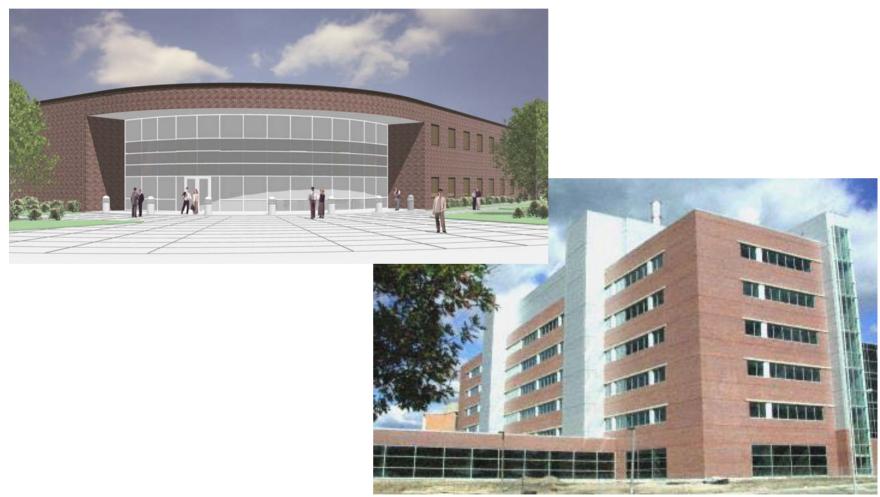


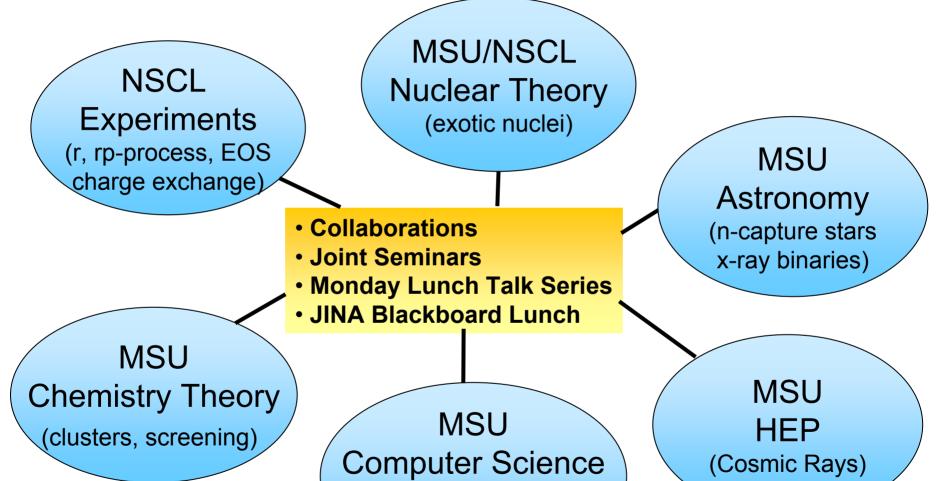
## JINA @ MSU

#### **NSCL**



**Dept. of Physics and Astronomy** 





and Engineering

(network analysis)



#### **Lunch Talks Series**

Nov 29: Wolfgang Bauer: Supernova modeling via Kinetic Theory

Jan 26: Jack Baldwin, Future Directions of Astronomy at MSU

Feb 9: Remco Zegers, Charge Exchange Reactions and Exploding Stars

Feb 23: Wolfgang Rapp, The origin of the proton rich rare isotopes in nature

Mar 8 : Carlos Bertulani, Reactions in stars

Mar 22: Bob Stein, Solar Convection

Apr 5: Bill Lynch, EOS in the laboratory and in neutron stars

Apr 19: Ed Brown, Lighting the Standard Candle: Type Ia supernovae

- → Local interest in JINA is high (typical attendence ~50)
- → Lots of research overlap
- → New local collaborations



# Other MSU faculty collaborating with JINA (not on the Lunch Talk List and not a senior investigator on proposal)

- G. Bollen (AP & NSCL, Nuclear experiment)
- A. Brown (PA & NSCL, Nuclear theory)
- J. Linnemann (PA, HEP)
- P. Mantica (Chem & NSCL, Nuclear experiment)
- F. Nunes (PA & NSCL, Nuclear theory)
- S. Zepf (PA, Astronomy)
- P. Piecuch (Chem, Theory)
- A. Esfahanian (Computer Science and Engineering, Theory)

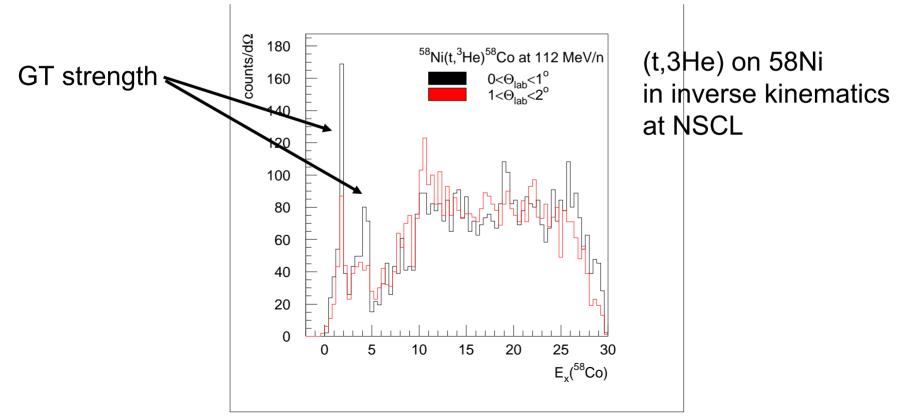
More expressed interest ...



### Example for new JINA collaboration at MSU:

New faculty: Remco Zegers

Charge exchange reaction measurements to extract weak interaction strength for supernovae and neutron star crusts





### **NSCL** support for JINA

Large common interest in local, strong, nuclear astrophysics program

→ Strong support

NSCL provides 1/3 of MSU cost share

NSCL provides beam time for local experimental program

Indirect NSCL support:

- Grant administration
- Secretarial
- Rooms also for visitors
- Computing facilities and support
- Outreach administration
- Human resource management



# Faculty development in nuclear astrophysics at MSU after proposal of JINA

- 2003 Hire of Remco Zegers, Nuclear Experimentalist, charge exchange reactions
- 2003 Hire of Kris Starosta, Nuclear Experimentalist strong interest in nuclear astrophysics
- 2003 Hire of Filomena Nunes Nuclear with strong interest in nuclear astrophysics
- 2004 Hire Ed Brown
   Theoretical Nuclear Astrophysicist connecting NSCL and Astronomy group.
- CA Faculty position to be filled