## Abstract Submitted for the MAR12 Meeting of The American Physical Society

Transport Properties of Films of Prussian Blue Analogues and Manganites<sup>1</sup> P.A. QUINTERO, D.M. GRANT, E.S. KNOWLES, M.F. DUMONT, J.H. JEEN, A. BISWAS, M.W. MEISEL, Dept. Phys. and NHMFL, Univ. Florida, D.R. TALHAM, Dept. Chem., Univ. Florida — The CoFe Prussian blue analogue (PBA) is a coordination polymer,  $A_j \operatorname{Co}_k[\operatorname{Fe}(\operatorname{CN})_6]$  (A = K, Rb, Cs), that exhibits a photoinduced charge transfer.<sup>2</sup> The resulting changes in the magnetization and in the lattice parameter have been used to successfully apply stress on other pressure-sensitive materials, achieving photocontrol of the magnetic response.<sup>3</sup> The metal-to-insulator transition (MIT) is a prominent feature of the manganites, whose transition temperature can be tuned by applying various stimuli such as pressure or magnetic field.<sup>4</sup> By coupling a layer of PBA over a thin film of manganite, the temperature for the MIT can be altered by the light-induced changes in the CoFe PBA.

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