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## Experimental generation of petawatt peak power, extreme electron beams for advanced accelerator applications

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In this contribution we report on the experimental generation of high energy (10 GeV), ultra-short (fs-duration), ultra-high current ( $\sim 0.1$  MA), petawatt peak power electron beams at the FACET-II National User Facility at SLAC National Accelerator Laboratory. These extreme beams enable the exploration of a new frontier of high intensity beam-light and beam-matter interactions broadly relevant across fields ranging from high-field plasma wakefield acceleration to laboratory astrophysics and strong field quantum electrodynamics. We demonstrate our ability to generate and control the properties of these electron beams by means of a laser-electron beam shaping technique. This experimental demonstration opens the door to on-the-fly customization of extreme beam current profiles for desired experiments and is poised to benefit a broad swathe of cross-cutting applications of relativistic electron beams including optimization of advanced accelerator applications.

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