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Catalysis and Nanomaterials
Materials Chemistry
Photovoltaics
Rechargeable Batteries
Green Chemistry
Water Remediation
Enhanced Oil Recovery

SELECTED PATENTS

- Method to Fabricate Microcapsules from Polymers and Charged Nanoparticles (US 7,829,119)
- Removal of Heteroatom-Containing Compounds from Fluids (WO2017100617A1)
- Multimetallic Nanoshells For Monitoring Chemical Reactions (US 8.605,280)

APPLICATIONS

- Chemicals production from oil/gas and biomass
- Downhole oil detection and enhanced recovery
- Energy storage and conversion
- Water cleanup/purification

KEY PROJECTS

- Structure-property analysis of bimetallic catalysts
- Nanoparticle synthesis and catalysis
- Heterogeneous catalysis for water cleanup
- Biomass upgrading chemistry
- Hydrocarbon upgrading chemistry
- Nanoparticle assembly
- Nanomaterials for enhanced oil recovery and downhole detection
- Advanced materials processing of microcapsules, quantum dots, and supported metal oxides.

RECENT PUBLICATIONS

- Guo et al "Insights into Nitrate Reduction over Indium-Decorated Palladium Nanoparticle Catalysts" ACS Catalysis, 2018.
- Li et al "Two Distinctive Energy Migration Pathways of Monolayer Molecules on Metal Nanoparticle Surfaces" *Nature Communications*, 2016.
- Heck et al "Nanocatalysts for Groundwater Remediation" *Engineered Nanoparticles and the Environment: Biophysicochemical Processes and Toxicity*, **2016**.

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