Session A - Morning (FRNY G124)

8:30 AM - 8:50 AM	Catalytic Consequences of Hydrophobic Pockets Confining Lewis Acid Sites in Zeolites for Aqueous-Phase Sugar Isomerization Michael Cordon Dr. Rajamani Gounder
8:50 AM - 9:10 AM	Introducing Catalytic Diversity into Single-Site Zeolites of Fixed Composition via Synthetic Control of Active Site Proximity John Di Iorio Dr. Rajamani Gounder
9:10 AM - 9:30 AM	Process Intensification in Multicomponent Distillation Zheyu Jiang Dr. Rakesh Agrawal
9:45 AM - 10:45 AM	Keynote Address - Kevin Girard (Pfizer) FRNY G140
11:00 AM - 11:20 AM	Mechanism of Ethene Dimerization on Isolated Nickel Cations Confined within Beta Molecular Sieves Ravi Joshi Dr. Rajamani Gounder
11:20 AM - 11:40 PM	Catalytic Trends at Bifunctional Au/oxide Interfaces: A DFT
	study Paulami Majumdar Dr. Jeff Greeley

Session B - Morning (FRNY B124)

8:30 AM - 8:50 AM	Chondrogenic Differentiation of Bone Marrow Mesenchymal Stem Cells in Collagen Type I and II Blend Hydrogels Claire E. Kilmer Dr. Julie C. Liu and Dr. Alyssa Panitch
8:50 AM - 9:10 AM	Polymer Lung Surfactant H. Kyle Kim Dr. You-Yeon Won
9:10 AM - 9:30 AM	Tailoring the Thermo-responsiveness of Elastin-like Polypeptides with Short Charged Sequences Charng-yu Lin Dr. Julie C. Liu
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Geometric and Electronic Effects of Zn Promotion on Pt for Catalytic Light Alkane Dehydrogenation

Han-Ting Tseng

Dr. Fabio H. Ribeiro

Pt-Fe Intermetallic Alloy Nanoparticles:

Selective Catalysts for the Dehydrogenation of Propane

Evan Wegener

Dr. Jeffrey Miller

A New Method for Determining the Hamaker Constant of Solids using an Atomic Force Microscope

Sean Fronczak

Dr. Stephen Beaudoin and Dr. David Corti

3:30 PM - 3:50 PM Controlling Open-Shell Loading in Norbornene-Based Radical

Polymers Modulates the Solid-State Charge Transport

Exponentially Martha Hay

Dr. Bryan W. Boudouris

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2:35 PM - 2:55 PM	A Global Stochastic Programming Approach for Optimal Placement of Imperfect Sensors Jianfeng Liu Dr. Carl Laird
3:10 PM - 3:30 PM	Dynamic Modeling for Antibiotic Resistance Transfer in Enterococcus faecalis Vu Tran

Dr. Doraiswami Ramkrishna

3:30 PM - 3:50 PM Pharmacometabonomics Approach for Early Prediction of

Neuropathy Parul Verma

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