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WORK EXPERIENCE

01/01/2022 – CURRENT Genova, Italy

PHD STUDENT UNIVERSITY OF GENOVA

Thesis Complex magnetic fluid for advanced energy applications.

Tutors Prof. Davide Peddis, Diego Colombara.

The activity My research group fabricates *magnetic nanoparticles* for their fundamental study or technological use. My activity was focused on the *chemical synthesis of magnetic Fe₃O₄, CoFe₂O₃ and CoFe nanoparticles* through *thermal decomposition method* in the framework of the project REusable MASK Patterning (REMAP, <https://re-map.eu/>) intended to be used in formulation of a new mask for surface patterning.

Skills I *strengthen* the skills I developed during my period of thesis, especially the soft ones such as *pro-activity, problem solving and independence*. I introduced a new method of synthesis in my professional profile. I participate at different conference with *oral and poster contributions*. I *worked abroad* (Nice, France <https://inphyni.univ-cotedazur.fr/>) for a period of 6 months studying the effect of a *rotating magnetic field on a system of magnetic particles* dispersed in water. I improved my *language skills* (English, French). The last year will be dedicated on *simulating a system of interacting magnetic particles in fluids at different viscosity* using the *COMSOL program* under the supervision of UNIGE and the agency GEMMATE.

01/11/2021 – 31/12/2021 Uppsala, Sweden

VISITOR RESEARCHER UNIVERSITY OF UPPSALA

Referees Prof. Roland Mathieu, Dott. Pierfrancesco Maltoni

The activity The activity has been carried on under the framework of developing alternatives for permanent magnets based on rare earths. My brief period was dedicated on obtaining SrFe₁₂O₁₉ and FeOOH nanoparticles by hydrothermal method.

Skills Alongside the skills already acquired, I used the Physical Properties Measurement System PPMS (SQUID) device in liquid Helium for the magnetic analysis of the samples.

The scholarship was founded by the Leric Foundation (<https://www.cmlerici.se/>).

31/10/2019 – 28/02/2021 Genova, Italy

MASTER THESIS UNIVERSITY OF GENOVA

Thesis Nanostructured metals and metal alloys: synthesis and magnetic characterization.

Tutors Prof. Fabio Michele Canepa, Davide Peddis and Diego Colombara.

The activity The group I worked for had installed a new setup for the *reduction of Cobalt, Iron and Nickel oxides into metal or metallic alloys in controlled atmosphere of hydrogen*. Hence, my activity was developed on the *synthesis and magnetic characterization* of these materials. My samples were analyzed by *X-ray Diffraction, Vibrating Sample Magnetometry, Transmission Electron Microscopy and Atomic Emission Spectroscopy* (Plasma Source).

Skills Alongside the data elaboration, especially XRD and VSM, I worked with the *glove-box, oven in controlled atmosphere and micro- and nano-powder*. The synthesis technique mainly used for the production of the ferrimagnetic and antiferrimagnetic oxides was the *self-combustion sol-gel*.

Business or Sector Professional, scientific and technical activities |

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01/09/2018 – 01/12/2018 Genova, Italy

BACHELOR THESIS UNIVERSITY OF GENOVA

Thesis Synthesis and characterization of BOC-aminoaldehydes and their use in Passerini diastereoselective reaction.

Tutor Prof. Luca Banfi.

The activity The research group I was working for had studied the steric effect of different BOC-aminoaldehydes on the final product of the Passerini reaction (i.e., on the diastereoselectivity enhancement).

Skills I performed basic protocols such as *carboxyl group reduction with NaBH₄ or TEMPO/BAIB reagents*, but I worked also with *controlled atmosphere and temperature* (Swern reaction). I performed synthesis monitoring (TLC), purification (*column chromatography*) and characterization (HPLC, H-NMR).

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● EDUCATION AND TRAINING

31/10/2018 – 29/04/2021 genova , Italy

M. SC. CHEMICAL SCIENCES (SOLID STATE CHEMISTRY APPLIED TO MATERIALS AND ENERGY)

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30/09/2015 – 19/02/2019 Genova, Italy

B. SC. IN CHEMISTRY AND CHEMICAL TECHNOLOGIES Department of Chemistry and Industrial Chemistry

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● LANGUAGE SKILLS

Mother tongue(s): **ITALIAN**

Other language(s):

	UNDERSTANDING		SPEAKING		WRITING
	Listening	Reading	Spoken production	Spoken interaction	
ENGLISH	B2	C1	B2	B2	B2
FRENCH	A1	A1	A1	A1	A1

Levels: A1 and A2: Basic user; B1 and B2: Independent user; C1 and C2: Proficient user

● **DIGITAL SKILLS**

Informatic skills

OriginPro 85 | Image-J | Microsoft Office | Microsoft Excel | Microsoft Powerpoint | Mendeley | Microsoft Word

Chemical Laboratory and Synthesis

Solution Combustion Synthesis | Handling with chemicals | Thermal Decomposition | X-Ray Diffraction | Nanomaterials - Synthesis, functionalization, characterization & Applications | Annealing | Hydrogen

● **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

DRIVING LICENCE

Driving Licence: B

ISCRIZIONE ALL'ALBO

11/2021 - CURRENT

Abilitato all'iscrizione (Non iscritto) all'albo della federazione nazionale degli ordini dei chimici e dei fisici

HOBBIES AND INTERESTS

Movies, Sports, Travelling, Reading, Writing and Music I am dynamic, but also thoughtful. I am open to discuss topic related to cinema, books and music. I am open to new experiences and to bind through these experiences, especially through sport. I play the cello.

PUBLICATIONS

[High-moment FeCo magnetic nanoparticles obtained by topochemical H₂ reduction of Co-Ferrites](#) – 2022

Cobalt ferrite nanoparticles of different stoichiometries synthesized by a sol-gel autocombustion method were used as a starting material to obtain high-moment Fe₅₀Co₅₀ and Fe₆₆Co₃₄ metal nanoparticles by topochemical hydrogen reduction. Structural and magnetic investigations confirmed the formation of FeCo nanoparticles with crystallite sizes of about 30 nm and magnetization at 0.5 T of ~265 Am²/kg (0 K), which was larger than the expected bulk value, likely because of the incorporation in the body-centered cubic (bcc) FeCo structure of the residual C atoms present on the surface of the oxide particles. Temperature-dependent magnetization measurements in the H₂ atmosphere were also performed to investigate in detail the reduction mechanism and the effect of an external magnetic field on the process efficiency.

A. Omelyanchik, [...] Jean-Pierre Miranda Murillo et al., 2022, MDPI, 12, 1-10

[Spinel iron oxide by the co-precipitation method: effect of the reaction atmosphere](#) – 2021

Synthesis atmosphere (i.e., air and nitrogen) effects on the physical properties and formation mechanism of spinel iron oxide nanoparticles prepared via the co-precipitation method have been investigated using a multi-technique approach. The obtained magnetic nanoparticles (MNPs) were characterized using the X-ray diffraction, transmission electron microscopy (TEM), SQUID magnetometry, Mössbauer spectroscopy and X-ray absorption near-edge Structure spectroscopy techniques. The synthesis procedure leads to the formation of a spinel structure with an average crystallite size of 9.0(9) nm. The morphology of the particles synthesized under an inert atmosphere was quasi-spherical, while the nanoparticles prepared in air present a faceted shape. The small differences observed in morphological properties are explained by the influence of the reaction atmosphere on the formation mechanism of the MNPs. The magnetic characterization indicates that both samples exhibit superparamagnetic behavior at 300 K. The investigation by means of the Langevin approach at 300 K also leads to equal values for the mean size of the magnetic cores (D_m). Additionally, the analysis of the Mössbauer spectra revealed the lack of spin disorder for both samples, resulting in a high saturation magnetization. The fit of XANES spectrum suggests that about 2/3 of the iron ions reside in a local environment close to that of γ -Fe₂O₃ and about 1/3 close to that of Fe₃O₄ for the sample synthesized in inert atmosphere.

S. Slimani, [...] Jean-Pierre Miranda Murillo et al. 2021, MDPI, 11, 1-12

