

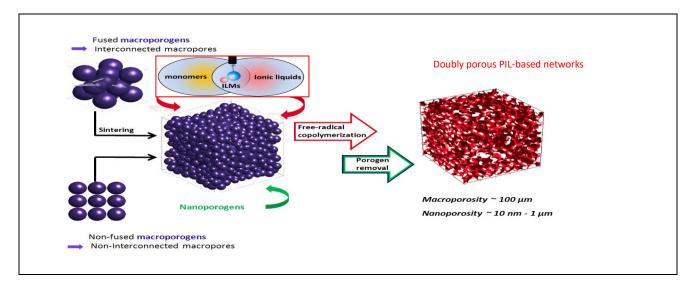
6-month position for a Master 2 Internship

Novel Recyclable Multifunctional Biporous Materials Based on Poly(Ionic Liquid)s

Laboratory: Institut Charles Sadron (ICS) Starting date: February 01, 2025 (flexible) Duration: 5 to 6 months (February-July 2025) Supervisor: Daniel Grande (daniel.grande@ics-cnrs.unistra.fr)

This Master 2 internship aims at developing novel recyclable multifunctional biporous materials based on poly(ionic liquid)s (PILs) meant for important environmental issues. First, the double porogen templating approach will be exploited to elaborate biporous PIL networks with controlled pore surface functionality and morphology. Then, such ionic polymer materials will be investigated in CO₂ adsorption and subsequent conversion into fine chemicals, along with their recyclability. Removal of heavy metals or per- and polyfluoroalkyl substances (PFAS) in contaminated water is another potential application of major interest for the tailor-made PIL networks.

The Master student will benefit from unique expertise (molecular chemistry, macromolecular engineering, polymer processing) and state-of-the-art platforms (physico-chemical characterization, electron microscopy, X-ray tomography) available at ICS.



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Funding: This master 2 internship will be funded through a project selected by MICA Carnot Institute.

Application: To apply, please send a letter of motivation together with your detailed CV to Daniel Grande (daniel.grande@ics-cnrs.unistra.fr). Do not hesitate to contact me before if you need more detailed information.

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