MARM 2018

J. Freeman and N. Heindel, Program Chairs

SUNDAY AFTERNOON

Polymers & Plastics Iacocca Hall B013

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R. T. Mathers, Organizer

A. J. Magenau, Organizer, Presiding

- 11:30 1. Oligofluorene molecular wires: Synthesis and single-molecule conductance. S. Wei, G.M. Florio
- 11:50 2. Conjugated polymers prepared using controlled polymerization. K.J. Noonan
- **12:10 3.** Orthogonal-group engineering of cyclopentadiene-based building blocks for conjugated materials. M.M. Rahman, **A. Pietrangelo**
- 12:30 Intermission.
- **12:40 4.** Polymer functionalized graphenic materials as stem cell instructive scaffolds for tissue regeneration. **S.A. Sydlik**, B. Holt, A. Arnold
- **1:00 5.** Synthesis of [2.2] paracyclophane-inspired materials through ROMP for advanced optoelectonic applications. **E. Elacqua**
- 1:20 6. Enabling macromolecular design through cross-coupling and alkylborane initiation. A.J. Magenau
- 1:40 Intermission.
- 2:00 7. Functionalized polymer conjugates as building blocks to construct spatially organized materials. L.W. Chow
- **2:20 8.** Complex emulsions as dynamic soft materials. **L.D. Zarzar**, E.M. Sletten, J.A. Kalow, V. Sresht, S. Nagelberg, D. Blankschtein, M. Kolle, T.M. Swager
- **2:40 9.** Nanostructural transitions driven via in situ polymer grafting in diblock copolymer/monomer blends. **R. Hickey**
- 3:00 Intermission.
- 3:10 10. Introducing electron-deficient boron into functional polymeric materials. F. Jaekle
- **3:30 11.** Finding the hydrophobic/hydrophobic balance in polymeric structures. **R.T. Mathers**

History of Chemistry Iacocca Hall B131

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- **12:00 12.** Collecting and preserving the history of chemistry, chemical engineering, and the life sciences at the new Science History Institute. **R.S. Brashear**
- 12:30 13. History of healing among the Pennsylvania Dutch in the 18th and 19th centuries. N.D. Heindel
- 1:00 14. Chemical engineering in the 19th century: the blast furnace revolution. J.K. Smith
- 1:30 15. Chemistry at Lehigh during the 19th century. R.A. Egolf

Tech Innovations & Distance Ed Iacocca Hall E301

C. Martey-Ochola, Organizer, Presiding

- 12:00 16. Can we teach upper level chemistry courses online? C. Martey-Ochola
- 12:45 17. Alternative to commercial instrumentation for chemical educators. S. Abbott
- 1:30 Round Table The role of technology and distance education in Chemical education

Chemical Business Entrepreneur Iacocca Hall B131

- K. Kardos, Organizer, Presiding
- 2:00 18. A venture capitalists perspective on what makes for a successful technology idea. M. Gausling
- **2:20 19.** Serial entrepreneurship in chemistry: One story of solving problems while creating new companies. **S. Niedbala**
- 2:40 20. Navigating a new drug discovery and development program. E. Damiano
- **3:00 21.** Commercializing a diagnostic test to measure and improve medication adherence through a startup company. **G. Daughtridge**
- **3:20 22.** Commercialization of an assay for periprosthetic joint infection: The journey from biomarker discovery to product commercialization. **C. Deirmengian**

Colloids and Surface Chemistry Iacocca Hall B023

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- 2:00 23. First principles study of adsorption for CO2 at mineral interfaces. L. Tribe
- **2:30 24.** Nanocomposites' particle size and distribution measurement in sub-surfaces and in solutions by terahertz multispectral imaging. **A. Rahman**, A.K. Rahman
- 3:00 Round Table The Place of Colloids and Surface Chemistry in the Chemistry Curriculum

SUNDAY EVENING

General Posters Iacocca Hall Wood Dining Hall J. C. Freeman, *Organizer*

3:00 - 6:00

- **25.** SCHB assists innovators and entrepreneurs in the chemistry enterprise. **G.W. Ruger**, J.L. Maclachlan, J.E. Sabol
- **26.** Electronic transitions of iodine species in solution: Density Functional Theory calculations. M. Schupp, **L. Tribe**
- **27.** Design, synthesis and photophysical properties of highly efficient d¹⁰-and/or d⁸transition metal-based complexes. **M.M. Ghimire**, R. Switzer, R.M. Mitch, A. Appiah
- **28.** Molecular dynamics simulations of functional arylamide foldamers: Water transport and inter-conversion mechanism of cyclic-arylamide. **R. Delia**, V. Pophristic, Z. Liu
- **29.** Computational chemistry investigation of aromatic foldamers: Folding propensity, molecular encapsulation and handedness inversion. **P. Reagan**, V. Pophristic, Z. Liu
- 30. Optimizing the synthesis of imine-linked 3D covalent organic frameworks. D. Fischbach, B.J. Smith
- 31. Microdomain registration in PEG-PBD diblock-copolymers investigated with simulations. N. Chen
- **32.** Preparation and mechanical testing of vinyl ester biocomposites modified with limonene. **D.L. Simonson**, J.G. Kohl, A. Ring
- 33. Improving the organic chemistry laboratory experience through a scaffolded approach. J. Leake
- **34.** Supporting the future of STEM: outreach activities in the Lehigh Valley. J.R. Berk, G.W. Ruger
- 35. Bohr model for hydrogen revised. P.J. Wepplo
- **36.** Investigation of a synthesis for white lead pigment. **K.C. Cannon**, A. Barmash, H. Karyampudi
- 37. Controlling surfaces for crystal nucleation and growth of acetaminophen. E.E. Byers, B.J. Smith
- **38.** Three-dimensional mapping of optical near-field responses by controlling probe-sample distance. **H. Wang**, L. Wang, D. Jakob, X. Xu
- **39.** Nanoscale spectroscopic and mechanical characterization of individual aerosol particles with peak force infrared microscopy. **L. Wang**, X. Xu
- 40. Photophysical properties of amino acid capped fluorescent nanoclusters. E.J. Cunningham, J. Hu
- 41. Effect of pore size on the density of matrices made from collagen nanofibrils. A. Peterman
- **42.** Using the Maquette technology to develop novel genetically-encoded voltage indicators (GEVIs). **X. Yu**, M. Iwanicki, B.M. Discher

- **43.** Chemical countermeasures for sulphur mustard exposure based on drug combinations of polyamines, terpenes and vanilloids. **J. Saxena**, C. Lacey, C.D. Guillon, G. Composto, L. Joseph, D. Heck, J. Laskin, N.D. Heindel
- 44. Protic mixtures: Bulk liquids incorporating self-assembling nanodomains. M.N. Kobrak
- **45.** Green synthesis of biomineralized CdS quantum dot-graphene photocatalysts for visible light driven hydrogen generation. **L. Spangler**, L. Lu, C. Kiely, B. Berger, S. McIntosh
- **46.** Aerosol preparation of spherical metal oxides for the purpose of surface modification. **F.C. Mayville**, **A. Bielski**
- **47.** Determination of pesticide residues at the Food and Drug Administration using the QuEChERS Extraction method in conjunction with liquid and gas chromatography. **H. Kim**, **X. Yu**, T. Harrison, P.D. Svoronos
- 48. Sequential electrolytic oxidation of ethanol to carbon dioxide. A.T. Poulos, R. Furman, H. Do, P. Poulos
- **49.** Using Excel(R) to expand the power of experimentation, automation and device control. **S. Abbott**
- **50.** Microbial VOC fingerprints: Rapid detection of antimicrobial resistance in pathogenic bacteria. **A. Dailey**, J. Saha, S.A. Zaidi, R. Couch
- 51. Serum lipidomics extraction and data processing. G. Madison, Z.J. Beaulac, R. Couch
- 52. Temporal fecal metabolome profiling: An approach to assess gastrointestinal health. S.A. Zaidi, R. Couch
- 53. Detecting Pb²⁺ and Hg²⁺ ions with an acridinium-based fluorescent turn-on sensor. L.L. Kowal, J. Hu
- **54.** Oxidative decarboxylation of formic and acetic acids at metal-oxide coated electrodes. A.T. Poulos, D. Agrawal, S. Lee, P. Poulos, **V. Patel**
- **55.** Electro-oxidation of acetaldehyde in basic aqueous solution assisted by electron transfer agents. A.T. Poulos, R. Kaur, **M. Namer**
- **56.** Liquid-liquid extraction and analysis of the antioxidant, resveratrol, from various red and white wines. F.C. Mayville, **C. McGlocklin**
- 57. Elemental analysis of arsenic in rice speciation. K. Kaur, L. Aleo, D. Stutts, P.D. Svoronos
- **58.** Imidazole as a novel and robust gold binding group at STM-BJ method. **X. Yu**, S. Smith, T. Fu, J. Xue, L. Venkataraman, S. Wei
- **59.** Biochemical sensing circuits based on DNA-scaffolded proximity assembly. **S. Oh**, T. Zhang, A. Pereira, A. Lane, J. Fu
- **XO**. The quantitative Analysis of Caffeine in Consumer Product **Suah YekeH** Nidhal Marashi
- **XX.** Determination of the water hardness of the municipal samples through determination of alkalinity. **Deric Siamon** Nidhal Marashi

- **60.** Sources and presence of opiates and amphetamines in water, sediment and biota in the tidal freshwater Potomac River and its tributary embayments. **A. Leahigh**, G.D. Foster, T.B. Huff
- **61.** Pesticide profiles in marsh sediment cores obtained from the tidal Potomac River. **E. Lang**, G.D. Foster, T.B. Huff, R. McBride, D.J. Velinsky
- **62.** Sorption of ciprofloxacin to aquatic colloids determined through fluorescence quenching. **C. Ajjan**, G.D. Foster
- **63.** In-situ chemical mapping and quantification of organic matter in oil shale with 10-nm spatial resolution. **D.S. Jakob**, X. Xu
- **64.** Novel vasopressin 1a antagonists for CNS disorders: Development and characterization of clinical candidates. **C.D. Guillon**, N.D. Heindel, S. Lu, N. Simon, M. Brownstein, C. Ferris
- **65.** Examination of the conformational dynamics of the *Yersinia pestis* 1-deoxy-D-xylulose-5-phosphate reductoisomerase enzyme in response to inhibitor binding. **Z.J. Beaulac**, A. Dailey, H. Ball, R. Couch
- 66. Script development in support of cationic antimicrobial peptide identification. A. Carfagno, B. Bishop
- **67.** Site-directed mutagenesis of P. falciparum 1-deoxy-D-xyulose 5-phosphate reductoisomerase (PfIspC) residues hypothesized to interact with bisubstrate inhibitors. **S. Cronin**, R. Couch
- **68.** Targeting Dxr/IspC to develop drugs against malaria and tuberculosis. **M.B. Girma**, **H. Ball**, **C. Dowd**, **R. Couch**
- **OX.** The extract of essential oil from different spices & their benefit in the modern and alternative medicine. **C. Queuruga,** N Marash*i*
- **69.** Investigation of the release mechanism of naproxen sodium, acetaminophen and ibuprofen from gel caplet delivery systems. **F.C. Mayville**, **N.J. Cronin**, **R.J. Morales**
- **70.** Identifying excretory secretory metabolites in *Trichuris suis* in host pathology. **H.A. Khan**, A. Dailey, **J. Urban**, R. Couch
- **71.** Targeting the ESKAPE pathogens: Kinetic characterization and inhibition of *Acinetobacter baumannii* and *Klebsiella pneumoniae* 1-Deoxy-D-Xylulose 5-Phosphate Reductoisomerase. **H. Ball**, M.B. Girma, M. Zainab, E. Marcus, S. Noble, R. Couch
- **72.** Functionalization of graphene-oxide with bio-organic matrices for drug delivery. I.A. Banerjee, **M.M. Hugo**, K.R. Fath
- **73.** Aromatic oligoamide foldamer for protein-protein interactions: A computational investigation. **O. Vazquez**, S. Makeneni, V. Pophristic, Z. Liu
- **74.** Foldamer-based artificial water channels: A computational study. **S. Houshyar Azar**, Z. Liu, V. Pophristic
- 75. Catalysis of RNA surrogates by montmorillonite: Effects of pH. E. Gordon, L. Tribe
- **76.** In silico survey of the central conserved regions of viroids classified in the Pospiviroidae family for conserved SRD-like motifs. **P.L. Freidhoff**, M.F. Bruist

- 77. Photosensitized lipid peroxidation accelerates vesicle rupture on SiO₂ surfaces: A QCM-D study. **A.M. Baxter**, M. Farley, N. Wittenberg
- **78.** Interaction of ionophoric polyphenols with human serum albumin (HSA). **A. Martinez**, M. Gomez, S. Shibutani
- **79.** Formation of planar model membranes rich in caveolin-1. **M.E. Blauch**, S. Plucinsky, J.A. Julien, K.J. Glover, N.J. Wittenberg
- **80.** Influence of brain gangliosides on vesicle adsorption, rupture, and supported bilayer formation determined by quartz crystal microbalance sensing. **L. Jordan**, N. Wittenberg
- 81. Fluorescent detection of the prolamin family of proteins. A.J. Brown, W.A. Patton
- **82.** Studying the kinetics and inhibition of the G-quadruplex/hemin DNAzyme complex. **R. Maloney**, **T. Brown**, J. Fu
- 83. Mapping the initial events in insertion and exit of the cell-penetrating peptide pHLIP. V. Burns, B. Mertz
- **84.** Purification and crystallization of geranylgeranylglyceryl phosphate synthase from *T. volcanium*. **B. Gillott**, K. Alderfer, J.A. Himmelberger
- **85.** Synthesis of ionic liquids and application in Diels-Alder reactions. **F.C. Mayville**, **B. Gillott**, **B.A. Dierolf**
- **86.** Synthesis and stability of *N*-benzylamide conjugates of non-steroidal anti-inflammatory drugs. **B. Eden**, **T. Lovett**, A.J. Rice, W. Bowman, E. Geissler, S.C. Young
- **87.** Investigation into the mechanism of the sodium borohydride reduction of benzil. **M. Dworzak**, M. Meyer, T. Peelen
- **88.** Oxidative esterification of allylic sp3-carbon via cross-dehydrogenative coupling followed by in-situ reductio. **T. Hapatsha**, S. Cartelli
- 89. Allylsilane synthesis via abnormal Peterson Olefination reaction. M.L. Kwan, P.R. Challen, Q.D. Tran
- **90.** Mild, microwave-accelerated phenyl methyl ether protecting group cleavage method. **E. Geissler**, S.C. Young
- 91. Polycationic cages for noncovalent functionalization of frameworks. H. Arslan
- **92.** Thermal rearrangement in triazoleimines, a unique class of anti-inflammatory and anti-cancer compounds. **N.D. Heindel**, J. Saxena, C.D. Guillon, R. Rapp, P.T. Kaplan, C. Fianu-Velgus, D. Heck, J. Laskin
- **93.** The synthesis of two new putrescine analogs in 100 % ethanol as possible growth inhibitors of breast cancer cells. **F.C. Mayville, J. Weiss**
- **94.** Mn-terpyridine catalyzed dehydrogenative acceptorless coupling of amines and alcohols to give aldimine. **L. Lopez**
- **95.** Michael reactions of tropone iron tricarbonyl: Towards a flexible synthesis of bridged azapolycycles. **Z. Huang**, **Z. Phelan**, S. Valent, R. Tritt, D. Griffith

OO. Chemistry beyond the classroom. ACS chapter success Essex County College

Plenary Iacocca Hall, Wood Dining Hall 4:00

96. The image of alchemy: Depicting chemical change in medieval England. J.M. Rampling