

**FP&L Nuclear Program Presents****Costas Tsouris, Ph.D.****Energy and Transportation Science Division****Oak Ridge National Laboratory****(Joint Faculty with Georgia Tech)****“Uranium from Seawater”****Sept 11, 2015 | 3:00 PM | SIPA Building Room 103****FIU Modesto A. Maidique Campus****11200 SW 8th Street, Miami, FL 33199**

Dr. Tsouris' research interests include:

- Separations for energy applications: Separations processes focused on nuclear fuel production and reprocessing including uranium recovery from seawater, nuclear fuel reprocessing, liquid extraction, phase separations, magnetic separations
- Process intensification, process innovation: Novel chemical processes focused on substantially enhancing process efficiency by using external fields, such as electric; magnetic; and gravity fields, combining reaction/separation, reducing the dimensions of process equipment, etc.
- Carbon capture and storage: Methods to capture and effectively store carbon dioxide from power-plant flue gas, integrated assessment of carbon capture and storage (CCS)
- Gas hydrates: Carbon dioxide storage in the deep ocean, natural gas production
- Capacitive deionization (desalination): Electrosorption of ions and electrical double-layer formation in capacitive deionization and energy storage devices.

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