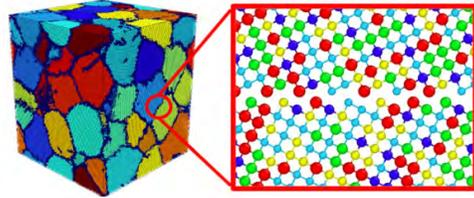




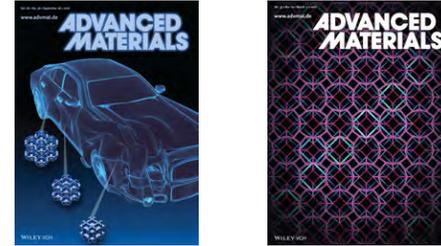
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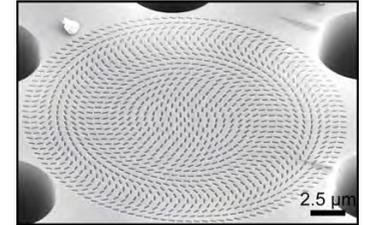
Structural Nanomaterials



Mechanical micro/nano-metamaterials



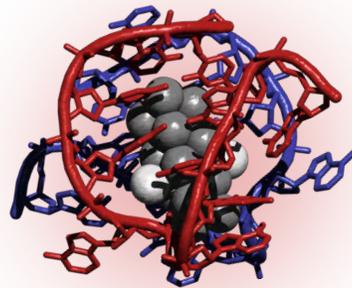
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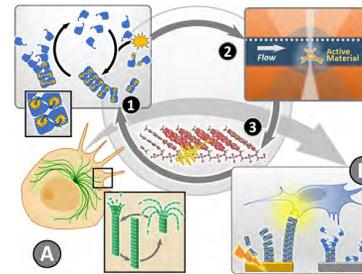
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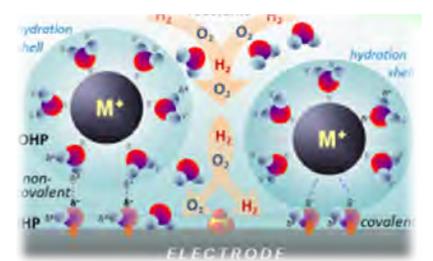
Materials Informatics



Bio- and bio-inspired materials



Electrochemistry Energy Materials





Manufacturing Science



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SLM® 125HL
(metals)



Stratasys Fortus 450mc
(workhorse FDM)



Stratasys Objet260 Connex3
(1000 digital materials)



(7) Autodesk Embers
(high-res. stereolithography)



Trotec Speedy 360
(laser cutter)



UCI/Saratech partnership

Big Rep Studio
(large area FDM)



HP 4200
(polymers)



+
HP and Siemens

- Software donations
- Funding of senior design projects

Markforged X7
(continuous fiber PMC)



Markforged Metal X
(metals)





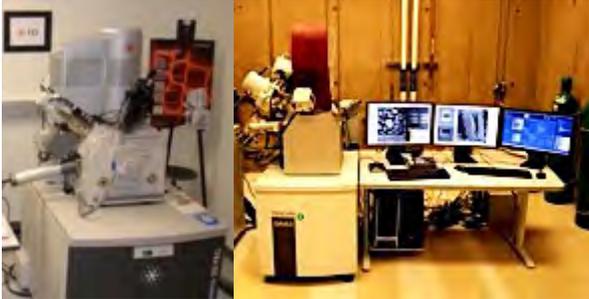
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Laboratory for Electron & X-ray Instrumentation (LEXI)



Magellan 400 SEM GAIA-3 GMH FIB-SEM

Surface Science Facility (SSF)



AXIS Supra by Kratos Analytical

Center for Transmission Electron Microscopy (CTEM)

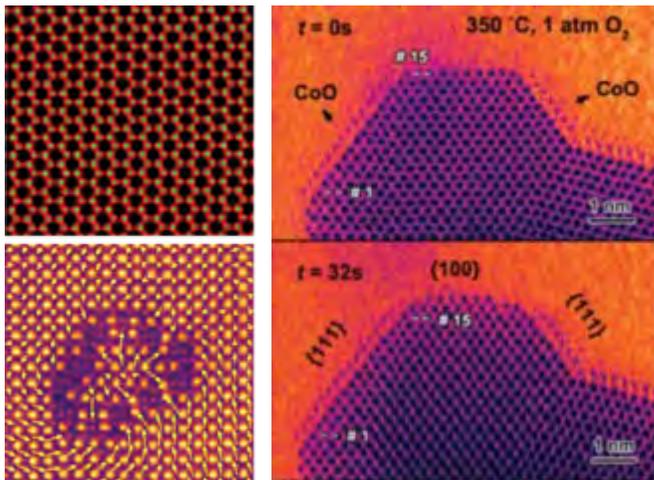


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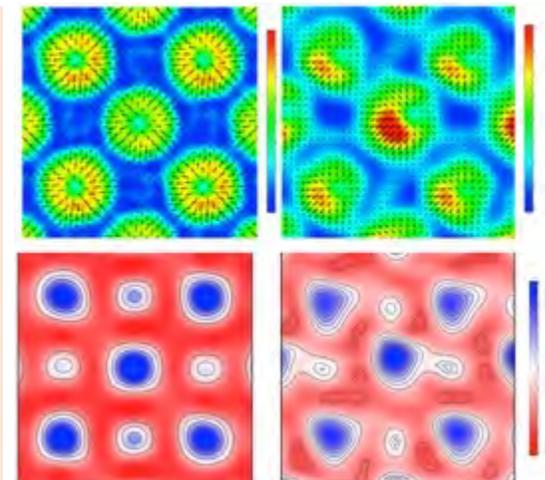
TEMPR Facility for Soft Materials Characterization



A cross-disciplinary institute offering world-class facilities to researchers engaged in the discovery, development and commercialization of all types of materials.

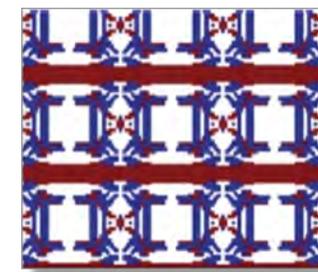
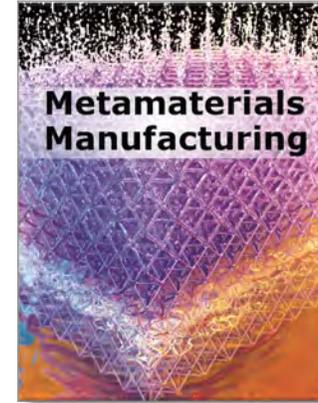
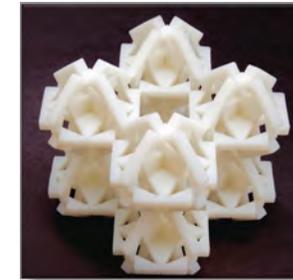
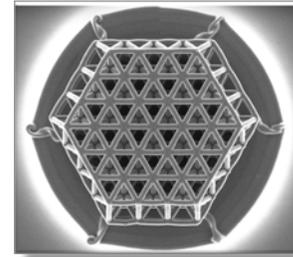
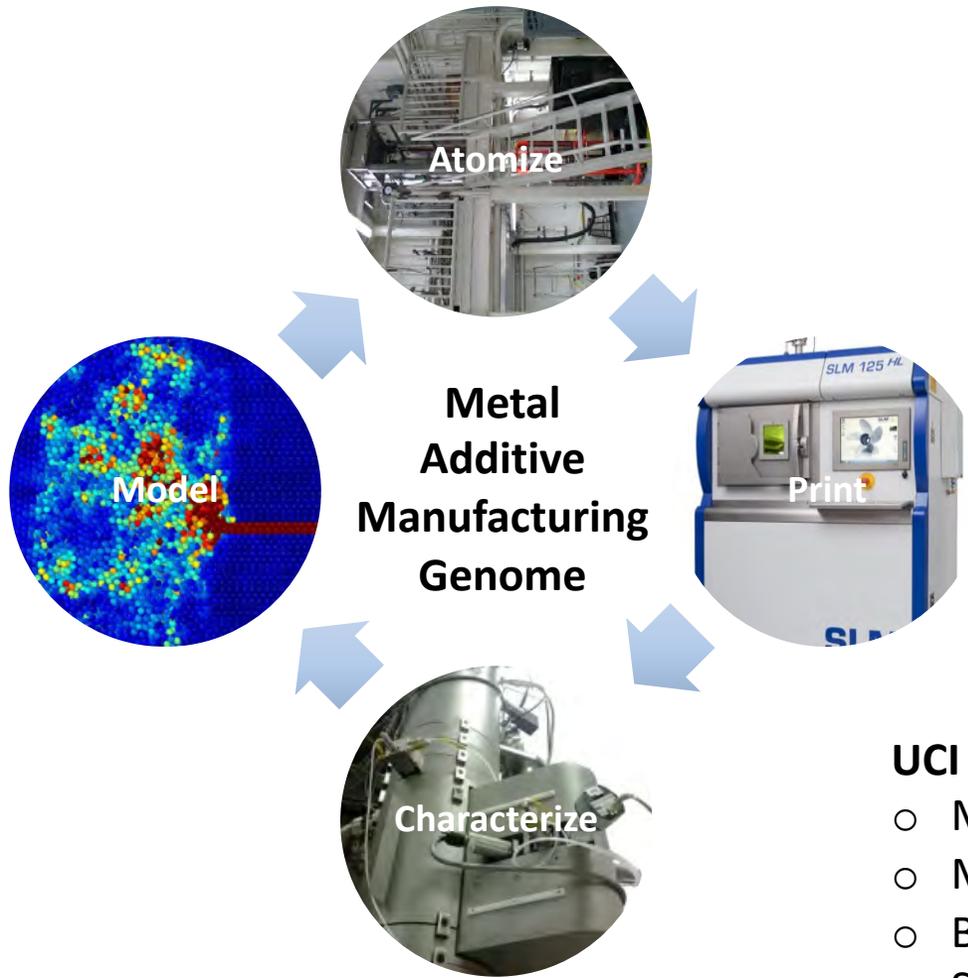


- Direct imaging of single atoms, 3D atomic structure, chemical bonds, and local electronic properties
- *In situ* observation of the phase transition and dynamic behaviors of materials under different conditions and environments with the atomic resolution.
- The unique Nion UltraSTEM HERMES200 is an ideal microscopy for the study of 2D materials.
- The world record energy resolution (4.2 meV) allows one to measure the molecular vibration and phonons in crystal.





Why Additive / Metal Manufacturing



Research Center on:
Novel Materials, Processes and Tools for Additive Manufacturing

- *Architected materials*
- *Scalable nano-manufacturing*
- *Metal AM*
- *Optimal design for AM*

- UCI expertise in:**
- Metal processing
 - Machine learning
 - Big data
 - Sensors and control

Scalable Nanomanufacturing

SEM image of porous structure

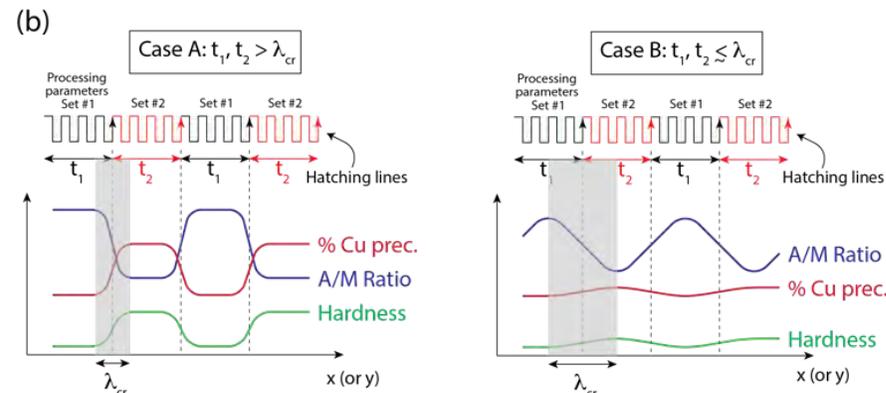
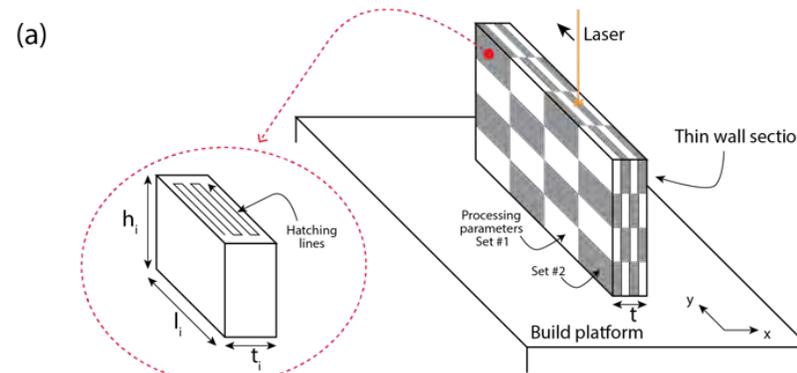
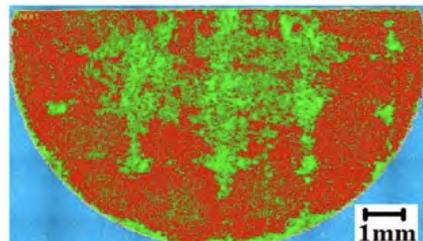
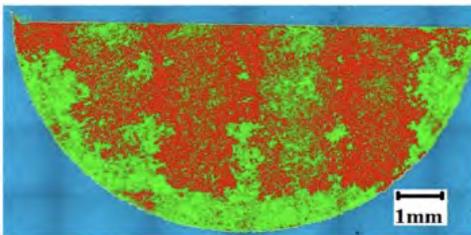
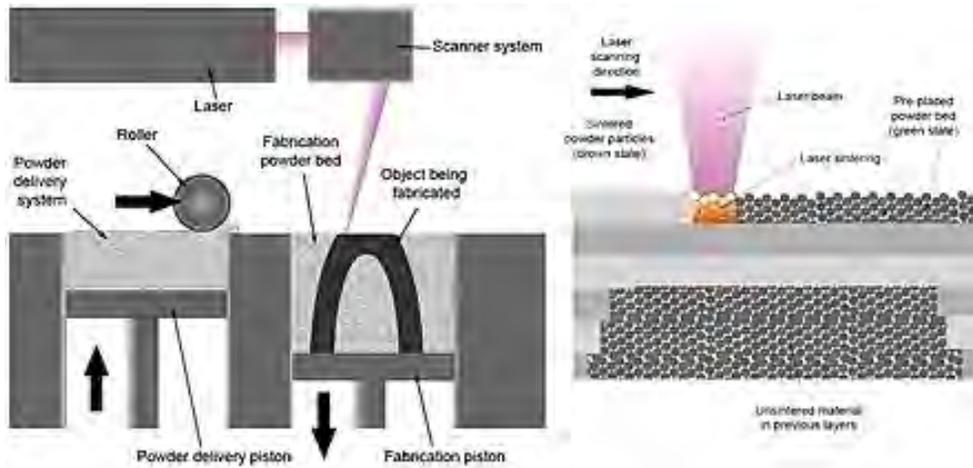
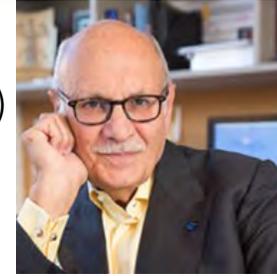
Raman Spectroscopy Plot: Intensity (A.U.) vs Raman Shift (cm⁻¹)

3D Model of porous structure



Laser Powder Bed Fusion: Shell-based PH steel metamaterials

L. Valdevit, D. Apelian (UCI), M. Begley (UCSB), A. Asadpoure, M. Tootkaboni (UMass Dartmouth)





Direct Energy Deposition - Processing Science of Functionally graded materials

J. Schoenung, L. Valdevit, P. Cao

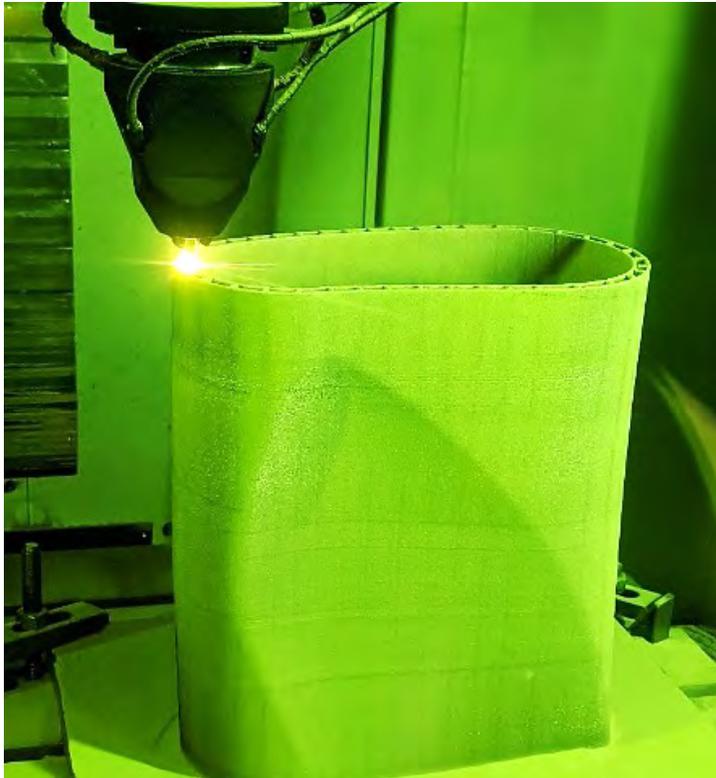
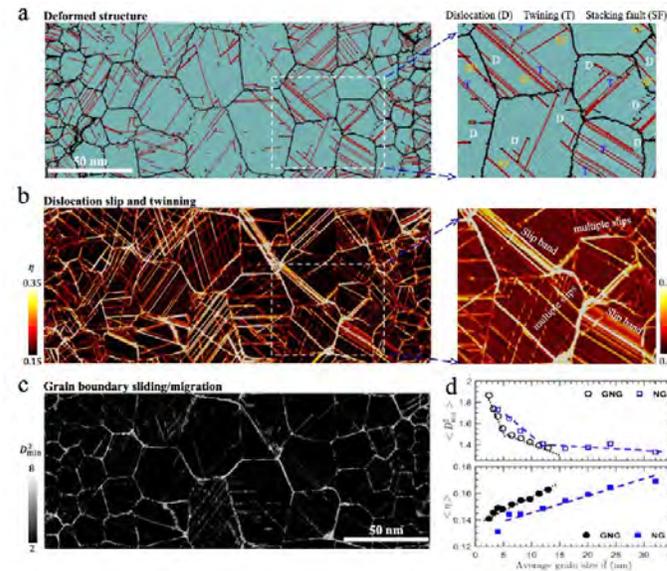
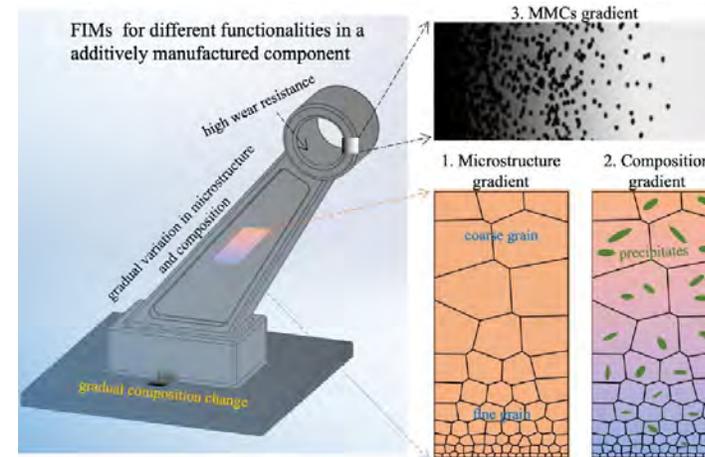


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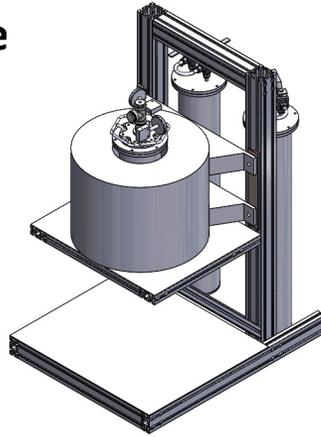
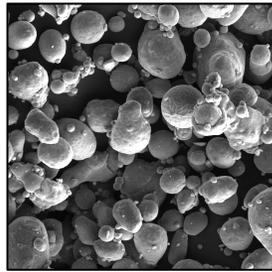
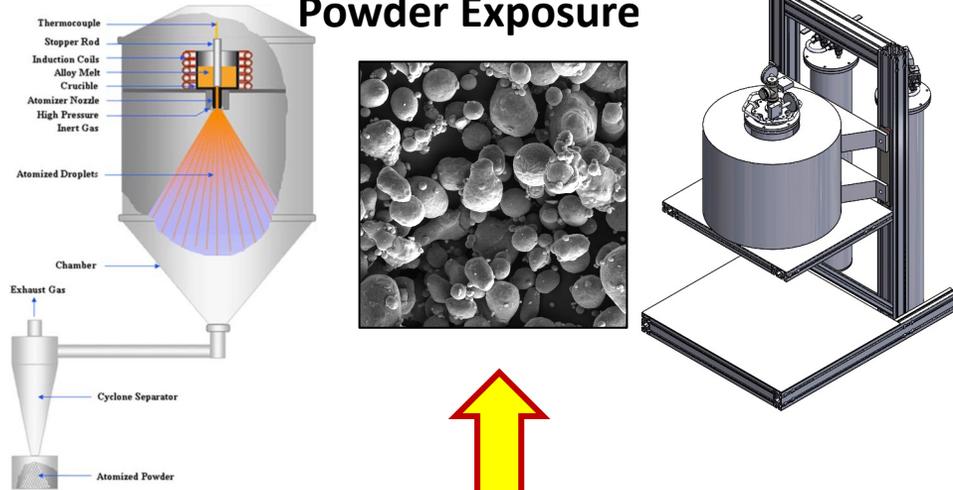




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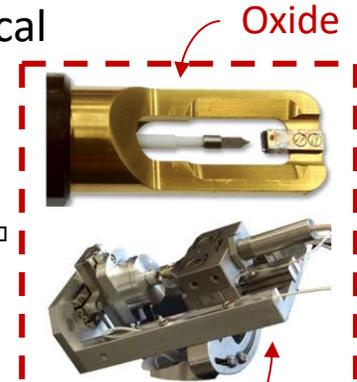
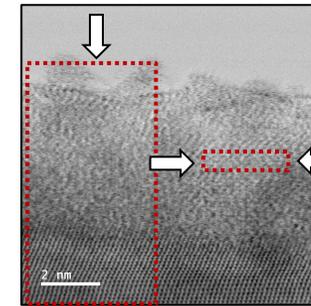


Gas atomization Powder Exposure



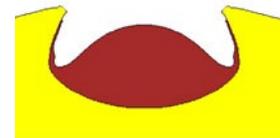
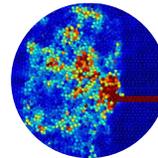
Powder characterization

- Microstructural
- Mechanical



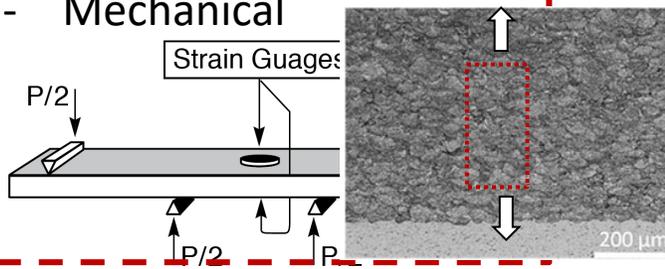
Modeling

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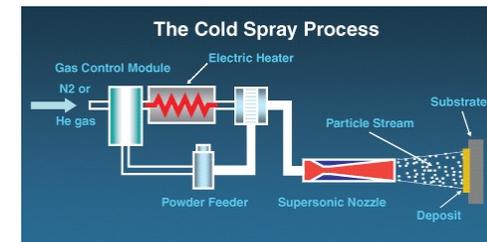


Coating characterization

- Microstructural
- Mechanical



Spraying





Wire Arc Additive Manufacturing (WAAM)

D. Apelian



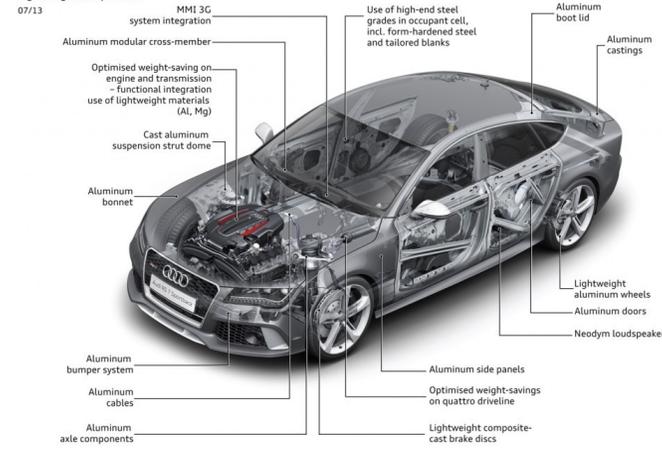
Advanced Casting

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Lightweight components

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Thixotropic Casting



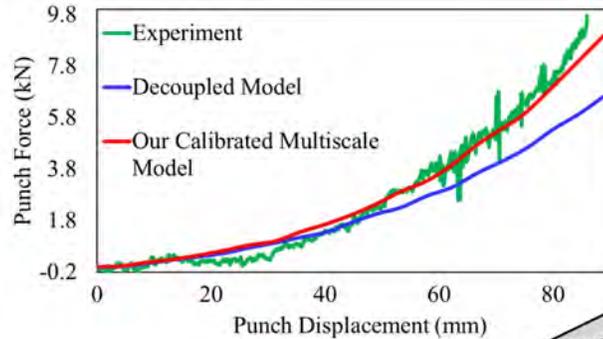
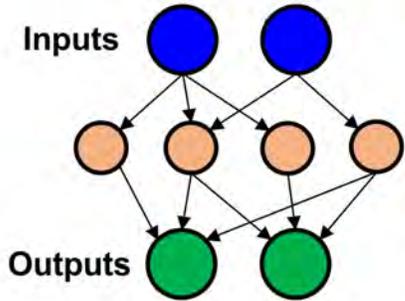
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**Machine Learning
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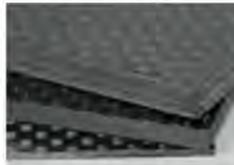


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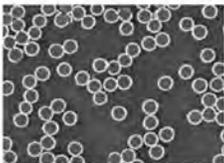
Top-down Goal-Driven Material Design



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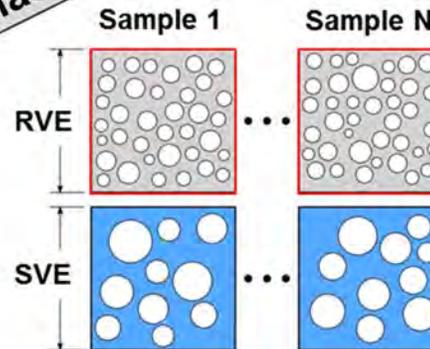


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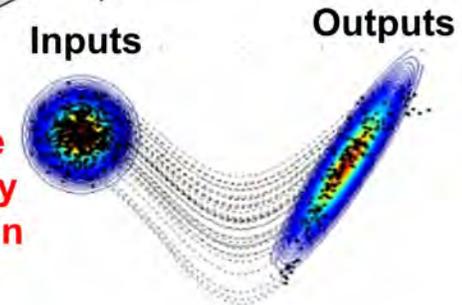


Bottom-up Stochastic Analysis & Modeling

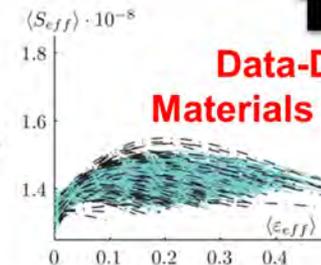
**Microstructure
Characterization &
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**Multiscale
Uncertainty
Propagation**

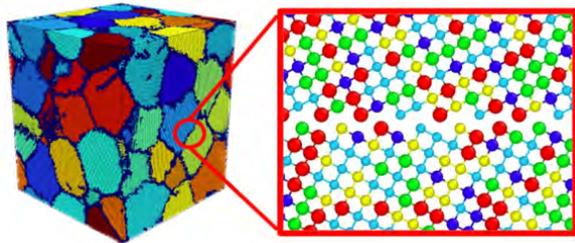


**Data-Driven
Materials Modeling**





Structural Nanomaterials



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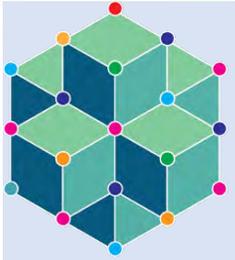
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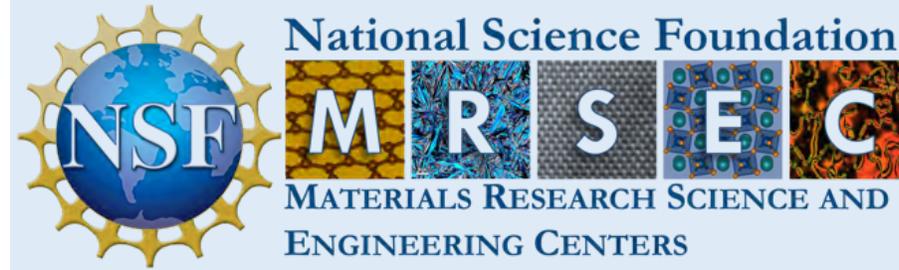
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Director: Professor Xiaoqing Pan

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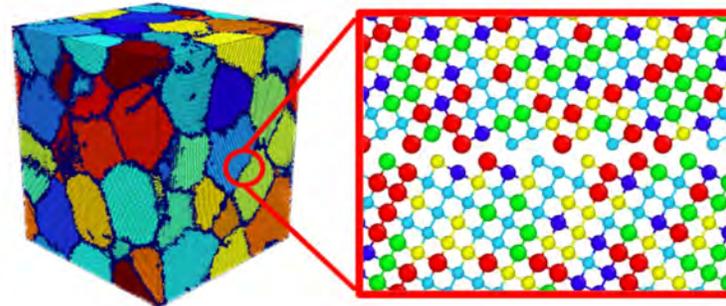
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25 Junior Research Fellows

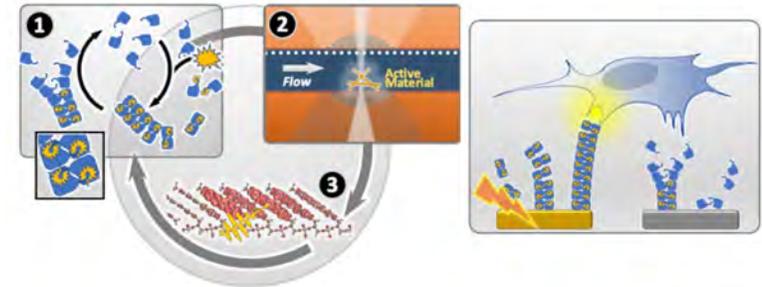


Xiaoqing Pan, PI

IRG 1 – Complex Concentrated Materials



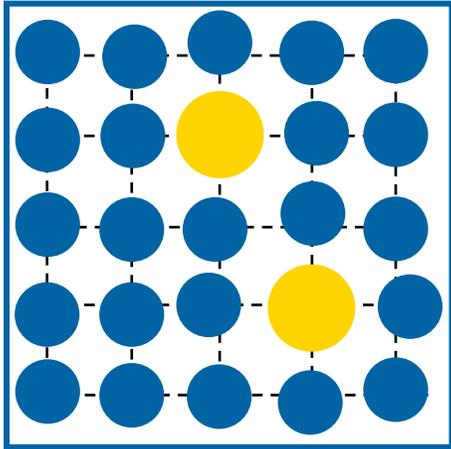
IRG 2 – Bioinspired Active Materials



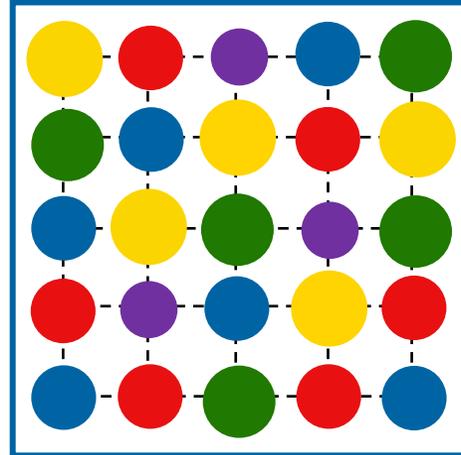
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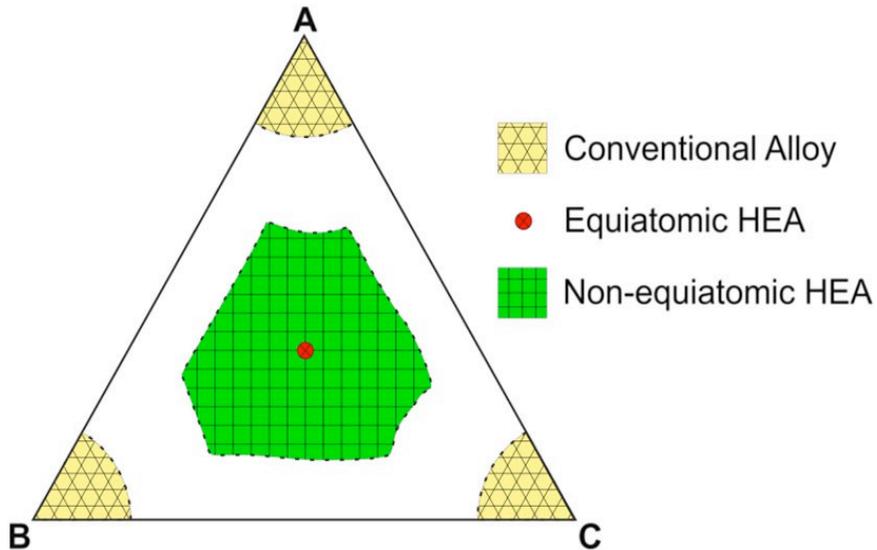
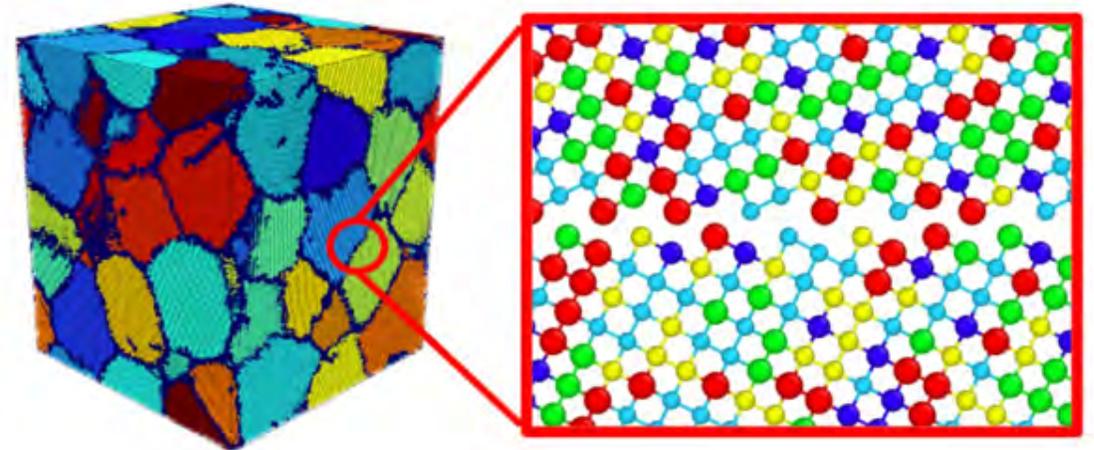
Conventional Alloy: Dilute Solid Solution



High Entropy Alloys: Disordered Solid Solution



Specifically investigate the role of interfaces



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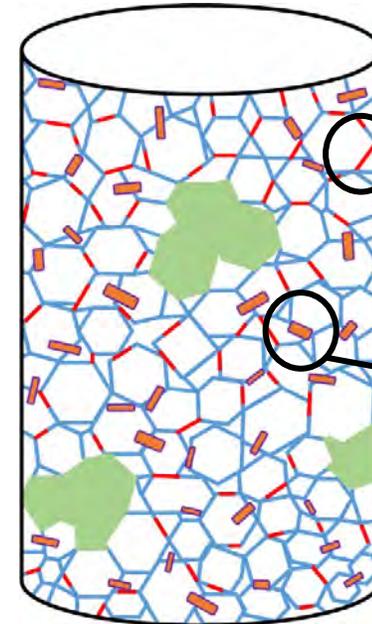
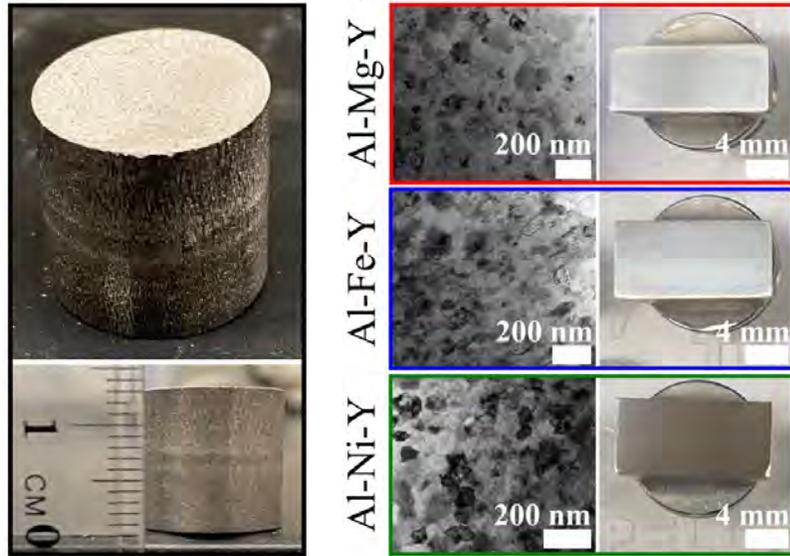


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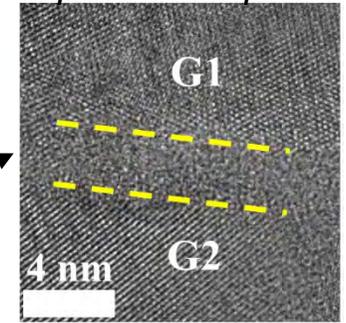


Bulk Al alloys with hierarchical nanostructures

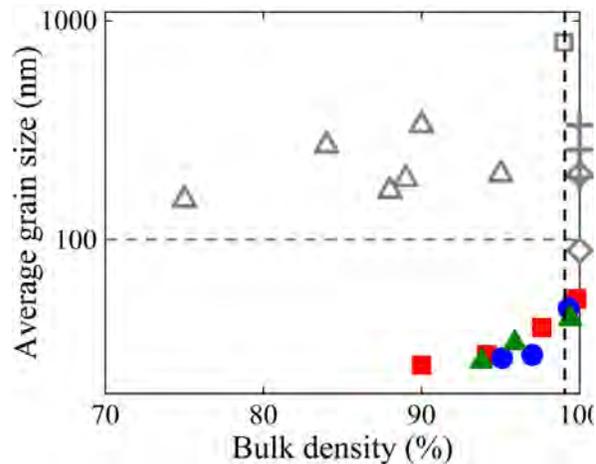
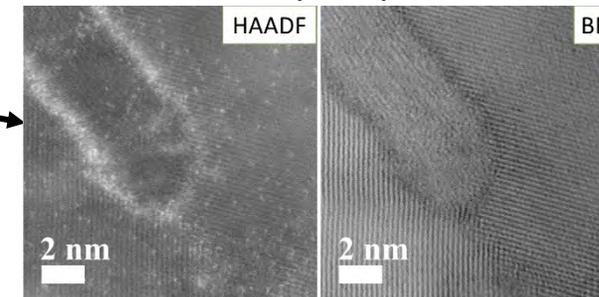
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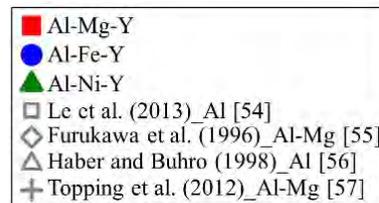
Amorphous complexes



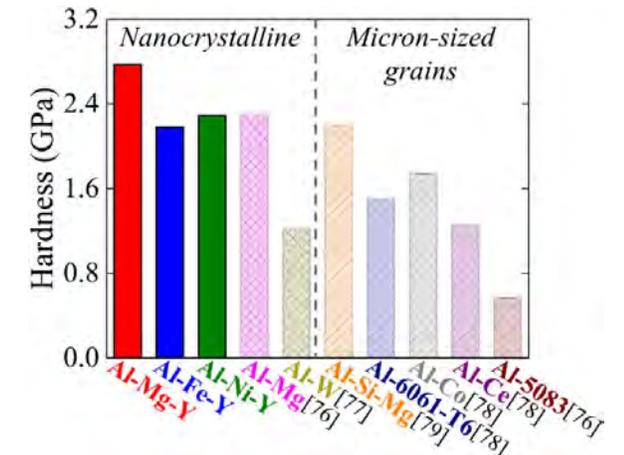
Nanorod precipitates



Optimal balance of small grain size and high density can be achieved with interfacial design.



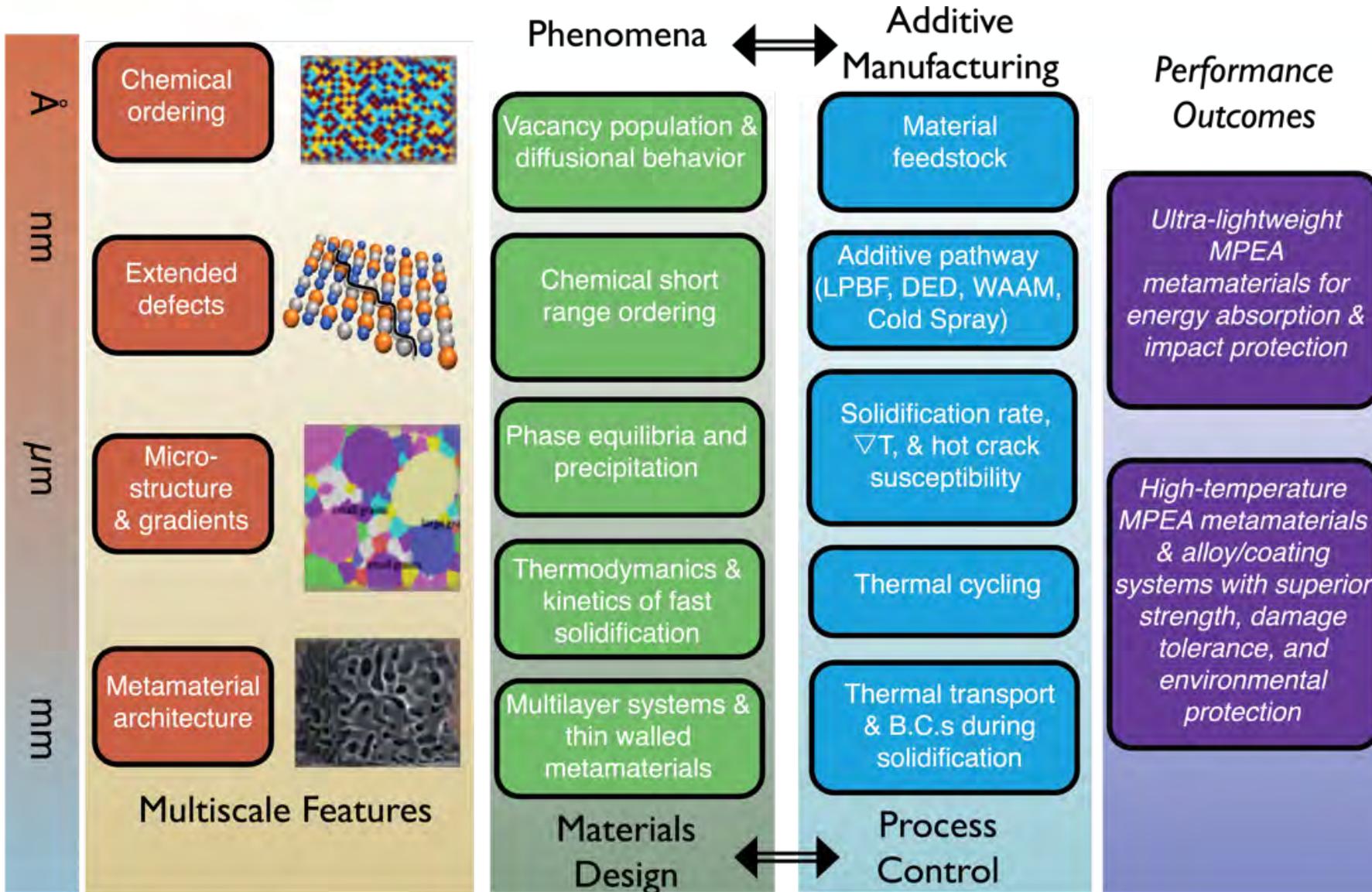
Alloys are stronger than all previously reported bulk nano- and micro-structured Al alloys





Design Philosophy for Advanced Materials

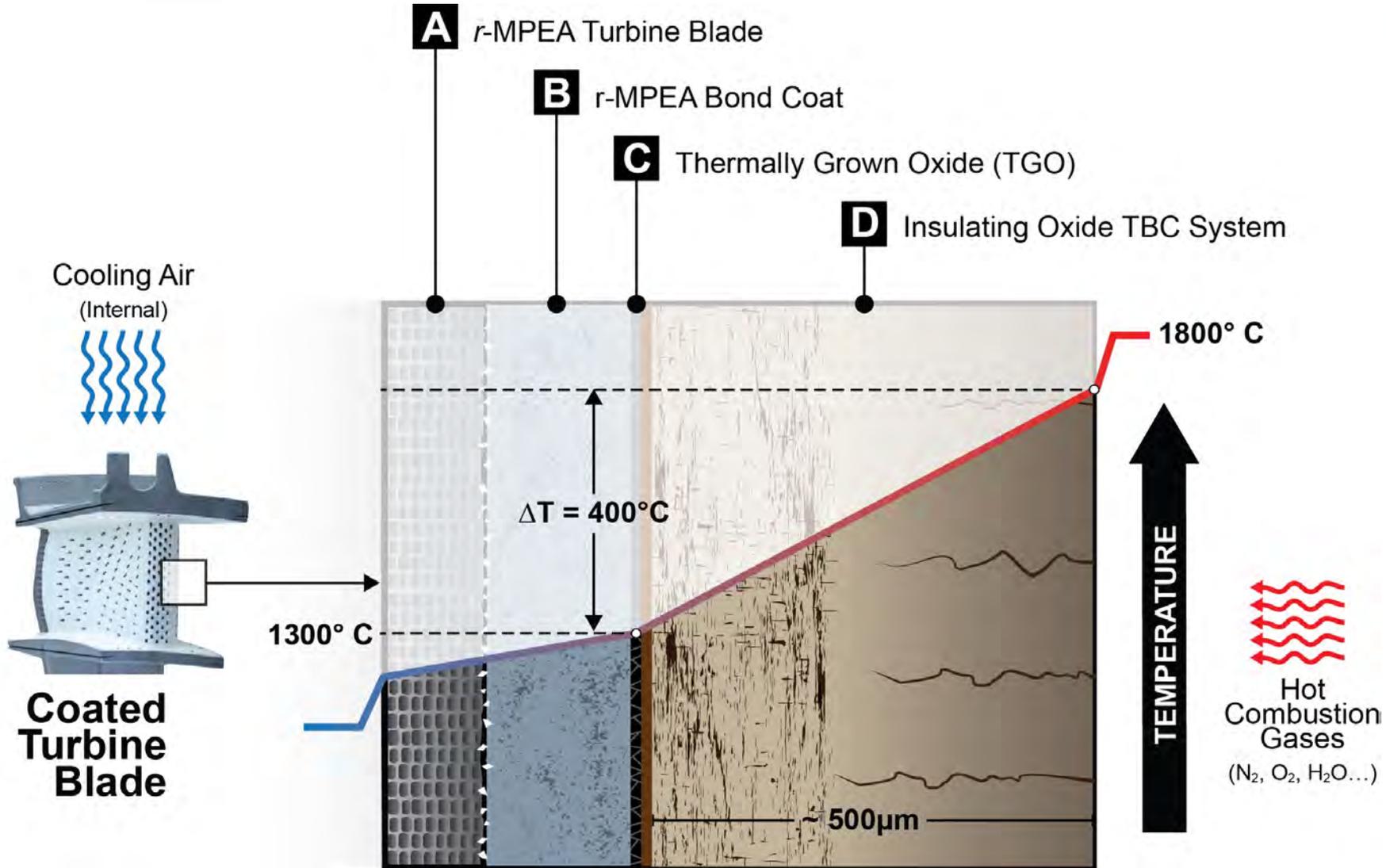
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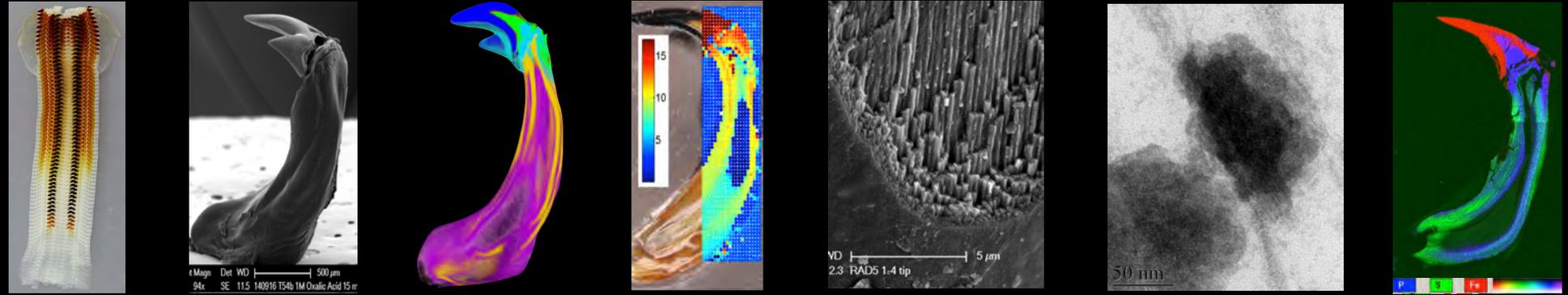




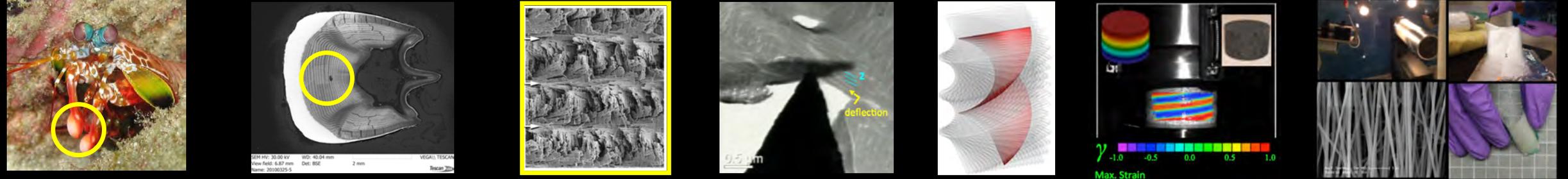
Biomimetic and Nanostructured Materials



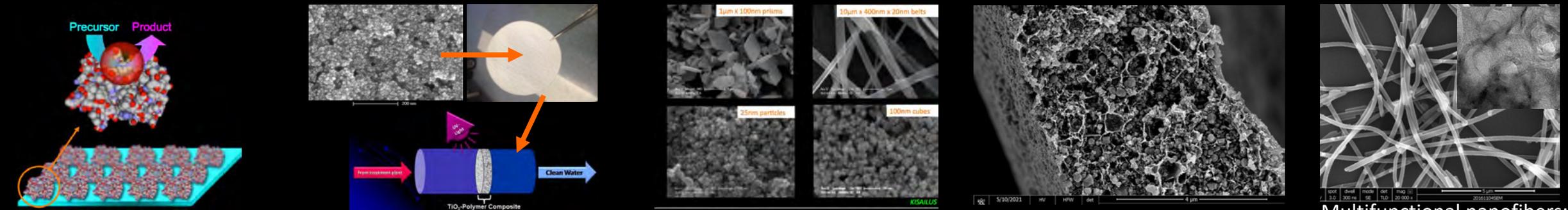
- Synthesis – Structure - Function (mechanical, optical, thermal) analysis of biological materials



- Biomimetic Synthesis of Impact, Abrasion, Thermal Resistant Multifunctional Materials



- Low temperature, Bio-mediated / inspired syntheses of nanomaterials for energy and environmental applications



Enzyme driven synthesis

Self-cleaning, adaptive membranes

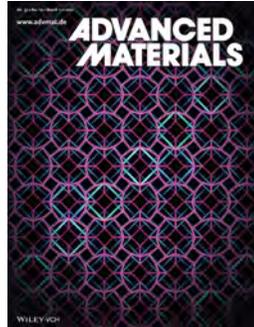
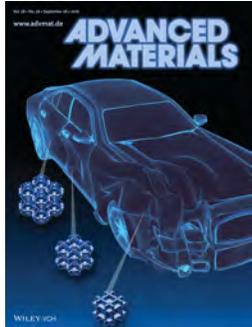
Fast charging 3D batteries

Impact & abrasion resistant coatings

Multifunctional nanofibers: Gas sensing, catalysis



Mechanical micro/nano- Metamaterials



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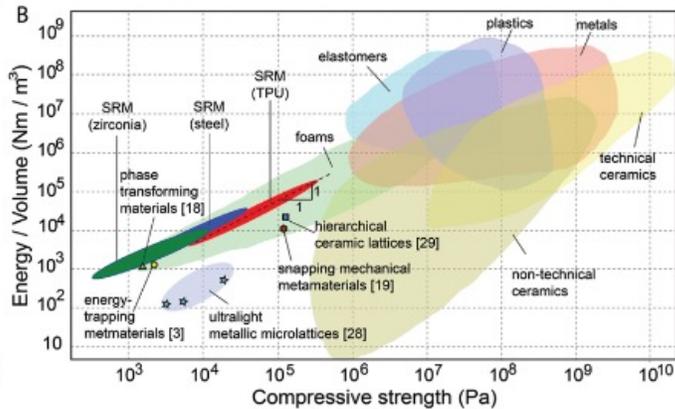
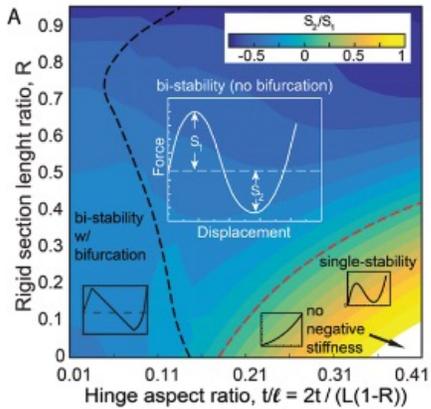
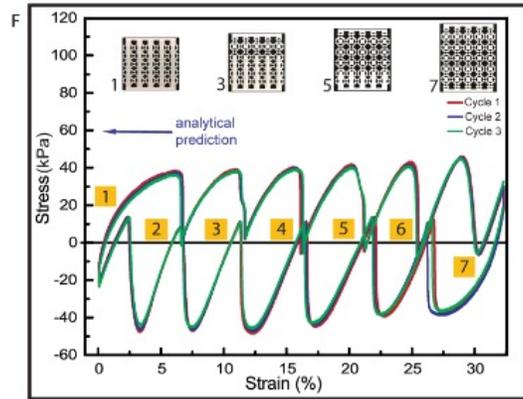
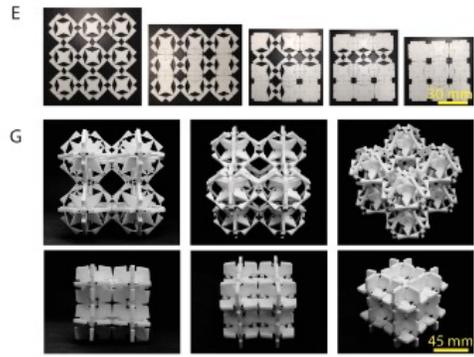
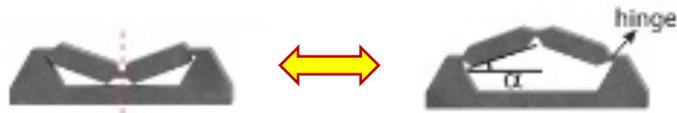


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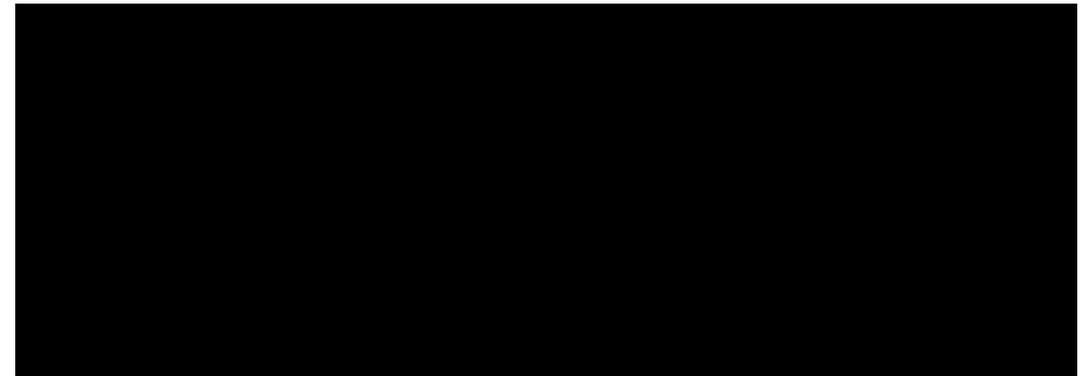
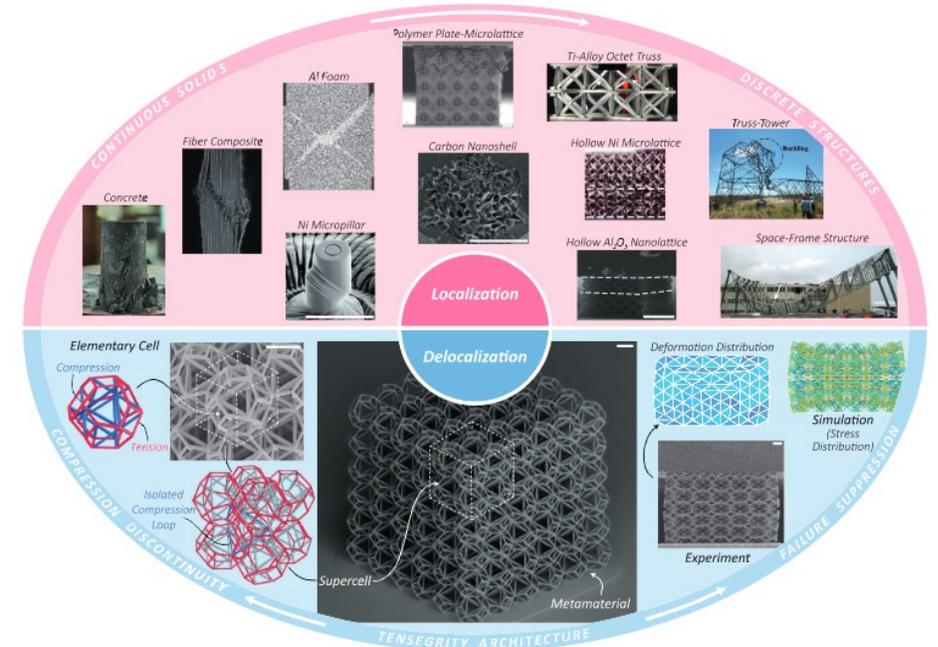
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Multi-stable architected materials



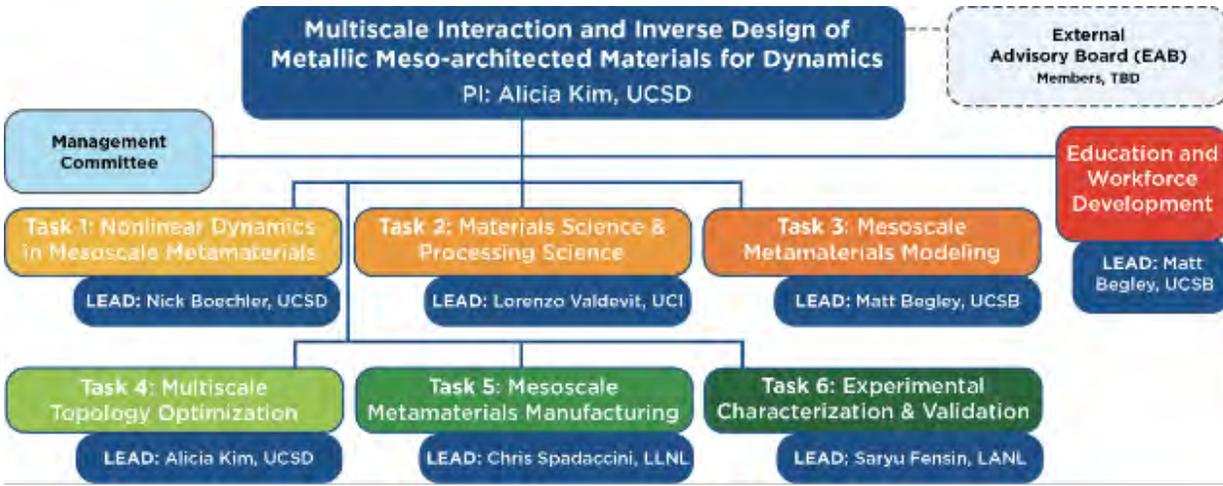
Novel tensegrity lattice designs for robustness (in collaboration with J. Rimoli, GaTech)





Architected Materials as Mesoscale Materials

(Pending) UC-NL Collaborative Research and Training Award



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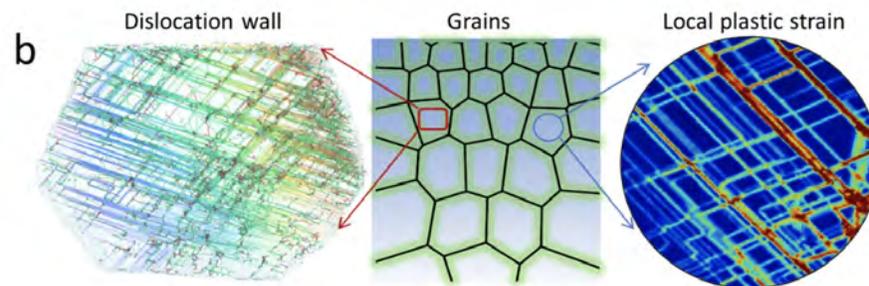
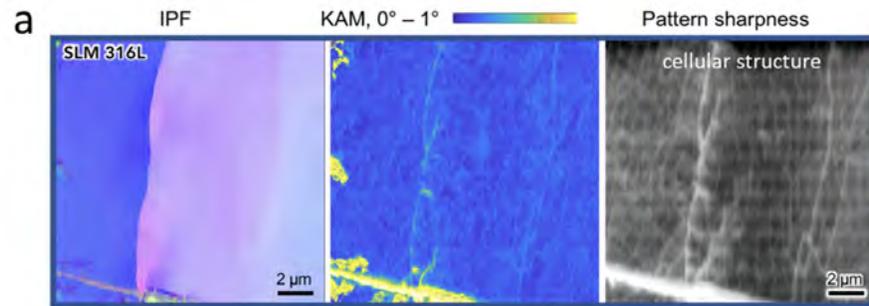
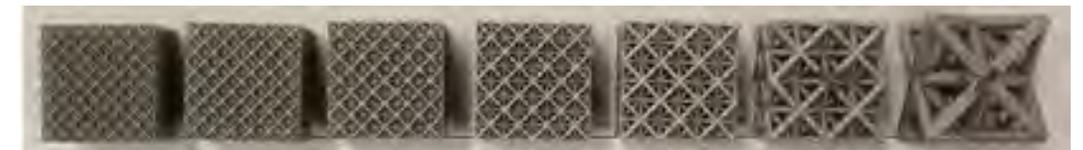
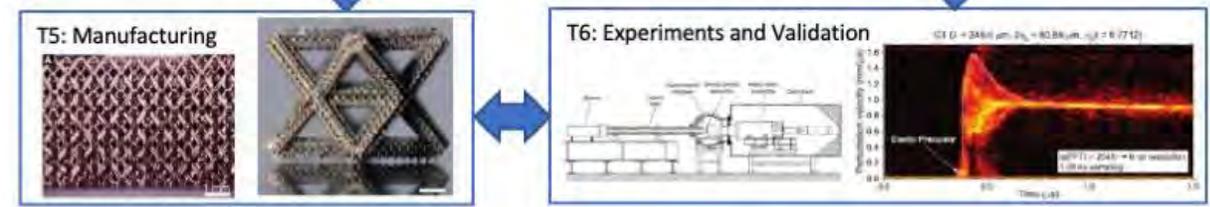
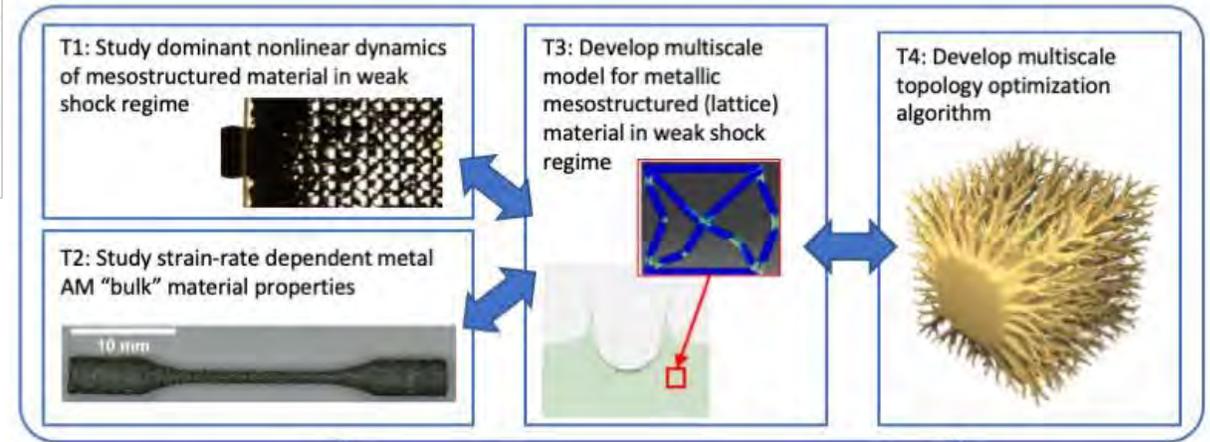


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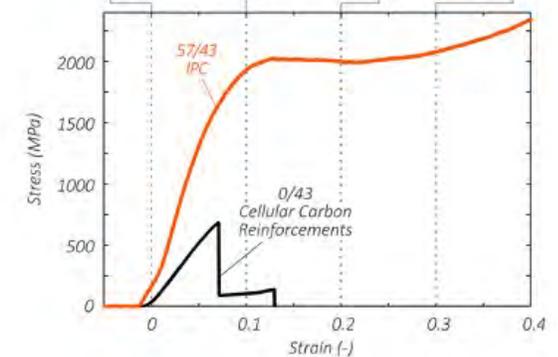
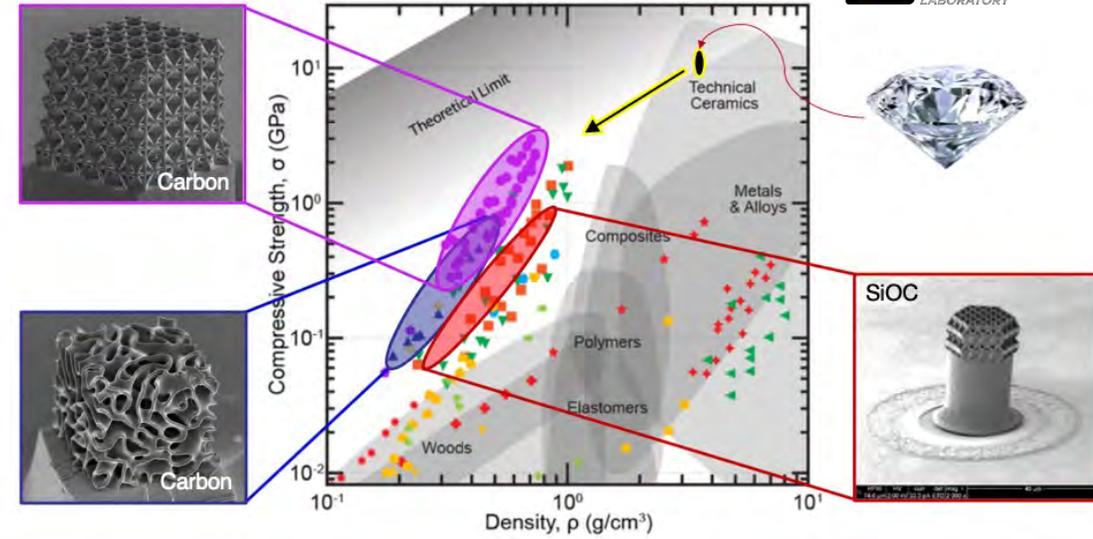
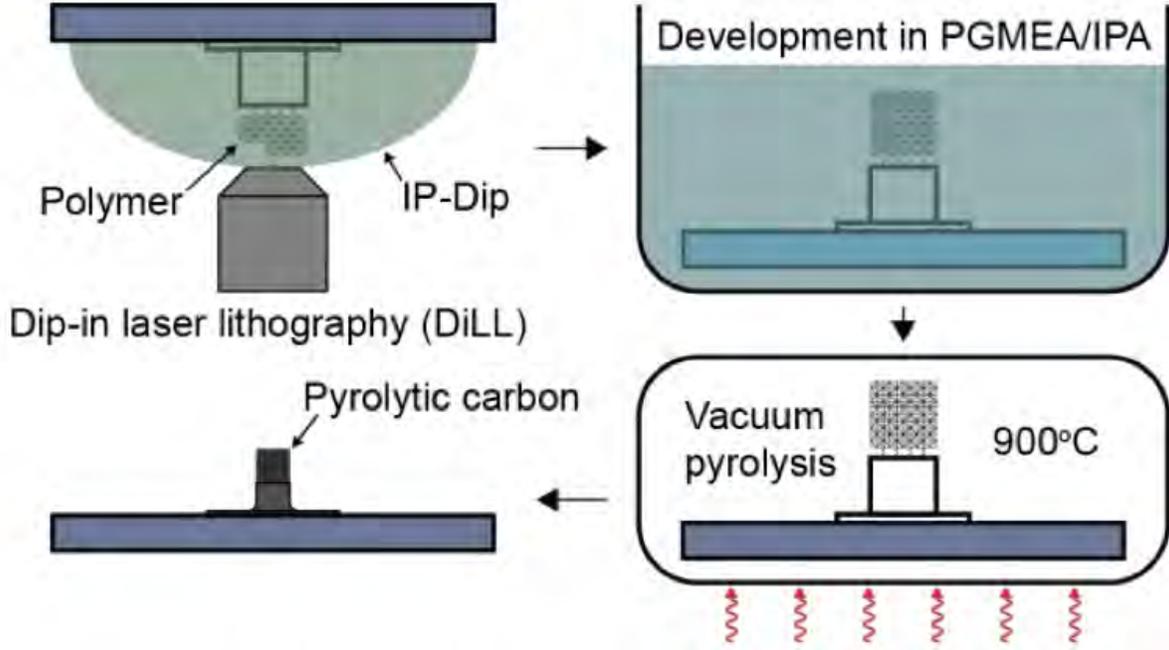
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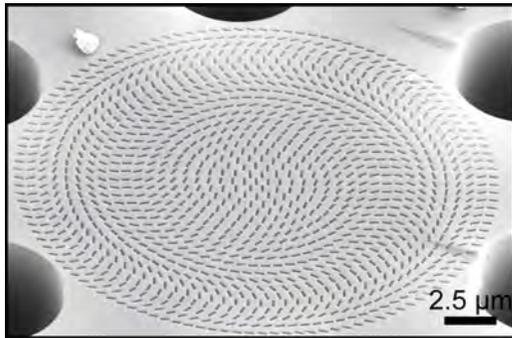


Nano-architected ceramic materials with superior mechanical properties





Nanomaterials for Light-Matter Interaction



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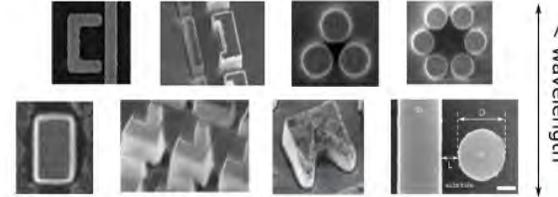


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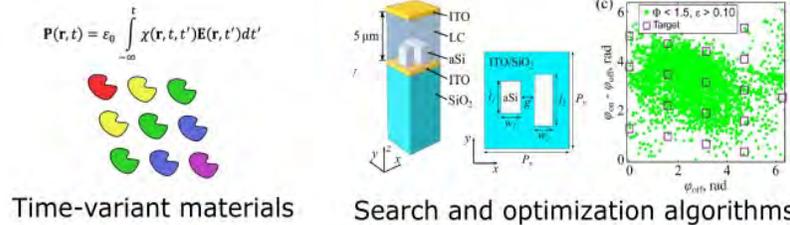
Nanophotonic devices: Shcherbakov lab

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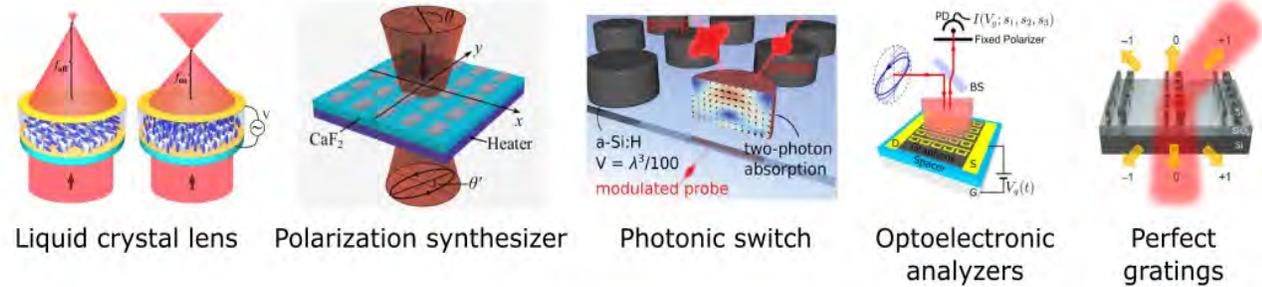


Dynamic designer nanomaterials
CMOS-compatible / integrated
Large-scale
Externally controlled

Concepts



Devices



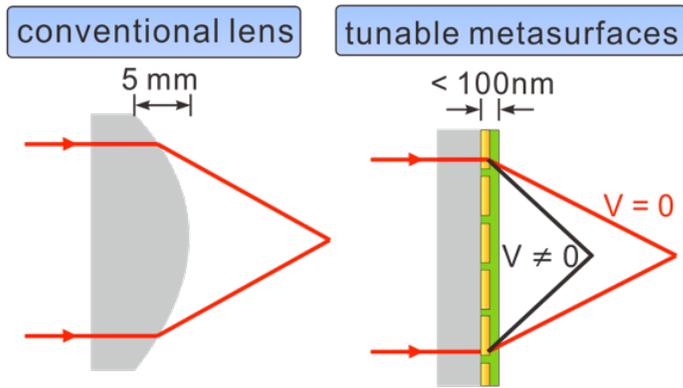
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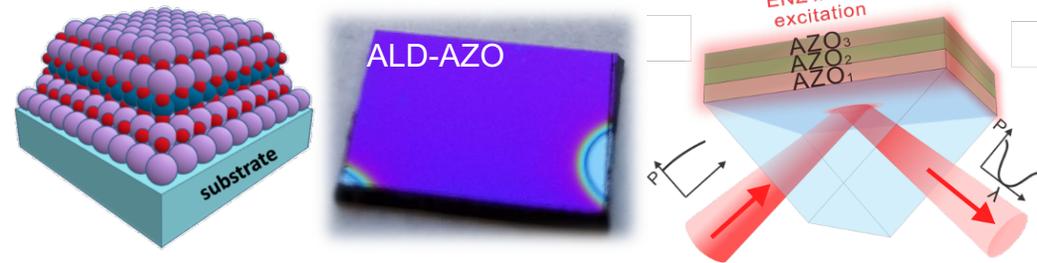


Extreme light-matter interaction, optical metasurfaces and metamaterials, tunable optical materials, quantum/bio-photonics, and photonic applications at nanometer scale

Active optical metasurfaces

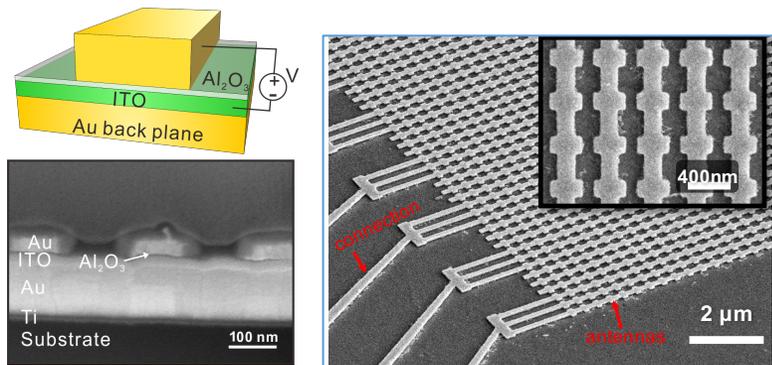


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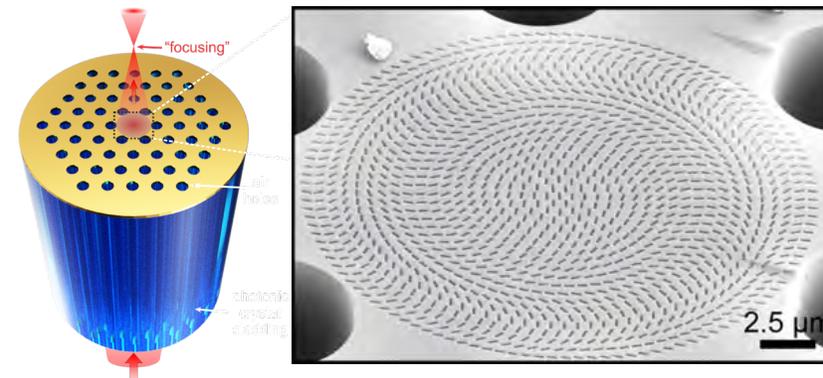


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“Meta”-optical fibers





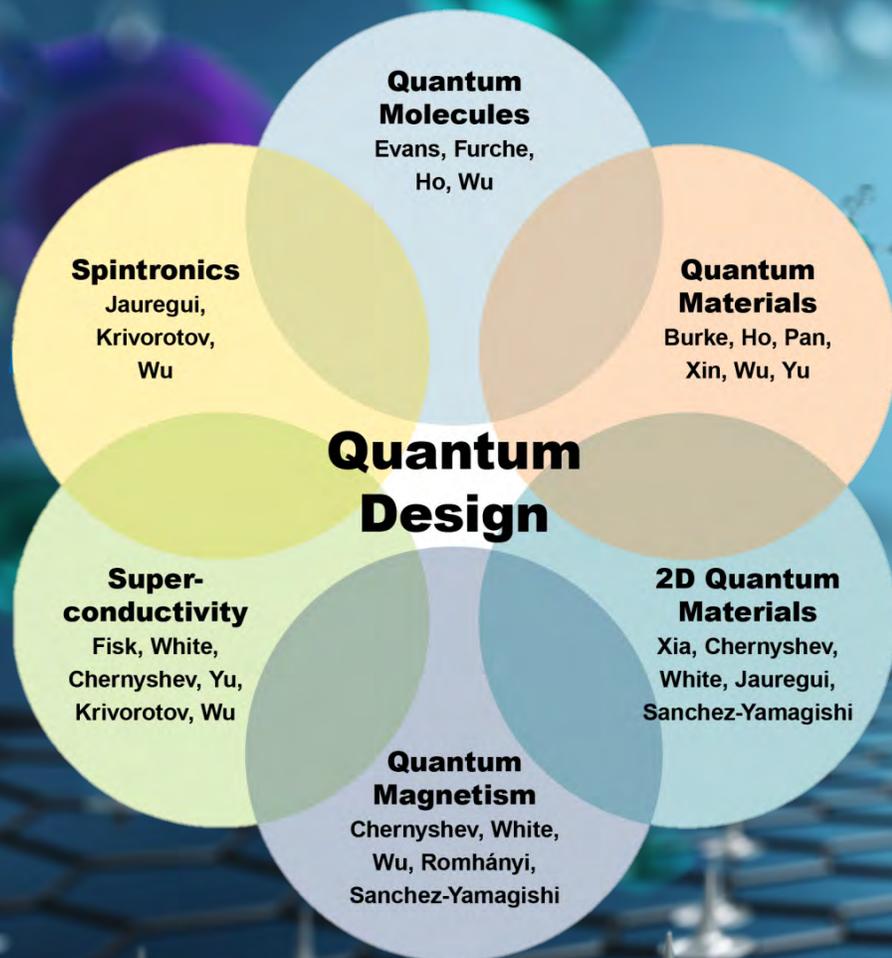
**Nanomaterials for
Quantum Science**



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Concentrated efforts in:

- Quantum materials and rare-earth metals
- Theory of quantum systems, especially for correlated systems and rare earth-containing materials



Eddleman Quantum Institute Faculty

Faculty from both School of Engineering
and School of Physical Sciences



Maxx Q. Arguilla

Growth and
Chemistry of Low-
Dimensional
Quantum Materials



Kieron Burke

Development of
Quantum
Simulations



Sasha Chernyshev

Quantum
Magnetism



**William J. Evans,
Director**

Synthesis of Rare-
Earth Metal
Compounds,
Single-Molecule
Magnets, Molecular
Qubits



**Filipp Ulrich
Furche**

Novel Methods in
Quantum Chemistry



Wilson Ho

Single-Molecule
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Entanglement,
SpaceTime
Spectromicroscopy
of Matter



Sandy Irani

Quantum
Computational
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Algorithms



Luis Jauregui

Properties of
Emergent Quantum
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**Svetlana
Jitomirskaya**

Mathematics of
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Quantum
Structures



Ilya Krivorotov

Spintronics and
Nanomagnetism



Howard Lee

Metamaterials,
Quantum
Nanophotonics and
Biophotonics



Thorsten Ritz

Theoretical and
Computational
Biophysics,
Quantum Biology of
Photosynthesis



Judit Romhányi

Condensed Matter
Physics and
Quantum Matter



**Javier Sanchez-
Yamagishi**

Electronic 2-
Dimensional
Quantum Materials



Steven R. White

Quantum
Simulations and
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Novel Quantum
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Next Generation
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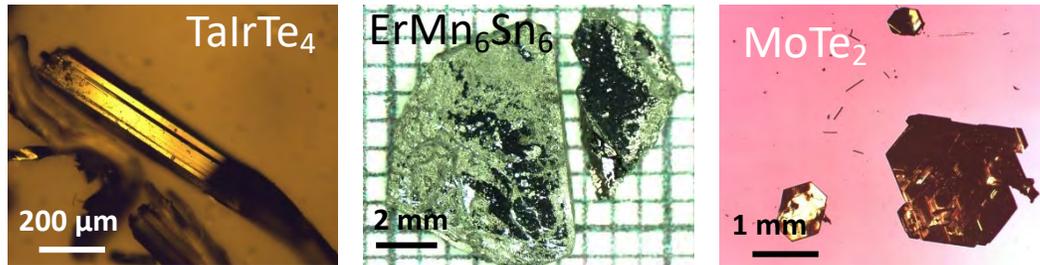
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Superconducting
Devices and Qubits



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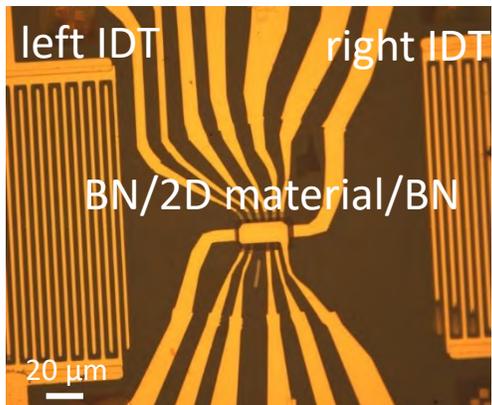
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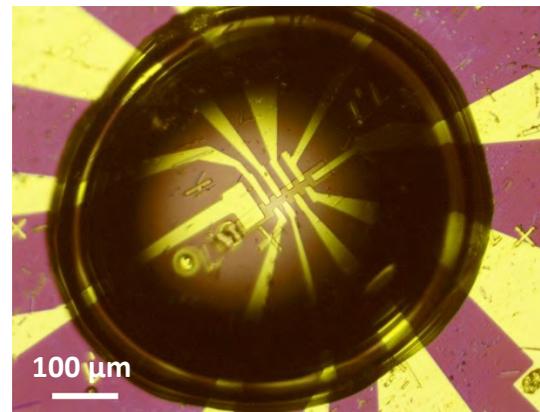


Quantum optoelectronic devices

Acoustic control of excitons:



Thin topological field effect devices:



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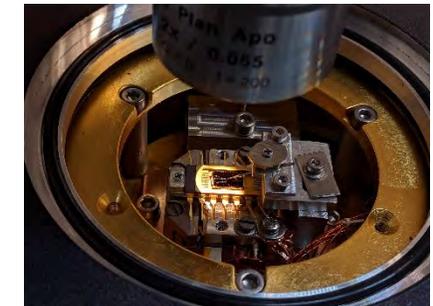
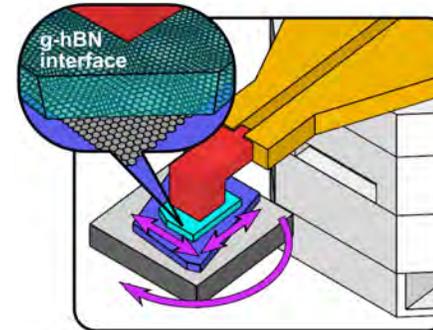
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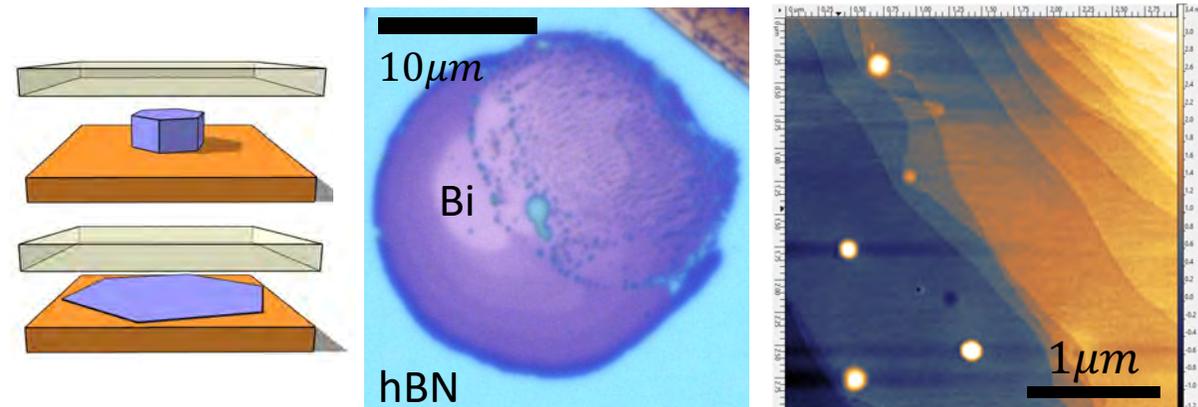
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New measurement and fabrication techniques for quantum materials

In-situ nanomanipulation of van der Waals heterostructures



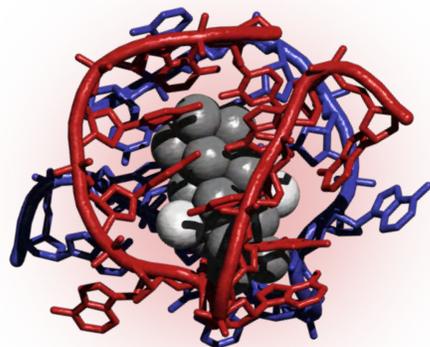
Squeeze-grown 2D topological materials



ultrathin and atomically flat bismuth



Materials Informatics



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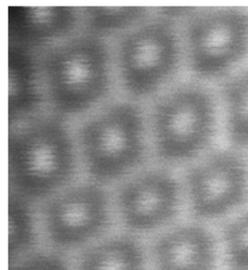
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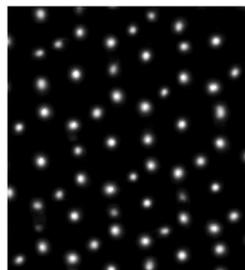
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Overcoming the limitations of conventional TEM and electron tomography through deep learning

ADF-STEM micrograph of Co_3O_4



Deep learning reconstruction of atomic column



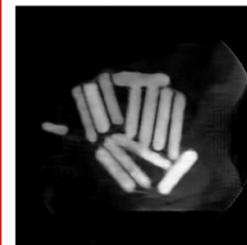
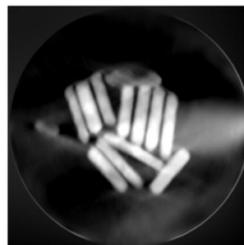
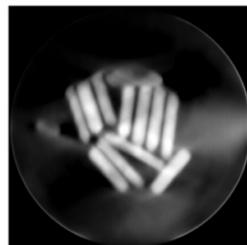
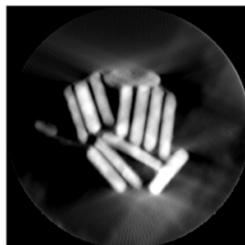
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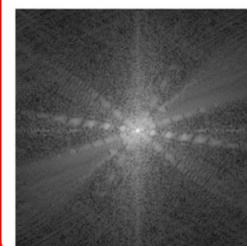
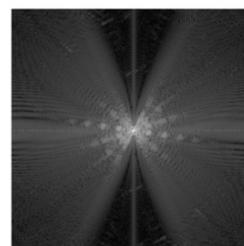
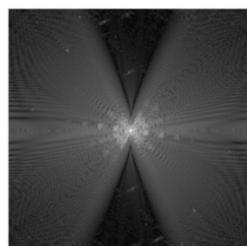
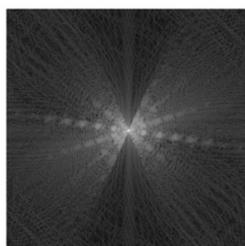
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Inpainting De-artifacts

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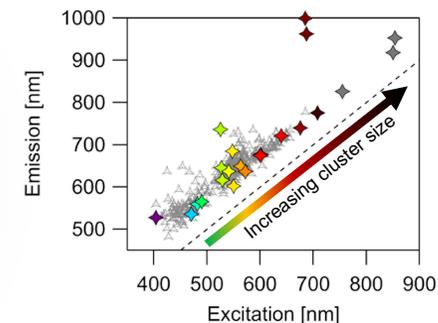
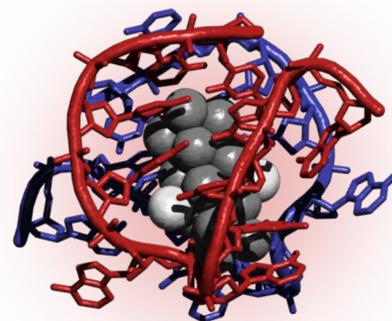


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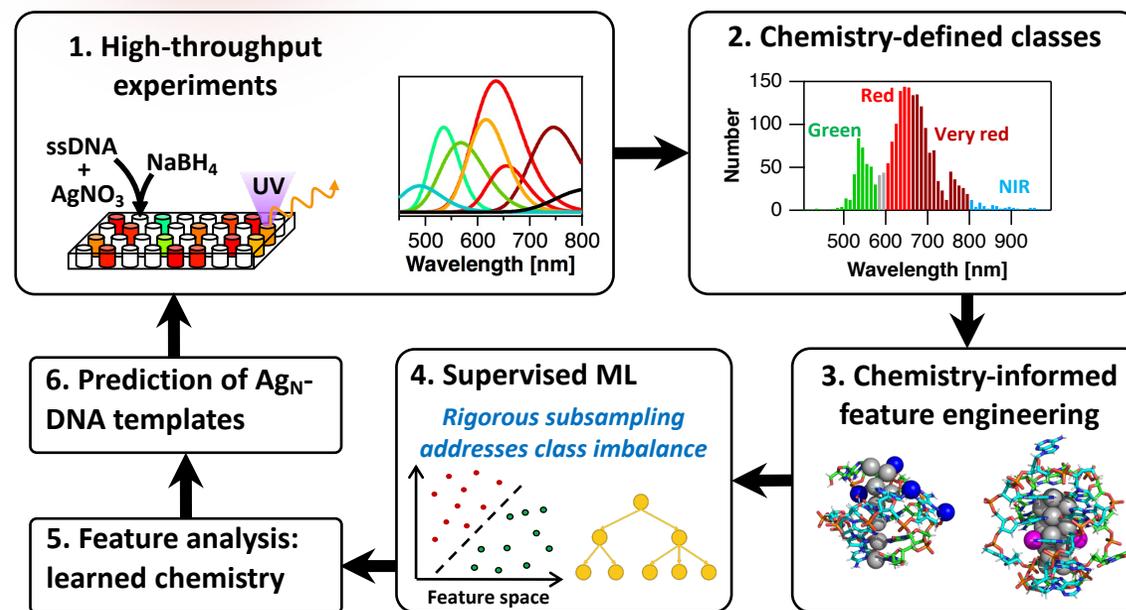


Chemistry-informed machine learning (ML)

DNA-stabilized silver nanoclusters as sequence-encoded materials for quantum plasmonics, sensing, and bioimaging



Stacy Copp



S. Copp, et al., *Chem. Mater.* 2020; P. Mastracco, et al., *In prep.*

R. Lin, et al., *Sci Rep.* 2021; G. Ding, et al., *Sci Rep.* 2019



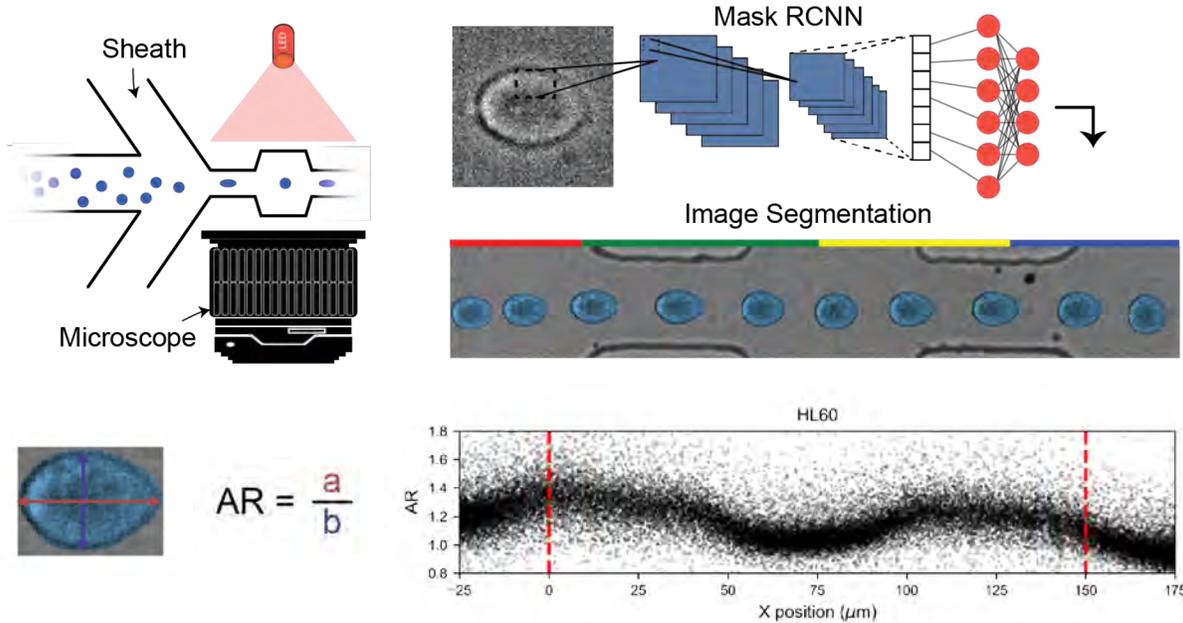
Deep Learning-Enabled Nanomaterials Devices

Siwy; Ragan and Hochbaum

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Deep learning enabled mechanotyping

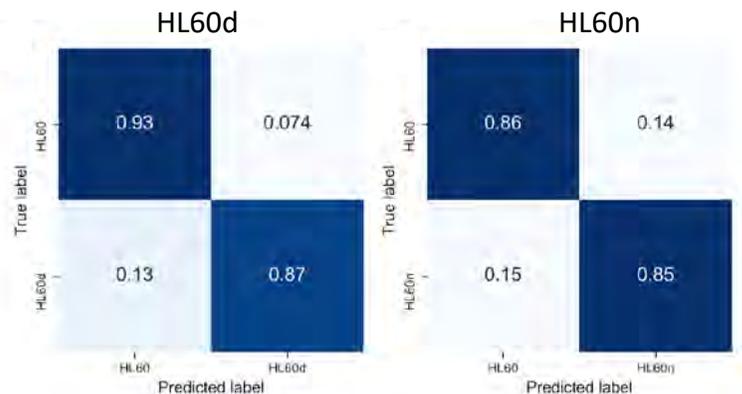
Harnessing supervised and unsupervised machine learning to identify cell types by mechanical property differences



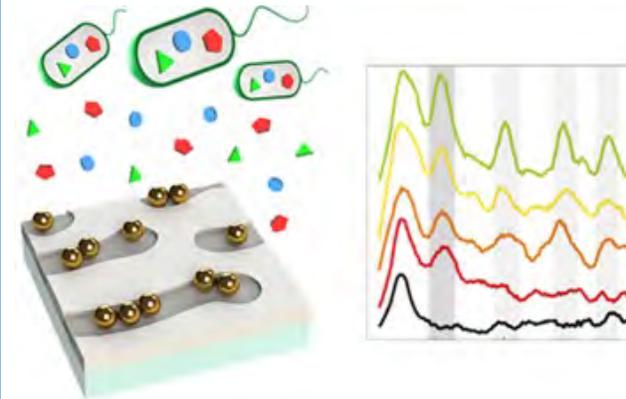
Combs, et al. Bioarxiv 2021



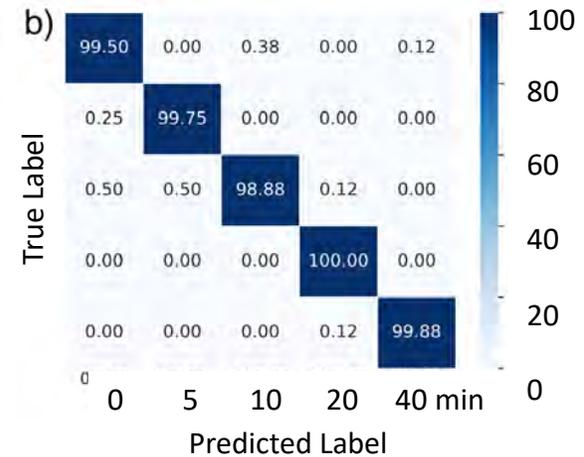
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Fingerprinting vibrational spectra of bacterial metabolites

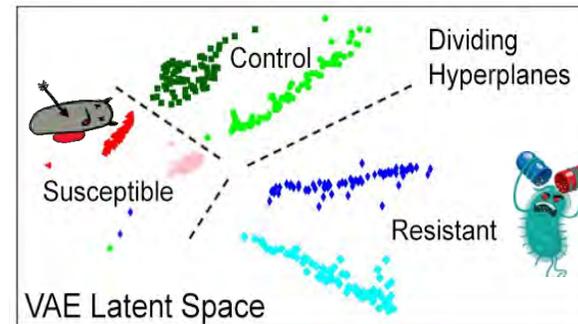


Surface enhanced Raman scattering sensors with controlled nanogap chemistry produce rapid, sensitive, and reproducible data for ML analysis.



Rapid Antimicrobial Susceptibility Tests

Latent space representations provide mechanistic insights



Thrift, et al. ACS Nano 2017
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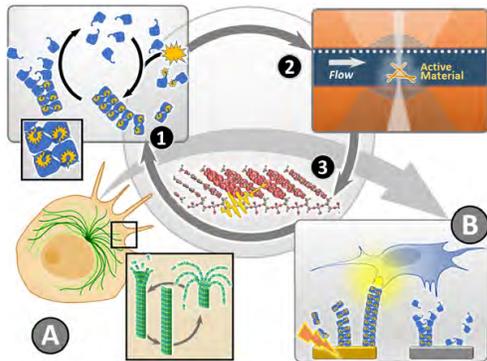
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Bio- and bio-inspired materials



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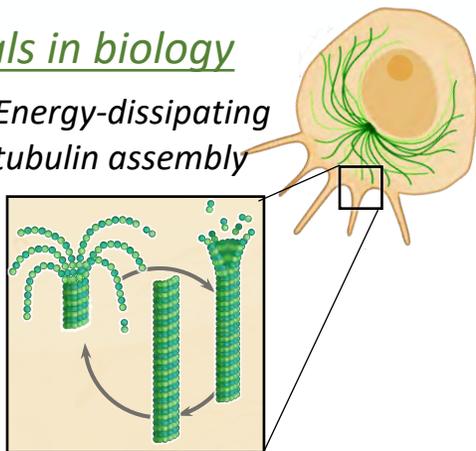


Life exists far from equilibrium – why not synthetic materials?

Out of equilibrium materials in biology



Energy-dissipating tubulin assembly



Essential Cell Biology, 4th Ed.

Vision: Develop *supramolecular materials* that mimic biological function and interface with biological systems.

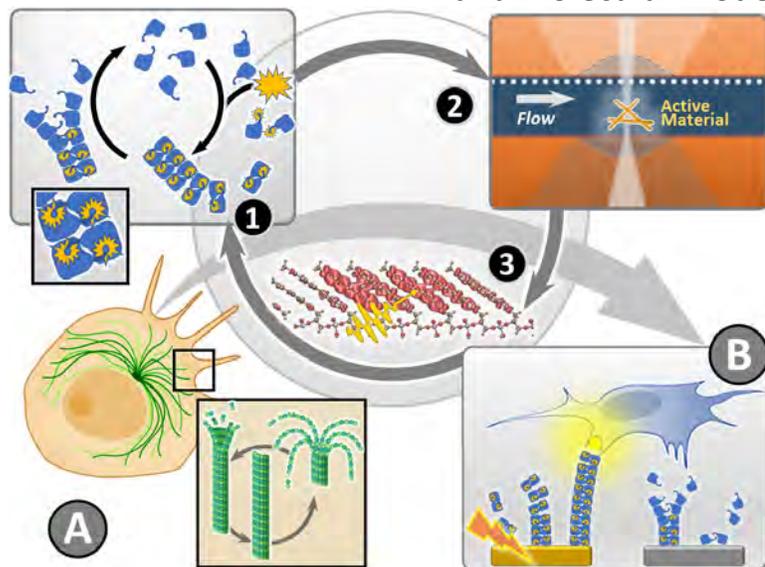


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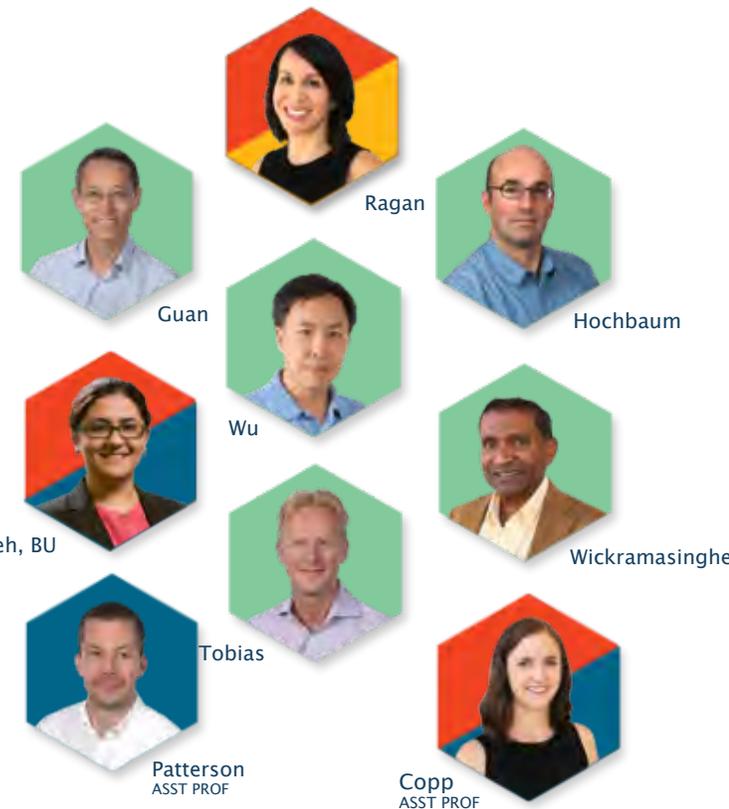
MRSEC Interdisciplinary Research Group 2:
Bioinspired Active Materials

1. Reaction networks for actively assembling conductive materials



2. *In situ* TEM and spectroscopy and molecular modeling

3. First-principles and ML models for emergent electronic and structural properties

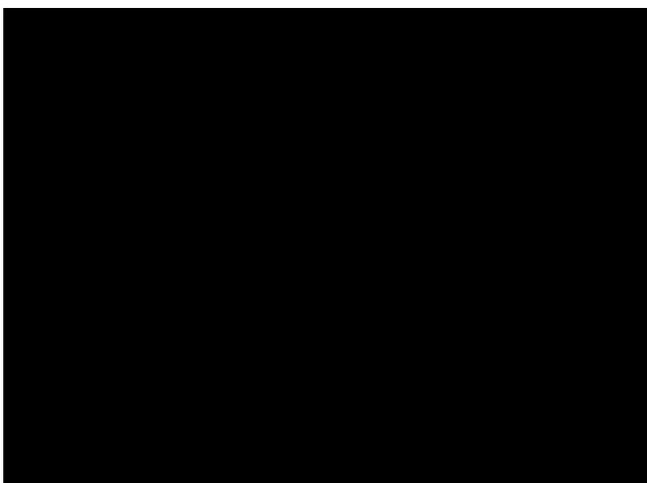
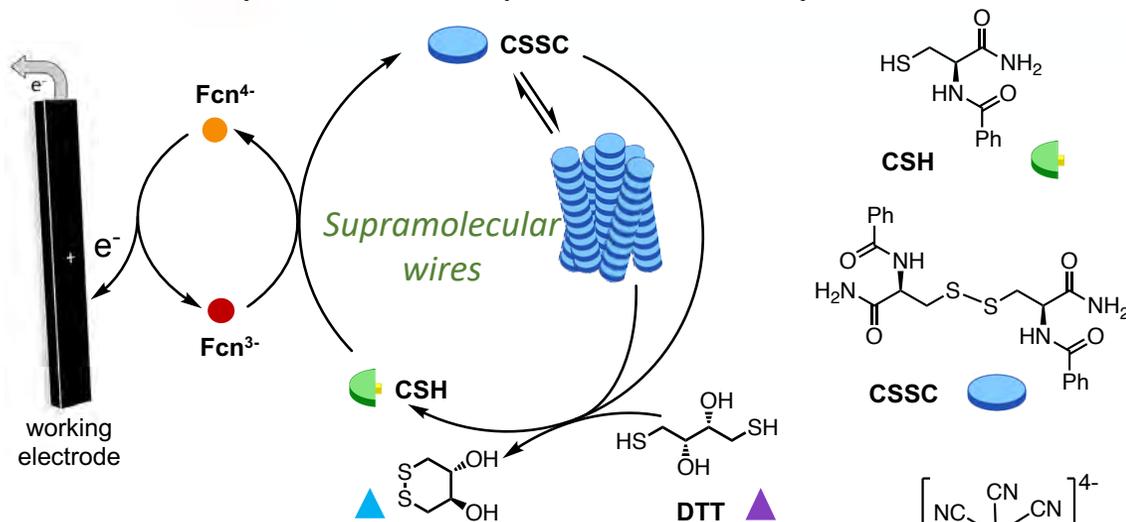




Building Blocks of Active Materials

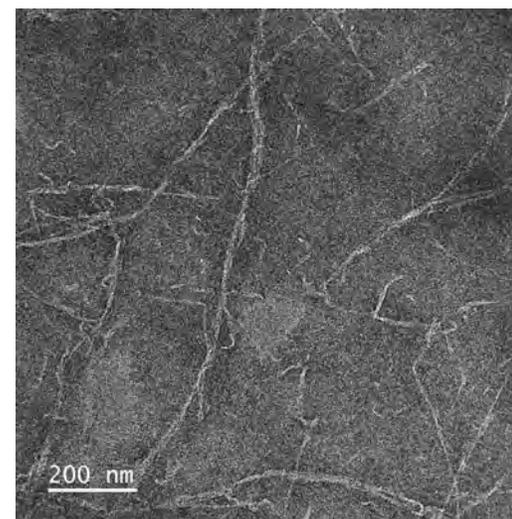
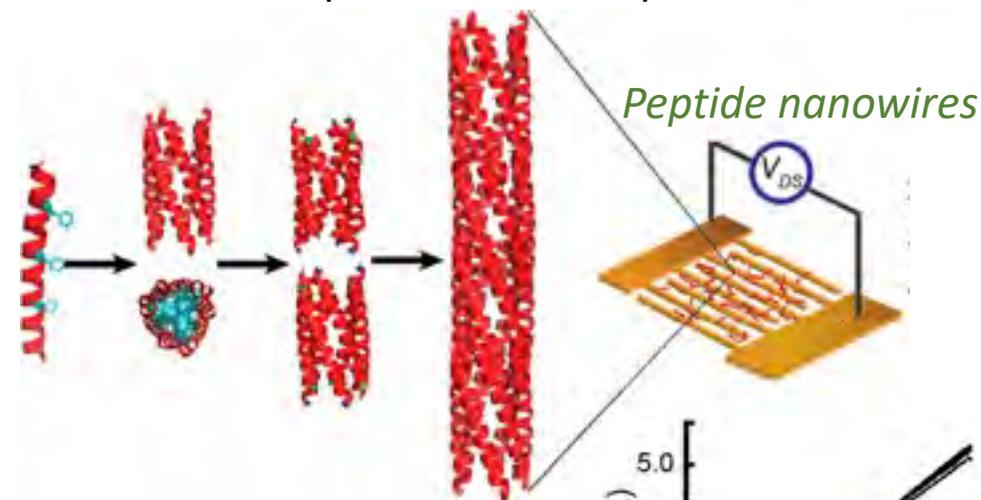
Guan, Hochbaum, and collaborators

Electricity Fueled Dissipative Assembly Platform

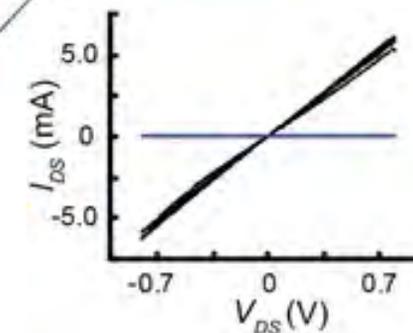


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Conductive Supramolecular Peptide Fibers



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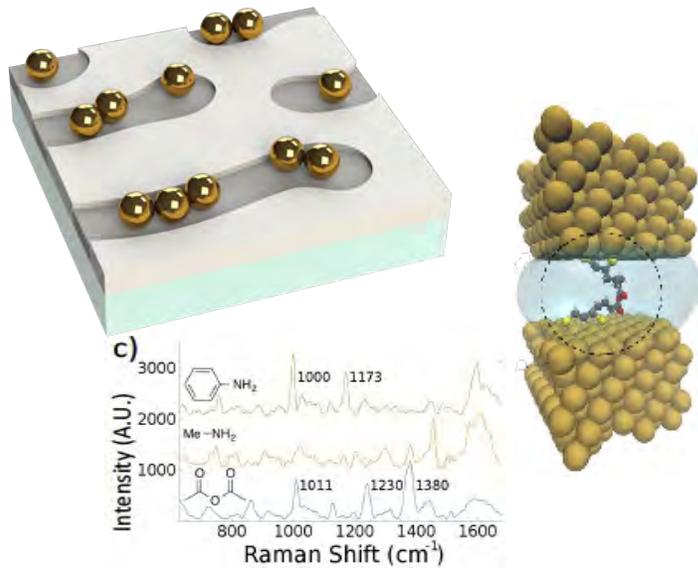
Hochbaum



Understanding Dissipative Assembly

Ragan, Wickramasinghe, Patterson, Tobias

Surface enhanced Raman spectroscopy and photo-induced force microscopy (PiFM)



Ragan

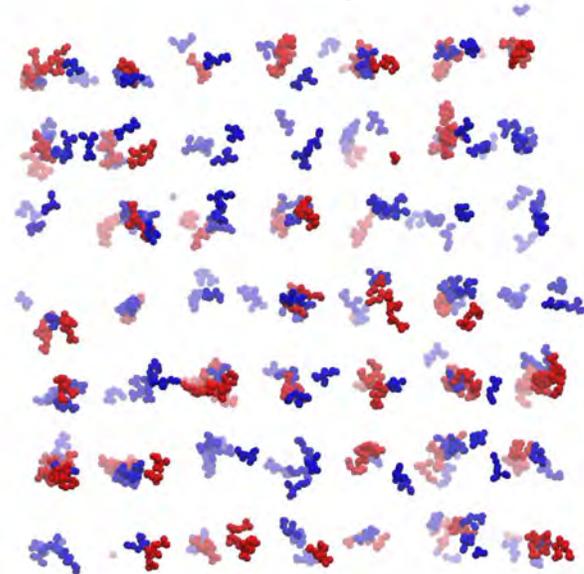


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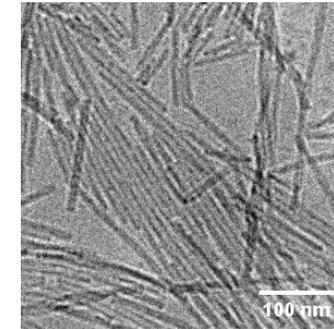
Characterizing complex, out-of-equilibrium soft matter systems

Multi-scale molecular dynamics modeling of supramolecular assembly



Tobias

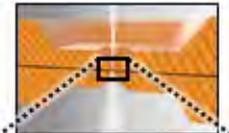
CryoEM and *in situ* TEM



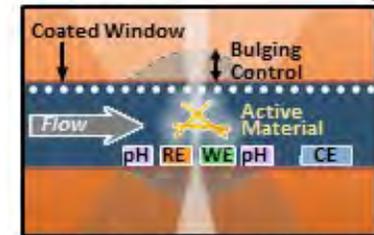
Patterson



TEM holder



Si₃N₄ cell

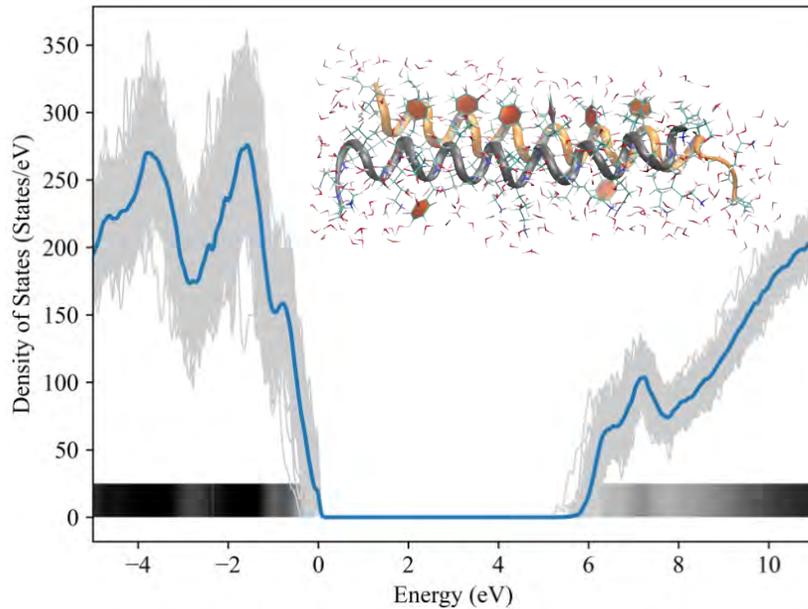


Electrochemical nanoreactor

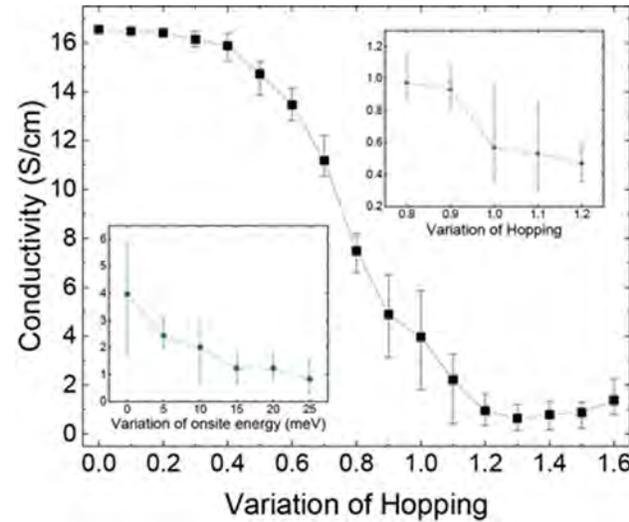




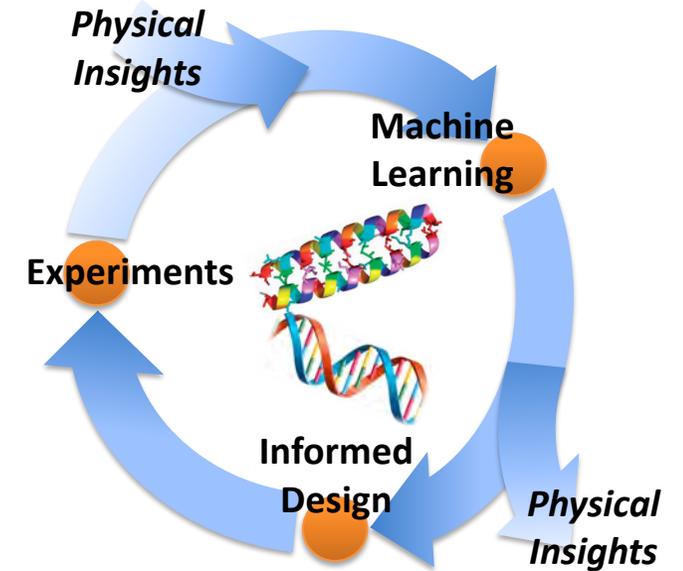
Electronic structure of supramolecular peptide assemblies through all atom MD-DFT calculations



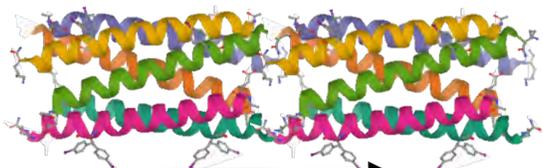
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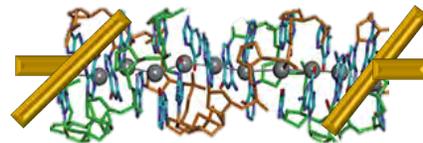
Machine learning-enabled study and design



Self-assembling conductive peptide fibers



Metal-enhanced DNA nanowires



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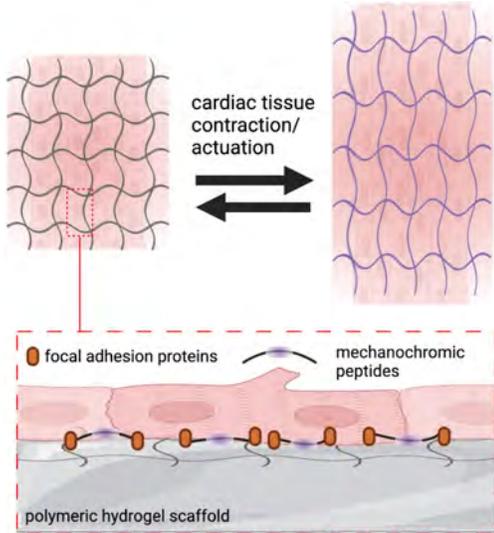
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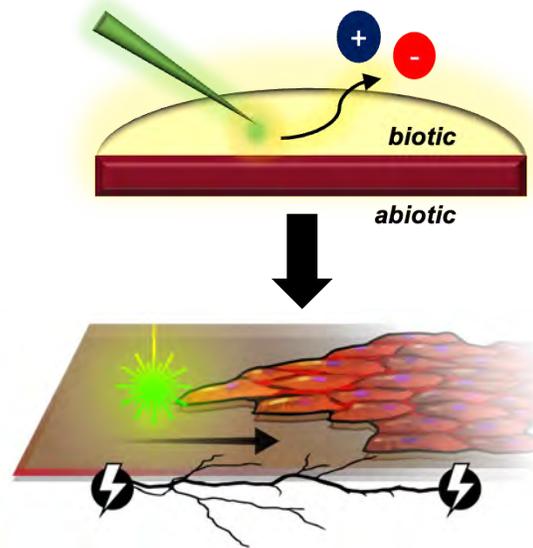


Molecular design of functional soft materials for biointerfacing

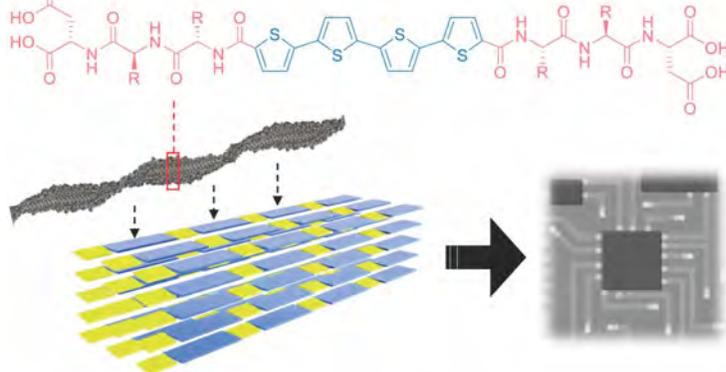
Probing Biological Processes



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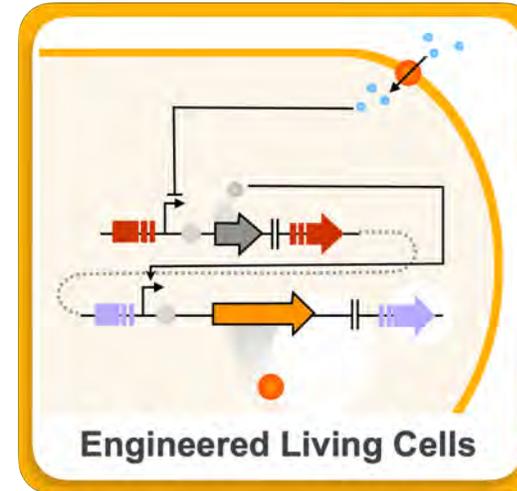
Polymer-Assisted Patterning of Optoelectronic Peptides (with A. Yee)



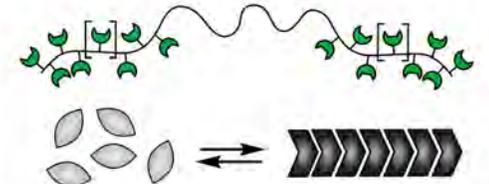
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Programmable living functionality within soft materials

Synthetic Biology

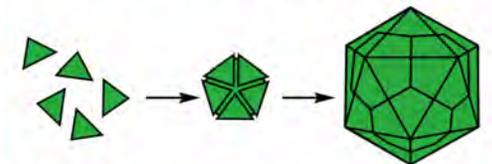


Synthetic/Supramolecular Polymers



Macromolecular engineering

Artificial Proteins



Seunghyun Sim



Synthetic Antibodies

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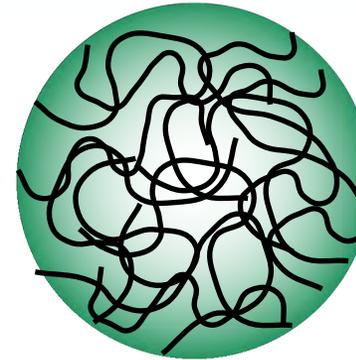
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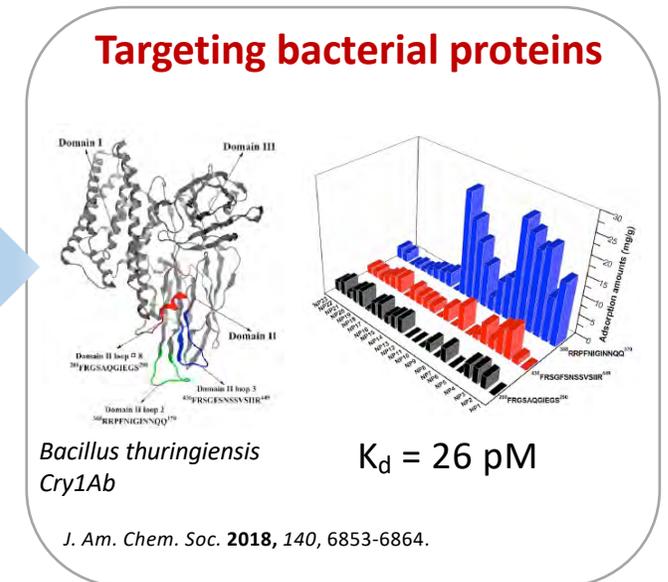
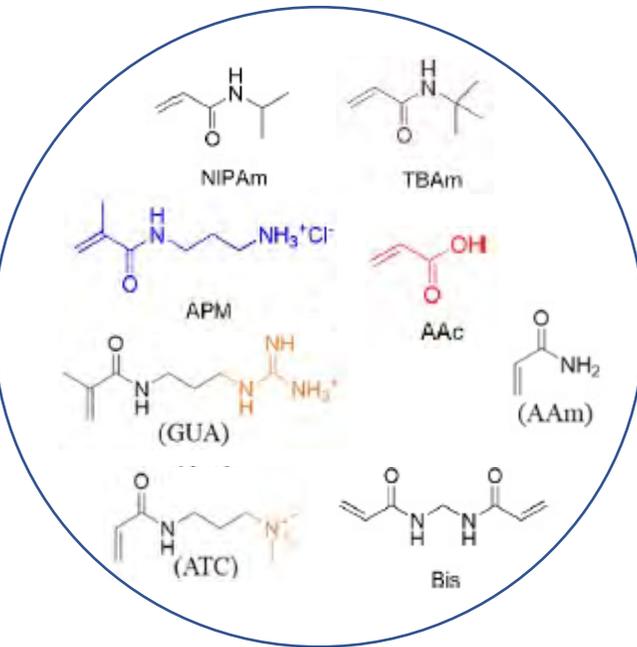
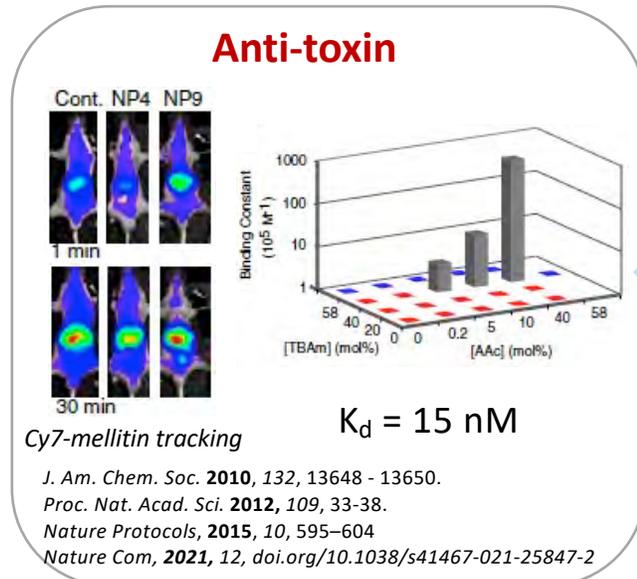
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Biology's antibodies



Synthetic hydrogels





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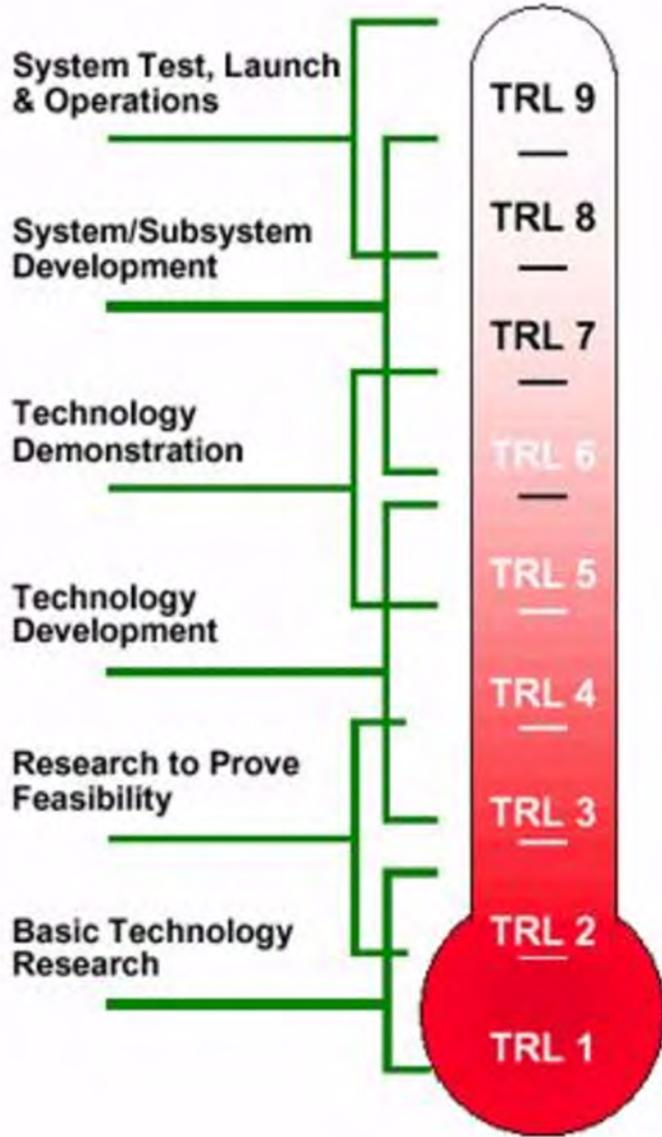
WHAT

HOW

WHY

Electrochemical Technologies Readiness Level

TRL: Batteries >> Fuel Cells >> Electrolyzers



Transportation

Li-ion BATTERIES

Now

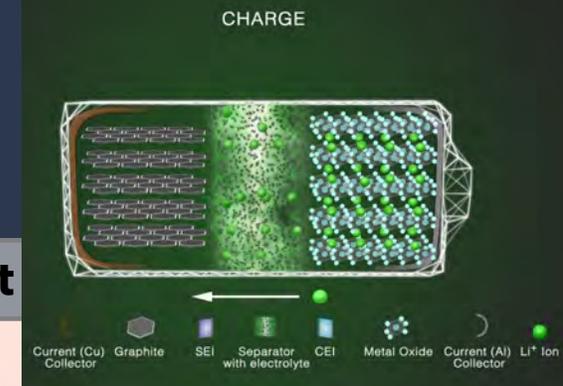
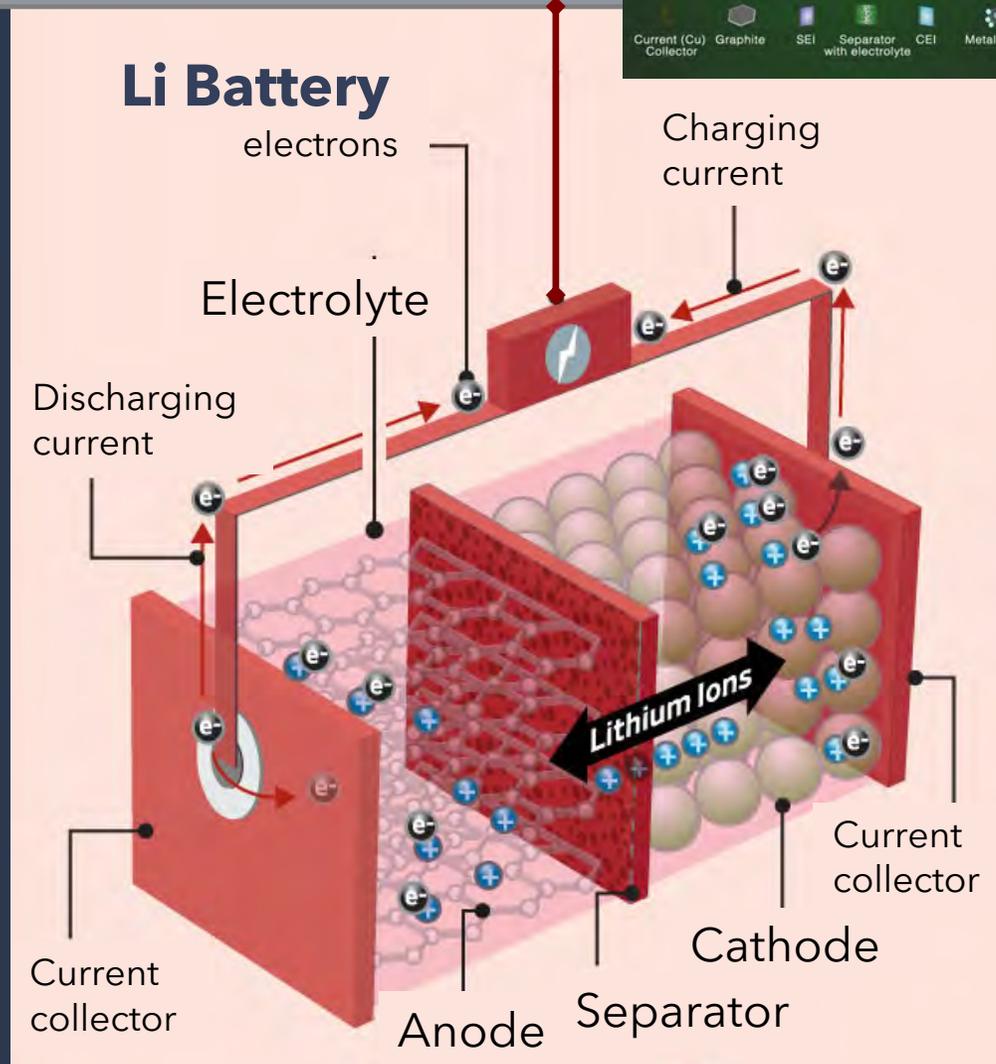
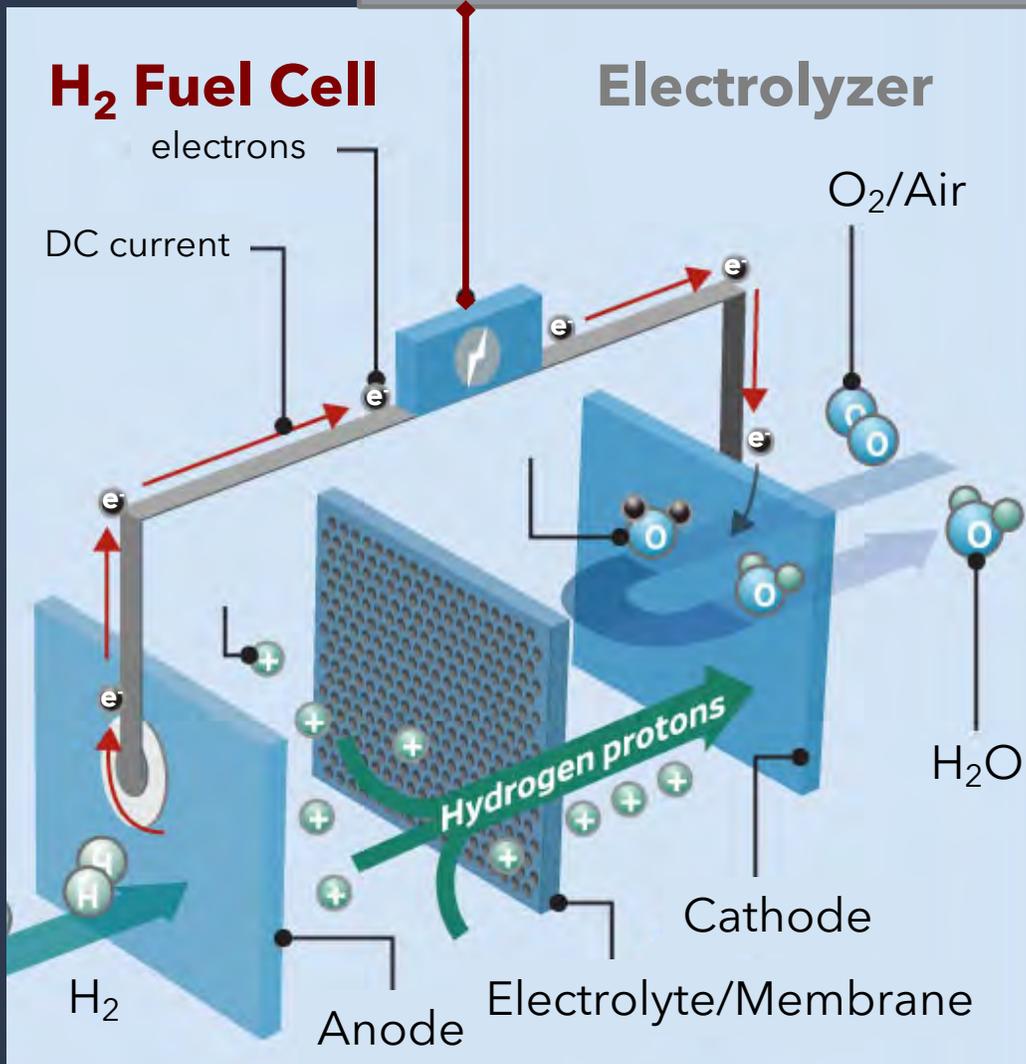
H₂ FUEL CELLS



Electrochemical Technologies

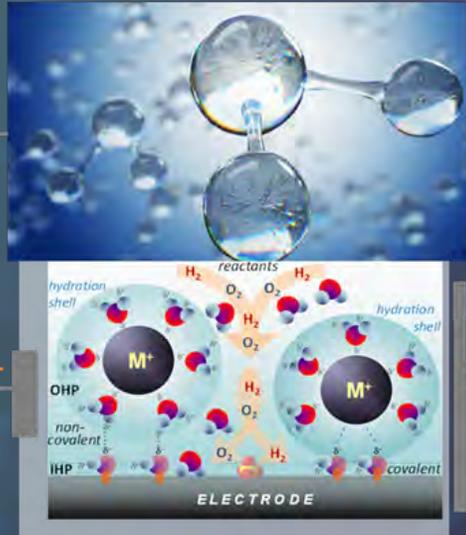
Fuel Cells | Electrolyzers | Batteries

electrons flow through a circuit generating direct electric current

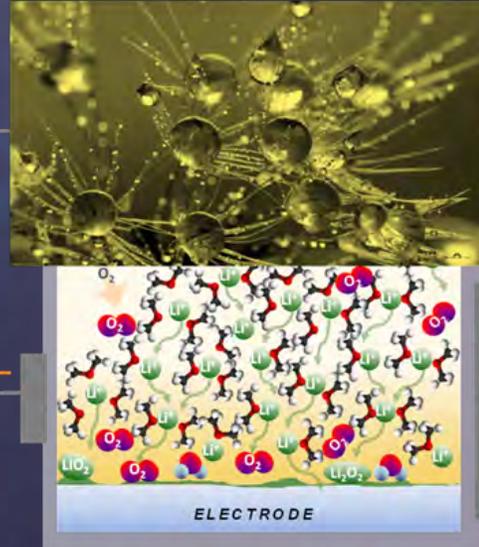


Electrochemical Technologies: Common Denominator

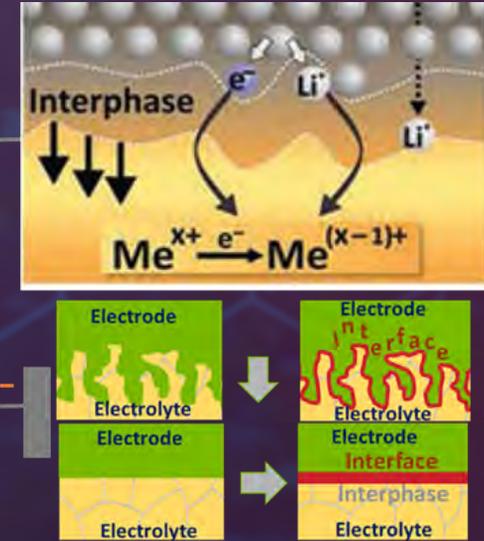
ELECTROCHEMICAL INTERFACES



Solid-Aqueous



Solid-Organic



Solid-Solid

Topics

- Structure-function properties
- Modification of electrochemical interfaces
- Guided synthesis of functional materials
- Formation of interfaces and role of impurities

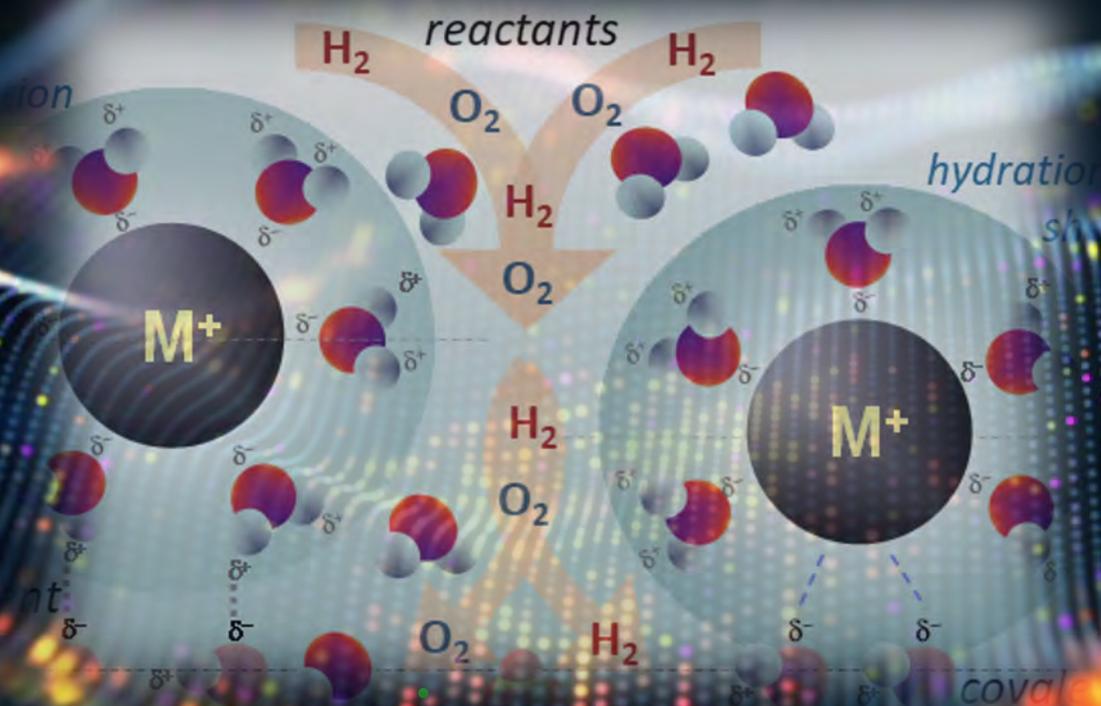
Challenges

- Performance (reaction rate, capacity)
- Efficiency
- Durability
- Cost

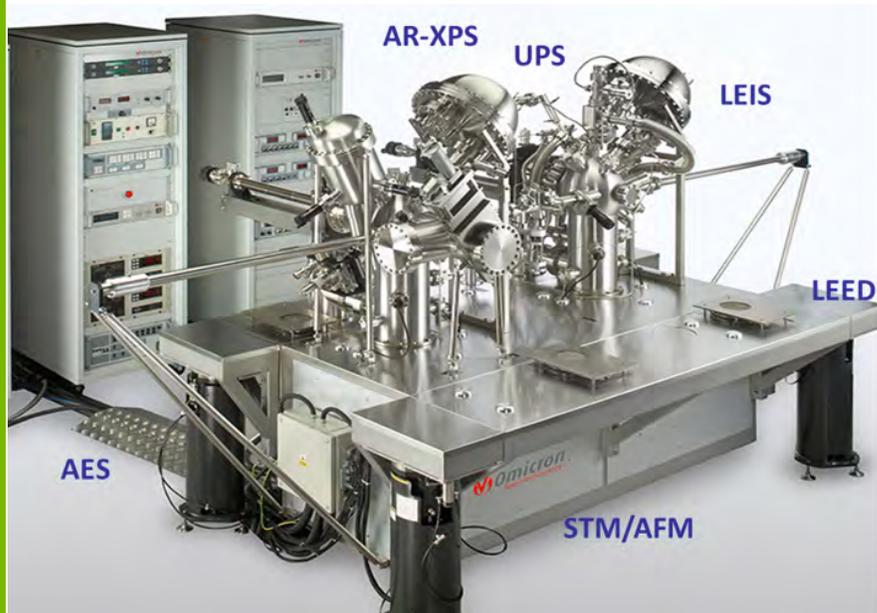
ELECTROCHEMICAL INTERFACES:

RESEARCH TOPICS

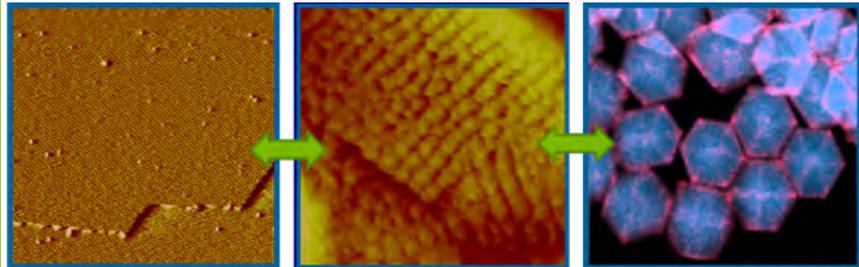
1. ACTIVITY GAIN FROM SOLID PHASE
2. TUNING OF THE DOUBLE LAYER
3. STABILITY OF INTERFACES



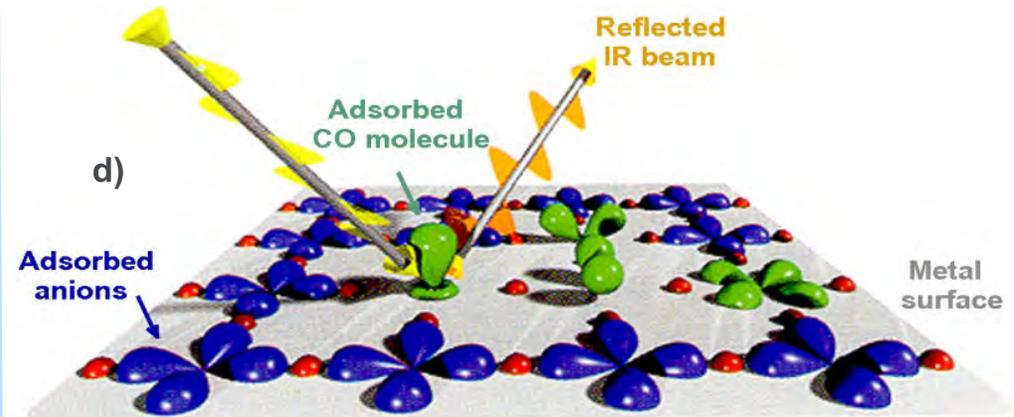
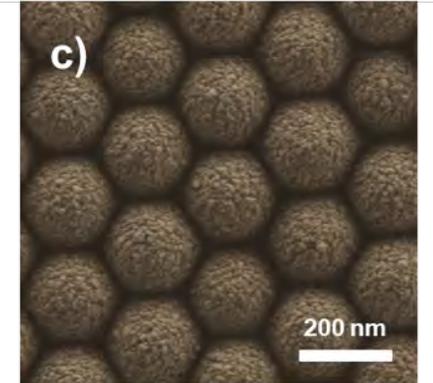
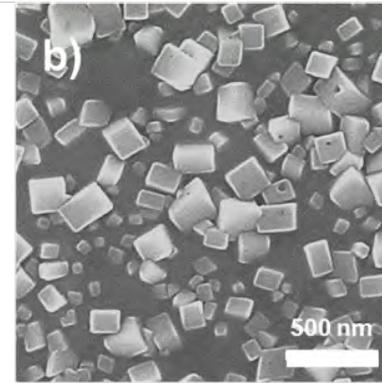
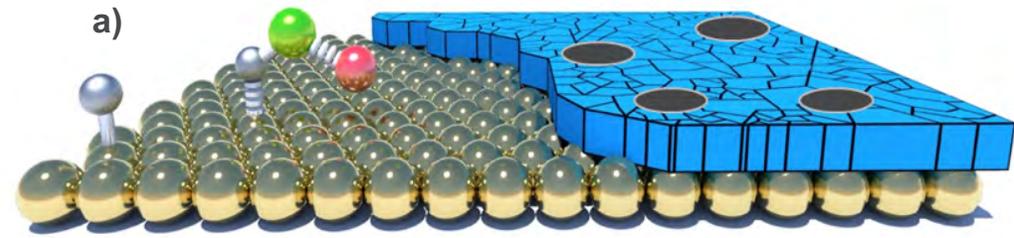
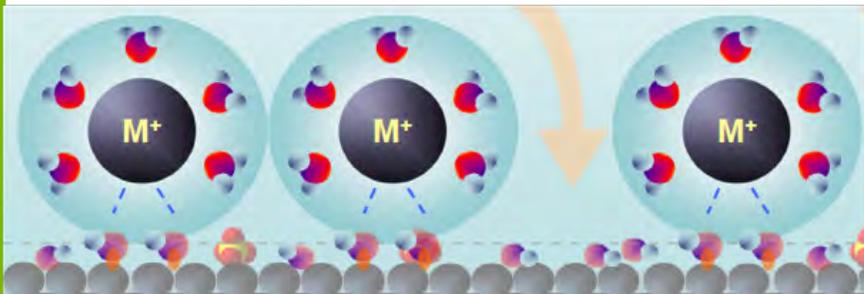
ELECTROCHEMICAL INTERFACES BY DESIGN



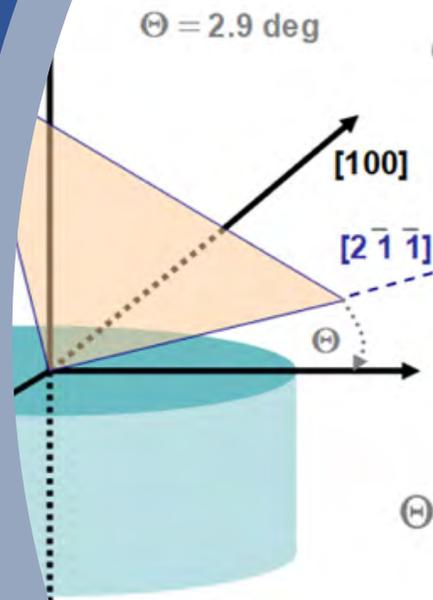
1. Ultra High Vacuum & Surface Science Approach



Single Crystals Thin Films Nanomaterials



Electrochemical Interfaces @ Play



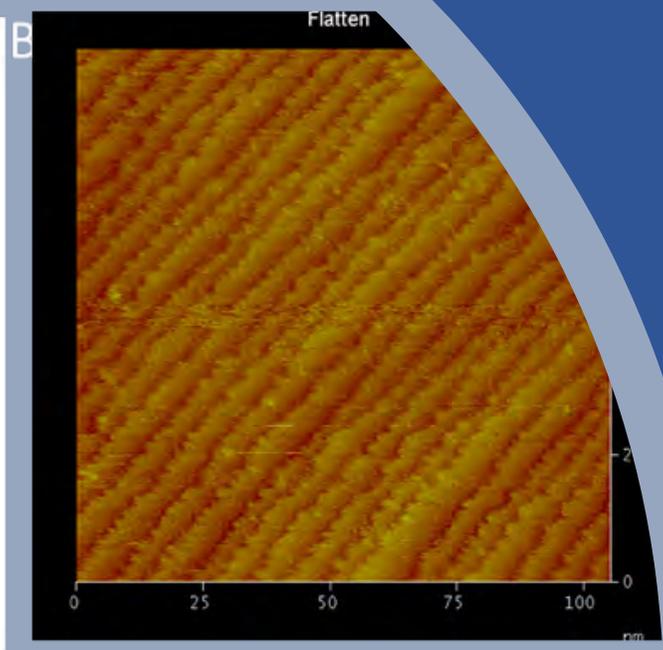
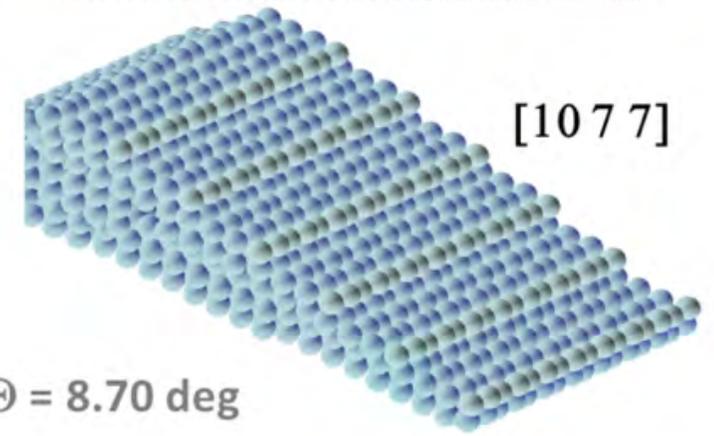
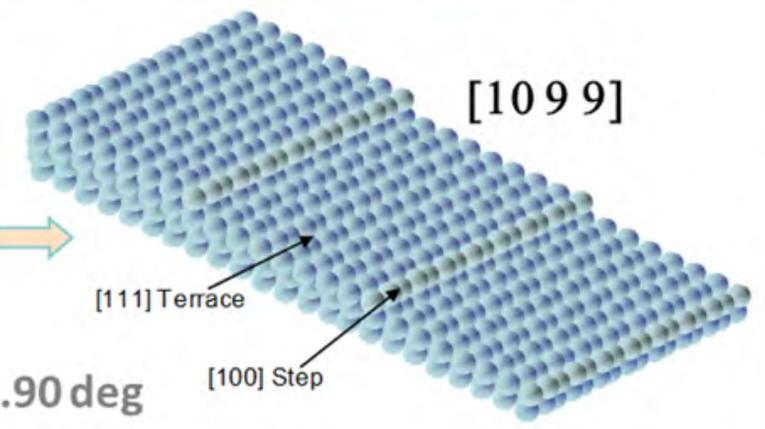
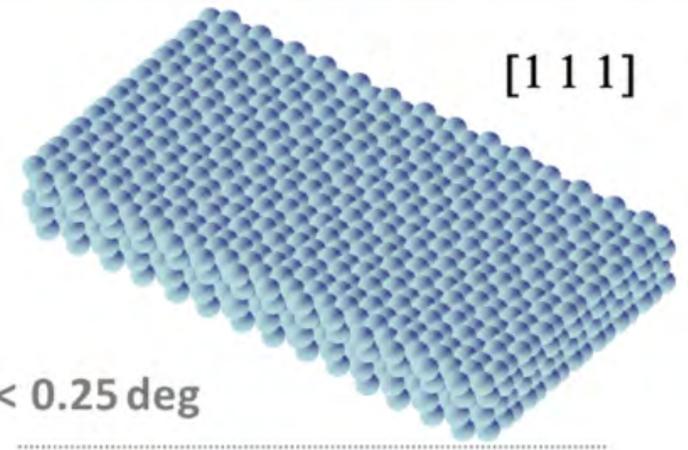
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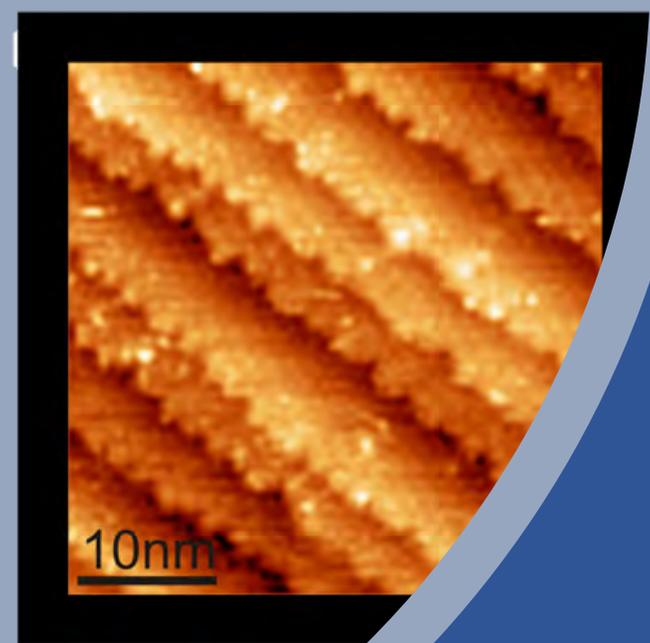
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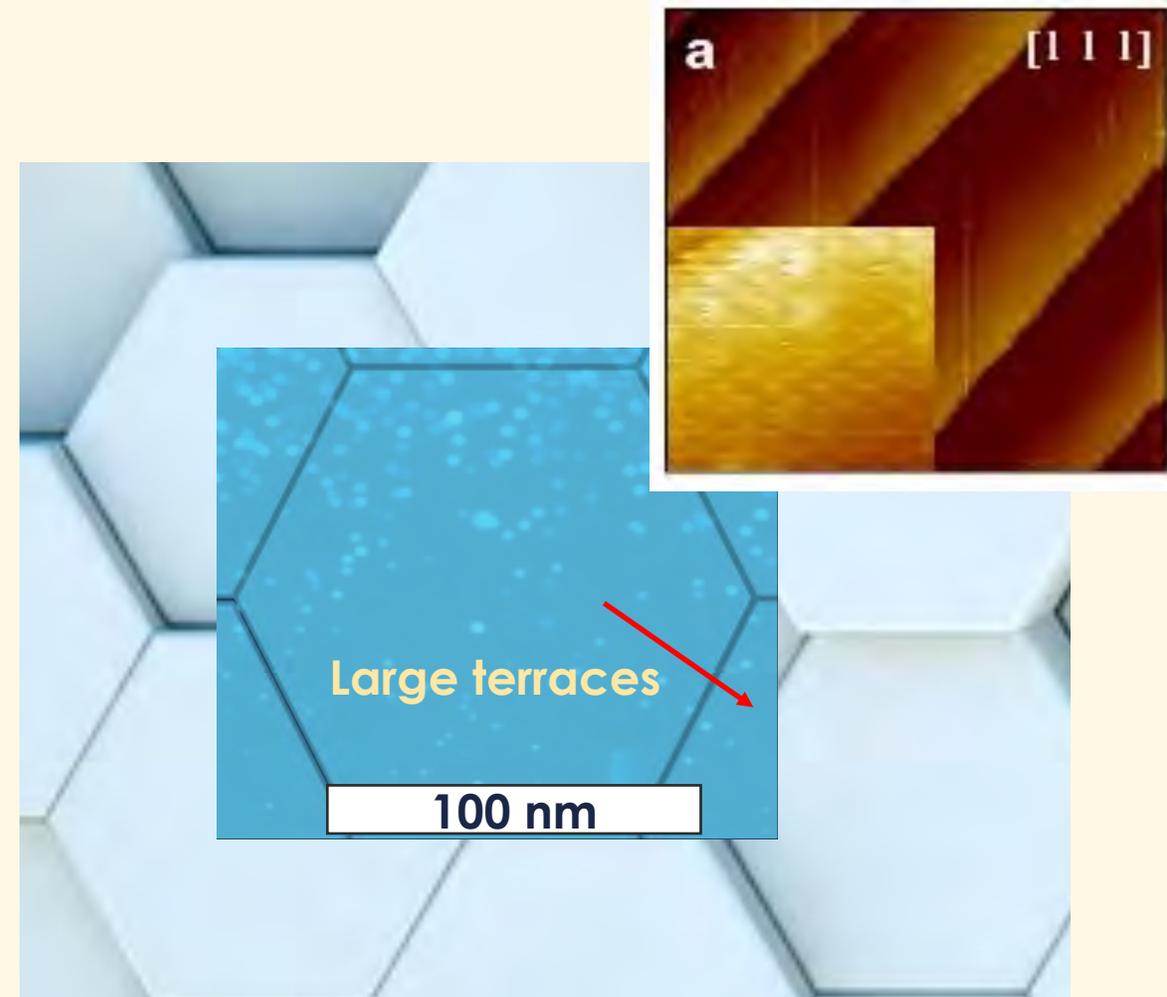
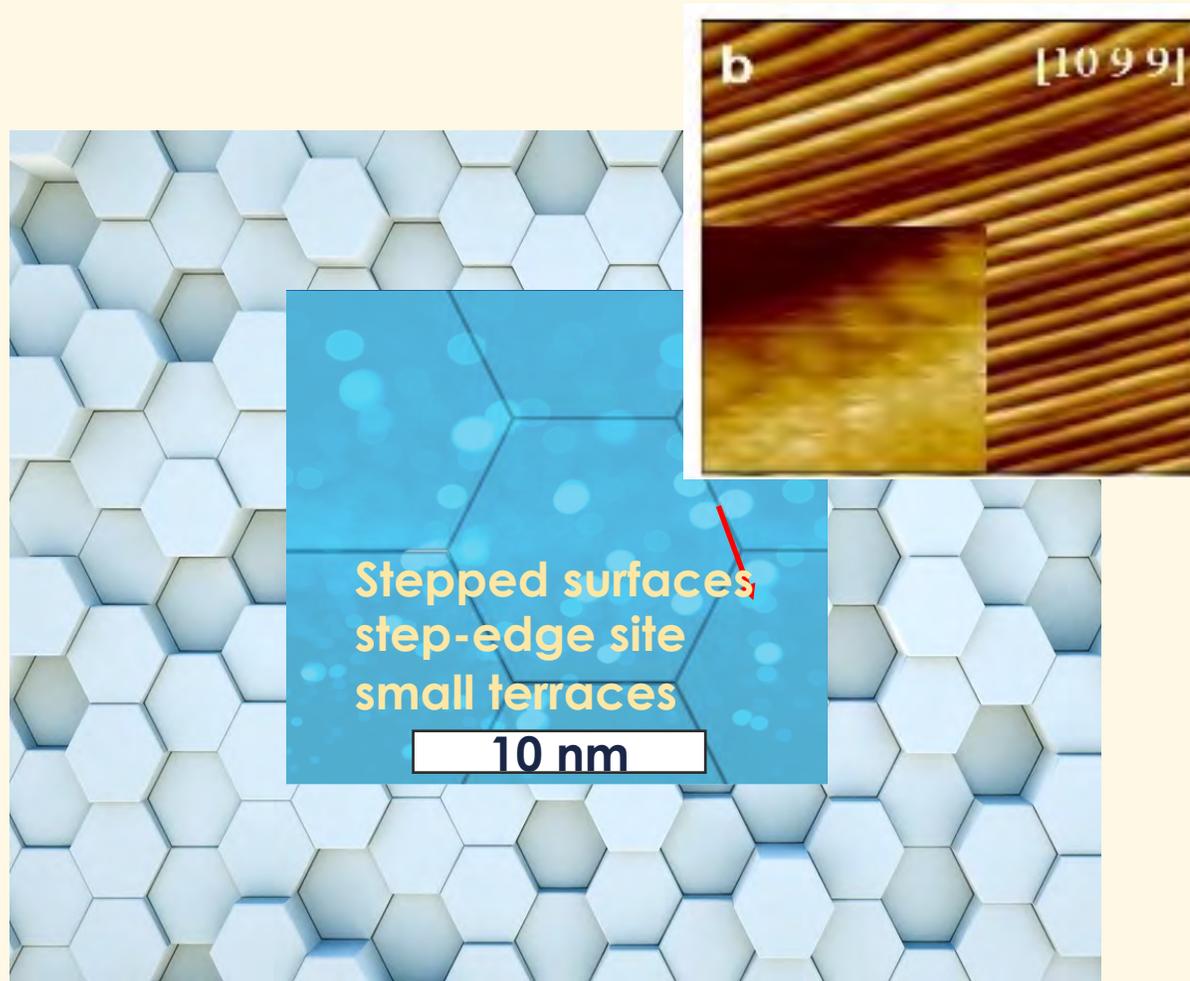
$\Theta = 8.70 \text{ deg}$



STM: Pt[10 9 9] - CO_{ad}

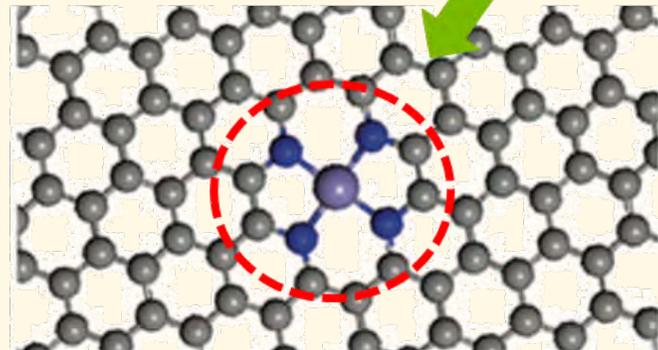
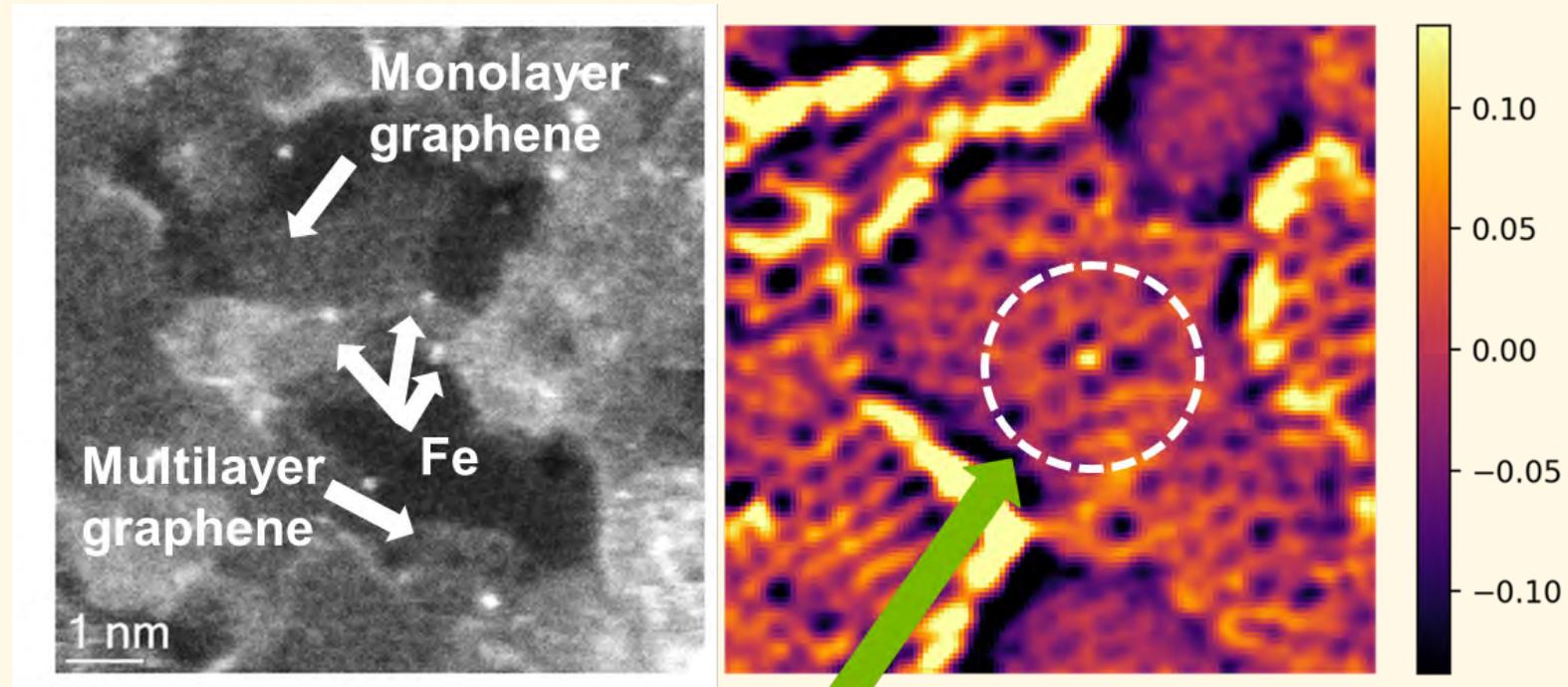


Design @ Atomic Scale



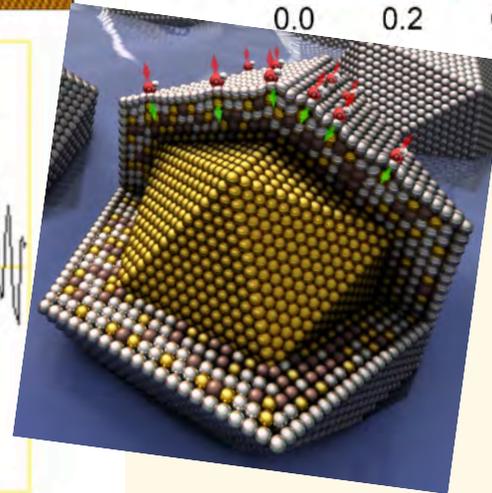
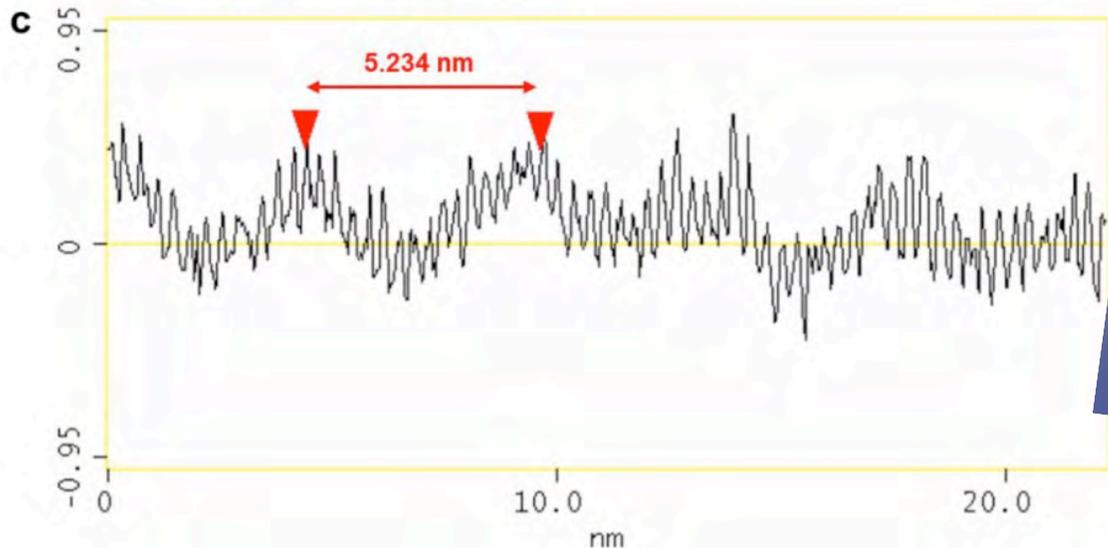
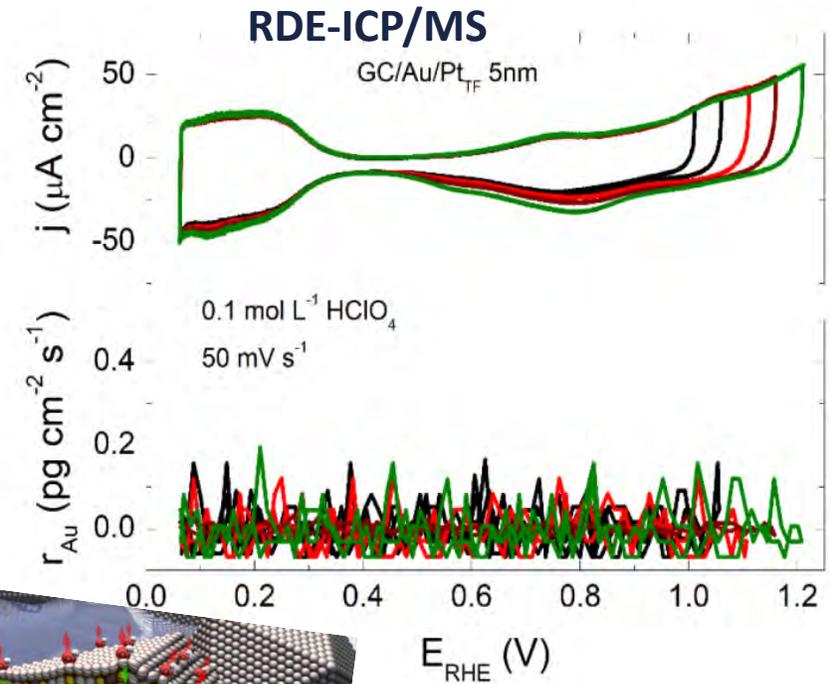
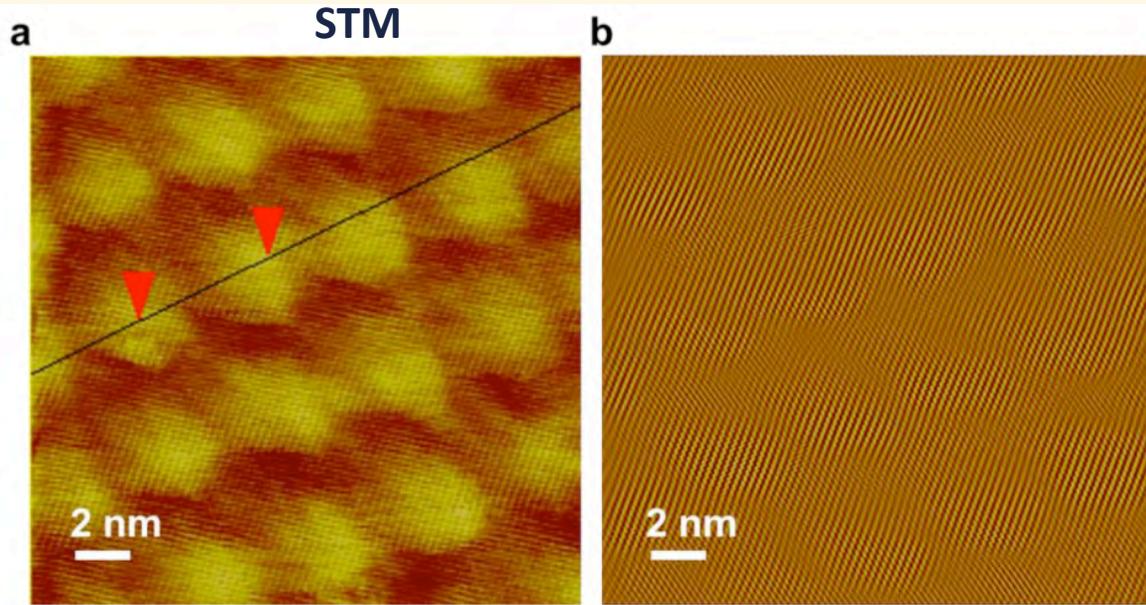
→ **Larger terraces** lead to **higher** reaction rate for ORR: improvement factor 100

Design @ Atomic Scale: nature of active sites



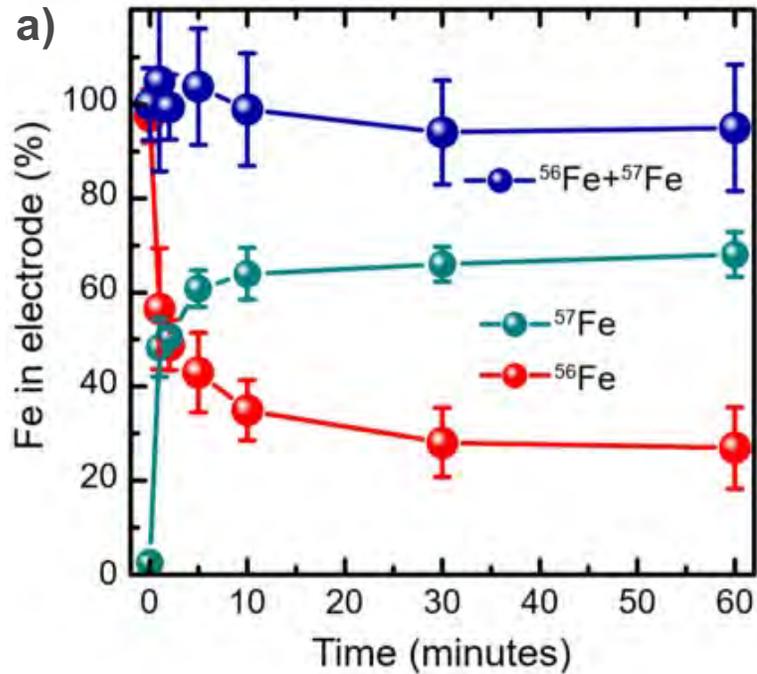
FeN₄/Graphene Structure

Durability @ Atomic Scale



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NATURE of active sites:

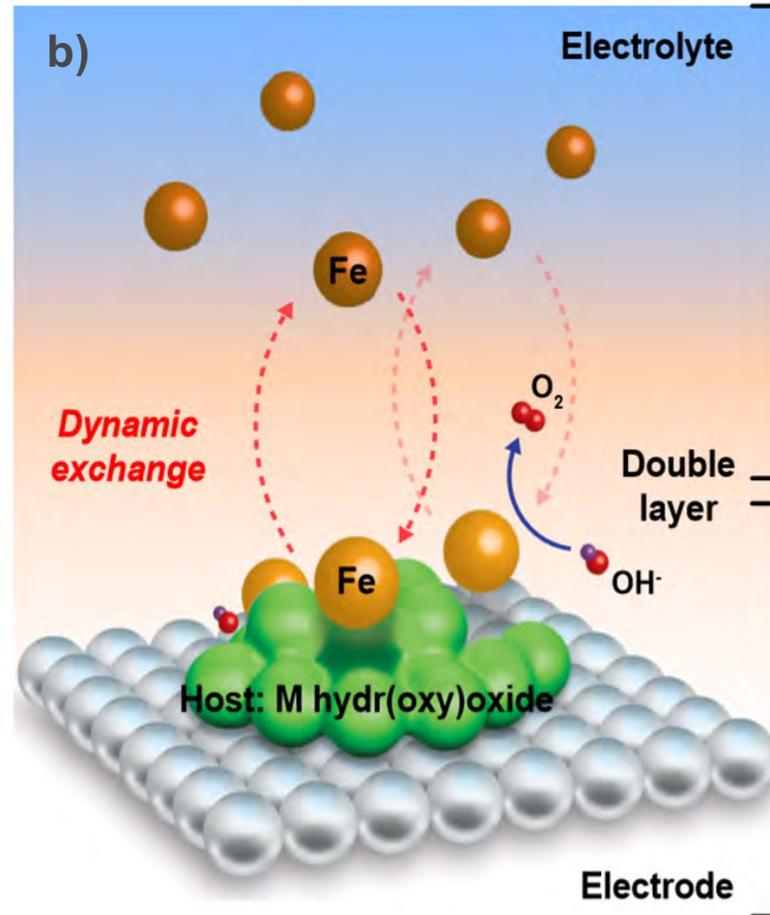


- Resolved the nature of active sites and mechanism for OER through the balanced Fe dissolution and redeposition over TM-oxide

a) Isotope exchange between the electrode (^{56}Fe) and electrolyte (^{57}Fe) by ICP-MS
b) Schematic of the dynamic stable Fe active site during OER in alkaline electrolyte

Dynamic stability for OER

alkaline electrolytes



- The strong interaction between Fe and TMO_xH_y is the key to control the average number of Fe active sites present at the interface
- The Fe-M adsorption energy is a reaction descriptor that unifies OER on 3d TM hydr(oxy)oxides, and extends the design rules for active and stable electrochemical interfaces

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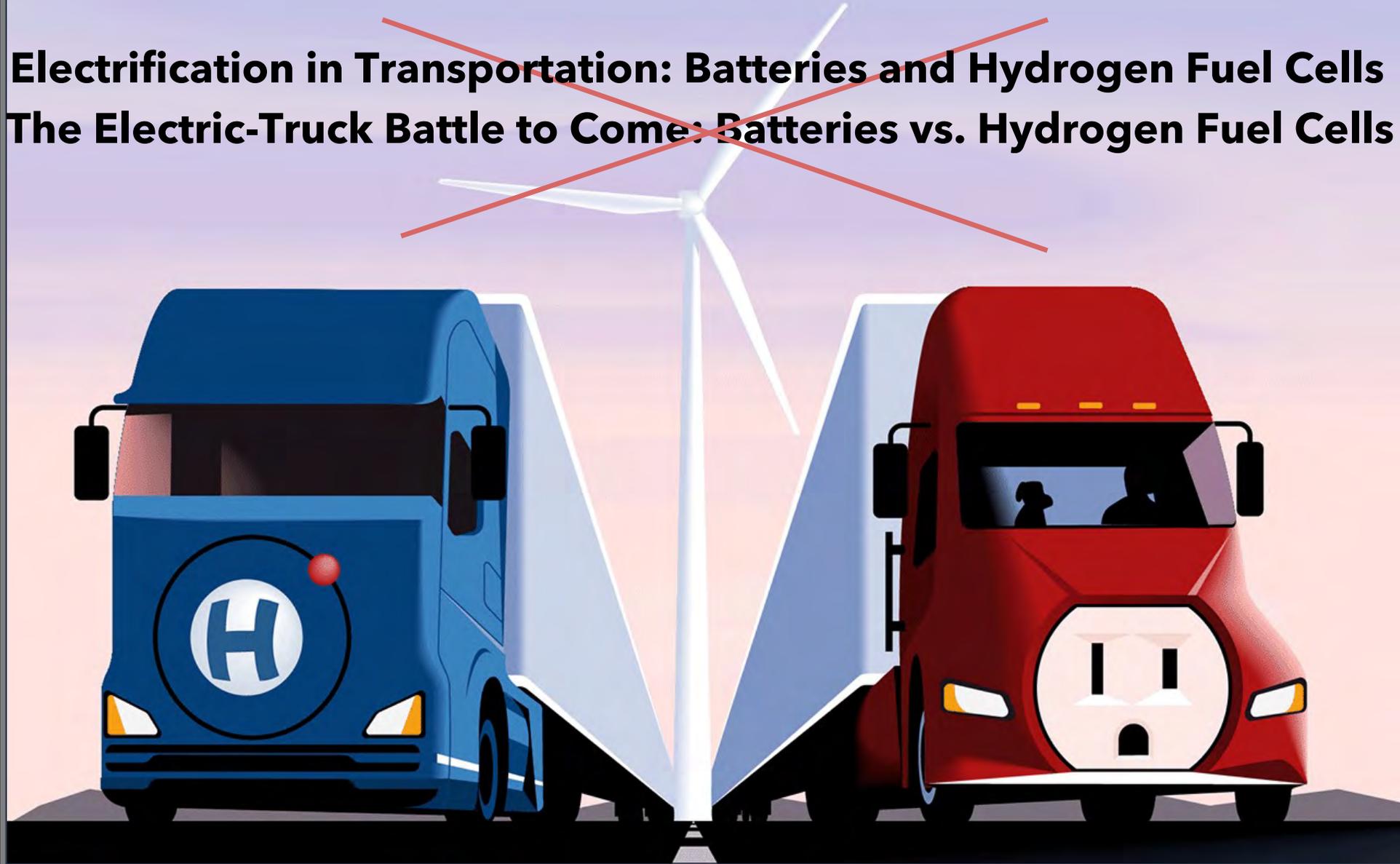
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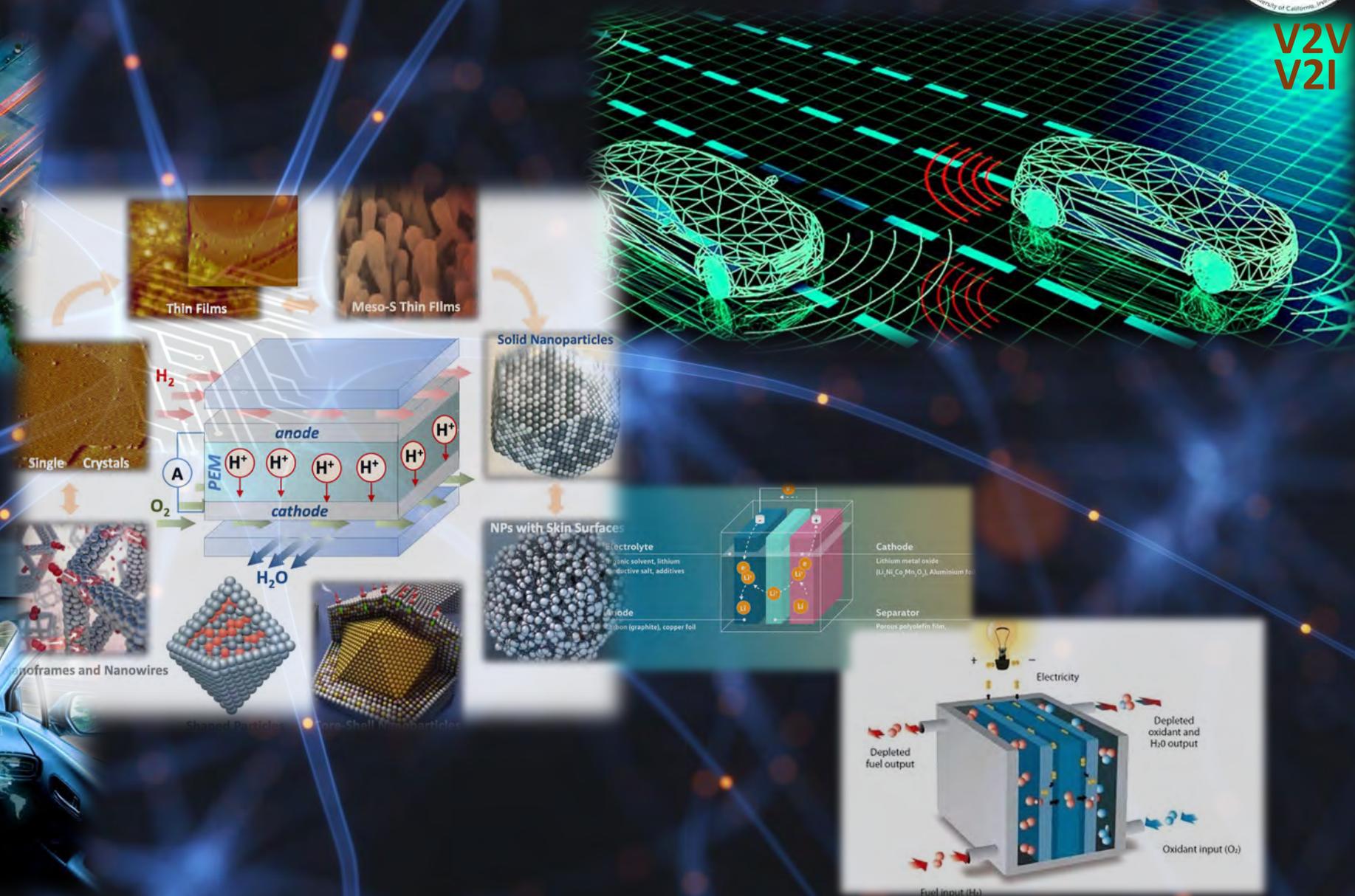
Electrochemical Technologies are Complementary

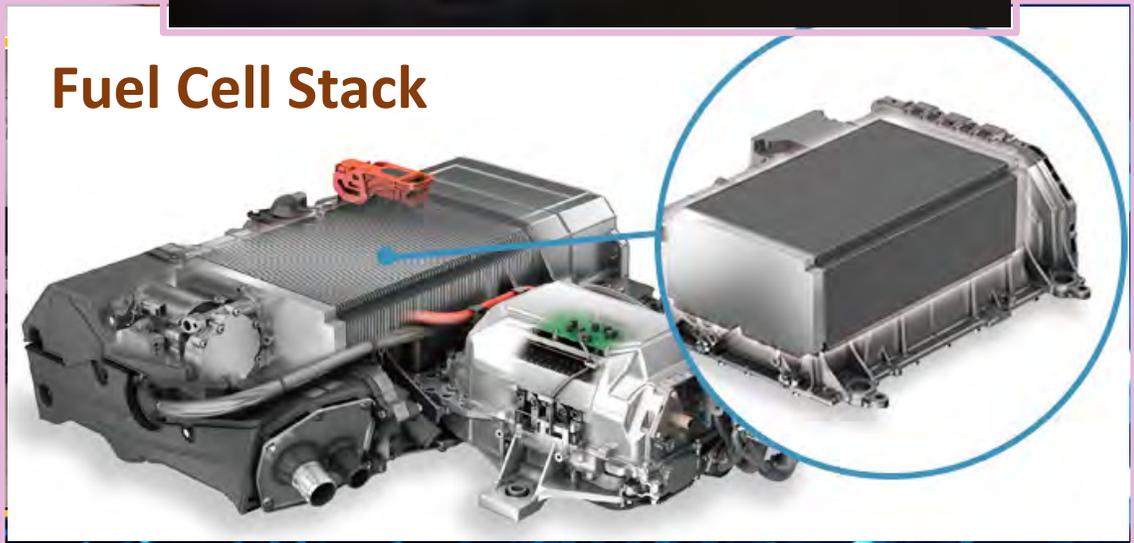
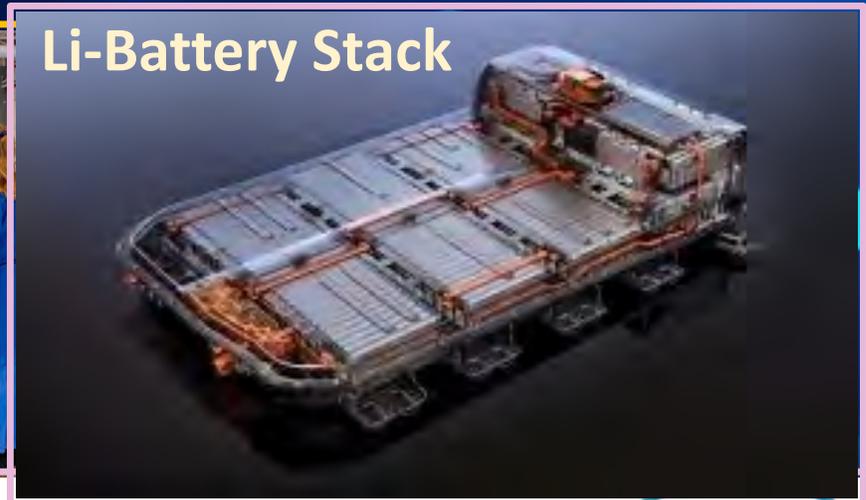
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Levels of Autonomous Driving Network

Level Definition	L0: Manual Operation & Maintenance	L1: Assisted Operation & Maintenance	L2: Partial Autonomous Network	L3: Conditional Autonomous Network	L4: Highly Autonomous Network	L5: Full Autonomous Network
Execution (Hands)						
Awareness (Eyes)						
Decision (Minds)						
Service Experience						
System Complexity	Not Applicable	Sub-Task Mode-Specific	Unit Level Mode-Specific	Domain Level Mode-Specific	Service Level Mode-Specific	All Modes

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