 22-26, 2004.
25. March Meeting of the American Physical Society, Condensed Matter, Los Angeles, CA, March 21-25, 2005.
26. March Meeting of the American Physical Society, Condensed Matter, Baltimore, MD, March 13-17, 2006.
27. March Meeting of the American Physical Society, Condensed Matter, Denver, CO, March 5-9, 2007.
28. March Meeting of the American Physical Society, Condensed Matter, New Orleans, LA, March 10-14, 2008.
29. International Conference on Low-Energy Electrodynamics in Solids, Vancouver - Whistler, British Columbia, Canada, June 30-July 4, 2008.
30. March Meeting of the American Physical Society, Condensed Matter, Pittsburgh, PA, March 16-20, 2009.