

Thursday, March 20, 2014
**PROTOLUNAR DISK AND MAGMA OCEAN:
 MODELS AND SAMPLE CONSTRAINTS**
 8:30 a.m. Waterway Ballroom 1

[R401]

Chairs: Kaveh Pahlevan
 Erik Hauri

- 8:30 a.m. Burkhardt C. * Dauphas N.
[Formation Scenarios of the Moon: The Message from Tungsten Isotopes](#) [#1433]
 From a W isotope perspective, making the Moon mainly out of impactor material is as likely as making it primarily out of proto-Earth mantle material.
- 8:45 a.m. Akram W. M. * Schönbächler M.
[Constraints on the Zirconium Isotope Composition of Theia and Current Moon Forming Theories](#) [#2201]
 Identical Zr-isotope compositions for Earth and the Moon are used to place constraints on different giant impact models, and infer the composition of Theia.
- 9:00 a.m. Pahlevan K. * Morbidelli A.
[The Lunar Inclination as a Dosimeter for Terrestrial Late Stage Accretion](#) [#2738]
 We identify a new mechanism to excite the lunar inclination and use the observed smallness of its value to set constraints on post-Moon-formation accretion.
- 9:15 a.m. Nakajima M. * Stevenson D. J.
[Hydrodynamic Escape does not Prevent the “Wet” Moon Formation](#) [#2770]
 We suggest that the giant impact hypothesis is consistent with the “wet (water abundant)” Moon formation because hydrogen loss by hydrodynamic escape is minor.
- 9:30 a.m. Salmon J. * Canup R. M.
[Lunar Accretion from Disks Produced by Non-Canonical Impacts](#) [#2768]
 We use a numerical model to investigate the accretion of the Moon from protolunar disks generated by non-canonical giant impacts.
- 9:45 a.m. Petaev M. I. * Jacobsen S. B. Huang S.
[Testing Models of Moon Origin: Condensation of Impact-Vaporised Bulk Silicate Earth Material](#) [#2316]
 We extended thermodynamic database of the GRAINS code up to 5000 K and use it to model condensation of vapor generated by the Earth-Moon forming giant impact.
- 10:00 a.m. Huang S. * Petaev M. I. Jacobsen S. B.
[Testing Models for the Origin of the Moon: Stable Isotopic Fractionation](#) [#2246]
 We explore the chemical and isotopic effects during condensation of a silicate atmosphere, and constrain the origin of the Moon.
- 10:15 a.m. Kleine T. * Kruijjer T. S. Sprung P.
[Lunar \$^{182}\text{W}\$ and the Age and Origin of the Moon](#) [#2895]
 We show that a small ^{182}W excess of the Moon requires a late formation of the Moon predominantly from terrestrial mantle material.
- 10:30 a.m. Sprung P. * Kleine T. Scherer E. E.
[Evidence for a Common Initial \$^{176}\text{Hf}/^{177}\text{Hf}\$ of the Earth, Moon, and Chondrites](#) [#2821]
 Model ages from KREEP-rich rocks and Lu-Hf systematics of Hadean terrestrial and lunar zircons imply chondritic lunar and terrestrial bulk Lu-Hf parameters.

- 10:45 a.m. McLeod C. L. * Brandon A. D. Armytage R. M. G.
[Constraints on the Formation Age and Evolution of the Moon from \$^{142}\text{Nd}\$ - \$^{143}\text{Nd}\$ Systematics of Apollo 12 Basalts](#) [#1490]
New high-precision Nd-isotope data for Apollo basalts are used to evaluate early lunar differentiation timescales and assess mare basalt source reservoirs.
- 11:00 a.m. Nyquist L. E. * Shih C-Y. Yamaguchi A. Mittlefehldt D. W. Peng Z. X. et al.
[A Comparison of Anorthositic Lunar Lithologies: Variations on the FAN Theme](#) [#1125]
We will report min-pet, in situ trace element studies, Nd/Sr-isotope studies, and Ar-Ar chronology of the 64435 anorthosite and troctolitic anorthosites.
- 11:15 a.m. Gaffney A. M. * Borg L. E.
[Evidence for Magma Ocean Solidification at 4.36 Ga from \$^{142}\text{Nd}\$ - \$^{143}\text{Nd}\$ Variation in Mare Basalts](#) [#1449]
Neodymium-142 and ^{143}Nd isotopic compositions of mare basalts indicate that the mare basalt sources formed around 4.36 Ga.
- 11:30 a.m. Neal C. R. * Davenport J. D.
[Trace Element Evolution of the Lunar Magma Ocean, the Origin of KREEP, and the Influence of Garnet](#) [#1181]
The trace-element evolution of the lunar magma ocean to form KREEP is modeled to investigate if garnet is a primary crystallization product and is present in the mantle below 500 km.
- 11:45 a.m. Rapp J. F. * Draper D. S.
[The Lunar Magma Ocean: Sharpening the Focus on Process and Composition](#) [#1527]
We discuss experiments simulating lunar magma ocean crystallization, and their implications for lunar bulk composition and magma ocean crystallization processes.