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# RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Synthesis, surface chemistry and application of nanostructured materials
- Use of nanomaterials for energy conversion and storage technologies: including thermoelectricity, metal/sulfur and metal/air batteries, electrocatalytic power-to-fuel-to-power technologies.

### **EDUCATION and TRAINING**

2004-2007 University of California at Berkeley and Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory

Postdoctoral Fellow in Prof. A. Paul Alivisatos Group

1999-2003 Universitat de Barcelona

PhD in Physics. Advisor: Prof. Joan Ramon Morante

1998 Universitat de Barcelona

Physics Degree

#### PREVIOUS SCIENTIFIC AND PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

1. Teacher/research assistant	Universitat de Barcelona	04/2003 - 02/2004
2. Postdoctoral researcher	University of California at Berkeley, USA	03/2004 - 03/2006
3. Postdoctoral researcher	Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory, USA	03/2006 - 09/2007
4. Ramon y Cajal researcher	Universitat de Barcelona	12/2007 - 12/2012
5. Lecturer	Universitat de Barcelona	12/2012 - 09/2013

# **MAIN RECENT PUBLICATIONS (2017-2021)**

**Overall Numbers:** Over 200 publications in international journals; Over 1700 citations/year; h-index=57; i10-index=144; 5 patents; https://scholar.google.com/citations?user=OoS8ca0AAAJ&hl=en

### **Selected Recent Publications**

- > Z. Liang et al. *Atomically dispersed Fe in a C2N Based Catalyst as a Sulfur Host for Efficient Lithium-Sulfur Batteries*, **Advanced Energy Materials** 2021, 11, 2003507.
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- ➤ C. Zhang et al. Tubular CoFeP@CN as a Mott–Schottky Catalyst with Multiple Adsorption Sites for Robust Lithium–Sulfur Batteries, Advanced Energy Materials 2021, 11, 2100432.
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- > S. Yuan et al. Chromium-Based Metal—Organic Framework as A-Site Cation in CsPb12Br Perovskite Solar Cells, Advanced Functional Materials 2021, 2106233.
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- > Zhang, Y et al. Influence of copper telluride nanodomains on the transport properties of n-type bismuth telluride, Chemical Engineering Journal 2021, 418, 129374
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- > X. Yu et al. Phosphorous incorporation in Pd2Sn alloys for electrocatalytic ethanol oxidation, Nano Energy 2020, 77, 105116.

- > J. Li et al. Selective Methanol-to-Formate Electrocatalytic Conversion on Branched Nickel Carbide, Angewandte Chemie-international Edition 2020, 59, 20826.
- > Y. Zuo et al., A SnS2 Molecular Precursor for Conformal Nanostructured Coatings, Chem. Mater. 2020, 32, 2097.
- > I. Liashenko et al. *Ultrafast 3D printing with submicrometer features using electrostatic jet deflection*, **Nature Comm.** 2020, 11, 753.
- ➤ X. Yu et al. Self-Induced Strain in 2D Chalcogenide Nanocrystals with Enhanced Photoelectrochemical Responsivity, Chem. Mater. 2020, 32, 2774-2781.
- Y. Zuo et al. A SnS2 Molecular Precursor for Conformal Nanostructured Coatings, Chem. Mater. 2020, 32, 2097.
- > X. Yu et al. Stability of Pd3Pb Nanocubes during Electrocatalytic Ethanol Oxidation, Chem. Mater. 2020, 32, 2044.
- ➤ F. Urbain et al. Upscaling high activity oxygen evolution catalysts based on CoFe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub> nanoparticles supported on nickel foam for power-to-gas electrochemical conversion with energy efficiencies above 80%, **Appl. Catal. B: Environ.** 2019, 259, 118055.
- Y. Zuo et al. In Situ Electrochemical Oxidation of Cu2S into CuO Nanowires as a Durable and Efficient Electrocatalyst for Oxygen Evolution Reaction, Chem. Mater. 2019, 31, 7732-7743.
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- > C. Zhang et al. Combined High Catalytic Activity and Efficient Polar Tubular Nanostructure in Urchin-Like Metallic NiCo2Se4 for High-Performance Li-S Batteries, Adv. Funct. Mater. 2019, 29, 1903842.
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- ➤ M. Ibañez et al. *Ligand-Mediated Band Engineering in Bottom-Up Assembled SnTe Nanocomposites for Thermoelectric Energy Conversion*, **J. Am. Chem. Soc.** 2019, 141, 8025-8029.
- > J. Liu et al. *Graphene-supported palladium phosphide PdP2 nanocrystals for ethanol electrooxidation*, **Appl. Catal. B: Environ.** 2019, 242, 258-266.
- > Y. Zahng et al. Tin Diselenide *Molecular Precursor for Solution-Processable Thermoelectric Materials*, **Angew. Chem.** 2018, 130, 17309-17314.
- ➤ A. Morata et al. *Large-area and adaptable electrospun silicon-based thermoelectric nanomaterials with high energy conversion efficiencies*, **Nature Comm.** 2018, 9, 4759.
- > J. Li et al. NiSn bimetallic nanoparticles as stable electrocatalysts for methanol oxidation reaction, Appl. Catal. B: Environ. 2018, 234, 10-18.
- Y. Liu et al. Crystallographically Textured Nanomaterials Produced from the Liquid Phase Sintering of BixSb2–xTe3 Nanocrystal Building Blocks, Nano Lett. 2018, 18, 2557-2563.
- > Y. Liu et al. High Thermoelectric Performance in Crystallographically Textured n type Bi2Te3-xSex Produced from Asymmetric Colloidal Nanocrystals, ACS Nano 2018, 12, 7174-7184.
- ➤ J. Liu et al. *Triphenyl Phosphite as the Phosphorus Source for the Scalable and Cost-Effective Production of Transition Metal Phosphides*, **Chem. Mater.** 2018, 30, 1799-1807.
- > J. Liu et al. SnP nanocrystals as anode materials for Na-ion batteries, J. Mater. Chem. A 2018, 6, 10958.
- ➤ M. Ibañez et al. Tuning p-Type Transport in Bottom-Up-Engineered Nanocrystalline Pb Chalcogenides Using Alkali Metal Chalcogenides as Capping Ligands, Chem. Mater. 2017, 29, 7093.
- C. Coughlan et al. Compound copper chalcogenide nanocrystals, Chem. Rev. 2017, 117, 5865.
- > S. Ortega et al. Bottom-up engineering of thermoelectric nanomaterials and devices from solution-processed nanoparticle building blocks, Chem. Soc. Rev. 2017, 46, 3510.
- ➤ Doris Cadavid, Andreu Cabot, *Oxidation at the Atomic Scale*, **Science**, 2017, 356, 245.
- > T. Berestok et al., Tuning Branching in Ceria Nanocrystals, Chem. Mater. 2017, 29, 4418.

# RECENT PATENTS

- > Inventors: I. Liashenko, J. Rosell, A. Cabot, Printing device and method; EU; Filed: May 2019
- Inventors: I. Liashenko, J. Rosell, A. Cabot, Method for determining the speed of printing of fiber and the length of printed fiber; EU, Filed: May 2019

### MAIN ONGOING PROJECTS

- ➤ Combining energy sources to enhance catalytic processes in the energy area, COMBENERGY, PID2019-105490RB-C32, Spanish MINECO, 2020-2022
- ➤ Solid-liquid thermoelectric systems with uncorrelated properties, UncorrelaTEd, H2020-FETOPEN-2019, 863222, European Comission, 2020-2024
- ➤ Energy harvesting via wetting/drying cycles with nanoporous electrodes, EHAWEDRY, H2020-FETOPEN-2020, 964524, European Comission, 2021-2024
- Toward sustainable batteries based on silicon, sulfur and biomass-derived carbon, 2BoSS, ERA-NET Confund on Raw Materials (ERA-MIN), 2022-2024