



MOLECULES AND MATERIALS FOR THE ENERGY OF TOMORROW

Developing innovative molecules and materials for the production and the storage of clean energies taking into account the societal and economical aspects of the energy transition

OBJECTIVES

- **Facing ambitious challenges** that are crucial for the **energy transition**
- 2 Identifying economic and social issues of these new energy technologies
- **3** Promoting future appealing collaboration towards **industrial partners**
 - Initiating transverse educative actions



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A GLOBAL AND LOCAL ENERGY CONTEXT

- Located at the heart of the research strategy of the Université Paris-Saclay
- Transverse actions "Energy" and "Materials" of Université Paris-Saclay
- Contributes to the National Strategic Area "Energie propre, sûre et efficace"
- Contributes to the European Energy Challenge "Secure, Clean and Efficient Energy" in Horizon Europe

AXIS 2

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Hydrogen production, storage and use

Breakthrough developments for faster implementation of hydrogen technologies

Low/high temperature Fuel/electrolysis Cells (production/use of H₂) Development of low-cost, precious-metal-free catalysts, reversible fuel-cell mode / electrolysis mode systems, improvement of efficiency & lifespan

H₂ **storage at moderate temperature and pressure** Adsorption in mesoporous materials

Hydrogen production from Biomass

Hybrid and multifunctional materials for solar energy conversion

Integrated photovoltaic (PV) and electrolysis functions for production of solar fuels

Development of silicon nanowires (SiNW) / catalyst-based photoelectrodes Low-cost, high-absorbing SiNW photoelectrodes, deposition of passivating layers, functionalisation of noble-metal-free catalysts for oxidation and reduction of water, building up and testing of complete photoelectrochemical devices

Development of photoelectrodes based on hybrid perovskites

Understanding of the mechanisms governing the phase properties of the perovskite itself, modifying and controlling hybrid perovskites and their interfaces with other functional layers in order to increase their stability

Disruptive materials for (electrochemical) energy storage Towards higher energy, improved stability and safety

Explore new electrode materials and electrolytes for batteries

Take benefit from carbon nanostructures and their composites to enhance the stored energy and power of supercapacitors

Elucidate mechanisms taking place at the microscopic level and identify correlations with the performances

New Energies and Society

Tackles new energy issues from micro and macroeconomic perspectives

Energy transition (macroeconomic approach): sustainable-growth models with regime switching

Complementarity between renewable energies and hydrogen network

Simulations and policy recommendations

Mobility (multi-sector analysis and field study)

OUR ASSETS

Proof of concept of highly innovative breakthroughs : Organometallic catalysts, mesoporous storage materials...

Research experts in all aspects of the following technologies: Materials development, fabrication processes, Lab cells and industrial systems testing...

Strong link between Large companies / Start-ups in the field of $\rm H_2$ for stationary and mobile applications

OUR ASSETS

Developing solutions for storage of clean energies

Combining expertise in innovative PV and catalysis

Target optimization with respect to efficiency, stability and cost

OUR ASSETS

Possibility to open new pathways to overcome the present limitations

Development of specific instrumentation for operando analysis (nuclear microprobe, specific cells for Synchrotron facilities...)

Interaction with industrial partners

OUR ASSETS

Switching regime from brown to green economy with solar-hydrogen complementarity

Impacting the economic growth

Rethinking the energy facilities for mobility purposes





Advanced

Advanced

Supercapacitor

Li-ion

CNT @polymer







THE RESOURCE CENTER

Favor exchanges between academic and industrial partners and establish links for future partnerships

Support design and fabrication of original devices for scientific training or outreach purposes, and favours the sharing of equipments

Organise Training Sessions for industrial partners

Outreach activities

LA FABRIQUE

Fab Lab located at CentraleSupélec Prototyping, 3D Printing and multiphysics CAD

EDUCATIVE ACTIONS

Massive Open Online Course (MOOC)

Tailored courses on materials for energy focused on materials for hydrogen (production, use and storage), solar-energy conversion, materials for electrochemical energy storage and new energies and society. They will include theoretical and practical approaches to provide background to Bachelor and Master students as well as professional trainings

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Air Liquide, PSA, Renault, EDF, IFPEN, NanoE, NextMat, TERA Environnement, SIG Energy Technology, Symbio, ZnR Batteries

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