

Title: Modelling and numerical simulation of some problems arising in metallurgy.

Abstract:

Various problems that arise in steel production will be presented in the talk. Multiphysics models that govern various aspects of the production of steel in blast furnaces will be presented, as well as in its solidification process. Thus, they will be treated:

- Thermomechanical modelling of the ceramic cup of a Blast Furnace.
- Thermo-hydrodynamic modelling of the flow of pig iron and slag in a Blast Furnace channel.
- The modelling of an inverse problem to control in real time the heat flow through the mould in the steel solidification process.

Numerical simulations of all the processes will be shown.

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