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# Program

# Nanostructured Polymers and Nanocomposites

April 28-30, 2010  
Madrid (Spain)

## TUESDAY, APRIL 27<sup>th</sup> 2010

| <b>TIMING</b> | <b>ROOM 8</b>            |  |
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| 18.00-20.00   | <b>REGISTRATION OPEN</b> |  |

## WEDNESDAY, APRIL 28<sup>th</sup> 2010

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| 8.00-9.00     | <b>REGISTRATION</b>   |   |  |
| <b>TIMING</b> | <b>ROOM UNESCO</b>  |   |  |
|               | <b>TITLE</b>  | <b>SPEAKER</b>  |  |
| 9:00-9:20     | <b>WELCOME ADDRESS</b>  |   |  |
|               | <b>Chairpersons: J.M. Kenny, J.F. Gerard</b>  |   |  |
| 9:20-10:00    | <b>INVITED LECTURE</b><br>Engineered Interfacial Layers and Compatible Polymers for Organic Photovoltaics   | <b>T. J. Marks</b><br><i>Center Northwestern University (USA)</i>     |  |
|               | <b>SESSION I: FLEXIBLE ELECTRONICS</b>  |   |  |
| 10:00-10:30   | <b>KEY-NOTE LECTURE</b><br>Highly Anisotropic Layers of Oligothiophenes   | <b>J. Ulanski</b><br><i>Technical University of Lodz (Poland)</i>     |  |
| 10:30-10:50   | Thermoresponsive Plasmonic Polymer/Gold Nanostructures for Surface-Enhanced Spectroscopies  | <b>C. Mangeney</b><br><i>Université Paris Diderot (France)</i>        |  |
| 10:50-11:10   | Two-Step Electrospinning Production of Conductive PEDOT Nanofibers - Applications to Flexible Supercapacitors and Electrochromic Textiles         | <b>A.Laforgue</b><br><i>National Research Council Canada (Canada)</i> |  |
| 11:10-11:30   | Nanostructured Inorganic-Organic Hybrids Based on Semiconducting Organic Nanofibres and Quantum Dots and their Application to Plastic Solar Cells | <b>F. Chandezon</b><br><i>CEA Grenoble/INAC (France)</i>              |  |
| 11:30-11:50   | <b>COFFEE BREAK</b>   |   |  |

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|             | <b>Chairpersons: C. Mijangos, S. Russo</b>   |  |  |   |
| 11:50-12:30 | <b>INVITED LECTURE</b><br>A Polymer Paradigm in the Organization of Inorganic Nanostructures   | E. Kumacheva<br><i>University of Toronto (Canada)</i>                        |  |   |
|             | <b>SESSION II: NANOSTRUCTURED HYBRIDS</b>  |  |  |   |
| 12:30-13:00 | <b>KEY-NOTE LECTURE</b><br>Hyperbranched Polymers in Thin Film Applications  | B. Voit<br><i>Leibniz Institute of Polymer Research Dresden (Germany)</i>    |  |   |
| 13:00-13:20 | Hierarchirally Structured Nanoparticles on the Basis of Cross-Linked Micelles and Ionically Bound Low Molecular Weight or Macromolecular Counterions | A. Yu. Bilibin<br><i>Saint Petersburg State University (St.-Petersburg)</i>  |  |   |
| 13:20-13:40 | Scratch Resistant Tough Nanocomposite Epoxy Coatings Based on Hyperbranched Polyesters   | M. Sangermano<br><i>Politecnico di Torino (Italy)</i>                        |  |   |
| 13:40-15:00 | <b>LUNCH BREAK</b>   |  |  |   |
|             | <b>ROOM 8</b>  |  | <b>ROOM 9</b>  |   |
|             | <b>SESSION III: NANOCOMPOSITES I</b>   |  | <b>SESSION IV: MEMBRANES AND HYBRIDS</b>   |   |
|             | <b>Chairperson: M. Stamm, J. San Roman</b>   |  | <b>Chairperson. J. Ulanski, H. Sautereau</b>   |   |
| 15:00-15:30 | <b>KEY-NOTE LECTURE</b><br>Nanostructuration of Polymers from Sol-gel Chemistry-Comparison with Conventional Approaches for nanocomposites           | J. F. Gerard<br><i>Ingénierie des Matériaux Polymères INSA Lyon (France)</i> | <b>KEY-NOTE LECTURE</b><br>Composite Layers of Ionic Polythiophenes with Metal Nanoparticles: Electrical and Optical Properties        | J. Pfleger<br><i>Institute of Macromolecular Chem. (Czech Republic)</i> |
| 15:30-15:50 | Synthesis and Properties of Functional Nanoparticles, Nanostructures and Composites  | G. P Simon<br><i>Monash University (Australia)</i>                           | Cellulose Acetate Copolymers with Nanostructured Architectures for the Purification of Bio-Fuels by the Pervaporation Membrane Process | A. Jonquières<br><i>Nancy Université, ENSIC (France)</i>                |
| 15:50-16:10 | In-Situ Formation of Silica Particles in Isoprene Rubber by the Sol-Gel Method   | M. Messori<br><i>Univ. of Modena e Reggio Emilia (Italy)</i>                 | Mass Transport in Nanocomposite Materials for Membrane Separations   | M. G. De Angelis<br><i>Università di Bologna (Italy)</i>                |
| 16:10-16:30 | Nanofillers for Hybrid Filler Networks   | M. Galimberti<br><i>Pirelli Tyre SpA (Italy)</i>                             | Conversion Improvement of High Solids Waterborne Alkyd-acrylic Nanoscale Hybrid Systems and its Effect on Nanostructure                | M. Goikoetxea<br><i>University of the Basque Country (Spain)</i>        |

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| 16:30-16:50 | Ionic Liquids a New Generation of Surfactants   | <b>J. Duchet</b><br><i>Université de Lyon<br/>(France)</i>                | Soft Nanoparticles: Current Status and Perspectives  | <b>J. Pomposo</b><br><i>Donostia International Physics Center (Spain)</i> |
| 16:50-17:10 | Influence of Silanized Clay on the Molecular Mobility of Polycarbonate-based Nanocomposites | <b>L. A. Pessan</b><br><i>Universidade Federal de São Carlos (Brasil)</i> | Ultrasonic Force Microscopy Investigation of SrTiO <sub>3</sub> Particles Embedded in a Polyvinyl Alcohol Matrix | <b>S. Marino</b><br><i>University of Castilla la Mancha (Spain)</i>       |
| 17:10-17:30 | Theoretical Study of Stabilization of Nanoparticles by Polymeric Surfactants                | <b>E. Mayoral</b><br><i>UIA (Mexico)</i>                                  | Preparation of Poly-aniline-Modified Cadmium Hydroxide Nanowires   | <b>V. Eskizeybek</b><br><i>Selçuk University (Turkey)</i>                 |
| 17:30-17:50 | Advances in Small Scale Processing Equipment for Polymers and Additives                     | <b>B. Jakob</b><br><i>Thermo Fisher Scientific (Germany)</i>              | Light Scattering for Polymer Characterization  | <b>L. Rouzic</b><br><i>Wyatt Technology (France)</i>                      |
| 17:50-19:00 | <b>POSTER SESSION – COFFEE BREAK</b>  |   |  |   |

# THURSDAY, APRIL 29<sup>th</sup> 2010

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|             | TITLE   | SPEAKER   | TITLE  | SPEAKER   |
|             | <b>Chairpersons: B. Voit, C. Galiotis</b>   |   | <b>Chairpersons: L. Averous, A. Jimenez</b>  |   |
| 9:00-9:40   | <b>INVITED LECTURE</b><br>Design of Polymer Nanorod Arrays Using Self-Ordered Nanoporous Alumina Hard Templates | M. Steinhart<br><i>University of Osnabrück (Germany)</i>                      |  |   |
|             | <b>SESSION V: CARBON NANOTUBES I</b>  |   | <b>SESSION VI: BIONANOCOMPOSITES I</b>   |   |
| 9:40-10:10  | <b>KEY-NOTE LECTURE</b><br>Viscoelasticity and Aggregation of Carbon Nanotubes in Semi-Dilute Suspensions       | Ph. Cassagnau<br><i>Ingénierie des Matériaux Polymères INSA Lyon (France)</i> | <b>KEY-NOTE LECTURE</b><br>Polyester/Cellulose Nanowhisker Bionanocomposites : From Synthesis to Thermo-Mechanical Properties                          | Ph. Dubois<br><i>University of Mons (Belgium)</i>           |
| 10:10-10:30 | Dispersability and Particle Size Distribution of Carbon Nanotubes in Aqueous Surfactant Dispersions             | B. Krause<br><i>Leibniz IPF Dresden (Germany)</i>                             | Threshold Temperature Visual Indicators from Bio-Related Polymer Blends  | A. Pucci<br><i>University of Pisa (Italy)</i>               |
| 10:30-10:50 | CNT Treated Carbon Fibres for High Temperature Polymer Composites   | P. Fernberg<br><i>Swerea SICOMP (Sweden)</i>                                  | Estimation of Stiffness of Microfibrillated Cellulose based on Nanostructure Characterized by Transmission Electron Microscopy                         | K. Gamstedt<br><i>KTH (Sweden)</i>                          |
| 10:50-11:10 | Influence of Functionalization on the Mechanical Dispersion of MWCNT  | A. Ureña<br><i>Universidad Rey Juan Carlos (Spain)</i>                        | In situ WAXS Characterization of the Strain-Induced Structural Evolution of Poly(D,L-Lactide) Blown Films  | R. Séguéla<br><i>Université de Lille (France)</i>           |
| 11:10-11:40 | <b>COFFEE BREAK</b>   |   |  |   |
|             | <b>SESSION VII: COPOLYMERS</b>  |   | <b>SESSION VIII: BIONANOCOMPOSITES II</b>  |   |
|             | <b>Chairpersons: J.P. Pascault, I. Mondragon</b>  |   | <b>Chairpersons: P. Dubois, J.M. Lagaron</b>   |   |
| 11:40-12:10 | <b>KEY-NOTE LECTURE</b><br>Copolymer Nanotemplates for Generation of Organised Nanostructures                   | M. Stamm<br><i>Leibniz Institute of Polymer Research Dresden (Germany)</i>    | <b>KEY-NOTE LECTURE</b><br>Nano-Biocomposites Based on Biodegradable and Biobased Polymers. Analysis of the Structure-Properties-Process Relationships | L. Averous<br><i>University of Strasbourg (France)</i>      |
| 12:10-12:30 | Phase Behaviour and Dynamics in a Symmetric Polystyrene-block-Poly(ethyl methacrylate) Copolymer                | A. Nogales<br><i>Instituto de Estructura de la Materia, CSIC (Spain)</i>      | Manufacturing and Structural Properties of Biodegradable Polymer/Montmorillonite Nanocomposites  | J. Zicans<br><i>Riga Technical University (Latvia)</i>      |
| 12:30-12:50 | Copolymers for Efficient Stabilization of Colloidal Particles   | I. I. Potemkin<br><i>Moscow State University (Russia)</i>                     | Microstructural Effects and Thermal Conductivity in PLLA/MWCNT Composites  | J. R. Sarasua<br><i>ETS de Ingeniería de Bilbao (Spain)</i> |

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| 12:50-13:10 | Nanodomains Development in Polypropylene Block Copolymers   | <b>M. T. Exposito</b><br><i>Rey Juan Carlos University (Spain)</i>               | Preparation, Structure and Properties of Thermoplastic Starch-Clay Nanocomposite Films  | <b>B. Chen</b><br><i>Trinity College Dublin (Ireland)</i>                      |
| 13:10-13:30 | Computer Simulations of Block Copolymer Dynamics: Soft Confinement in Nanostructured Phases                                 | <b>A. Moreno</b><br><i>Centro de Física de Materiales, CSIC (Spain)</i>          | Preparation of Hybrid Organic-Inorganic Nanocomposites based on Poly( $\epsilon$ -Caprolactone) and Titantium                     | <b>A. V. Machado</b><br><i>Institute of Polymers and Composites (Portugal)</i> |
| 13:30-15:00 | <b>LUNCH BREAK</b>  |  |   |  |
|             | <b>Chairpersons: P. Cassagnau, L. Torre</b>   |  | <b>Chairpersons: R. Verdejo, M.A. Lopez Manchado</b>  |  |
| 15:00-15:40 | <b>INVITED LECTURE</b><br><b>Nanoscale Organic-Inorganic Hybrids for Energy Applications</b>                                | <b>E. P. Giannelis</b><br><i>Cornell University (USA)</i>                        |   |  |
|             | <b>SESSION IX: HYBRIDS AND FIRE RETARDANCE</b>  |  | <b>SESSION X: CARBON NANOTUBES II</b>   |  |
| 15:40-16:10 | <b>KEY-NOTE LECTURE</b><br><b>Thermal Degradation and Fire Retardance of Polymer Nanocomposites</b>                         | <b>G. Camino</b><br><i>Polytechnic of Turin (Italy)</i>                          | <b>KEY-NOTE LECTURE</b><br><b>Functionalization of Carbon Materials Using Diels-Alder Reaction</b>                                | <b>V. Abetz</b><br><i>Institute of Polymer Research, GKSS (Germany)</i>        |
| 16:10-16:30 | Some Issues on Fire Response of Polymer Nanocomposites  | <b>A. Dasari</b><br><i>IMDEA Materials (Spain)</i>                               | Modulation of the Effect of Carbon Nanotubes in Nitrile Butadiene Rubber based Elastomer by the Control of the Process Parameters | <b>P. Verge</b><br><i>University of Mons (Belgium)</i>                         |
| 16:30-16:50 | Nanohybrids based on Nanophasic Polymer Conetworks: The Application of the Nanoreactor Concept                              | <b>B. Ivan</b><br><i>Institute of Materials and Environ. Chemistry (Hungary)</i> | Characterization of Multi-Walled Carbon Nanotubes and their Derivates   | <b>C. Zenkel</b><br><i>FutureCarbon GmbH (Germany)</i>                         |
| 16:50-17:10 | Chain-End Functionalized Polymers as a Tool to Control the Synthesis of Metal Nanoparticles                                 | <b>M. Lazzari</b><br><i>University of Santiago de Compostela (Spain)</i>         | Surface Modification and Deposition of Large-Area Chemically Modified Graphene Films  | <b>L. Valentini</b><br><i>University of Perugia (Italy)</i>                    |
| 17:10-17:30 | Synthesis, Characterization and Film Formation Dynamics of Hybrid Silica-Poly(butyl methacrylate) Nanocomposite Dispersions | <b>K. I. Suresh</b><br><i>Institute of Macromolecular Chemistry (Germany)</i>    | Preparation and Properties of (Styrene-co-Acrylonitrile) Copolymer/Clay Nanocomposite Foams by Supercritical Fluid Technology     | <b>M. Alexandre</b><br><i>University of Liège (Belgium)</i>                    |
| 17:30-17:50 | Highly Open Porous Elastomeric PolyHIPE Solid Foam Reinforced by Organoclay   | <b>M. R. Moghbeli</b><br><i>Iran University of Science and Technology (Iran)</i> | A Vitrification and Curing Study by TMDSC-Photocalorimetry  | <b>C. Gracia</b><br><i>TA Instruments división de Waters Cromatografía</i>     |
| 17:50-19:00 | <b>POSTER SESSION – COFFEE BREAK</b>  |  |   |  |
| 21:00       | <b>GALA DINNER</b>  |  |   |  |

**FRIDAY, APRIL 30<sup>th</sup> 2010**

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|             | <b>Chairpersons: C. Mijangos, M. Sangermano</b>   |   | <b>Chairpersons: L. Berglund, P. Tiemblo</b>   |   |
| 9:00-9:40   | <b>INVITED LECTURE</b><br>Multifunctional Composite Colloidal Microgels   | <b>L. M. Liz-Marzán</b><br><i>Universidad de Vigo<br/>(Spain)</i>                             |  |   |
|             | <b>SESSION XI: NANOSTRUCTURED MATRICES</b>  |   |  | <b>SESSION XII: CARBON NANOTUBES III</b>                            |
| 9:40-10:10  | <b>KEY-NOTE LECTURE</b><br>Epoxy Polymers: New Materials and Innovations  | <b>J. P. Pascault</b><br><i>Ingénierie des<br/>Matériaux Polymères<br/>INSA Lyon (France)</i> | <b>KEY-NOTE LECTURE</b><br>Hybrid PANI/CNT Nano-composites Prepared by<br>an Inverse Emulsion Polymerization Technique       | <b>M. Narkis</b><br><i>Technion-IIT (Israel)</i>                    |
| 10:10-10:30 | Thermo- and Electroresponsive Nanostructured Thermosetting Systems Modified with Liquid Crystal and TiO <sub>2</sub> Nanoparticles                                | <b>A. Tercjak</b><br><i>University of the<br/>Basque Country (Spain)</i>                      | Polyethylene/Single Walled Carbon Nanotubes<br>Nanocomposites  | <b>K. Stoeffler</b><br><i>National Research<br/>Center (Canada)</i> |
| 10:30-10:50 | Thermomechanical Fatigue of Segmented Polyurethanes. Evolution of Microstructures and Modeling of the Thermal Exchanges   | <b>H. Sautereau</b><br><i>Ingénierie des<br/>Matériaux Polymères<br/>INSA Lyon (France)</i>   | Tuning by process of the Electrical Percolation<br>Behaviour of Multiwalled Carbon Nanotubes/Epoxy<br>Composites             | <b>M. Giordano</b><br><i>ICBMs, CNR (Italy)</i>                     |
| 10:50-11:10 | Microcellular Foaming of Amorphous Polymers in a Supercritical CO <sub>2</sub> Batch Process: Effect of Philic-Additives and Process Conditions on Microstructure | <b>J. A. Reglero Ruiz</b><br><i>Université Bordeaux<br/>(France)</i>                          | Controlling the Dynamic Percolation<br>of TPU/CNT Nanocomposites   | <b>E. Bilotti</b><br><i>Queen Mary Univ. of<br/>London (UK)</i>     |
| 11:10-11:40 | <b>COFFEE BREAK</b>   |   |  |   |
|             | <b>SESSION XIII: CARBON NANOTUBES IV</b>  |   | <b>SESSION XIV: NANOSTRUCTURED FILMS</b>   |   |
|             | <b>Chairpersons: A. Ureña, M. Alexandre</b>   |   |  | <b>Chairpersons: J. Pfleger, M. Messori</b>                         |
| 11:40-12:10 | <b>KEY-NOTE LECTURE</b><br>Mechanical Behaviour of Monolayer Graphene and Graphene-based Nanocomposites   | <b>C. Galiotis</b><br><i>ICEHT-FORTH<br/>(Greece)</i>   | <b>KEY-NOTE LECTURE</b><br>Supramolecular Ordering of Nanostructured<br>Polymers   | <b>L. Matějka</b><br><i>I. Macromol. Chem.<br/>(Czech Republic)</i> |
| 12:10-12:30 | Relaxation Phenomena in Chitosan-Carbon Nanotube Bionanocomposites  | <b>E. Prokhorov</b><br><i>Cinvestav del IPN<br/>(Mexico)</i>                                  | Combination of Surface Modification Strategies: A Well-suited Route for Tailoring Properties of Nanostructured Polymer Films | <b>A. Charlot</b><br><i>Université Lyon<br/>(France)</i>            |

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| 12:30-12:50 | New Strategies to Incorporate Carbon Nanotubes in Poly(ether ether ketone)   | <b>A. M. Díez-Pascual</b><br><i>ICTP-CSIC<br/>(Spain)</i>                                    | Polymer Thin Films with in situ Grown Metal Nanoparticles: How to Control the Morphology                | <b>E. Espuche</b><br><i>Université Lyon<br/>(France)</i>   |
| 12:50-13:10 | Novel Experimental Approach to Evaluate Filler Interactions in Rubber Nanocomposites   | <b>J. L. Valentín</b><br><i>ICTP-CSIC<br/>(Spain)</i>  | Mechanics of Ultra-Thin Polymeric Films   | <b>A. D'Amore</b><br><i>University of Naples<br/>(Italy)</i>   |
| 13:10-13:30 | High Resistance 2K PUR Coatings with Modified Siloxane Nanoparticles   | <b>P. Vlasak</b><br><i>Synpo a.s.,<br/>(Czech Republic)</i>                                  | Preparation of the Polymer/Silica Nanocomposites Via Solvent Crazing                                    | <b>E. S. Trofimchuk</b><br><i>Lomonosov Moscow State University<br/>(Russia)</i>                             |
| 13:30-15:00 | <b>LUNCH BREAK</b>   |  |   |  |
|             | <b>Chairpersons: J.F. Gerard, B. Voit</b>  |  | <b>Chairpersons: J. Kenny, R. Hernandez</b>   |  |
| 15:00-15:40 | <b>INVITED LECTURE</b><br>POSS- and Metal POSS-based Polymer Systems   | <b>S. Russo</b><br><i>Università di Genova<br/>(Italy)</i>                                   |   |  |
|             | <b>SESSION XV: POSS AND OTHER HYBRIDS</b>  |  | <b>SESSION XVI: BIONANOCOMPOSITES III</b>   |  |
| 15:40-16:00 | Synthesis and Characterization of New Monofunctional POSS. Utilization as Dewetting Additive in Methacrylate based Self-standing Films | <b>F. Mammeri</b><br><i>Univ. Paris Diderot<br/>(France)</i>                                 | Tailoring the Nanostructure of Cellulose Composites, Hybrids and Aerogels                               | <b>L. Berglund</b><br><i>KTH (Sweden)</i>  |
| 16:00-16:20 | Porous and Worm-like Titanium Dioxide Nanostructures from PS- <i>b</i> -PEO based Micellar Solutions                                   | <b>D. Scalarone</b><br><i>University of Torino<br/>(Italy)</i>                               | Designing Nanostructured Biomaterials with Active and Bioactive Functionalities by Electrospinning      | <b>J. M. Lagaron</b><br><i>IATA-CSIC (Spain)</i>   |
| 16:20-16:40 | Laser Efficiency Enhancement in Dye Doped POSS Materials Via Non-Resonant Feedback Lasing  | <b>L. Cerdán</b><br><i>Instituto de Química Física, CSIC (Spain)</i>                         | New Hybrid Materials Based on Combination of Enzymes and Self-Assembling Copolymers                     | <b>C.G. Palivan</b><br><i>University of Basel<br/>(Switzerland)</i>  |
| 16:40-17:00 | Molecular Motions of POSS Cages and Interfacial PPO Chains in a Model PPO/POSS Nanocomposite   | <b>C. Lorthioir</b><br><i>East-Paris Institute of Chemistry and Mat. Sci., CNRS (France)</i> | Bionanocomposites based on the Synergistic Use of Sepiolite Fibres and Carbon Nanotubes as Nanofillers  | <b>F.M. Fernandes</b><br><i>Materials Science Institute, CSIC<br/>(Spain)</i>                                |
| 17:00-17:20 | Structure and Mechanical Behaviour of Spherical Nanosilica-based PET Waste Composites  | <b>R. Jeziórska</b><br><i>Industrial Chemistry Research Institute<br/>(Poland)</i>           | Nanostructured Polysaccharides on the Chitosan Bombyx Mori Base and Possibility their Using in Medicine | <b>R.Yu. Milusheva</b><br><i>Institute of Polymer Chemistry and Physics Academy of Sciences (Uzbekistan)</i> |
| 17:20       | <b>CLOSING OF THE CONFERENCE</b>   |  |   |  |

