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#### Summary

**Research Program:** Design and development of macromolecular nanoscale devices for biomedical and materials science applications with five streams: A) Delivery nanoassemblies for enhanced drug release, B) DL-DSRD strategy for advanced delivery nanoassemblies, C) Stimuli-responsive degradable nanomaterials, D) Multidentate block copolymer strategy for magnetic resonance imaging, E) Crosslinked and self-healable networks

#### Scholarship:

Peer-reviewed research articles: 105 (71 since 2010 at Concordia); Invited book chapters: 7; Issued international patents: 16 (since 1992); Peer-reviewed conference proceedings: 101; Invited talks: 79; Google Scholar: citation = 7003, h-index = 36, i10-index = 71

#### Grants:

Federal-NSERC: Discovery (renewed in 2016), CRC (renewed in 2016), CREATE, 3 Engage, 2 Connect; CFI; Quebec-FRQNT: New Researcher, Team, 4 FRQNT/CQMF Team; International: PPG, Korean Ministry of Knowledge Economy, KRICT (contract); Concordia- Individual, 3 team, IOF, start-up; >2.3 M CD\$ for operating and equipment grants since 2010

#### Mentorship:

Current PhD: 3, Current MSs: 6, Graduated PhD: 1, Graduated MSs: 6, PostDoc: 5, Undergraduate project student: 13, Visiting scholar: 4, Research assistant: 6

#### Awards:

Tier II Canada Research Chair in Nanobioscience (2011-2021), Emerging Materials Chemistry Investigator in CSC meeting (2016), Concordia Faculty Dean's Award for Excellence in Scholarship-Mid-Career (2016), CNC-IUPAC Travel Award (2013), PCI Outstanding Paper Award (2010)

#### **Professional:**

A Section Editor-in-Chief for "Biomaterials" of Materials (2012-)

Editorial boards for 4 journals: *Polymers* (2009-), *Dataset Papers for Nanotechnology* (2012-), *International Research Journal of Pure and Applied Chemistry* (2013-), *Asian Journal of Materials Chemistry* (2016-)

Guest editors for Materials (2012) and Molecular Pharmaceutics (2017)

Co-organizer: 4 symposia in CSC (2012, 2016, & 2018) and Polymer Chemistry (2018) meetings Reviewer: >245 manuscripts for >25 journals since 2005 and 12 grant proposals since 2011

## **Positions & Employment History**

2019 -	Full Professor, Concordia University, Montreal, QC
2019 (1 M)	Visiting Professor, Sung Kyun Kwan University, Suwon, Korea
2018 (2 M)	Visiting Professor, KRICT, Ulsan, Korea
2011 - 2021	Canada Research Chair Tier II (Nanobioscience), Concordia University, Montreal, QC
2015 - 2019	Associate Professor, Concordia University, Montreal, QC
2010 - 2015	Assistant Professor, Concordia University, Montreal, QC
2007 - 2010	Senior Research Scientist, Dow Chemical Company, Midland, MI
1992 - 1999	Research Scientist, Korea Chemical Company, Seoul, Korea

## Academic Background & Postdoctoral Training

2005 - 2007	NSERC PDF, Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA
	Advisor: Krzysztof Matyjaszewski
2004 - 2005	PDF (short term for 10 months), University of Toronto, Toronto, ON
	Advisor: Mitchell A. Winnik
2000 - 2004	Ph.D. in Chemistry, University of Toronto, Toronto, ON
	Advisor: Mitchell A. Winnik
1990 - 1992	<b>M.Sc.</b> in Chemistry, Hanyang University, Seoul, Korea
	Advisor: Younghi Kwon
1985 - 1989	<b>B.Sc.</b> in Chemistry, Hanyang University, Seoul, Korea (1985-1989)

## **Research Supports and Funding**

**NSERC:** Natural Science and Engineering Research Council in Canada **FRQNT:** Le Fonds de recherche du Québec – Nature et technologies

## Currently-held Grants:

- **Concordia: Horizon Postdoctoral Fellowship**, Development of smart nanostructured crosslinked networks, \$76,000, 2019-2021, 100%.
- FRQNT: Centre Québécois sur les Matériaux Fonctionnels (CQMF) Team Grant, Chiral luminescent amino acid-based metallogels, \$20,000, 2019-2021, 33%; with L. Cuccia (Concordia)-PI & F. Vetrone (INRS).
- **MITACS: Globalink Research Award**, Incorporation of SRD micelles into polymer films of the Sericina/PVA blend as curatives for controlled drug release. \$6,000, 2019, 100%; (Intern to Concordia: Dr. Fernando Reinoldo Scremin from Federal Technological University of Paraná in Brazil)
- **Concordia: Team/Accelerator Grant**, Self-healing polymers for battery applications, \$40,000, 2019, 33%; with X. Wang (Engineering)-PI & L. Cuccia (Chemistry).
- **NSERC: Engage**, Development of a facile strategy to synthesize PLA-based reduction-responsive shell-sheddable nanoassemblies for drug delivery, \$25,000, 2019, 100%; supported with APM.
- NSERC: Collaborative research and training experience (CREATE), Polymer nanoparticles (POND) for drug delivery, \$1,650,000 (\$150,000 for 1<sup>st</sup> year, \$300,000 for 5 years, 2017-2023, 12.5%); PI: M. Moffitt (Victoria) with 7 Co-PIs [Concordia (1), Victoria (3), Toronto (2), & Laval (1)].
- **FRQNT: Team Grant**. A new paradigm for therapeutic nucleic acid delivery, \$162,000, 2018-2021, 50%; with C. Wilds (Concordia).
- **FRQNT: CQMF Team Grant**, Development of robust self-healable luminescent crosslinked films based on block copolymer stabilized semiconductor conjugated polymers, \$20,000, 2018-2020, 50%; with F. Morin (Laval).
- NSERC: Tier II Canada Research Chair (renewed), Development of advanced nanomaterials for biomedical and industrial applications, \$500,000, 2016-2021, 100%.

• **NSERC: Discovery Grant**, Exploring stimuli-responsive degradation: a versatile platform to develop multifunctional polymeric nanomaterials, \$150,000, 2016-2021, 100%.

#### Training Grants:

• NSERC: Collaborative research and training experience (CREATE), Polymer nanoparticles (POND) for drug delivery, \$1,650,000 (\$150,000 for 1<sup>st</sup> year, \$300,000 for 5 years, 2017-2023, 12.5%); PI: M. Moffitt (Victoria) with 7 Co-PIs [Concordia (1), Victoria (3), Toronto (2), & Laval (1)].

## Research Contractes:

• Korea Research Institute of Chemical Technology (KRICT): Development of novel methods to synthesize self-healable materials, \$220,000, 2014-2016, 100%.

## **Operating Grants:**

- FRQNT: Centre Québécois sur les Matériaux Fonctionnels (CQMF) Team Grant, Chiral luminescent amino acid-based metallogels, \$20,000, 2019-2021, 33%; with L. Cuccia (Concordia)-PI & F. Vetrone (INRS).
- **NSERC: Engage**, Development of a facile strategy to synthesize PLA-based reduction-responsive shell-sheddable nanoassemblies for drug delivery, \$25,000, 2019, 100%; supported with APM.
- **FRQNT: Team Grant**. A new paradigm for therapeutic nucleic acid delivery, \$162,000, 2018-2021, 50%; with C. Wilds (Concordia).
- FRQNT: CQMF Team Grant, Development of robust self-healable luminescent crosslinked films based on block copolymer stabilized semiconductor conjugated polymers, \$20,000, 2018-2020, 50%; with F. Morin (Laval).
- **NSERC: Engage**, Development of robust self-healable heterogeneous crosslinked films, \$25,000, 2018, 100%; supported with Dural.
- **NSERC: Engage**, Microfluidic assembly of dual enzyme and oxidation-responsive polyesters, \$25,000, 2017, 100%; supported with Precision NanoSystems.
- NSERC: Tier II Canada Research Chair (renewed), Development of advanced nanomaterials for biomedical and industrial applications, \$500,000, 2016-2021, 100%.
- **NSERC: Discovery Grant**, Exploring stimuli-responsive degradation: a versatile platform to develop multifunctional polymeric nanomaterials, \$150,000, 2016-2021, 100%.
- FRQNT: CQMF Team Grant, Exploration of mussel-inspired multidentate block copolymer strategy to develop water-soluble near infrared emitting quantum dots with excellent colloidal stability, \$20,000, 2016-2018, 50%; with D. Ma (INRS).
- FRQNT: CQMF Team Grant, A new "link-cut' technique to functionalize graphene as catalyst supports in fuel cells, \$20,000, 2015-2017, 50%; with S. Sun (INRS).
- Korean Ministry of Knowledge Economy: Development of self-healing polymeric materials with reversible crosslinks, \$111,000, 2013-2015, 100%.
- **FRQNT: CQMF Team grant**, Characterization of plasmas used for deposition of coatings, \$20,000, 2012-2014, 50%; with G. Laroche (Laval).
- FRQNT: CQMF Team grant, Multidentate block copolymers: a novel platform to stabilize superparamagnetic nanoparticles for tumor diagnosis using MRI, \$20,000, 2012-2014, 50%; with M. Fortin (Laval).
- **PPG Korea**: Development of UV-curable thiol-ene automotive top coatings, \$100,000, 2011-2013, 100%.
- NSERC: Tier II Canada Research Chair, Development of acid-cleavable biopolymer-based nanogels for simultaneous diagnosis and treatment of tumors using MRI, \$225,000, 2011-2016, 100%.
- **NSERC: Discovery Grant**, Development of degradable nanostructured biomaterials, \$140,000, 2011-2016, 100%.
- **FRQNT: Etablissement de Nouveaux Chercheurs**, Development of a new generation of rapid thermoresponsive hydrogels as effective tissue scaffolds, \$40,000, 2011-2013, 100%.

## Concordia University: Office of the VP Research:

- Horizon Postdoctoral Fellowship, Development of smart nanostructured crosslinked networks, \$76,000, 2019-2021, 100%.
- Team/Accelerator Grant, Self-healing polymers for battery applications, \$40,000, 2019, 33%; with X. Wang (Engineering)-PI & L. Cuccia (Chemistry).
- Team/Seed Grant, Development of self-healing polymers for battery applications, \$20,000, 2018, 33%; with X. Wang (Engineering)-PI & L. Cuccia (Chemistry).
- Aid to Research Related Events (ARRE), Dissemination and CSC symposium organization, \$5,000, 2016, 100%.
- Team/Accelerator Grant, Establishing a research platform for cancer therapy, \$40,000, 2016, 33%; with P. Forgione (Chemistry) & A. Piekny (Biology).
- Team/Seed Grant, Development of integrated protocols for cancer treatment, \$20,000, 2015, 33%; with P. Forgione & A. Piekny.
- Individual/seed funding, Intrinsic self-healing polymeric materials with reversible crosslinks, \$5,767, 2013, 100%.
- Team Grant, Development of dual oligonucleotide therapeutic and drug delivery nanocarriers, \$13,000, 2012, 50%; with C. Wilds (Chemistry).
- ARRE, Organizing a Symposium at 95<sup>th</sup> Canada Chemistry Conference and Exhibition in 2012, \$1,840, 100%.
- Capital Equipment Start-up Funds, Design and processing of macromolecular nanoscale biomaterials for biomedical applications, \$100,000, 2010, 100%.
- Faculty Research Development Funds, Design and processing of macromolecular nanoscale biomaterials for biomedical applications, \$15,000, 2010, 100%.

## Equipment Grants:

- **Concordia**: Support for CRC infrastructure upgrade-2<sup>nd</sup> renewal, \$30,000, 2016, 100%.
- **Concordia: ENCS Capital Research Innovation Fund**, A mini extruder for the processing, \$190,000, 2016, 20%; with H. Suong-PI.
- **Concordia: Infrastructure Operating Fund (IOF)**, Support to maintain CFI infrastructure of synthetic and structural polymer research facilities, \$35,000, 2013-2017, 100%.
- **FRQNT: Etablissement de Nouveaux Chercheurs**, Particle size analyzer for characterization of dispersed particles, \$36,000, 2011, 100%.
- **Canadian Foundation of Innovation (CFI): Leaders Opportunity Funds**, Synthetic and structural polymer research facilities, \$300,000, 2011, 100%.

## Travel Grants:

- **MITACS: Globalink Research Award**, Incorporation of SRD micelles into polymer films of the Sericina/PVA blend as curatives for controlled drug release. \$6,000, 2019, 100%; (Intern to Concordia: Dr. Fernando Reinoldo Scremin from Federal Technological University of Paraná in Brazil)
- **NSERC: Connect Grant**, Acidic pH-responsive drug delivery, \$2,100, 2019, 100%.
- **MITACS: Globalink Research Award**, In vivo evaluation of smart nanocarriers for cancer therapy, \$6,000, 2018, 100%; (Intern to China: Arman Moini Jazeni at Concordia).
- **NSERC: Connect Grant**, Development of integrated protocols utilizing microfluidic technology for cancer therapy, \$3,900, 2016, 100%.
- **NSERC: Interaction Grant**, Development of highly tunable polysulfide-crosslinked thiol-ene networks, \$2,200, 2014, 100%.

## Peer-reviewed Journal and Book Chapter Publications:

In the listed authors, the star (\*) highlights the principal investigator and the # indicates my trainees, including graduate and undergraduate students, postdoctoral fellows, and research associates, who contributed to works under my supervision.

[A105] A. Moini Jazani,<sup>#</sup> N. Arezi,<sup>#</sup> C. Shetty,<sup>#</sup> S. H. Hong,<sup>#</sup> H. Li, X. Wang, <u>J. K. Oh</u>.\*Tumor-targeting intracellular drug delivery based on dual acid/reduction-degradable nanoassemblies with ketal interface and disulfide core locations. *Polymer Chemistry* **2019**, *10*, 2840–2853.

[A104] F. Yang, A. Skripka, M. S. Tabatabaei, S. H. Hong,<sup>#</sup> F. Ren, Y. Huang, <u>J. K. Oh</u>, S. Martel, X. Liu, F. Vetrone,<sup>\*</sup> D. Ma.<sup>\*</sup> Magnetic-photoluminescent nanoplatform built from large-pore mesoporous silica. *Chemistry of Materials* **2019**, *31*, 3201-3210.

[A103] <u>J. K. Oh</u>.\* (Review) Disassembly and tumor-targeting drug delivery of reduction-responsive degradable block copolymer nanoassemblies. *Polymer Chemistry* **2019**, *10*, 1554-1568.

[A102] F. Yang, A. Skripka, M. S. Tabatabaei, S. H. Hong,<sup>#</sup> F. Ren, A. Benayas, <u>J. K. Oh</u>, S. Martel, X. Liu, F. Vetrone,<sup>\*</sup> D. Ma.<sup>\*</sup> Multifunctional self-assembled supernanoparticles for deep-tissue bimodal imaging and amplified dual-mode heating treatment. *ACS Nano* **2019**, *13*, 408-420.

[A101] K. K. Bawa,<sup>#</sup> A. Moini Jazani,<sup>#</sup> C. Shetty,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>.\* PLA-based triblock copolymer micelles exhibiting dual acidic pH/reduction responses at dual core and core/corona interface location. *Macromolecular Rapid Communications* **2018**, 39, 1800477.

[A100] S. H. Hong,<sup>#</sup> K. Larocque, D. Jaunky, A. Piekny, <u>J. K. Oh</u>.\* Dual disassembly and biological evaluation of enzyme/oxidation-responsive polyester-based nanoparticulates for targeted delivery of anticancer therapeutics. *Colloids and Surfaces B: Biointerfaces* **2018**, *172*, 608-617.

[A99] A. Moini Jazani,<sup>#</sup> N. Arezi,<sup>#</sup> K. Maruya-Li,<sup>#</sup> S. Jung,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>.\* Facile strategies to synthesize dual location dual acidic pH/reduction-responsive degradable block copolymers bearing acetal/disulfide block junctions and disulfide pendants. *ACS Omega* **2018**, *3*, 8980–8991.

[A98] S. H. Hong,<sup>#</sup> T. Patel,<sup>#</sup> S. Ip, S. Garg, <u>J. K. Oh</u>.\* Microfluidic assembly to synthesize dual enzyme/oxidation-responsive polyester-based nanoparticulates with controlled sizes for drug delivery. *Langmuir* **2018**, *34*, 3316-3324.

[A97] W. Xiao,<sup>#</sup> P. Legros, P. Chevallier, J. Lagueux, <u>J. K. Oh</u>,\* M. A. Fortin.\* Superparamagnetic iron oxide nanoparticles stabilized with multidentate block copolymers for optimal vascular contrast in T<sub>1</sub>-weighted MRI. *ACS Applied Nano Materials* **2018**, *1*, 894-907.

[A96] F. Yang, J. Xu, A. Skripka, A. Benaya, X. Dong, S. H. Hong,<sup>#</sup> F. Ren, Z. Yang, F. Vetrone, <u>J. K. Oh</u>, X. Liu, D. Ma.\* An Integrated multifunctional nanoplatform for deep-tissue dual-mode imaging. *Advanced Functional Materials* **2018**, *28*, 1706235.

[A95] S. Jung,<sup>#</sup> T. Patel,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>.\* Thermally-labile self-healable branched gel networks fabricated by new macromolecular engineering approach utilizing thermoreversibility. *Macromolecular Rapid Communications* **2018**, *39*, 1700575.

[A94] A. Moini Jazani,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>.\* Dual location dual acidic pH/reduction-responsive degradable block copolymer: synthesis and investigation of ketal linkage instability under ATRP conditions. *Macromolecules* **2017**, *50*, 9427-9436.

[A93] S. Jung,<sup>#</sup> J. K. Oh.\* Well-defined methacrylate copolymer having reactive maleimide pendants for fabrication of thermally-labile crosslinked networks with robust self-healing. *Materials Today Communications* **2017**, *13*, 241-247.

[A92] K. K. Bawa,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>.\* Stimuli-responsive degradable polylactide-based block copolymer nanoassemblies for controlled/enhanced drug delivery. *Molecular Pharmaceutics* **2017**, *14*, 2460-2474. (**Invited article** for a special issue entitled "Polymers in Drug Delivery: Chemistry and Applications")

[A91] S. Jung,<sup>#</sup> S. Y. Kim, J. C. Kim, S. M. Noh, <u>J. K. Oh</u>.\* Room temperature induced Diels-Alder crosslinked polymeric networks with thermal reversibility and self-healability. *RSC Advances* **2017**, *7*, 26496-26506.

[A90] R. S. Kalhapure,\* S. Rambharose, D. R. Sikwal, C. Mocktar, S. Singh, L. Bester, <u>J. K. Oh</u>, T. Govender. Enhancing targeted antibiotic therapy via pH responsive solid lipid nanoparticles from an acid cleavable lipid. *Nanomedicine: Nanotechnology, Biology, and Medicine*. **2017**, *13*, 2067-2077.

[A89] D. Biswas,<sup>#</sup> S. Y. An,<sup>#</sup> Y. Li, X. Wang, <u>J. K. Oh</u>.\* Intracellular delivery colloidally-stable corecrosslinked triblock copolymer micelles with glutathione-responsive enhanced drug release for cancer therapy. *Molecular Pharmaceutics* **2017**, *14*, 2518-2528. (**Invited article** for a special issue entitled "Polymers in Drug Delivery: Chemistry and Applications")

[A88] S. Y. An,<sup>#</sup> S. M. Noh, <u>J. K. Oh</u>.\* Multiblock copolymer-based dual dynamic disulfide and supramolecular crosslinked self-healing networks. *Macromolecular Rapid Communications* **2017**, *38*, 1600772.

[A87] F. Ren, B. Rosal, S. Y. An,<sup>#</sup> F. Yang, E. Carrasco, A. Benayas, <u>J. K. Oh</u>, D. Jaque,\* Á. J. de la Fuente, F. Vetrone,\* D. Ma.\* Development and investigation of ultrastable PbS/CdS/ZnS quantum dots for near-infrared tumor imaging. *Particle & Particle Systems Characterization*. **2017**, *34*, 1600242.

[A86] S. Jung,<sup>#</sup> J. T. Liu,<sup>#</sup> S. H. Hong,<sup>#</sup> D. Arunbabu,<sup>#</sup> S. M. Noh, <u>J. K. Oh</u>.\* A new reactive polymethacrylate bearing pendant furfuryl groups: synthesis, thermoreversible reactions, and self-healing. *Polymer* **2017**, *109*, 58-65.

[A85] Q. Zhang,\* S. Yang, T. Zhu, <u>J. K. Oh</u>, P. Li. Soft nano-coupling between silica and gold nanoparticles based on block copolymer. *Reactive and Functional Polymer* **2017**, 110, 30-37.

[A84] D. Arunbabu,<sup>#</sup> S. M. Noh, J. H. Nam, <u>J. K. Oh</u>.\* Thermoreversible self-healing networks based on a tunable polymethacrylate crosslinker having pendant maleimide groups. *Macromolecular Chemistry and Physics* **2016**, *217*, 2191-2198.

[A83] P. Li,<sup>#</sup> W. Xiao,<sup>#</sup> P. Chevallier, D. Biswas,<sup>#</sup> X. Ottenwaelder, M. A. Fortin, <u>J. K. Oh</u>.\* Extremely small iron oxide nanoparticles stabilized with catechol-functionalized multidentate block copolymer for enhanced MRI. *ChemistrySelect* **2016**, *1*, 4087-4091.

[A82] D. G. Lee,<sup>#</sup> S. Y. An,<sup>#</sup> M. S. Um, S. M. Noh, H W, Jung, <u>J. K. Oh</u>.<sup>\*</sup> Photo-induced thiol-ene crosslinked polymethacrylate networks reinforced with  $Al_2O_3$  nanoparticles. *Polymer* **2016**, *101*, 119-126.

[A81] S. Y. An,<sup>#</sup> S. H. Hong,<sup>#</sup> C. Tang, <u>J. K. Oh</u>.\* Rosin-based block copolymer intracellular delivery nanocarriers with reduction-responsive sheddable coronas for cancer therapy. *Polymer chemistry* **2016**, *7*, 4751-4760.

[A80] S. Y. An,<sup>#</sup> S. Sun, <u>J. K. Oh</u>.\* Reduction-responsive sheddable carbon nanotubes dispersed in aqueous solution. *Macromolecular Rapid Communications* **2016**, *37*, 705–710.

[A79] X. Zhang, Q. Zhang,\* C. Xie, A. Gao, Z. Chang, <u>J. K. Oh</u>, P. Yang, P. Li\* Phosphonated Homo- and Copolymers via Ring Opening Metathesis Polymerization: T<sub>g</sub> Tuning, Flame-resistance and Photolithography. *Journal of Polymer Science. Part A: Polymer Chemistry* **2016**, *54*, 1396–1408.

[A78] D. Biswas,<sup>#</sup> P. Li,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>.\* Enhanced encapsulation of superparamagnetic Fe<sub>3</sub>O<sub>4</sub> in acidic corecontaining micelles for magnetic resonance imaging. *RSC Advances* **2015**, *5*, 107938-107948.

[A77] Y. Wang, Q. Zhang,\* C. Xie, X. Zhao, J. Niu, J. Zhao, <u>J. K. Oh</u>, P. Li, P. Li. Free radical nano scavenger based on amphiphilic novolacs. *RSC Advances* **2015**, *5*, 95666-95673.

[A76] P. Li,<sup>#</sup> P. Chevallier, P. Ramrup, D. Biswas,<sup>#</sup> D. Vuckovich, M.-A. Fortin, <u>J. K. Oh</u>.\* Mussel-inspired multidentate block copolymer to stabilize ultrasmall superparamagnetic Fe<sub>3</sub>O<sub>4</sub> for magnetic resonance imaging contrast enhancement and excellent colloidal stability. *Chemistry of Materials*, **2015**, *27*, 7100-7109.

[A75] T. Sun,<sup>#</sup> P. Li,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>.\* Dual location dual reduction and photo-responsive degradable block copolymer micelles: disassembly and synergistic release, *Macromolecular Rapid Communications* **2015**, 36, 1742-1748. (**invited back cover**)

[A74] S. Y. An,<sup>#</sup>D. Arunbabu,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>.\* Recent advances of self-healable polymeric networks. *Chemical Communications* **2015**, *51*, 13058-13070. (invited back cover)

[A73] S. Y. An,<sup>#</sup> S. M. Noh, J. H. Kim, <u>J. K. Oh</u>.\* Dual sulfide-disulfide crosslinked networks with rapid and room temperature self-healability. *Macromolecular Rapid Communications* **2015**, *36*, 1255-1260. (**invited back cover**)

[A72] Y. Wen,<sup>#</sup> J. K. Oh.\* Intracellular delivery cellulose-based bionanogels with dual temperature/pH-response for cancer therapy, *Colloids and Surfaces B: Biointerfaces* **2015**, *133*, 246-253.

[A71] K. Rahimian,<sup>#</sup> Y. Wen,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>.\* Redox-responsive cellulose-based thermoresponsive grafted copolymers and in-situ disulfide crosslinked nanogels. *Polymer* **2015**, *72*, 387-394. (**Invited article**)

[A70] N. R. Ko,<sup>#</sup> J. Cheong, A. Noronha, C. J. Wilds,<sup>\*</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>.<sup>\*</sup> Reductively-sheddable cationic nanocarriers for dual chemotherapy and gene therapy with enhanced release. *Colloids and Surfaces B: Biointerfaces* **2015**, *126*, 178-187.

[A69] S. M. Noh, J. H. Nam, <u>J. K. Oh</u>, H. W. Jeong. Scratch and recovery characteristics of automotive clearcoats containing blocked polyisocyanate crosslinkers. *Journal of Coatings Technology and Research* **2014**, *12*, 85-95.

[A68] Y. Wen,<sup>#</sup> J. K. Oh.\* Recent strategies to develop polysaccharide-based nanomaterials for biomedical applications. *Macromolecular Rapid Communications* **2014**, *35*, 1819-1832.

[A67] S. Y. An,<sup>#</sup> D. K. Lee, J. W. Hwang, J. H. Nam, H. W. Jung, S. M. Noh, <u>J. K. Oh</u>.\* Photo-induced thiol-ene polysulfide-crosslinked materials with tunable thermal and mechanical properties. *Journal of Polymer Science. Part A: Polymer Chemistry* **2014**, *52*, 3060-3068.

[A66] A. Cunningham,<sup>#</sup> N. R. Ko,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>.\* Synthesis and reduction-responsive disassembly of PLAbased mono-cleavable micelles. *Colloids and Surfaces B: Biointerfaces* **2014**, *122*, 693-700.

[A65] N. R. Ko,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>.\* Glutathione-triggered disassembly of dual disulfide located degradable nanocarriers of polylactide-based block copolymers for rapid drug release. *Biomacromolecules* **2014**, *15*, 3180-3189.

[A64] N. Chan,<sup>#</sup> P. Li,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>.\* Chain length effect of multidentate block copolymer strategy to stabilize ultrasmall Fe<sub>3</sub>O<sub>4</sub> nanoparticles. *ChemPlusChem* **2014**, *79*, 1342-1351. (Nominated article for a special edition entitled "Early Career Series")

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[A62] N. Chan, <sup>#</sup> N. Yee, <sup>#</sup> S. Y. An, <sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh.</u>\* Tuning amphiphilic and thermoresponsive self-assembly and in situ disulfide crosslinking of reduction-responsive block copolymers. *Journal of Polymer Science*. *Part A: Polymer Chemistry* **2014**, *52*, 2057-2067.

[A61] N. Chan,<sup>#</sup> S. Y. An,<sup>#</sup> N. Yee,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh.</u>\* Dual redox and thermo-responsive double hydrophilic block copolymers with tunable thermoresponsive properties and self-assembly behavior. *Macromolecular Rapid Communications* **2014**, *35*, 752-757.

[A60] N. Chan,<sup>#</sup> H. W. Jung, S. M. Noh, <u>J. K. Oh</u>.\* Functional amphiphilic oligo(ethylene oxide) methacrylate based block copolymers: synthesis by ARGET ATRP and aqueous micellization. *Polymer International* **2014**, *63*, 858-867. (**Invited article** for a special issue entitled "Controlled radical synthesis/ATRP")

[Å59] N. R. Ko,<sup>#</sup> G. Sabbatier, A. Cunningham,<sup>#</sup> G. Laroche,<sup>\*</sup> J. K. Oh.<sup>\*</sup> Air-spun PLA fibers modified with reductively-sheddable hydrophilic surfaces for vascular tissue engineering: synthesis and surface modification. *Macromolecular Rapid Communications* **2014**, *35*, 447-453. (**Invited article** for a special issue entitled "Precisely controlled polymer architectures via molecular engineering")

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[IP25] Dual disassembly of smart block copolymers for location-specific enhanced drug release, Macromolecular Science Engineering Division. 101<sup>st</sup> Canadian Chemistry Conference and Exhibition, Edmonton, AB, Canada, May **2018**.

[IP24] Tumor-targeting smart nanomedicines exhibiting enhanced drug release. 1<sup>st</sup> Korea-Quebec-France Workshop on Nanomaterials and Advanced Functional Materials, Seoul, Korea, November **2017**.

[IP23] Multidentate block copolymer strategy to fabricate aqueous colloids of iron oxide nanoparticles for MRI contrast enhancement. 254<sup>th</sup> American Chemical Society National Meeting, Washington DC, USA, August **2017**.

[IP22] ML-MSRD strategy of block copolymers for cancer therapy. 8<sup>th</sup> International Symposium on Engineering Plastics (EP2017), Xian, China, August **2017**.

[IP21] Development of intrinsic self-healable networks utlizing dynamic chemistries. Concordia Composites Day, Montreal, QC, Canada, July **2017**.

[IP20] Intrinsic self-healable polymeric networks utlizing dynamic chemistries. Macromolecular Science Engineering Division. 100<sup>th</sup> Canadian Chemistry Conference and Exhibition, Toronto, ON, Canada, May **2017**.

[IP19] Nanomedicine with smart block copolymer nanoassemblies exhibiting enhanced drug release for cancer therapy. Macromolecular Science Engineering Division. 100<sup>th</sup> Canadian Chemistry Conference and Exhibition, Toronto, ON, Canada, May **2017**.

[IP18] [**Keynote**] Tumor-targeting smart nanomedicines for enhanced drug release. Canadian Biomaterials Society. Montreal Biomaterials Research Day. Montreal, QC, Canada, February **2017**.

[IP17] [**Keynote**] Method development to synthesize effective self-healable networks. Workshop for Development of Industrial Core Technology Funded by Korean Ministry of Knowledge Economy, Ulsan, Korea, October **2016**.

[IP16] ML-MSRD strategy of block copolymer micelles for accelerated drug release and cancer therapy. Canadian High Polymer Forum, Gananoque, ON, Canada, August **2016**.

[IP15] Stimuli-responsive degradation for development of multifunctional materials. Materials Chemistry Division (Emerging Materials Researcher). 99<sup>th</sup> Canadian Chemistry Conference and Exhibition, Halifax, NS, Canada, June **2016**.

[IP14] Multi-location multiple stimuli-responsive degradation strategy for enhanced drug release. Macromolecular Science Engineering Division. 99<sup>th</sup> Canadian Chemistry Conference and Exhibition, Halifax, NS, Canada, June **2016**.

[IP13] Design of multifunctional block copolymers and hybrid materials. CSCAC-CQMF Advanced Materials Annual Conference 2016, Montreal, QC, Canada, May **2016**.

[IP12] Multidentate block copolymer strategy to develop Fe<sub>3</sub>O<sub>4</sub> exhibiting excellent colloidal stability and MRI contrast enhancement. 9<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Multi-functional Materials and Applications, Suzhou University of Science and Technology, Suzhou, China, November **2015**.

[IP11] [**Keynote**] Dual-location disulfide degradation strategy of block copolymers for accelerated release. 8<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Multi-functional Materials and Applications, Hoseo University, Korea, November **2014**. [IP10] Dual-location reduction-responsive degradation block copolymer strategy. A symposium entitled "Controlled Radical Polymerization", 248<sup>th</sup> American Chemical Society National Meeting, San Francisco, CA, USA, August **2014**.

[IP9] Multi-location multiple stimuli-responsive degradation strategy for accelerated drug release. Macromolecular Science Engineering Division. 97<sup>th</sup> Canadian Chemistry Conference and Exhibition, Vancouver, BC, Canada, June **2014**.

[IP8] Exploring stimuli-responsive degradation platform to tune thermoresponsive properties. Materials Chemistry. 97<sup>th</sup> Canadian Chemistry Conference and Exhibition, Vancouver, BC, Canada, June **2014**.

[IP7] Self-assembled block copolymer nanocarriers with stimuli-response drug release. CQMF Annual Symposium, Shawinigan, QC, Canada, November **2013**.

[IP6] Stimuli-responsive degradation: a versatile platform for developing nanomaterials for biomedical applications. Symposium 128-Nanoparticles and nanomaterials for medicine, 81<sup>st</sup> ACFAS Congress, Université Laval, Quebec City, QC, Canada, May **2013**.

[IP5] Degradable block copolymer micelles with thiol-responsive sheddable corona. Macromolecular Science Engineering Division. 95<sup>th</sup> Canadian Chemistry Conference and Exhibition, Calgary, AB, Canada, May **2012**.

[IP4] Rapid and tunable degradation of new thiol-responsive block copolymer micelles for potential drug delivery applications. Macromolecular Science Engineering Division. 95<sup>th</sup> Canadian Chemistry Conference and Exhibition, Calgary, AB, Canada, May **2012**.

[IP3] Thiol-responsive degradable block copolymer micelles. 242<sup>nd</sup> American Chemical Society National Meeting, Denver, CO, USA, August **2011**.

[IP2] [**Keynote**] A new design of stimuli-responsive degradable nanostructured materials and thiol-ene photocrosslinked coatings. Workshop for Development of Industrial Core Technology Funded by Korean Ministry of Knowledge Economy, Jeju, Korea, September **2011**.

[IP1] [**Keynote**] Use of high-throughput methods for developing low VOC waterborne coatings derived from polyurethane dispersions. 2010 Workshop for Development of Industrial Core Technology Funded by Korean Ministry of Knowledge Economy, Busan, Korea, December **2010**.

#### **Contributed Presentations**

[CP27] Dual disassembly and biological evaluation of multifunctional copolymer-based nanoassemblies for cancer therapy. 6<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Multifunctional, Hybrid and Nanomaterials: Hybrid Materials, Sitges, Spain, March **2019**.

[CP26] Dual location multiple stimuli-responsive degradation: a new strategy for accelerated drug release and cancer therapy. Canadian Society for Pharmaceutical Science Annual Meeting. Vancouver, BC, Canada, May **2016**.

[CP25] Multi-location multiple stimuli-responsive degradation strategy for enhanced drug release. Pacifichem 2015, Honolulu, Hawaii, USA, December **2015**.

[CP24] Novel biomaterials based on PLA-based block copolymers with enhanced release. 98<sup>th</sup> Canadian Chemistry Conference and Exhibition, Ottawa, ON, Canada, June **2015**.

[CP23] Multidentate block copolymer strategy for vascular magnetic resonance imaging. 4<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Multifunctional, Hybrid and Nanomaterials: Hybrid Materials, Sitges, Spain, March **2015**.

[CP22] Dual-location stimuli-responsive degradation strategy for accelerated drug release. 4<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Multifunctional, Hybrid and Nanomaterials: Hybrid Materials, Sitges, Spain, March **2015**.

[CP21] Multidentate block copolymer stabilized ultrasmall Fe<sub>3</sub>O<sub>4</sub> nanoparticles for vascular magnetic resonance imaging. 97<sup>th</sup> Canadian Chemistry Conference and Exhibition, Vancouver, BC, Canada, June **2014**.

[CP20] Stimuli-responsive degradation (SRD): a versatile platform for developing multifunctional drug delivery nanocarriers with enhanced/controlled release. European Polymer Federation, Pisa, Italy, June **2013** (funded by CNC/IUPAC Travel Award 2013).

[CP19] Stimuli-responsive degradation (SRD): a versatile platform for developing PLA-based block copolymer micelles with enhanced/controlled release. 96<sup>th</sup> Canadian Chemistry Conference and Exhibition, Quebec City, QC, Canada, May **2013**.

[CP18] A new design of thiol-responsive degradable block copolymer micelles. 35<sup>th</sup> Canadian High Polymer Forum, Gananoque, ON, Canada, August **2012**.

[CP17] Multifunctional polymeric nanostructured materials for biomedical applications. 85<sup>th</sup> ACS Colloid and Surface Science Symposium, Montreal, QC, Canada, June **2011**.

[CP16] Disulfide-functionalized degradable polyester-containing amphiphilic block copolymers for tumortargeting drug delivery. 94<sup>th</sup> Canadian Chemistry Conference and Exhibition, Montreal, QC, Canada, June **2011**.

[CP15] Use of high-throughput methods to develop low VOC waterborne coatings derived from polyurethane dispersions. 94<sup>th</sup> Canadian Chemistry Conference and Exhibition, Montreal, QC, Canada, June **2011**.

[CP14] Utilization of high-throughput research methods for selection of coalescing solvents for coatings derived from polyurethane dispersion based on natural oil polyols. American Coatings Conference, NC, USA, April **2010**.

[CP13] High-throughput methods for developing low VOC waterborne coatings derived from polyurethane dispersion based on natural oil polyols. 37<sup>th</sup> International Waterborne, High-Solids, and Powder Coatings Symposium, LA, USA, February **2010**.

[CP12] Mechanism of gel formation in acrylic latex containing acetoacetoxy groups. 236<sup>th</sup> American Chemical Society National Meeting, PA, USA, August **2008**.

[CP11] J. K. Oh, C. Tang, H. Gao, N. T. Tsarevsky, D. J. Siegwart, G. Sherwood, L. Peteanu, K. Matyjaszewski. Synthesis and functionalization of degradable nanogel particles prepared by inverse miniemulsion AGET ATRP. 232<sup>nd</sup> American Chemical Society National Meeting, CA, USA, September **2006**.

[CP10] <u>J. K. Oh</u>, F. Perineau, K. Matyjaszewski. AGET ATRP in water: A facile route to synthesis of wellcontrolled, high molecular weight, water-soluble polymers. 232<sup>nd</sup> American Chemical Society National Meeting, CA, USA, September **2006**.

[CP9] <u>J. K. Oh</u>, K. Matyjaszewski. Atom transfer radical polymerization of 2-hydroxyethyl methacrylate in protic media using activators generated by electron transfer. 230<sup>th</sup> American Chemical Society National Meeting, Washington DC, USA, August **2005**.

[CP8] <u>J. K. Oh</u>, K. Min, K. Matyjaszewski. Preparation of gradient copolymers in miniemulsion by atom transfer radical polymerization using activators generated by electron transfer. Gordon Research Conference: Polymer Colloids, NH, USA, July **2005**.

[CP7] M. A. Winnik, <u>J. K. Oh</u>, J. Wu, J. P. Tomba, Polymer diffusion in latex films of random branched polymers. American Chemical Society Meeting, August **2004**.

[CP6] <u>J. K. Oh</u>, M. A. Winnik. Preparation of dye-labeled latex particles based on vinyl acetate copolymer for studies of polymer interdiffusion by fluorescence energy transfer. Gordon Research Conference: Polymer East, MA, USA, June **2003**.

[CP5] <u>J. K. Oh</u>, M. A. Winnik. Interdiffusion in poly(vinyl acetate-butyl acrylate) copolymer latex films. 31<sup>st</sup> Canadian High Polymer Forum, QC, Canada, August **2002**.

[CP4] <u>J. K. Oh</u>, M. A. Winnik. Interdiffusion in poly(vinyl acetate-butyl acrylate) copolymer latex films. 76<sup>th</sup> ACS Colloid and Surface Science Symposium, MI, USA, June **2002**.

[CP3] <u>J. K. Oh</u>, J. Wu, M. A. Winnik. Preparation of fluorescence-labeled latex particles based on vinyl acetate copolymer. Gordon Research Conference: Polymer Colloids, NH, USA, July **2001**.

[CP2] <u>J. K. Oh</u>, J. M. Park. Gas permeability and mechanical properties of latex blend films. 19<sup>th</sup> Korean Society of Industrial Chemistry, Sunmoon University, Korea, February **1999**.

[CP1] <u>J. K. Oh</u>, J. M. Park. Preparation of submicron-sized polystyrene latex by surfactant-free seeded emulsion polymerization. 93<sup>rd</sup> Polymer Science of Korea, Seoul, Korea, April **1993**.

#### Trainees' Presentations in Conferences

#### # indicates trainee; presenting author in bold

[TC74] **K. K. Bawa**,<sup>#</sup> A. M. Jazani,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Anomalous acetal instability facilitated under ring opening polymerization conditions. 102<sup>nd</sup> Canadian Chemistry Conference and Exhibition, Quebec City, QC, Canada, June, **2019**.

[TC73] **Y. Huang**, A. M. Jazani,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>, M. Moffitt. Microfluidic control of structure and drug delivery properties of biological stimuli-responsive block copolymer nanoparticles. 102<sup>nd</sup> CSC, Quebec City, QC, Canada, May, **2019**. (oral)

[TC72] **C. Shetty**,<sup>#</sup> A. Noronha, C. Wilds, <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Dual location dual acid/reduction degradable polyplexes for nucleic acid delivery. 102<sup>nd</sup> CSC, Quebec City, QC, Canada, May, **2019**. (oral)

[TC71] **A. M. Jazani**,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Dual location acid-degradable polymeric micelles with self-accelerating hydrolysis properties. 102<sup>nd</sup> CSC, Quebec City, QC, Canada, June, **2019**. (oral)

[TC70] **N. Arezi**,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Design and synthesis of poly(carbonate-disulfide) for drug delivery applications. 102<sup>nd</sup> CSC, Quebec City, QC, Canada, June, **2019**. (oral)

[TC69] **N. Arezi**,<sup>#</sup> A. M. Jazani,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Versatility of dual stimuli-responsive degradation (DL-DSRD) for on-demand delivery of anti-cancer drugs. Canadian High Polymer Forum, Gananoque, ON, Canada, August **2018**. [Best poster presentation]

[TC68] **K. K. Bawa**,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Polylactide-based DL-DSRD triblock copolymer nanoassemblies: synthesis and degradation. Canadian High Polymer Forum, Gananoque, ON, Canada, August **2018**. (oral)

[TC67] **N. Arezi**,<sup>#</sup> A. M. Jazani,<sup>#</sup> S. H. Hong,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Dual-location, dual acidic pH/reduction-responsive degradable nanocarriers for on-demand delivery of anti-cancer drugs. NSERC CREATE PoND Research Day, Victoria, BC, Canada, June, **2018**. (oral)

[TC66] **K. K. Bawa**,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Development of polylactide-based multifunctional nanomaterials exhibiting dual stimuli-responsive degradation for smart drug delivery, NSERC CREATE PoND Research Day, Victoria, BC, Canada, June, **2018**. (oral)

[TC65] J. V. Victoria,<sup>#</sup> J. K. Oh. Enhancing SRD of self-assembling polymeric nanocarriers for drug delivery. Canada Wide Science Fair, Ottawa, ON, Canada, May 2018. [Silver Medal Excellence Prize with Admission Bursaries from universities of The Western, British-Columbia, Ottawa, Dalhousie, and Carleton]

[TC64] **J. V. Victoria**,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Enhancing stimuli responsive degradation of polymer based nanocarriers for drug delivery. SANOFI BIOGENIUS CANDA, Montreal, QC, Canada, April **2018**. [Second Place Award]

[TC63] **J. V. Victoria**,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Too big or not to big. 36<sup>th</sup> Montreal Regional Science and Technology Fair, Montreal, QC, Canada, March **2018**. [**Highest Distinction**]

[TC62] **A. M. Jazani,**<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Synthesis of well-defined, multi stimuli-responsive degradable amphiphilic block copolymer via combining ATRP and RAFT polymerization: Toward dual reduction and acidic pH labile shell-sheddable micelles. 2<sup>nd</sup> CQMF/QCAM Annual Symposium, Montreal, QC, Canada, May, **2018**. (oral)

[TC61] **K. Larocque**, D. Jaunky, H. Vuong, S. H. Hong,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>, A. Piekny. A novel anti-cancer drug disrupts or regresses different multicellular tumor spheroids. American Society for Cell Biology Annual Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, USA, December **2017**.

[TC60] **A. M. Jazani**,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Smart nanomedicines with dual location dual stimuli-responsive polymeric nanoassemblies exhibiting location-specific degradation and enhanced drug release. 1<sup>st</sup> CQMF/QCAM Annual Symposium, Sherbrooke, QC, Canada, October **2017**. (oral)

[TC59] **A. M. Jazani**,<sup>#</sup> K. Maruya-Li,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Exploration of a new strategy utilizing ATRP to synthesize dual location dual acidic pH/reduction-responsive degradable block copolymer. 1<sup>st</sup> CQMF/QCAM Annual Symposium, Sherbrooke, QC, Canada, October **2017**.

[TC58] **T. Partel**,<sup>#</sup> S. Jung,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. New macromolecular engineering approach utilizing thermoreversibility: Development of thermally-liable networks with robust self-healability. 1<sup>st</sup> CQMF/QCAM Annual Symposium, Sherbrooke, QC, Canada, October **2017**.

[TC57] **S. H. Hong**,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>.\* Dynamic polyester with dual stimuli-responsive properties for cancer targeting drug delivery. 100<sup>th</sup> Canadian Chemistry Conference and Exhibition (CSC), Toronto, ON, Canada, May **2017**. (Oral)

[TC56] **K. K. Bawa**,<sup>#</sup> J. K. Oh. Polylactide-based dual-location dual stimuli-responsive triblock copolymer and its nanoassemblies. 100<sup>th</sup> Canadian Chemistry Conference and Exhibition, Toronto, ON, Canada, May, **2017**.

[TC55] **A. M. Jazani**,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Dual location dual acidic pH/glutathione-responsive block copolymer strategy for precise control of drug release and cellular uptake. 100<sup>th</sup> Canadian Chemistry Conference and Exhibition, Toronto, ON, Canada, May **2017**.

[TC54] **K. K. Bawa**,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh.</u> Dual-location dual-stimuli-responsive polylactide-based triblock copolymer and its nanoassemblies, 20<sup>th</sup> Canadian Society for Pharmaceutical Sciences (CSPS), Montreal, QC, Canada, May **2017**.

[TC53] **A. M. Jazani**,<sup>#</sup> J. K. Oh. Dual reduction/acidic pH-responsive block copolymer micelles: synthesis, self-assembly and stimuli responsive enhanced release. 20<sup>th</sup> Canadian Society for Pharmaceutical Sciences, Montreal, QC, Canada, May **2017**. [2<sup>nd</sup> Place outstanding poster award]

[TC52] **S. H. Hong**,<sup>#</sup> J. K. Oh. Synthesis of multi-stimuli responsive nanoassemblies via click chemistry for enhanced drug delivery. 20<sup>th</sup> Canadian Society for Pharmaceutical Sciences, Montreal, QC, Canada, May **2017**.

[TC51] **S. H. Hong**,<sup>#</sup> S. Garg, S. Ip, <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Microfluidic nanoassemblies of dual enzyme and oxidationresponsive polyesters. Centre Quebecois sur les Materiaux Fonctionnels (CQMF) Annual Meeting, Montreal, QC, Canada, November **2016**.

[TC50] **S. H. Hong**,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Development of dual enzyme/oxidation-responsive degradable systems for cancer therapy with controlled/enhanced drug release. Canadian High Polymer Forum, Gananoque, ON, Canada, August **2016**. (oral)

[TC49] **S. Jung**,<sup>#</sup> D. Arunbabu,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Reversible polymer networks composed of maleimide bearing polymethacrylate as a mutiple-crosslinker for thermoreversible self-healing. Canadian High Polymer Forum, Gananoque, ON, Canada, August **2016**.

[TC48] **A. M. Jazani**,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Dual location dual reduction/pH-responsive degradable block copolymer micelles for enhanced cellular uptake and drug controlled release. Canadian High Polymer Forum, Gananoque, ON, Canada, August **2016**. [**3rd place of outstanding poster award out of 30 posters**]

[TC47] **W. Xiao**,<sup>#</sup> P. Li,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. In situ synthesis of colloidally-stable Fe3O4 nanoparticles coated with multidentate block copolymer for MRI contrast agents. Canadian High Polymer Forum, Gananoque, ON, Canada, August **2016**.

[TC46] **S. Y. An**,<sup>#</sup> S. Sun, <u>J. K. Oh</u>. A new strategy to synthesize reductively sheddable carbon-based materials. 99<sup>th</sup> Canadian Chemistry Conference and Exhibition, Halifax, NS, Canada, June **2016**.

[TC45] **S. Y. An**,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh.</u> Development of self-healing polymeric crosslinked networks using dynamic disulfide linkages. 99<sup>th</sup> C Canadian Chemistry Conference and Exhibition, Halifax, NS, Canada, June **2016**. (oral)

[TC44] **W. Xiao,**<sup>#</sup> P. Li,<sup>#</sup> P. Chevallier, M. A. Fortin, <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Catechol-functionalized multidentate block copolymer strategy to fabricate colloidally-stable aqueous iron oxide nanoparticles for MRI. 99<sup>th</sup> Canadian Chemistry Conference and Exhibition, Halifax, NS, Canada, June **2016**.

[TC43] **S. Y. An**,<sup>#</sup> J. K. Oh. Development and design of polymeric nanomaterials with multifunctional applications. CSCAS-CQMF Advanced Materials Annual Meeting, Montreal, QC, Canada, May **2016**.

[TC42] **A. M. Jazani**,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Multi-location multiple stimuli-responsive degradation of block copolymerbased micelles for rapid and controlled release. CSCAS-CQMF Advanced Materials Annual Meeting, Montreal, QC, Canada, May **2016**.

[TC41] **D. G. Lee**,<sup>#</sup> S. Y. An,<sup>#</sup> S. M. Noh, M. S. Um, W. J. Choi, <u>J. K. Oh</u>, H. W. Jung. Study of Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> nanoparticles effects on viscoelastic, mechanical and thermal properties of thiol-ene cross-linked networks. The Society of Adhesion & Interface, Daejeon, Korea, April **2016**.

[TC40] **S. Y. An**,<sup>#</sup> S. Sun, <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Carbon nannotubes stabilized with reduction-responsive polymers in aqueous solutions. CQMF Annual Meeting, Drummondville, QC, Canada, November **2015**. [**1st place of outstanding poster award**]

[TC39] **S. Y. An**,<sup>#</sup> J. K. Oh. Dual crosslinked polymeric networks by sulfide-disulfide exhibiting rapid selfhealing ability. CQMF Annual Meeting, Drummondville, QC, Canada, November **2015** (oral). [**1st place of outstanding oral presentation award**]

[TC38] **D. Biswas**,<sup>#</sup> P. Li,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Magnetic nanoparticles encapsulated in pH sensitive amphiphilic block copolymer based micelles with acidic cores. CQMF Annual Meeting, Drummondville, QC, Canada, November **2015**.

[TC37] **S. H. Hong**,<sup>#</sup> S. Y. An,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Redox-responsive Amphiphilic Block Copolymer Derived from Rosin as a Promising Platform for Intracellular Drug Delivery. CQMF Annual Meeting, Drummondville, QC, Canada, November **2015**.

[TC36] **P. Li,**<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh.</u> Multidentate block copolymer strategy to stabilize ultrasmall superparamagnetic iron oxide nanoparticles for MRI. 98<sup>th</sup> Canadian Chemistry Conference and Exhibition, Ottawa, ON, Canada, June **2015**. (oral)

[TC35] **N. R. Ko**,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Glutathione-responsive degradable PLA-based nanocarriers having duallocated disulfides for enhanced release. 64<sup>th</sup> Canadian Chemical Engineering Conference, Niagara Falls, ON, Canada, October **2014**. **[1st place of CSChE graduate student poster award]** 

[TC34] **N. R. Ko**,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Reduction-responsive air-spun PLA nanofibers with sheddable hydrophilic surface for vascular engineering 64<sup>th</sup> Canadian Chemical Engineering Conference, Niagara Falls, ON, Canada, October **2014**.

[TC33] **Y. Wen**,<sup>#</sup> J. K. Oh. pH/thiol stimuli-responsive carboxymethyl cellulose based bionanogels. 36<sup>th</sup> Canadian High Polymer Forum, Gananoque, ON, Canada, August **2014**. (oral)

[TC32] **S. Y. An**,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Development of polysulfide-crosslinked films based on polymethacrylate copolymers using thiol-ene polyaddition. 36<sup>th</sup> Canadian High Polymer Forum, Gananoque, ON, Canada, August **2014**.

[TC31] **P. Li**,<sup>#</sup> N. Chan,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Multidentate block copolymer strategy to stabilize ultrasmall Fe<sub>3</sub>O<sub>4</sub> nanoparticles for MRI contrast agent. 36<sup>th</sup> Canadian High Polymer Forum, Gananoque, ON, Canada, August **2014**.

[TC30] **S. Y. An**,<sup>#</sup> N. Chan,<sup>#</sup> N. K. Ko,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Polylactide based interlayer-crosslinked micellar nanocarriers for enhanced colloidal stability and rapid release. 97<sup>th</sup> Canadian Chemistry Conference and Exhibition, Vancouver, BC, Canada, June **2014**.

[TC29] **Y. Wen**,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Carboxymethyl cellulose based nanogels for pH and thiol responsive drug release. 97<sup>th</sup> Canadian Chemistry Conference and Exhibition, Vancouver, BC, Canada, June **2014**.

[TC28] **G. Sabbatier**, A. Larrañaga, N. R. Ko,<sup>#</sup> A. Cunningham,<sup>#</sup> A. Guay-Bégin, <u>J. K. Oh</u>, J. Ramòn Sarrasua, G. Laroche. Designing multifunctional nanofiber scaffold for endothelial cells adhesion and proliferation on vascular substitutes. Canadian Biomaterial Society Congress, Halifax, NS, Canada, March **2014.** 

[TC27] **N. Yee**,<sup>#</sup> N. Chan,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh.</u> LCST-driven crosslinked nanogels for glutathione-responsive degradable drug delivery nanocarriers exhibiting enhanced release and colloidal stability. CQMF Annual Symposium, Shawinigan, QC, Canada, November **2013**. **[1st place of outstanding poster award]** 

[TC26] **Y. Wen**,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Enhanced drug release nanocarriers: pH-sensitive, thiol-responsive carboxymethyl cellulose-based nanogel. CQMF Annual Symposium, Shawinigan, QC, Canada, November **2013**.

[TC25] **N. R. Ko**,<sup>#</sup> B. Khorsand,<sup>#</sup> A. Cunningham,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Stimuli-responsive degradation (SRD): A Versatile platform for developing PLA-based nanomaterials. CQMF Annual Symposium, Shawinigan, QC, Canada, November **2013**.

[TC24] **S. Y. An**,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Amphiphilic block copolymer based interlayer-crosslinked micellar nanocarriers containing disulfide at dual locations for enhanced colloidal stability and rapid release. CQMF Annual Symposium, Shawinigan, QC, Canada, November **2013**.

[TC23] **G. Sabbatier**, N. R. Ko,<sup>#</sup> A. Cunningham,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>, G. Laroche. Conception d'echaffaudage de nanofibres pour la création de surfaces multifonctionnelles en génie tissulaire. CQMF Annual Symposium, Shawinigan, QC, Canada, November **2013**.

[TC22] **A. Cunningham**,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Reduction-responsive degradable polylactide-based block copolymer nanocarriers with enhanced/controlled response release. CQMF Annual Symposium, Shawinigan, QC, Canada, November **2013**. (oral)

[TC21] **N. Chan**,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Amphiphilic multidentate block copolymer stabilization strategy for preparation of superparamagnetic iron oxide nanoparticles with enhanced stability and biocompatibility. 96<sup>th</sup> Canadian Chemistry Conference and Exhibition, Quebec City, QC, Canada, May **2013**. (oral)

[TC20] **B. Khorsand**,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh.</u> Exploration of novel pH-responsive polymeric micelles as targeted drugdelivery carriers. CBGRC Conference, Montreal, QC, Canada, November **2012**. (oral) [TC19] **N. R. Ko**,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh.</u> Investigation of PLA-ss-PDMAEMA thiol-responsive biodegradable sheddable block copolymer micelles for dual delivery of drugs and genes. CBGRC Conference, Montreal, QC, Canada, November **2012**. (oral)

[TC18] **S. Aleksanian**,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Polymer nanotechnology: new design of block copolymer micelles for controlled drug delivery. CBGRC Conference, Montreal, QC, Canada, November **2012**. (oral)

[TC17] **B. Khorsand**,<sup>#</sup> J. K. Oh. Thiol-responsive mono-cleavable block copolymer micelles exhibiting morphology change. CQMF Annual Symposium, Trois-Rivières, QC, Canada, November **2012**.

[TC16] **N. R. Ko**,<sup>#</sup> A. M. Noronha, C. Wilds, <u>J. K. Oh.</u> PLA-ss-qPDMAEMA biodegradable sheddable block copolymer micelles for dual delivery of drugs and genes. CQMF Annual Symposium, Trois-Rivières, QC, Canada, November **2012.** 

[TC15] **A. Cunningham**,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Novel polylactide-based block copolymer micelles with thiolresponsive degradable linkage for enhanced drug delivery strategies. CQMF Annual Symposium, Trois-Rivières, QC, Canada, November **2012**.

[TC14] **S. Aleksanian**,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Recent advances in stimuli-responsive degradable block copolymers for biomedical applications: therapeutic delivery, cellular imaging and morphology changes. CQMF Annual Symposium, Trois-Rivières, QC, Canada, November **2012**.

[TC13] **K. Rahimian**,<sup>#</sup> Q. Zhang,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Tuning LCST with controlling thiol-responsive degradation of thermoresponsive polymers containing pendent disulfides. Canadian High Polymer Forum, Gananoque, ON, Canada, August **2012**.

[TC12] **B. Khorsand**,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh.</u> Mono-cleavable triblock copolymer micelles labeled with single disulfide linkages: Change in morphology upon thiol-responsive degradation. 95<sup>th</sup> Canadian Chemistry Conference and Exhibition, Calgary, AB, Canada, June **2012**.

[TC11] **N. R. Ko**,<sup>#</sup> A. M. Noronha, C. Wilds, <u>J. K. Oh.</u> Dual thiol- and pH-responsive biodegradable cationic sheddable micelles for dual drug and gene delivery. 95<sup>th</sup> Canadian Chemistry Conference and Exhibition, Calgary, AB, Canada, June **2012**.

[TC10] **S. Aleksanian**,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Rapid redox-responsive degradation and facile bioconjugation of polyester-based block copolymer micelles as controlled drug delivery nanocarriers. NanoQuebec Conference, Montreal, QC, Canada, March **2012**.

[TC9] **A. Cunningham**,<sup>#</sup> B. Khorsand,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. Biodegradable and thiol-responsive block copolymer micelles as drug-delivery carriers. NanoQuebec Conference, Montreal, QC, Canada, March **2012**.

[TC8] **A. Cunningham**,<sup>#</sup> B. Khorsand,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. New design of stimuli-responsive biodegradable amphiphilic block copolymer micelles. CBGRC Conference, Montreal, QC, Canada, November **2011**.

[TC7] **S. Aleksanian**,<sup>#</sup> J. K. Oh. New design of block copolymer micelles for controlled drug delivery. CBGRC Conference, Montreal, QC, Canada, November **2011**. (oral)

[TC6] **B. Khorsand**,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. pH-responsive block copolymer micelles for controlled drug delivery. CQMF Annual Symposium, Quebec City, QC, Canada, November **2011**.

[TC5] **A. Cunningham**,<sup>#</sup> B. Khorsand,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh</u>. New design of sheddable micelles of block copolymers having disulfides at block junctions prepared by ROP and ATRP. CQMF Annual Symposium, Quebec City, QC, Canada, November **2011**.

[TC4] **A. Vissa**, R. Schmidt, <u>J. K. Oh</u>, L. Cuccia, C. DeWolf. Self-assembly of thiol-responsive amphiphilic block copolymers at the air-water and air-solid interface. CSACS student symposium, McGill University, Montreal, QC, Canada, August **2011**.

[TC3] **S. Aleksanian**,<sup>#</sup> A. Nelson-Mendez,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh.</u> Synthesis, micellization, and degradation of thiolresponsive degradable amphiphilic block copolymers for drug delivery. 94<sup>th</sup> Canadian Chemistry Conference and Exhibition, Montreal, QC, Canada, June **2011**.

[TC2] **B. Khorsand**,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh.</u> Enhanced stability of iron oxide nanoparticles stabilized with functional block copolymers. 94<sup>th</sup> Canadian Chemistry Conference and Exhibition, Montreal, QC, Canada, June **2011**.

[TC1] **A. Nelson-Mendez**,<sup>#</sup> <u>J. K. Oh.</u> Novel thiol-responsive polyesters for controlled drug delivery. Undergraduate Research Day sponsored by Faculty of Arts and Science at Concordia University, QC, Canada, April **2011**.

# Student Supervision:

Graduate Students and Postdoctoral Fellows, In Progress		
17/9 -	Phillippe Legros, Ph.D. Student, Laval University (Academic advisor)	
	Title: Development of magnetic hydrogels	
18/9 -	Yuhang Huang, MSc. Student, University of Victoria (Academic advisor)	
	Title: Exploration of microfluidics	
18/9	Hourieh Movasat, Ph.D. Student, Concordia University (Co-supervised)	
	Title: Development of a new paradigm for nucleic acid delivery	
16/1-	Kamaljeet K. Bawa, Ph.D. Student, Concordia University	
	Title: Development of DL-DSRD PLA-based nanoassemblies for drug delivery	
15/9	Arman Moini Jazeni, Ph.D. Student, Concordia University	
	Title: Studies of DL-DSRD strategy to develop novel block copolymer-based	
	nanoassemblies	
19/1-	Twinkal Patel, MSc Student, Concordia University	
	Title: Development of self-healable polymeric networks	
18/1 -	<u>Ho Ying Huang</u> , MSc Student, Concordia University (Co-supervised)	
	Title: Development of self-healable polymers for lithium battery	
18/9	Xiaolei Hu, MSc Student, Concordia University	
	Title: Studies of acidic pH-responsive degradation for tumor-targeting drug delivery	
17/9-	Chaitra Shetty, MSc Student, Concordia University (Co-supervised)	
	Title: Development of dual location-dual stimuli-responsive nucleic acid delivery	
17/9	Newsha Arezi, MSc Student, Concordia University	
	Title: Studies of DL-DSRD strategy for drug delivery	
17/9	Ge Zhang, MSc Student, Concordia University	
	Title: Development of thermoreversible self-healable networks covalently embedded	
	with MDBC-stabilized CNTs	

## Graduate Students, Graduated

15/9 - 2018/4	Sung Hwa Hong, MSc thesis, Concordia University
	Title: Development of dual enzyme and oxidation-responsive drug delivery systems
	(Defended in April 2018)
	Current position: Ph.D./University of Toronto
15/5 - 2016/12	So Young An, MSc thesis, Concordia University
	Thesis: Development of dual crosslinked polymeric materials for self-healing (Defended
	in December 2016)
	Current position: Ph.D./University of Toronto
13/9-2015/11	Puzhen Li, MSc thesis, Concordia University
	Title: Studies of catechol-functionalized multidentate block copolymer strategy to
	stabilize superparamagnetic iron oxide nanoparticles for magnetic resonance imaging
	(Defended in November 2015)
	Current position: Research staff/Advanced Polymer Materials; then Ph.D./University of
	Montreal
12/9-2015/4	<u>Yifen Wen, MSc thesis, Concordia University</u>
	Title: Synthesis of carboxymethyl cellulose (CMC)-based bionanogels for dual stimuli-
	responsive drug release and cancer therapy (Defended in March 2015)
	Current position: NA
11/9-2015/7	Na Re Ko, Ph.D. thesis, Concordia University
	Title: Development of polylactide-based reduction-responsive degradable nanomaterials
	for multifunctional biomedical applications (Defended in July 2015)
	Current position: PDF/Kyunghee University
11/9-2014/7	Alexander Cunningham, MSc thesis, Concordia University

	Title: Development of stimuli-responsive degradable polylactide-based amphiphilic block
	copolymers for drug-delivery applications (Defended in August 2014)
	Current position: Ph.D./University of Montreal
11/1-2014/2	Samuel Aleksanian, MSc thesis, Concordia University
	Title: Study of stimuli-responsive degradation using a disulfide platform in different
	polymeric biomaterials (Defended in January 2014)
	Current position: Technical support/Bio-Rad
11/1-2013/7	Behnoush Khorsand, MSc thesis, Concordia University
	Title: Development of stimuli-responsive degradable block copolymer micelles as smart
	drug delivery nanocarriers (Defended in July 2013)
	Current position: Ph.D./University of Iowa

#### Postdoctoral Fellows, Completed

16/5-2017/4	Dr. Sungmin Jung, PDF from POSTEC, South Korea
	Current position: PDF/University of Toronto
15/1-2015/10	Dr. Dhamodaran Arunbabu, PDF from University of Hyderabad, India
	Current position: Professor/MITS in India
14/9-2015-8	Dr. Tongbin Sun, PDF from Chengdu Institute of Organic Chemistry, Chinese Academy
	of Science
	Current position: PDF/China
12/4-2013/10	Dr. Nicky Chan, PDF from Queen's University
	Current position: St. Scientist/Saint Gobain in USA
11/8-2012/8	Dr. Qian Zhang, PDF from University of Montreal
	Current position: Professor/Xian University of Technology in China

#### Visiting Professors/Students

17/9-2018/3	F. Fabia, Universidade Tecnológica Federal do Paraná (UTFPR), Brazil, MSc candidate
	- ELAP scholarship
16/3-2017/2	Prof. N. Liu, Xian University of Technology, China
15/11-2016/9	Prof. W. Xiao, Sang Min University, China
15/11-2016/2	D. Lee, Korea University, Ph.D. candidate

#### Undergraduate Project Students

- 17/9 2018/4 K. Maruya-Li, CHEM 419 project
- 17/1 2017/4 T. Patal, CHEM 419 project
- 17/1 2017/4 T. Nuguyn, CHEM 419 project
- 15/9 2016/4 E. Almakais, CHEM 419 project
- 15/9 2016/4 J. R. Macarian, CHEM 419 project
- 15/9 2016/4 P. Liu, CHEM 419 project
- 14/9 2015/5 S. H. Hong, CHEM 419 project
- 14/9 2015/4 N. Yee, CHEM 450 honor thesis
- 14 Summer J. Rattee, NSERC USRA
- 13 Summer N. Yee, NSERC USRA
- 12 Summer K. Rahimian-Bajgiran, NSERC USRA
- 11 Summer S. Wem, FRSQ scholarship
- 10/9-2011/4 A. Nelson-Mendez, CHEM 419 project

#### **Collage Project Students**

17 Summer J. Victoria, Marianopolis Collage, FRQNT summer scholarship

#### **Research Assistants**

18/5 - 2018/8	K. Maruya-Li
17/5 - 2018/8	T. Patal

- 14/9 2016/8 D. Biswas
- 12/1 2015/4 S. Y. An
- 11/1 2011/6 P. Pinnel

## Trainees' Awards and Scholarships

2019	A. M. Jazani (Ph.D.). MSED Oral Presentation Award, CSC Annual Meeeting, \$300
2019 - 2013	A. M. Jazani (Ph.D.). FRQNT B2X Bourse de doctorat en recherche, \$77,000
2019 - 2022	A. M. Jazani (Ph.D.). NSERC PGSD, \$63,000
2019	N. Arezi (MSc). National Three Minute Thesis Competition Winer in Canada
2019	N. Arezi (MSc). Three Minute Thesis Competition/Concordia Master Winer, 3 <sup>rd</sup> place in
	Eastern region in Canada
2018	N. Arezi (MSc). CHPF Annual Meeting/Outstanding Poster Presentation, \$200
2018	N. Arezi (MSc). Concordia University Conference and Exhibition Award, \$960
2018	K. Bawa (PhD). Concordia University Conference and Exhibition Award, \$960
2018	A. M. Jazani (Ph.D.). MITACS Research Award, \$6000
2018	J. V. Victoria (Marianopolis College Student). Highest Distinction, College Prep
	International Science Award, Concordia University Faculty of Arts and Science Entrance
	Bursary, Super-Expo Sciences Hydro-Quebec (SESHQ) Experimentation and Design
	Award, and The Order of Chemists of Quebec Award. 36th Montreal Regional Science
	and Technology Fair.
2018	J.V. Victoria, Second Place Award, SANOFI BIOGENIUS CANDA
2018	J.V. Victoria, Silver Medal Excellence Prize. Canada Wide Science Fair
2018	J.V. Victoria, Admission Bursaries from universities of The Western, British-Columbia,
	Ottawa, Dalhousie, and Carleton. Canada Wide Science Fair, \$12,000 university
	entrance scholarship.
2017	A. M. Jazani (Ph.D.). Faculty of Arts and Science Graduate Fellowship, \$24000
2017	S. H. Hong (MSc). Concordia University Conference and Exhibition Award, \$1,000
2017	A. M. Jazani (MSc). CSPS/2 <sup>nd</sup> Place outstanding poster award, \$500
2017	K. Bawa (Ph.D.). International student tuition waive award, \$35,000
2016	A. M. Jazani (MSc). Concordia University Conference and Exhibition Award, \$650
2016	A. M. Jazani (MSc). Triskelion Fellowship in Chemistry and Biochemistry, \$5,000
2016	A. M. Jazani (MSc). CHPF/3 <sup>rd</sup> Place outstanding poster award, \$250
2016	Dr. S. Jung (PDF). Concordia Office of VP Research/PDF Top-up Award, \$5,000
2015	S. Y. An (MSc). Concordia Merit Scholarship, \$10,000
2016	S. Y. An (MSc). Concordia University Conference and Exhibition Award, \$850
2015	S. Y. An (MSc). CQMF Annual Meeting.1 <sup>st</sup> Place outstanding poster award, \$250
2015	P. Li (MSc). Concordia University Conference and Exhibition Award, \$800
2014	N. Lee (CHEM 450). CQMF Annual Meeting/1 <sup>st</sup> Place outstanding poster award, \$250
2014	N. R. Ko (Ph.D.). CSChE/1 <sup>st</sup> Place poster award, \$500.
2014	Y. Wen (MSc). Kanti-Holzbaur award, \$500
2013	Y. Wen (MSc). International student tuition waive award, \$3,000

## Awards and Recognition

2016	Emerging Materials Chemistry Investigator, Symposium award presentation (CSC,
	Halifax)
2016 - 2021	Canada Research Chair Tier II Award (renewed), NSERC Canada
2016	Dean's Award for Excellence in Scholarship (Mid-career) at Concordia University
2013	Canadian National Committee for the International Union of Pure & Applied Chemistry
	(CNC-IUPAC) Travel Award
2011 - 2016	Canada Research Chair Tier II Award, NSERC Canada

2010	Paint and Coatings Industry (PCI) Outstanding Paper Award (2 <sup>nd</sup> place), 37 <sup>th</sup> Coatings
	Symposium, New Orleans, LA
2009	World-top 1% most cited paper for 2 years since publication, ISI Thomson
2004 - 2005	Postdoctoral Fellowship Award, NSERC Canada

#### **Professional Membership:**

2018 -	Member, Regrouped as CQMF/QCAM (Quebec Centre for Advanced Materials)
2011 - 2017	Member, Centre Québécois sur les Matériaux Fonctionnels (CQMF)
2014 -	Member, Canadian Society for Pharmaceutical Sciences (CSPS)
2010 -	Associate member, Concordia Composite (CONCOM) Center
2010 -	Member, Center for Nanoscience Research (CENSR)/Concordia
2010 -	Member, Canadian Society of Chemistry (CSC)
2005 -	Member, American Chemical Society (ACS)

## **Professional Activity and Service to Scientific Community**

## Editorship

2016 - 2017	Guest Editor,	Molecular	Pharmaceutics	(ACS)	entitled	"Polymers	in	Drug	Delivery:
Chemistry and Applications"									

- 2016 Editorial Board Member, Asian Journal of Materials Chemistry
- 2013 Editorial Board Member, International Research Journal of Pure and Applied Chemistry
- 2012 Section Editor-in-Chief, "Biomaterials" of Materials (Biomaterials)
- 2012 *Guest Editor, Materials* entitled "Advances in Nanoscale Biomaterials"
- 2012 Editorial Board Member, Dataset Papers for Nanotechnology
- 2009 Editorial Board Member, Polymers

#### **Conference Organizer/Chair**

- 2018 Organizing committee member. Polymer Chemistry 2018, Toronto, ON, Canada, August **2018**.
- 2018 *Co-organizer* (with M. Moffitt/Victoria), Polymers in Biomedical Applications, 101<sup>st</sup> Canadian Chemistry Conference and Exhibition, Edmonton, AB, Canada, May **2018**.
- 2016 *Co-organizer* (with C. Allen/Toronto), Polymers in Drug Delivery: Chemistry and Applications, 99<sup>th</sup> Canadian Chemistry Conference and Exhibition, Halifax, NS, Canada, June **2016**.
- 2013 *Chair*, Biomedical Research, CQMF Annual Meeting, Shawinigan, QC, Canada, November **2013**.
- 2012 *Chair*, Polymers and Nanoparticles, 35th Canadian High Polymer Forum, Gananoque, ON, Canada, June **2012**.
- 2012 *Co-organizer* (with M. Shoichet/Toronto), Polymer Nanotechnology: Applications in Biomedical Imaging and Drug Deliver, 95<sup>th</sup> Canadian Chemistry Conference and Exhibition, Calgary, AB, Canada, May **2012.**

#### Grant Proposal Review: (total 12 reviewed)

- 2019 NSERC Discovery
- 2018 2 NSERC Discovery
- 2017 NSERC CRC Tier II
- 2017 NSERC CRD
- 2017 Swiss National Science Foundation
- 2016 NSERC Strategic Grant
- 2014 MITACS Accelerate Research; Austrian Science Fund
- 2013 FRQNT: New University Researchers

2012 ACS PRF

#### Manuscripts Review:

Total: 245 reviewed since 2007; 222 reviewed as Concordia professor (until Dec 2018)

2019 (xx), 2018 (27), 2017 (22), 2016 (26), 2015 (32), 2014 (38), 2013 (33), 2012 (16), 2011 (19), 2010 (9), 2009 (15), 2008 (5), 2007 (3)

**ACS:** Macromolecules, Biomacromolecules, ACS Applied Materials & Interface, ACS Applied Bio Materials, ACS Sustainable Chemistry & Engineering, ACS Book, Analytical Chemistry, Langmuir, Molecular Pharmaceutics, Macromolecular Reaction Engineering

**RSC:** Polymer Chemistry, Chemical Communications, Journal of Materials Chemistry B, Nanoscale, Materials Chemistry Frontiers, RSC Advances

**Wiley:** Advanced Materials, Advanced Functional Materials, Macromolecular Rapid Communications, Macromolecular Chemistry & Physics, Chemistry-An Asian Journal, Macromolecular bioscience, Polymer International, Journal of Polymer Science A-Polymer Chemistry, ChemPlusChem

**Elsevier:** Acta Biomaterialia, Polymer, Colloids and Interface B: Biointerfaces, Journal of Controlled Release, Journal of Colloid and Interface Science, Biomaterials, Progress in Polymer Science, Progress in Organic Coatings

**Others:** Antioxidants & Redox Signaling, PLOS ONE, Polymers, Korea-Austria Rheology Journal, Journal of Macromolecular Science-Part A, Canadian Journal of Chemistry

## Academic Service Activities

#### Department and Faculty

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2017	Faculty research sub-committee-CURC & CRC Letters of Intent Adjudication
2017	Searching committee for faculty position of Nano-Hire
2016	Graduate award committee
2016 - 2017	Graduate screening committee for chemistry
2015 - 2017	Undergraduate award committee
2014	Searching committee for faculty position of Nanomedicinal Chemistry
2010 - 2013	Undergraduate award committee
2010 - 2013	Graduate screening committee for chemistry

#### **Graduate Thesis Committee**

2019 -	Jun-Ray Marcaine	(MSc-PhD, Dr.	Rafik Naccache)
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- 2016 2019 Rosalynde Sonnenberg (MSc, Dr. Dajana Vuckovic)
- 2014 2018 Yuxuan Li (MSc, Dr. Xavier Ottenwaelder)
- 2013 2017 Nooshin Sheibany (MSc, Dr. Xavier Ottenwaelder)
- 2013 2016 William Copp (MSc, Dr. Christopher Wilds)
- 2010 2012 Nick Wang (MSc, Dr. Pat Forgione)
- 2010 2014 Arison Raja (MSc, Dr. Christine DeWolf & Pat Forgione)

#### **Oral Examination Committee**

- 2019 Dr. Zhiyuan Ma (Department of Chemistry, University of Montreal), External examiner in Ph.D. defense, March 2019.
- 2018 Bahareh Raisi (Department of Chemical Engineering, Concordia University), Examiner in oral comprehensive examination, December 2018.
- 2018 Jun-Ray Macairan (Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, Concordia University), Examiner in oral comprehensive examination, September 2018.
- 2017 Dr. Jean-Richard Bullet (Department of Chemistry, University of Montreal), External examiner in Ph.D. defense, August 2017.
- 2017 Tarek Sabri (Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, Concordia University), Examiner in oral comprehensive examination, May 2017.

June 2019

- 2017 Dr. Shuo Hwang (School of Chemical and Biomedical Engineering, Nanyang Technological University, Singapore), External examiner in Ph.D. defense, March 2017.
- 2016 Dr. Yihe Wang (Department of Chemistry, University of Toronto), External examiner in Ph.D. defense, December 2016.
- 2016 Dr. Mohammad Asgar Khan (Department of Mechanical Engineering, Concordia University), Examiner in Ph.D. defense, September 2016.
- 2016 Dr. Xue Li (Department of Chemistry, University of Alberta), External examiner in Ph.D. defense, August 2016.
- 2016 Dina Alizadeh (Department of Mechanical Engineering, Concordia University), External examiner in MSc defense, May 2016.
- 2016 Fei Chen (Department of Chemistry and Biochemistry, Concordia University), Examiner in oral comprehensive examination, March 2016.
- 2014 Dr. Hong Yan Liang (INRS-Energy Materials and Telecommunications), External examiner in Ph.D. defense, February 2014.
- 2013 Dr. Anjali Sharma (Department of Chemistry, McGill University, External examiner in Ph.D. defense. October 2013.
- 2012 Dr. Maksym A. Kryuchkov (Department of Chemistry, Université de Montréal), External examiner in Ph.D. defense, April 2012.
- 2010 Vahid Shaayegan (Mechanical and Industrial Engineering, Concordia University), Examiner in oral comprehensive examination, December 2010.

## **Chair in Oral Examination Committee**

- 2014 Fei Chen (MSc), Thesis defense
- 2013 Dimitri Sitnikov (Ph.D.), Research Proposal and Comprehensive examination
- 2013 Lavinia Carabet (Ph.D.), Research Proposal and Comprehensive examination
- 2012 Paknoosh Pakarian (Ph.D.), Research Proposal and Comprehensive examination