## 2017 Notre Dame-Purdue Symposium on Soft Matter & Polymers and Poster Session

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## Agenda

| 8:30am   | Check-in (Wilmeth Active Learning Center) Outside ROOM 3087  |   |  |  |
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|  | Technical Session 1 • Jianguo Mei (jgmei@purdue.edu)   |   |  |  |
|  | Presenter  | Title of talk   |  |  |
| 9:20am   | Jean Chmielewski, Purdue University  | Hierarchical Assembly of Peptide-Based  |  |  |
|  | Chemistry  | Materials for Regenerative Medicine   |  |  |
| 9:40am   | William A. Phillip, Notre Dame   | Manufacturing Functional Membranes from   |  |  |
|  | Chemical & Biomolecular Engineering  | Nanostructured Polymers   |  |  |
| 10:00am  | Tengfei Luo, Notre Dame  | Chain Confirmation and Thermal  |  |  |
|  | Aerospace and Mechanical Engineering   | Conductivity in Bulk Amorphous Polymers   |  |  |
| 10:20am  | Coffee Break, • Wilmeth Active Learning Ce   | nter  |  |  |
| 10:40am  | Brett Savoie, Purdue University  | High-throughput Design of Polymer   |  |  |
|  | Chemical Engineering   | Electrolytes for Battery Applications   |  |  |
| 11:00am  | Matthew J. Webber, Notre Dame  | Supramolecular Design of Soft Materials and   |  |  |
|  | Chemical & Biomolecular Engineering  | Assemblies  |  |  |
| 11:20am  | Shelley Claridge, Purdue University  Sub-nm-Thick Functional Polym   |   |  |  |
|  | Chemistry  | 2D Materials  |  |  |
| 11:40pm  | Taking Photo, Lunch Break, WALC  |   |  |  |
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| 1  | Technical Session 2 • Haifeng Gao (hgao@   | nd.edu)   |  |  |
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| 1  | James Dobscha          | Indiana<br>University | Shape-persistent Carbazole Macrocycles as Candidates for Self-organized Bulk Heterojunctions                                   | James R. Dobscha, Henry D. Castillo, Rose D. Taylor, Rachel E. Fadler, Yun Liu, John Michael Espinosa-Duran, Sibali Debnath, Yuriy V. Sereda, Krishnan Raghavachari, Peter J. Ortoleva, Steven L. Tait, Amar H. Flood |
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| 2  | Wei Zhao               | Indiana<br>University | Stimuli-responsive Self-assembles of Cyanostar and Organophosphates  | Wei Zhao, Bo Qiao, and Amar H. Flood  |
| 3  | Francisco Montes       | Purdue<br>University  | Using Cellulose Nanocrystals (CNCs) with Portland Cements – Effect on Rheology   | Francisco J. Montes, Tengfei Fu, William J. Weiss, Jeffrey P. Youngblood  |
| 4  | Alexander Wei          | Purdue<br>University  | Scalable Manufacturing of Nanoporous<br>Membranes Using Nanoparticle-Guided<br>Etching   | Naveen Kadasala, Mojib Saei, Taehoo Chang, Biwei Deng,<br>Gary J. Cheng, Alexander Wei  |
| 5  | Jeremiah Bechtold      | Purdue<br>University  | Patterning Noncovalent Mixed<br>Monolayers with Langmuir–Schaefer<br>Deposition  | Jeremiah Bechtold, Tyson Davis, Shelley A. Claridge   |
| 6  | Jiemin Zhao            | Purdue<br>University  | Post-Assembly Stabilization of Rational Designed DNA Crystals  | Jiemin Zhao, Qian Li, Xiang Li, Nadrian Seeman and Chengde<br>Mao   |
| 7  | Aristide<br>Gumyusenge | Purdue<br>University  | Solution Processed Isoindigo-based<br>Semiconducting Nanofibers for Flexible<br>and Stretchable Electronics                    | Aristide Gumyusenge, Xikang Zhao, Yan Zhao, Ge Qu, Ying Diao, and Jianguo Mei   |
| 8  | Megan Forshey          | Purdue<br>University  | Microlayered PET/PVDF Films:<br>Mechano-Optical Behavior In Uniaxial<br>Extension  | Megan Forshey, Dr. Miko Cakmak  |
| 9  | Yan Zhao               | Purdue<br>University  | Continuous Melt-Drawing of Highly<br>Aligned Flexible and Stretchable<br>Semiconducting Microfibers for Organic<br>Electronics | Yan Zhao, Aristide Gumyusenge, Jiazhi He, Ge Qu, William W. McNutt, Yuan Long, Hongyi Zhang, Libai Huang, Ying Diao, Jianguo Mei*   |
| 10 | Daniel Wilcox          | Purdue<br>University  | Manipulating Energy Transfer between a Photoexcited Conjugated Polymer and Open-Shell Small Molecules                          | Daniel Wilcox, Sanjoy Mukherjee, Bryan Boudouris  |
| 11 | Zeynep MUTLU           | Purdue<br>University  | Mechano-optical Behavior of<br>Nanocomposite Hydrogels   | Zeynep Mutlu, Siamak Shams Es-haghi, Mukerrem Cakmak  |

| 12 | Miran Mavlan     | Purdue<br>University | Cellulose Nanomaterials: Chemo-<br>mechanical Surface Modifications and<br>Chemical Composition Analysis                                 | Miran Mavlan, Reaz Chowdhury, Mehdi Shishehbor, Thora Maltais, Jeffery Youngblood, Pablo Zavattieri, Alexander Wei |
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| 13 | Zhe Li           | Purdue<br>University | Reconfiguration of DNA molecular arrays driven by information relay  | Zhe Li   |
| 14 | Jiayingzi Wu     | Purdue<br>University | Semiconducting Polymer Nanoparticles for Centimeters-Deep Photoacoustic Imaging in the Second Near-Infrared Window                       | Jiayingzi Wu, Liyan You, Lu Lan, Hyeon Jeong Lee, Saadia T. Chaudhry, Rui Li, Ji-Xin Cheng*, Jianguo Mei*          |
| 15 | Longfei Liu      | Purdue<br>University | Programming DNA Self-assembly without Base Pairing   | Longfei Liu, Chengde Mao   |
| 16 | Qian Li          | Purdue<br>University | Can Strand Displacement Take Place in DNA Triplex?   | Qian Li, Chengde Mao   |
| 17 | ARMEN YILDIRIM   | Purdue<br>University | Field Assisted Roll-to-Roll Process for Flexible Electronics   | Armen Yildirim, Siamak Shams Es-haghi, Miko Cakmak   |
| 18 | Martha Hay       | Purdue<br>University | Controlling Open-Shell Loading in<br>Norbornene-Based Radical Polymers<br>Modulates the Solid-State Charge<br>Transport Exponentially    | Martha E. Hay, Si Hui Wong, Sanjoy Mukherjee, Bryan W. Boudouris   |
| 19 | Sanjay Debnath   | Purdue<br>University |  |  |
| 20 | SungHo Yook      | Purdue<br>University | Electric-Field Alignment of Polymer<br>Blends with Dispersed Nanoparticles for<br>Mesoporous Reactive Membranes                          | SungHo Yook, Yuanhao Guo, Miko Cakmak*   |
| 21 | Tae Hoo Chang    | Purdue<br>University | Beacon Like Aptamer Based Bio-sensors<br>Using by Metal-enhanced Fluorescence  | Taehoo Chang, Junkai Xie, Kyle Wettschurack, Ericka Kistler,<br>Oscar Sanchez-Medina, Chongli Yuan, Alexander Wei  |
| 22 | Noelia Almodovar | Purdue<br>University | Molecular Simulation Evaluation of<br>Macromolecular Transport through<br>Nanofiltration Membranes                                       | Noelia Almodovar, Bryan Boudouris, and David Corti   |
| 23 | Jaeyub Chung     | Purdue<br>University | Surface Tension Behavior of Aqueous<br>Solutions of a Propoxylated Surfactant<br>and Interfacial Tension Behavior against<br>a Crude Oil | Jaeyub Chung, Prof. Bryan W. Boudouris, and Prof. Elias I. Franses   |

| 24 | Varad Vinayak<br>Agarkar | Purdue<br>University                       |  | Varad Agarkar, Yongho Joo, Bryan W. Boudouris  |
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| 25 | Yongho Joo               | Purdue<br>University                       | Doping Effect of Radical Polymer on SWCNT Electrode  | Yongho Joo, Sanjoy Mukherjee, Bryan W. Boudouris   |
| 26 | Shane Russell            | Purdue<br>University                       | A Spectroscopic Probe of Noncovalent<br>Monolayer Ordering on Layered<br>Materials   | Shane R. Russell, Shelley A. Claridge  |
| 27 | Heather Siebert          | Purdue<br>University                       | Mimicking Nature to Design<br>Biodegradable Adhesives from<br>Renewable Resources  | Heather Siebert, Courtney Jenkins, Jonathan Wilker   |
| 28 | Erfan Mohammadi          | University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign | Dynamic-template-directed multiscale assembly for large-area coating of highly-aligned conjugated polymer thin films   | Erfan Mohammadi, Ying Diao   |
| 29 | Ziyuan Song              | University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign | Modulation of polypeptide conformation through donor-acceptor transformation of side-chain hydrogen bonding ligands  | Ziyuan Song, Rachael A. Mansbach, Hua He, Ryan<br>Baumgartner, Andrew L. Ferguson, Lichen Yin, Jianjun Cheng |
| 30 | Michael VandenBerg       | University of<br>Notre Dame                | Peptide-functionalized benzenetricarboxamides as supramolecular biomaterials   | Michael VandenBerg, Matthew Webber   |
| 31 | Qinnan Zhang             | University of<br>Notre Dame                |  |  |
| 32 | Feng Gao                 | University of<br>Notre Dame                | The Effects of Charge Patterning on Ion<br>Transport through Charge Mosaic<br>Membranes  | Feng Gao, Aaron Hunter, William Phillip  |
| 33 | Weiping Gan              | University of<br>Notre Dame                | Explore the Effect of Ligand on the<br>Synthesis of Hyperbranched Polymers<br>via Copper-catalyzed Azide-Alkyne<br>Cycloaddition (CuAAC) Polymerization of<br>AB2 monomers | Weiping Gan, Xiaosong Cao, Yi Shi, Lei Zou and Haifeng Gao*  |
| 34 | RUIMIN MA                | University of<br>Notre Dame                | Interfacial thermal transport in boron nitride nanocomposite   | Ruimin Ma, Teng Zhang, Nuo Yang, Tengfei Luo   |

| 35 | Xingfei Wei    | University of<br>Notre Dame | Molecular Fin Effect from Heterogeneous<br>Self-Assembled Monolayer Enhances<br>Thermal Conductance across Hard-Soft<br>Interfaces | Xingfei Wei, Teng Zhang, Tengfei Luo  |
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| 36 | Yizhou Zhang   | University of<br>Notre Dame | High-flux, high capacity membrane adsorber platform based on block copolymer composite   | Yizhou Zhang, William A. Phillip  |
| 37 | Drake Neilands | University of<br>Notre Dame | rROP of MPDL: Improved Kinetics<br>Through Miniemulsion  | Drake Neilands, Haifeng Gao   |
| 38 | Xiaosong Cao   | University of<br>Notre Dame | Orthogonal Loading of Various<br>Functional Groups onto One<br>Hyperbranched Polymer with Layered<br>Structure                     | Xiaosong Cao, Yi Shi, Weiping Gan, Haifeng Gao                              |
| 39 | zou lei        | University of<br>Notre Dame | Molecularly Well Defined Nanomedicine with Quantitative Modular Drug Loading   | Lei Zou, Matthew Webber   |
| 40 | Jugal Sahoo    | University of<br>Notre Dame | Self-Assembly of Tripeptide amphiphiles and their Sequence-Dependent Nanostructures  | Jugal Kishore Sahoo, Calvin Nazareth, Michael VandenBerg, Matthew J. Webber |
| 41 | Hunter Ford    | University of<br>Notre Dame | Crosslinked Ionomer Films For Use As<br>Magnesium Sulfur Battery Cathode<br>Coatings   | Hunter O. Ford, Laura C. Merrill, Jennifer L. Schaefer                      |
| 42 | Tanner Corrado | University of<br>Notre Dame | Enhanced gas separation performance in a novel triptycene-incorporated polysulfone membrane  | Tanner Corrado, Joseph Aboki, Shuangjiang Luo, Ruilan Guo                   |
| 43 | Hannah Naguib  | University of Notre Dame    | Synthesis of Hyperbranched Polymers with Post-Functionalization Specificity  | Hannah Naguib, Xiaosong Cao, Haifeng Gao                                    |
| 44 | Reaz Chowdhury | Purdue<br>University        | Continuous roll-to-roll fabrication of transparent cellulose nanocrystal (CNC) coatings with controlled anisotropy                 | Reaz A Chowdhury, Jeffrey Youngblood  |
| 45 | MD NURUDDIN    | Purdue<br>University        | Leaching of Organic Molecules From Cured-In-Place Pipe (CIPP)  | Md Nuruddin, John Howarter, Jeffrey Youngblood                              |
| 46 | Amelia Putnam  | Purdue<br>University        | Enhancing the adhesive bonding of a low-modulus, biomimetic polymer  | Amelia A. Putnam, Jonathan J. Wilker  |

| 47 | Armen Yildirim   | Purdue<br>University        | Production of Flexible and Transparent PZT/Graphene based Piezonanogenerators (PENGs) for Self-Powered Electronics and Sensor Applications | Armen Yildirim, Siamak Shams Es-haghi, Tingting Shen, Joerg Appenzeller, Miko Cakmak                      |
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| 48 | Terry Villarreal | Purdue<br>University        | Modulating wettability of layered materials by controlling ligand polar headgroup dynamics   | Terry A Villarreal, Shane R Russell, Jae Jin Bang, Justin K Patterson, Jacob T Brooks, Shelley A Claridge |
| 49 | Zijiong Li       | Purdue<br>Unversity         | Activated pyrene decorated graphene with enhanced performance for electrochemical energy storage   | Zijiong Li, Weiyang Zhang, Yanchun Li, and Zhen Qin   |
| 50 | Ashlin Porter    | Purdue<br>University        | Controlling Wettability of 2-D Materials<br>Through Lateral Hydrogen Bonding<br>Networks in Noncovalent Monolayers                         | Ashlin G. Porter, Ashley M. Arcidiacono, Jae Jin Bang, Shane R. Russell, Shelley A. Claridge              |
| 51 | Tingting Shen    | Purdue<br>University        | Production of Flexible and Transparent PZT/Graphene based Piezonanogenerators (PENGs) for Self-Powered Electronics and Sensor Applications | Armen Yildirim, Siamak Shams Es- Haghi, Tingting Shen,<br>Joerg Appenzeller, Miko Cakmak                  |
| 52 | Jae Jin Bang     | Purdue<br>University        | Investigating mechanisms of Langmuir-<br>Schaefer transfer for controlled assembly<br>of amphiphiles on layered materials                  | Jae Jln Bang, Tyson C. Davis, Shelley A. Claridge   |
| 53 | Rachel Fadler    | Indiana<br>University       | Phosphate-templated Rotaxanes Towards Molecular Machines   | Rachel E. Fadler, Bo Qiao, Niklas F. König, Jean-François<br>Lutz, Abhishek Singharoy, Amar H. Flood      |
| 54 | Yunsong Pang     | University of<br>Notre Dame | Polyethylene/Graphene Nanocomposite Film with Superior Mechanical Strength   | Junlong Yang, Tengfei Luo   |
| 55 | Gregory Kline    | University of<br>Notre Dame | New Macromolecular Design of PEO-rich<br>Membranes for CO2-selective gas<br>separations  | Gregory K. Kline, Jennifer R. Weidman, Qinnan Zhang, and Ruilan Guo                                       |
| 56 | Monessha Nambiar | Purdue<br>University        | Higher-order assembly of coiled-coil trimers into banded microstructures   | Monessha Nambiar, Li-Sheng Wang, Jean Chmielewski   |

| 57 | Maria Guix Noguera | Purdue<br>University                    | Advanced Micro-Force Sensing Mobile Microrobots with polymeric-based compliant structures for mechanobiological studies and theranostics | Maria Guix, Jianxiong Wang, Ze An, Benjamin V. Johnson, David Cappelleri   |
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| 58 | Yelin Ni           | Purdue<br>University                    | Linear Viscoelastic Relaxation For<br>Crosslinked Polymer Network Above<br>Glass Transition  | Yelin Ni, Grigori A. Medvedev, James M. Caruthers  |
| 59 | Ge Qu              | University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign | Understanding Interfacial Alignment in Solution Coated Conjugated Polymer Thin Films   | Ge Qu, Xikang Zhao, Gregory M. Newbloom, Fengjiao Zhang,<br>Erfan Mohammadi, Joseph W. Strzalka, Lilo D. Pozzo, Jianguo<br>Mei , Ying Diao |
| 60 | Vikramjit Rathee   | University of<br>Notre Dame             |  |  |
| 61 | Md Rejaul Hoq      | Purdue<br>University                    | Development of Inhibitor Modified Affinity<br>Capture Grids for High Resolution Single<br>Particle Reconstruction Analysis of p97        | Md Rejaul Hoq, Advisor: David H. Thompson.   |
| 62 | Yuichi Hirai       | University of<br>Notre Dame             | Luminescence of lanthanide(III) coordination polymers induced by UV irradiation and mechanical force                                     | Yuichi Hirai, Takayuki Nakanishi, Yuichi Kitagawa, Koji<br>Fushimi, Yasuchika Hasegawa   |
| 63 | Chelsea Davis      | Purdue<br>University                    | Mechanophore Activation in a Cross-<br>Linked Polymer Matrix via Instrumented<br>Scratch   | Chelsea Davis  |
| 64 | Ruibo Wang         | UIUC                                    | Controlled Ring-Opening Polymerization of O-Carboxyanhydrides Using β-Diiminate Zinc Catalyst  | Ruibo Wang   |
| 65 | Liyan You          | Purdue<br>University                    | Tunable green electrochromic polymers via C-H activation   | Liyan You, Jiazhi He, Jianguo Mei*   |