

**Minutes of the SHUG Conference Call
October 3, 2014, 1pm**

1. Roll call
Attendees On line: Claire White, Yang Zhang, Yan Gao, Andrea Marcinkova, Brad Lokitz, Morten Eskildsen, Hanno zur Loye, Greg B., Dave
ORNL: Rob McQueeney, Crystal Schrof, Thomas Proffen, Ron Crone, Mark Lumsden
2. Approval of minutes from September meeting - approved
3. Approval of current agenda - approved
4. Updates
 - a. NSSD Update (Crone) [particularly target replacement and MEBT failure] - Recovery going well. Every componet of MEBT have been refurbished - dried out. MEBT undergoing re assembly, most likely ahead of schedule. Target has been changed out (Target 10 that failed was new jet flow design) - new target is old design.

Met DOE operational requirement and unique users.

MEBT componet that failed has been in place since 2001. Will do analysis of other componets to determine other potential failure issues.

Kevin Jones working on scenarios to determine when beam time can be made up - working with instrument scientists

- b. SNS/HFIR facility/instrument updates (Nagler/Proffen/Langan)
Mark Lumsden, QCMD for Steve Nagler - Correlli commisioning going well - took first measurement with correlation chopper running and data looks promising. Correlli will take limited number of proposals during upcoming call. New Instrument scientist on ARCs, vacancy on HB3. 2 papers in PRL and 1 paper accepted in Nature.

Thomas Proffen - CMD - Electrostatic levatator on NOMAD. New staff (Kate) looking at background on NOMAD and POWGEN. GSAS II update, Bob XX been to SNS and coming back in two weeks to do GSAS II workshop. Q. Can slides from workshop be made public? A. Most likely.

- c. User office updates (Laura)

Crystal for Laura (User Office) - proposal call closes Oct 15. Inagural news letter went out Wednesday, plan to put it out quarterly - please provide feedback to Katie. New electronic signature fearture for experiments safety summary.

Tyrel asked to be able to put something in news letter - User office offered a quarterly SHUG feature

5. Action items from last meeting
 - a. SHUG on-site visit - What dates work best for ORNL to host SHUG in January. Crystal/Laura will contact SHUG next week about dates

- b. Elections - Nominations are open until Oct 12. Tyrel has recieved 4 nominations to date.

- 6 New Business (Tyrel)