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WORK EXPERIENCE

Department of Physics, Arizona State University, Tempe, Arizona. Professor. (Since 1999)
Catholic University of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. Visiting Professor. (2006-2019)
Xerox Palo Alto Research Center, Palo Alto, California. Member Research Staff. (1984-1998)
Hewlett-Packard Labs, Palo Alto, California. Member Technical Staff. (1980-1984)
Xerox Palo Alto Research Center, Palo Alto, California. Research Associate. (1978-1980)

EDUCATION

Ph. D., Materials Science and Engineering, Stanford University, 1981.
M. S., Solid State Physics, University of Maryland, 1975.
B. S., Physics, Universidad Nacional de Ingeniería, Lima, Peru, 1971.

PROFESSIONAL HONORS

Latin American Academy of Science, Fellow, elected 2018.
Co-Chair, 11th Int. Conf. on Nitride Semiconductors (ICNS-11). Beijing, China, 2015.
Honorary Professor, Universidad Jorge Basadre, Tacna, Peru, 2011
Doctor Honoris Causa, Universidad Nacional de Ingeniería. Lima, Peru, 2010.
Faculty Achievement Award for Defining Edge Research, Arizona State University, 2009.
Peruvian National Academy of Science, Corresponding Member. Lima, Peru, 2009.
Chair, 7th Int. Symp. on Blue Lasers and Light Emitting Devices. Phoenix, AZ, April 2008.
Tricentennial Medal, Universidad Nacional San Antonio Abad del Cusco. Peru, 2007.
Atomo de Oro Medal, Instituto Peruano de Energía Nuclear. Lima, Peru, 2006.
Co-Chair, Intel International Science and Engineering Fair. Phoenix, Arizona, 2005.
Antorcha de Habich Award, Universidad Nacional de Ingeniería. Lima, Peru, 2005.
Doctor Honoris Causa, Universidad Ricardo Palma. Lima, Peru, 2005.
Chair, International Conference on the Physics of Semiconductors (ICPS-27). Flagstaff, July 2004.
American Physical Society, Fellow, elected 2002.
Honorary Professor, Universidad Nacional de Ingeniería, Lima, Peru, 2002.
Chair, Fall Meeting of the Materials Research Society. Boston, Massachusetts, 1999.
Eduardo de Habich Medal, Universidad Nacional de Ingeniería. Lima, Peru, 1999.
Honorary Professor, Universidad Nacional San Antonio Abad. Cusco, Peru, 1990.
Ross M. Tucker AIME Electronics Materials Award, Palo Alto, CA, 1981.
Fellow, Organization of American States, 1973-1975.
Graduated Summa Cum Laude, Universidad Nacional de Ingeniería. Lima, Peru, 1971.
Who is Who in America and Who is Who in the World, listed since 2009.

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

American Physical Society, Microscopy Society of America, Materials Research Society, American Association for Crystal Growth, Brazilian Materials Research Society, Colombian Society of Electron Microscopy, Brazilian Society of Electron Microscopy.

AREAS OF TECHNICAL EXPERTISE AND INTEREST

1. Semiconductor materials for solid-state lighting and for photovoltaic solar cells.
2. Properties of interfaces and defects in crystalline materials.
3. Determination of optical and electronic nanoscale properties of materials.
4. Materials analysis, including x-ray diffraction, microanalysis, and TEM.
5. III-V compounds and related epitaxial systems.
6. Double heterojunction laser diodes, optical coatings for optoelectronic applications.

PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES by FERNANDO A. PONCE:

PHD STUDENTS GRADUATED FROM ARIZONA STATE UNIVERSITY UNDER Prof. PONCE'S GUIDANCE

1. Juan Cai, 2002. Thesis Title: *Electrostatic Potential and Charge Distribution at Interfaces and Dislocations in Group III Nitrides*. Currently: Principal Scientist at Lumileds, San Jose, California.
2. Sridhar Srinivasan, 2003. Dissertation Title: *Optical Microcharacterization of Gallium Nitride and Indium Gallium Nitride Alloys*. Currently: Chief Executive Officer at Gallium Nitride Ecosystem Enabling Center and Incubator (GEECI), Indian Institute of Science, Malleswaram, Bangalore, Karnataka, India.
3. Rong Liu, 2004. Dissertation Title: *Microstructure of Nitride Semiconductors for Ultra-Violet Emitters*. Founder and CEO, HC SemiTek Corporation, in Wuhan and Suzhou, the leading LED manufacturer in China.
4. Hiromasa Omiya, 2006. Dissertation Title: *Structural, Electrical, and Optical Characterization of High Brightness Phosphor-Free White Light Emitting Diodes*. Currently: Laser Division at Nichia Corporation, Anan, Japan.
5. Jin Mei, 2007. Dissertation Title: *Microstructure of III-Nitride Semiconductors*. Currently: HC SemiTek Corporation, in Wuhan and Suzhou, the leading LED manufacturer in China.
6. Jacob Brooksby, 2007. Dissertation Title: *III Nitride Alloys for Efficient Green and Longer Wavelength Light Emission*. Currently: Principal Engineer at Micron Technology, Boise, Idaho.
7. Zhihao Wu, 2008. Dissertation Title: *Structural and electronic properties of nitride semiconductors for solid-state lighting*. Currently: Research scientist at HC SemiTek Corporation, in Wuhan and Suzhou, the leading LED manufacturer in China.
8. Alec Fischer, 2009. Dissertation Title: *Optical Properties of Wide Gap Semiconductors studied by means of Cathodoluminescence*. Currently: Principal Scientist at Lawrence Semiconductor, Tempe, Arizona.
9. Yu Huang, 2011. Dissertation Title: *Optical Characterization of III-Nitride Semiconductors using Cathodoluminescence Techniques*. Currently: Software Engineer, Google, Sunnyvale, California.
10. Arlinda Hill, 2011. Dissertation Title: *Growth, Characterization, and Thermodynamics of III-Nitride Semiconductors*. Currently: Lecturer, Physics Department, Arizona State University, Tempe, Arizona.
11. Kewei Sun, 2011. Dissertation Title: *Structural and Optical Properties of Wide Bandgap Nitride Semiconductors Using Electron Microscopy Techniques*. Currently: Scientist at Ames Laboratory, Ames, Iowa.
12. Qiyuan Wei, 2013. Dissertation Title: *Polarization Effects in Group III-Nitride Materials and Devices*. Currently: Display Technologist, Apple, Cupertino, California.
13. Ti Li, 2013. Dissertation Title: *Optical Properties of Nitride Semiconductors for Visible Light Emission*. Currently: Reliability Engineer, iPhone Department, Apple, Cupertino, California.
14. Reid Juday, 2013. Dissertation Title: *Optical Properties of Wurtzite Semiconductors Studied Using Cathodoluminescence Imaging and Spectroscopy*. Currently: Electron Beam Technology Manager at Intel Corporation, Hillsboro, Oregon
15. Jingyi Huang, 2013. Dissertation Title: *Structural and Optical Properties of II-VI and III-V Compound Semiconductors*. Currently: Sr Packaging Engineer, Qualcomm, Tempe, Arizona
16. Yong Wei, 2014. Dissertation Title: *Properties of Wide-Gap Semiconductors for Visible and Ultraviolet Light Emitting Devices*. Currently: Software Engineer, Google, San Francisco, California.
17. Hongen Xie, 2016. Dissertation Title: *Characterization of the Structural and Optical Properties of III-V Semiconductor Materials for Solar Cell Applications*. Currently: Defect metrology and Microcontamination Engineer, Intel Corporation, Chandler, Arizona.
18. Shuo Wang, 2018. Dissertation Title: *Microstructure of BAlN and InGaN Epilayers for Optoelectronic Applications*. Currently: Google, Sunnyvale, California.
19. Shanthan Reddy Alugubelli, 2019. Dissertation Title: *Nanoscale Electronic Properties in GaN-Based Structures for Power Electronics Using Electron Microscopy*. Currently: NVIDIA Hardware Engineering, Hillsborough, Oregon.
20. Po-Yi Su, 2020. Dissertation Title: *Structural and Optical Properties of III-V Semiconductor Materials for Photovoltaics and Power Electronic Applications*. Currently: Sr. IC Reliability Engineer at NVIDIA, Santa Clara, California.
21. Hanxiao Liu, 2020. Dissertation Title: *Optical Properties of II-Nitride Semiconductors for Power Electronics and Photovoltaics*. Currently: Yield Enhancement Engineer, Qorvo Inc, Richardson, Texas.

CONFERENCE CHAIR: Chairing and organizing professional meetings.

1. Symposium on Frontiers of Electron Microscopy. April 1986. Palo Alto, California. Chair.
2. Conference on Spectroscopic Characterization Techniques for Semiconductor Technology. SPIE Conference, 14-16 March, 1988. Newport Beach, California. Chair.
3. Symposium on High Resolution Electron Microscopy, Materials Research Society. 28 Nov 1988. Boston, MA. Chair.
4. 6th Latin American Symposium on Surface Physics. 3-7 September 1990. Cuzco, Peru. Chair.
5. 1st Ibero-American Congress of Surface Science and its Applications, November 1992. Bariloche, Argentina. Co-chair.
6. Electronic Materials Symposium, 21 March 1994. San Jose, California. Chair.
7. 1st Int. Symp. on GaN and Related Compounds, Materials Research Society. 27 Nov 1995. Boston, MA. Chair.
8. Symposium on III-V Nitrides, Materials Research Society. 2-6 December 1996. Boston, MA. Chair.
9. Symposium on Nitride Semiconductors, Materials Research Society. 1-5 December 1997. Boston, MA. Chair.

10. Symposium on Nitrides and Related Wide Band Gap Materials, European Materials Research Society. 15-19 June 1998. Strasbourg, France. Chair.
11. Symposium on Semiconducting Materials, 14th International Congress on Electron Microscopy. 31 August – 4 September 1998. Cancun, Mexico. Chair
12. Fall Meeting Chair, Materials Research Society. 29 November - 3 December 1999. Boston, MA.
13. Focused Session on Widegap Semiconductors. American Physical Society, March Meeting, Seattle, Washington, March 2001. Chair.
14. Pan-American Advanced Studies Institute (PASI) Workshop on Nanoscience and Nanotechnology. June 2001, Costa Rica. Chair.
15. 10th Latin American Congress on Surface Physics, CLACSA-10. July 2001, San Jose, Costa Rica. Chair.
16. 4th International Conference on Nitride Semiconductors, ICNS-4, July 16-20, 2001, Denver, CO, Vice Chair.
17. Pan-American Advanced Studies Institute (PASI) Workshop on Physics at the Nanoscale. June 2003, Bariloche, Argentina. Chair
18. 27th International Conference on Physics of Semiconductors, ICPS-27. July 2004. Flagstaff, Arizona. Chair.
19. Intel International Science and Engineering Fair. May 2005. Phoenix, Arizona. Co-Chair.
20. 7th International Symposium on Semiconductor Light Emitting Devices (ISSLED-7), April 2008, Phoenix, Arizona. Chair.
21. 5th Asia-Pacific Workshop on Nitride Semiconductors (APWS-2009), 24-28 May 2009. Zhang Jia Jie, Hunan, China. Co-Chair. <http://www.apws2009.com.cn>
22. Symposium on Group III Nitride Semiconductors, European Materials Research Society Spring Meeting (E-MRS 2009), 8-12 June 2009. Strasbourg, France. Chair.
23. Symposium on Frontiers in Photonic and Photovoltaic Materials and Processes. 11th International Conference on Advanced Materials – ICAM 2009. 20-25 September 2009. Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. Chair. www.icam2009.com.
24. 5th Int. Symposium on Growth of Nitride Semiconductors (ISGN-5). Atlanta, Georgia, July 2014. Co-Chair. <https://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/10.1002/pssc.201570083>.
25. 11th International Conference on Nitride Semiconductors (ICNS-11). Beijing, China, Aug 30 - Sep 3, 2015. Co-Chair. <https://onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/epdf/10.1002/pssc.201670126>.
26. 8th Int. Symposium on Growth of Nitride Semiconductors (ISGN-8). San Diego, California July 2020. Co-Chair. <https://www.mrs.org/isgn-8>.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEES. Participation in various committees for organization of professional meetings.

(IAC = International Advisory Committee, OC = Organizing Committee, PC = Program Committee)

1. Electronic Materials Symposium, Northern California Section TMS. Santa Clara, California, March 1988-2001. PC
2. International Union of Vacuum Science Techniques and Applications (IUVSTA). Member of the Congress Planning Committee, and Vice-Chair of the Committee for Developing Countries, 1989-1994.
3. 10th Int. Conf. on Crystal Growth (ICCG-10). San Diego, California, August 1992. PC
4. 8th Latin American Congress on Surface Science & Applications. (CLACSA-8), Cancun, Mexico. Sept. 1994. OC
5. 3rd St. Louis Workshop on Nitrides. St. Louis, Missouri, March 1996. IAC
6. 1st European Workshop on GaN. Riggi, Switzerland, June 1996. IAC
7. 4th St. Louis Workshop on Nitrides. St. Louis, Missouri, March 1997. IAC
8. 2nd European Workshop on GaN. Valbonne, France, 11-13 June 1997. IAC
9. Symp. on III-V Nitrides Semiconductors, European Materials Res. Society. Strasburg, France, June 1997. IAC
10. 2nd Int. Conf. on Nitride Semiconductors. Tokushima, Japan, 26-30 October 1997. IAC
11. 10th Int. Conf. on Semiconducting and Insulating Materials (SIMC-X). Berkeley, California, June 1998. IAC
12. 3rd European Workshop on GaN. Warsaw, Poland, 21-24 June 1998. IAC
13. International Congress on Electron Microscopy. Cancun, Mexico, 31 August - 4 September 1998. IAC
14. 2nd International Symp. on Blue Laser and Light Emitting Diodes. Chiba, Japan, 29 Sept - 2 Oct 1998. PC
15. 9th Latin-American Congress on Surface Science and Applications (CLACSA-9). La Habana, Cuba, July 1999. IAC
16. 3rd Int. Conf. on Nitride Semiconductors. Montpellier, France, July 1999. IAC
17. 15th Latin-American Symp. on Solid State Physics (SLAFES-XV). Cartagena, Colombia, Nov 1999. PC
18. 4th European Workshop on GaN. Nottingham, England, 2-5 July 2000. IAC
19. 1st International Workshop on Nitride Semiconductors. Nagoya, Japan. September 2000. IAC
20. 4th International Symp. on Blue Laser and Light-Emitting Diodes. Cordoba, Spain, March 2002. IAC
21. 26th Int. Conf. on the Physics of Semiconductors (ICPS-26). Edinburgh, Scotland. July 2002. IAC
22. 2nd International Workshop on Nitride Semiconductors, Aachen, Germany. 21-25 July 2002. IAC
23. 16th Latin-American Symp. on Solid State Physics (SLAFES-XVI). Merida, Venezuela, 11-15 Dec, 2002. IAC
24. 1st Asia-Pacific Workshop on Widegap Semiconductors (APWS-2003). Hyogo, Japan, 9-12 March 2003. IAC
25. 5th Int. Conf. on Nitride Semiconductors. Nara, Japan, 25-30 May 2003. IAC
26. Int. Symp. on Compound Semiconductors. San Diego, 25-27 August 2003. IAC on Wide Bandgap Materials.
27. 11th Latin-American Congress on Surface Science and Applications (CLACSA-11). Pucón, Chile, Oct. 2003. OC
28. 5th Int. Symp. on Blue Laser and Light-Emitting Diodes (ISBLLED-2004). Geongju, Korea, 16 March, 2004. IAC
29. 17th Latin-American Symp. on Solid State Physics (SLAFES-XVII). Habana, Cuba, August 2004. IAC

30. 5th Int. Conf. on Low Dimensional Structures and Devices (LSDS 2004). Cancun, Mexico, 12-17 Dec 2004. IAC
31. 6th Int. Conf. on Nitride Semiconductors (ICNS-6). Bremen, Germany, August 2005. IAC
32. 12th Latin-American Congress on Surface Science & Appl. (CLACSA-12). Angra dos Reis, Brazil, Dec 2005. IAC
33. 6th Int. Symp. Blue Lasers & Light Emitting Diodes (ISBLLED-2006). Montpellier, France, May 2006. Chair IAC
34. 13th Winter Scientific Encounter, Lima, Peru. August 2006, Chair IAC
35. 4th International Workshop on Nitride Semiconductors (IWN 2006). Kyoto, Japan, 22-27 October 2006. IAC
36. 14th Summer Scientific Encounter, Lima, Peru. January 2007, Chair IAC
37. 1st International Conference on Display LEDs (ICDL 2007). Seoul, Korea, 31 Jan – 2 Feb 2007. IAC
38. Asian Pacific Workshop on Widegap Semiconductors 2007 (APWS 2007). Jeonju, Korea, March 2007. IAC
39. 7th International Conference on Nitride Semiconductors (ICNS-7). Las Vegas, NV. 16-21 Sept. 2007. IAC
40. 13th Latin American Congress on Surface Science & Applications. (CLACSA-13). Bogota Colombia, Oct. 2007. OC
41. 6th Int. Workshop on Technologies for Optoelectronic Semiconductors (IWITOS). Seoul, Korea, Jan. 2008. IAC
42. 2nd International Conference on Display and Solid State Lighting (DSSL-2008). Seoul, Korea, February 2008. IAC
43. 29th Int. Conference on Physics of Semiconductors, ICPS-29. Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, 27 July – 1 Aug. 2008. IAC
44. 5th Int. Workshop on Nitride Semiconductors (IWN 2008). Montreaux, Switzerland, 6-10 October 2008. IAC
45. 2nd Andean Workshop on Spectroscopy. Lima, Peru, 2-6 March 2009. IAC
46. International Conference on Spectroscopy and its Applications. Lima, Peru, 9-13 March 2009. IAC
47. International Union of Material Research Societies, ICAM-2009. Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, 20-25 Sept 2009. IAC
48. 8th International Conference on Nitride Semiconductors (ICNS-8). Jeju, Korea. 18-23 October 2009. IAC
49. 8th Int. Symp. on Semiconductor Light Emitting Devices (ISSLED-2010). Beijing, China, May 2010. Chair IAC
50. 3rd International Symposium on Growth of III-Nitrides (ISGN3). Montpellier, France, 4-8 July 2010. IAC
51. 6th International Workshop on Nitride Semiconductors (IWN-6). Tampa, Florida, 14-19 September 2010. IAC
52. Conf. on Solar Cells, Solid-State Lighting & Information Display Technol. (SSID). Wuhan, China, Oct. 2010. PC
53. Asian Pacific Workshop on Widegap Semiconductors 2011 (APWS 2011). Mie, Japan, May 2011. Co-Chair OC
54. 38th International Symposium on Compound Semiconductors (ISCS-2011). Berlin, Germany, May 2011. PC
55. 15th Int. Symp. on the Physics of Semiconductors and Applications (IPSA-XV). Jeju, Korea. 5-8 July 2011. IAC
56. 9th International Conference on Nitride Semiconductors (ICNS-9). Glasgow, Scotland. 10-14 July 2011. IAC
57. 9th Int. Symp. on Semiconductor Light Emitting Devices (ISSLED-2012). Berlin, Germany, July 2012. Chair IAC
58. 4th Int. Symp. on Growth of III-Nitrides (ISGN-4), St. Petersburg, Russia, 16-19 July, 2012. IAC
59. 7th International Workshop on Nitride Semiconductors (IWN-2012). Sapporo, Japan, 14-19 October 2012. IAC
60. 10th International Conference on Nitride Semiconductors (ICNS-10). Washington DC. 23-27 August 2013. IAC
61. 8th International Workshop on Nitride Semiconductors (IWN-2014). Wroclaw, Poland, 24-29 August 2014. IAC
62. 10th Int. Symp. on Semiconductor Light Emitting Devices (ISSLED-2014). Kaohsiung, Taiwan, Dec. 2014. Chair IAC
63. 11th International Conference on Nitride Semiconductors (ICNS-11). Beijing, China. 31 August – 4 Sept. 2015. IAC
64. 14th Brazilian Materials Research Society Meeting (BMRS-14). Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, Sept 27 – Oct 1, 2015. IAC
65. 6th Int. Symposium on Growth of Nitride Semiconductors (ISGN-6). Hamamatsu, Japan, November 2015. IAC
66. 9th International Workshop on Nitride Semiconductors (IWN-2016). Orlando, Florida, October 2-7, 2016. IAC
67. 12th Int. Conference on Nitride Semiconductors (ICNS-12). Montpellier, France. July 2017. Chair IAC
68. 11th Int. Symp. on Semiconductor Light Emitting Devices (ISSLED-2017). Banff, Canada, 8-12 October 2017. IAC
69. 7th Int. Symposium on Growth of Nitride Semiconductors (ISGN-7). Warsaw, Poland, August 2018. IAC
70. 10th International Workshop on Nitride Semiconductors (IWN-2018). Kanazawa, Japan, October, 2018. IAC
71. 13th Int. Conference on Nitride Semiconductors (ICNS-13). Bellevue, Washington, USA. 7-12 July 2019. IAC
72. Asian Pacific Workshop on Widegap Semiconductors 2019 (APWS 2019). Okinawa, Japan, November 2019. IAC
73. 12th Int. Symp. Semiconductor Light Emitting Devices (ISSLED-2020). Magdeburg, Germany, 20-25 May 2020. IAC
74. Asian Pacific Workshop on Widegap Semiconductors 2021 (APWS 2021). Tainan, Taiwan, May 16-21, 2021. IAC
75. 11th International Workshop on Nitride Semiconductors (IWN-11). Berlin, Germany, October 9-14, 2022. IAC
76. 14th Int. Conference on Nitride Semiconductors (ICNS-14). Fukuoka, Japan. November 14-19, 2023. IAC

BOARDS AND ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP

1. National Center for Electron Microscopy, Lawrence Berkeley Laboratory (1984-1991, 1994-1999). Member Steering Committee.
2. Xerox Corporation-Stanford University Technical Liaison Manager (1985-1992).
3. AIME Ross Tucker Memorial Award on Electronic Materials (1988-2002). Member of the Award Committee.
4. Latin-American Society of Surface Science and Applications (SLACS). Board of Directors (1990-2006).

PUBLICATIONS by FERNANDO A. PONCE

SUMMARY OF PUBLICATIONS

1. More than 384 refereed publications (See list beginning on page 6).
Google Scholar: 'Fernando Ponce', 583 entries, > 20,310 citations, i10-index 261, h-index 69.
Web of Science: 'Ponce FA' + 'Ponce F', 346 entries, > 13,170 citations, h-index 54.
SCOPUS: <https://www.scopus.com/authid/detail.uri?authorId=24454566600>; 362 entries, >13,860 citations, h-index 54
Researcher ID: M-8649-2013; <http://www.researcherid.com/rid/M-8649-2013>.
ORCID: 0000-0002-1275-9386 <http://orcid.org/0000-0002-1275-9386>
2. Editor of 12 books; inventor in 6 issued patents.
3. More than 340 technical talks; with over 220 invited talks (See list beginning on page 21).

PATENTS AND INVENTIONS

1. U. S. Patent # 4,280,107. *Apertured and unapertured reflector structures for electroluminescent devices*. D. R. Scifres, F. A. Ponce, G. A. N. Connell, and W. Streifer, Inventors. Issued 21 July 1981.
2. U. S. Patent # 5,317,586. *Buried Layer III-V Semiconductor Devices with Impurity Induced Layer Disorder*. R. L. Thornton and F. A. Ponce, Inventors. Issued 31 May 1994.
3. U. S. Patent # 5,766,981. R. L. Thornton, R. D. Bringans, G. A. N. Connell, D. W. Treat, D. P. Bour, F. A. Ponce, N. M. Johnson, and K. J. Beemink, Inventors. *Thermally-processed, phosphorus - or arsenic containing semiconductor laser with selective ILLD*. Issued 16 June 1998.
4. U. S. Patent # 5,977,612. D. P. Bour, F. A. Ponce, G. A. N. Connell, R. D. Bringans, N. M. Johnson, W. K. Goetz, and L. T. Romano. Inventors. *Semiconductor Devices Constructed from Crystallites*. Issued 2 November 1999.
5. U. S. Patent # 7,255,844. F. A. Ponce, R. Garcia, A. Bell, A. C. Thomas, and M. Stevens, Inventors. *Systems and Methods for Synthesis of Gallium Nitride Powders*. Application Filed: 24 November 2004. Issued 14 August 2007
6. U. S. Patent # 8,529,698. F. A. Ponce and R. Garcia, Inventors. *InGaN columnar nano-structures for solar cells*. Patent Application No. 12/616,634, filed 11 November 2009. Issued 10 September 2013.
7. U. S. Patent Application. F. A. Ponce, R. Garcia, and A. Thomas, Inventors. *Method to Synthesize Highly Luminescent Doped Gallium Nitride Powders*. Filed 27 April 2005; Publication number 20080025902 dated 31 Jan 2008.
8. U. S. Patent Application 20090159869. F. A. Ponce, Sridhar Srinivasan, Hiromasa Omiya, Inventors. *Solid State Light Emitting Device*. Filed 10 March 2006; Publication number 20090159869 dated 25 June 2009.
9. U. S. Patent Application. F. A. Ponce, S. Srinivasan, and H. Omiya, Inventors. *High efficiency light emitting devices*. Filed 10 March 2006; Publication number 20090159869 dated 25 June 2009.

BOOKS EDITED

1. O. J. Blemboki, F. H. Pollack and F. A. Ponce, eds. *Spectroscopic Characterization Techniques for Semiconductor Technology*. Proceedings of SPIE Conference held on 1988 March 14-15, Newport Beach, California. (Bellingham, Washington, 1988); Vol. **946**, pp. 1-234 (ISBN 0-89252-981-4).
2. W. Krakow, F. A. Ponce and D. J. Smith, eds. *High Resolution Electron Microscopy of Materials*. Materials Research Society (Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, 1989); Vol. **139**, pp. 1-440 (ISBN 1-55899-012-7).
3. F. A. Ponce and M. Cardona, eds. *Lectures on Surface Sciences and Applications*. Springer Proc. Phys. (Springer, Berlin, Heidelberg 1990); pp. 1-525 (ISBN 0-387-53604-3).
4. F. A. Ponce, R. D. Dupuis, S. Nakamura and J. A. Edmond, eds. *Gallium Nitride and Related Materials*. Materials Research Society (Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, 1996); Vol. **395**, pp. 1-995 (ISBN 1-55899-298-7).
5. F. A. Ponce, T. D. Moustakas, I. Akasaki, B. Monemar, eds. *III-V Nitrides*. Materials Research Society (Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, 1997); Vol. **449**, pp. 1-1251 (ISBN 1-55899-353-3).
6. F. A. Ponce, S. P. DenBaars, B. K. Meyer, S. Nakamura, S. Strite, eds. *Nitride Semiconductors*. Materials Research Society (Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, 1998); Vol. **482**, pp. 1-1224 (ISBN 1-55899-387-8).
7. A. Hangleiter, J.-Y. Duboz, K. Kishino, F. A. Ponce, eds. *Nitrides and Related Wide Band Gap Materials*. Materials Science and Engineering B, Volume **59**. (Elsevier Science Ltd, 1999), pp. 1-412 (ISBN 0-08-043615-3).
8. F. A. Ponce and A. Bell, eds. *Advances in Nitride Semiconductors*, Proceedings of the Fourth International Conference on Nitride Semiconductors (Wiley-VCH, Berlin, 2002); Part A: pp. 1-916; Part B: pp. 1-640 (ISBN 3-527-40347-7). Also, in *Physica Status Solidi A*, Vol. **188** (2001) and B Vol. **288** (2001).
9. S. E. Ulloa and F. A. Ponce, eds. *Physics and Technology at the Nanometer Scale*, Pan American Advanced Studies Institute (PASI), San Jose, Costa Rica, June 25-July 3, 2001. DOI: 10.1002/1521-3951(200204)230:2<307::AID-PSSB307>3.0.CO;2-Y. Also, in: *Physica Status Solidi A*, Vol. **230**, Number 2 (ISSN 0370-1972, April 2002).
10. A. Allerman, R. D. Dupuis, A. Khan, and F. A. Ponce, eds. *Semiconductor Light Emitting Device*: Proceedings of the Eight International Symposium on Semiconductor Light Emitting Devices, ISSLED-2008. (Wiley-VCH, 2009). Also, in *Physica Status Solidi A* Vol. **206**, pp. 193-219 (2009), C Vol. **6**, pp. 585-609 (2009). (ISBN 1862-6300).
11. O. Briot, A. Hoffmann, Y. Nanishi, and F. A. Ponce, eds. *Group III Nitride Semiconductors*. Proceedings of Symposium J, E-MRS 2009 Spring Meeting, Strasbourg, France, 8-12 June 2009. (Wiley-VCH, Feb. 2010). Also, in *Physica Status Solidi A*, Vol. **207**, pp. 9-48 (2010), and C Vol. **6**, pp. 9-120 (2010). (ISBN 1862-6300).
12. R. D. Dupuis and F. A. Ponce, eds. *Growth of III-Nitrides*. E-MRS 2014. (Wiley-VCH, Berlin 2015). DOI: 10.1002/pssc.201570083. Also, in *Physica Status Solidi A*, Vol. **212**, No 4-5, (2015).

BOOK CHAPTERS AND INVITED REVIEWS

1. F. A. Ponce, *Microstructure of epitaxial III-V nitride thin films*, Chapter 6 in GaN and Related Materials, S. J. Pearton, ed. (Gordon and Breach Publishers, 1996) 141-170. ISBN 9789056995171.
2. F. A. Ponce and D. P. Bour, *Nitride-based semiconductors for blue and green light emitting devices*. Nature, 27 March 1997, Vol. **386**: 351-359. (Invited Review Article).
3. F. A. Ponce, *Structural defects and materials performance in the III-V nitrides*, Chapter 4 in Group III Nitrides Semiconductor Compounds, B. Gil, ed. (Oxford University Press, 1998). 123-157. ISBN: 9780198501596
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181. *Trends in physical sciences research in industry*. 5th Symposium on Pan-American Cooperation in Experimental Physics: 1992 August 18-21. Cartagena, Colombia.
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183. *On-line image processing and computer control in high resolution TEM*. 10th Pfefferkorn Conference on Signal and Image Processing in Microscopy and Microanalysis, Scanning Microscopy International: 1991 September 16-19; Cambridge, England.
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188. *Early stages of growth in semiconductor heteroepitaxy.* NATO Advanced Research Workshop on The Evaluation of Advanced Semiconductor Materials by Electron Microscopy. Bristol University; 1988 September 12-17; England.
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190. *Early stages of growth in semiconductor heteroepitaxy.* 1st Ibero-American Workshop on Surfaces, Interfaces and Small Clusters. 1988 July 18-22. Paipa, Colombia.
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192. *Lectures on high-resolution TEM of defects and interfaces in semiconductors.* International School on Crystal Growth, Madras, India. 1988 February 1-7.
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194. *Study of small particles and non-crystalline materials by high-resolution electron microscopy.* International Conference on Defects and Structure in Non-Crystalline Materials. 1987 August 11-15; Ensenada, B.C., Mexico.
195. *Early stages of epitaxial growth of GaAs on silicon by MOCVD.* Workshop on Future Opportunities Through GaAs on Si silicon. 1987 June 18-19; Marina del Rey, California.
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197. *Atomic arrangement at semiconductor heterojunction interfaces.* Symposium on Materials for Infrared Sources and Detectors. Fall Meeting of the Materials Research Society; 1986 December 2-7; Boston, Massachusetts.
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199. *Ultra-high-vacuum, high-resolution transmission electron microscopy at 400 kV.* 44th Annual Meeting of the Electron Microscopy Society of America; 1986 August 10-15; Albuquerque, New Mexico.
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202. *Applications of high-resolution electron microscopy to the study of surfaces and interfaces in semiconductors.* 8th Surface/Interface Research Meeting, Northern California Chapter of the American Vacuum Society; 1986 May 29; Stanford, California.
203. *Direct observation of superlattice structures by high-resolution electron microscopy.* III-V Superlattice Workshop; 1986 May 5; Palo Alto, California.
204. *Achieving atomic resolution in the electron microscope.* Symposium on Materials Characterization, Spring Meeting of the Materials Research Society; 1986 April 16-17; Palo Alto, California.
205. *Atomic resolution electron microscopy of crystalline solids.* Annual Meeting of the New England Society for Electron Microscopy; 1985 December 4; Boston, Massachusetts.
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208. *Lattice imaging of misfit dislocations in semiconductor heteroepitaxy.* 8th Conference on Crystal Growth of the American Association on Crystal Growth; 1985 June 4-7; Fallen Leaf Lake, California.
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211. *HREM of defects and interfaces in semiconductor materials.* Northern California Crystal Growth Association Meeting; San Jose, California; 18 October 1984.
212. *Direct observation of the structure of interfaces using atomic-resolution electron microscopy.* 1st International Conference on the Structure of Surfaces (ICSOS—1); Berkeley, California; 13—16 August 1984.
213. *TEM imaging of the atomic structure of the silicon/insulator interfaces.* Gordon Research Conference of Metal-Insulator-Semiconductor Systems; Tilton, New Hampshire; 16 July 1984.
214. *High resolution TEM of microdefects in semiconductors.* Electronic Materials Conference; Santa Barbara, California; 20 June 1984.

215. *Direct observation of the atomic structure of semiconductor materials.* Workshop on Advanced Analytical Techniques, California Institute of Technology; Pasadena, California; 9 -11 May 1984.
216. *Structure of lattice defects in semi-insulating LEC GaAs.* 3rd International Conference on Semi-Insulating III-V Materials, Warm Springs, Oregon, 24-26 April 1984.
217. *Atomic resolution imaging of defects and interfaces.* Physics Colloquium, University of Wisconsin, 13 April 1984.
218. *Atomic structure at semiconductor interfaces.* 30th National Vacuum Symposium of the American Vacuum Society; Boston, MA; 1-4 November 1983.
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224. *Imaging of interfaces in semiconductor materials using high resolution transmission microscopy.* Workshop on Imaging and Microanalysis with High Spatial Resolution, Castle Hot Springs, Arizona: 5-9 January, 1982.
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