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Work Experience

02/2020 - CURRENT	Post-doctoral researcher, Paul Scherrer Institut. , Villigen, Switzerland. Project: investigate quantum phase transitions in magnetic and superconducting materials. Fabricate mesoscopic devices in 2DEG heterostructures. Transport and magnetic characterization. Commission a sputtering system.
09/2017 - 10/2019	Physicist, York Instruments Ltd. , York, United Kingdom. Duties: development and Fabrication of Hybrid Superconducting Quantum Interference Devices (Hy-QUIDs) for magnetoencephalographic scanners (MEGSCAN). Bench-test experiments at cryogenic temperatures and Python control of instrumentation and data analysis. Correlations with theoretical predictions and design improvements based on theory and experiments. Project management.
09/2013 - 03/2017	Teaching Assistant (TA/GA), Cardiff University , Cardiff, United Kingdom. Objective: undergraduate courses. (Experimental Physics I and II)
01/2013 - 03/2013	Physicist, Serviciencia,S.L. , Yuncos, Toledo, Spain. Objective: Labview engineering software developer for magnetic sensors. New magnetic solutions. Electronic devices.
10/2008 - 10/2012	Physicist, Instituto de Ciencia de Materiales , Madrid, Spain. Research: development of a static and time-resolved magnetooptic Kerr-effect magnetometer (picosecond TRMOKE). Line manager: Dr. Jesús González Fernández. Keywords: Electroptic devices, pulsed lasers, fibre optic, transmission lines, high field magnetometers (VSM, SQUID). Pulse laser deposition (PLD)
08/2007 - 09/2008	Physicist, Instituto de Magnetismo Aplicado , Las Rozas, Madrid, Spain. Research: Investigation of magnetic microwires with RF absorption properties. Line manager: Dr. Pilar Marin Palacios. Keywords: virtual network analyser,magnetostriction, structural and magnetic characterization.
01/2007 - 07/2007	Grant Holder, Isofoton , Madrid, Spain. Research: study of photovoltaic cells to improve safety measures against hot spots formation. Supervisor: Dr. P. Sanchez-Friera (Isofoton) M.C Garcia Alonso (CIEMAT). Keywords: photovoltaics, semiconductors.

06/2006 - 01/2007

Grant Holder, Universidad Complutense, Madrid, Spain. Duties: maintenance and development of School website

Education

09/2013 - 09/2017

PhD, Cardiff University, Cardiff, UK, Dr. S.R.Giblin. Research: low temperature magnetism and superconductivity at high frequencies. Thesis title: "Investigations of Spin Dynamics in Magnetic Systems and Development of Novel Probes".

07/2006 - 09/2007

MSc Applied Physics, Universidad Complutense - Ciemat, Madrid, Spain. Research: nanomaterials; semiconductors; renewable energies. Msc, Thesis title: "Study of Photovoltaic Cells to Improve Safety Measures against Hot Spots Formation". (under M.C. Garcia Alonso)

09/2000 - 09/2006

BSc Physics, Universidad Complutense, Madrid, Spain

Conferences, Grants, Awards and Training Courses

02/2021

LENS Machine Learning School 2021 organised by ISIS/STFC .

09/2019

Superconducting Quantum Devices SQD 2019 .

01/2019

Innovate UK Grant.

11/2018

Business Start-up Award 2018 (Institute of Physics).

02/2017

Muon Spectroscopy at Low Temperatures Symposium and User Meeting.

04/2016

Superconductors-based Sensors and Quantum Technologies Workshop. (SBS-QT16).

03/2016

APS March Meeting.

03/2016

UK Magnetic Society Student bursary

2015

iSolve Cardiff University programme to investigate the commercial potential of research advances.

05/2014

ISIS Muon Training School 2014 <http://www.isis.stfc.ac.uk/groups/muons/muon-training-school/muon-training-school-201414926.html>

03/2014

ISIS Neutron Training Course 2014 <http://www.isis.stfc.ac.uk/learning/neutron-training-course/isis-neutron-training-course-20149135.html>

09/2009

European School on Magnetism 2009 <http://magnetism.eu/esm/2009/>

01/2007

Isofoton grant to study safety measure against hot spots formation in photovoltaic cells

Topic of interest and Skills

LANGUAGES	English (fluent), Spanish (fluent), Italian (intermediate), German (basic).
EXPERIMENTAL SKILLS	Fabrication techniques: e-beam and photo-lithography, sputtering, thermal evaporation, wet and dry etching. Characterization techniques: XRD, Hall effect, SEM, AFM, photoluminescence, XRR, PEEM. Low Temperature Physics: cryocoolers, dilution refrigerators, vacuum technologies. Magnetometry: surface and time-resolved magneto-optic Kerr effect (TR-MOKE). AC and DC magnetometry (SQUID, VSM, MPMS-PMMS). Muon Spectroscopy μSR: experience in pulsed (ISIS) and continuous (PSI) muon spectroscopy facilities: ultra low temperature μSR (MUSR-ISIS LTF-PSI); pump-probe μSR (RF-EMU); laser-μSR (HIFI-ISIS); Dolly, GPS-PSI. Neutron Scattering: neutron diffraction, inelastic neutron scattering. small angle neutron scattering (SANS). Investigations of crystallographic and magnetic structure and phase transitions. Mantid software.
PROGRAMMING SKILLS	Labview, Python, Latex, Originlab, Matlab, Comsol, Ansys.
TOPIC OF INTEREST	Superconducting quantum technologies. Hybrid mesoscopic devices. Microscopic sensors. Novel magnetism. Medical devices.

Publication List

- [1] D. Billington, E. Riordan, M. Salman, D. Margineda, G. Gill, S. Cotrell, I. McKenzie, T. Lancaster, M. Graf and S. Giblin, *Radio-frequency manipulation of state populations in a coupled muon- fluorine system*, Submitted (2021)
- [2] D. Margineda, J. Weaver, F. Quevjanaj and C. Checkley, *Anomalous Josephson Effect in Non-magnetic Andreev Interferometers*, arXiv:2105.13968 [cond-mat.supr-con] (2021)
- [3] E. Riordan, J. Blomgren, C. Jonasson, F. Ahrentorp, C. Johansson, D. Margineda, A. Elfassi, S. Michel, F. Dellova, G. M. Klemencic and S. R. Giblin, *Design and implementation of a low temperature, inductance based high frequency alternating current susceptometer*, Review of Scientific Instruments 90 (7), p. 073908 (2019)
- [4] D. Margineda, J. Duffy, J. Taylor and S. Giblin, *μ SR study of stoichiometric NbFe₂*, Physica B: Condensed Matter 504, p. 121 (2017)
- [5] M. Graf, S. Disseler, C. Dhital, T. Hogan, M. Bojko, A. Amato, H. Luetkens, C. Baines, D. Margineda, S. Giblin et al., *Magnetism and magnetic order in the pyrochlore iridates in the insulator-to-metal crossover region*, Journal of Physics: Conference Series 551 (1), p. 012020 (2014)
- [6] C. Aguilera, J. González, A. Borrás, D. Margineda, J. González, a.R. González-Elipe and J. Espinós, *Preparation and characterization of CrO₂ films by Low Pressure Chemical Vapor Deposition from CrO₃*, Thin Solid Films 539, p. 1 (2013)
- [7] H. Bustos, D. Oyola, Y. Rojas, G. Perez Alcazar, J. Gonzalez and D. Margineda, *Evidence of dipolar magnetic field in mechanically alloyed Fe₅₀Al₅₀ samples*, J. Alloys Compd. 536, p. S377 (2012)
- [8] D. Margineda, M. Alonso-García and P. Sánchez-Friera, *Analysis of the thermal and electrical behavior of commercial photovoltaic cells in inverse operation*, in *Construyendo el futuro sostenible: XIV Iberian Congress and IX Latin American of Solar Energy. Vigo, Galicia, Spain* (2008), p. 721