

## **Eduardo Santillan-Jimenez, Ph.D.**

*Chemist with Expertise in Heterogeneous Catalysis*

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### **Education**

Degree Ph.D. in Chemistry  
Year 2008  
Institution University of Kentucky

Degree B.S. in Chemistry  
Year 2003  
Institution University of San Luis Potosi, Mexico

### **Experience**

Position Fulbright Specialist  
Topics Internationalization of STEM higher education  
Development of interdisciplinary academic and training curricula  
Period 2021-present

Position Adjunct Assistant Professor & Associate Graduate Faculty Member  
Period 2019-present

Place of Employment University of Kentucky Department of Chemistry  
Duties & Responsibilities Advising and supervising graduate and undergraduate students  
Teaching undergraduate and graduate courses

Position Senior Research Scientist (RS) | Principal RS | Program Manager  
Period 2011–2014 2014–2019 2019-present

Place of Employment University of Kentucky Center for Applied Energy Research  
Duties & Responsibilities Writing of research proposals and management of awarded grants  
Writing of publications and progress reports for funding agencies  
Supervision of students and technical staff

Research projects Catalytic upgrading of biomass to fuels and chemicals  
Broadening participation in science and engineering

Position Visiting Researcher at the National Center for Scientific Research  
Period 2019

Place of Employment University of Burgundy Institute Carnot  
Research projects XPS study of bimetallic deoxygenation catalysts

Position Postdoctoral scholar  
Period 2010–2011

Place of Employment University of Kentucky Center for Applied Energy Research  
Research projects Catalytic upgrading of the products of lignin depolymerization to  
fuels and chemicals

Position	Postdoctoral fellow
Period	2009–2010
Place of Employment	Utrecht University Department of Chemistry
Research projects	Phase behavior of reactants and products during Fischer-Tropsch synthesis <i>via in situ</i> spectroscopy Operando studies on alkane dehydrogenation catalysts
Position	Visiting Scientist
Period	2008
Place of Employment	University of Alicante Department of Inorganic Chemistry
Research projects	Mechanistic studies on the selective catalytic reduction of nitrogen oxides over carbon nanotube-supported metal catalysts
<b>Languages</b>	
Language	English   Spanish   French   German
Proficiency	100%      100%      100%      30%
<b>Service</b>	
Memberships	American Chemical Society   North American Catalysis Society
Refereed journals	Energy & Environmental Science Applied Catalysis B ACS Catalysis Green Chemistry Journal of Catalysis Renewable Energy Catalysis Communications ChemCatChem Energy Conversion and Management Bioresource Technology ACS Sustainable Chemistry & Engineering Applied Catalysis A Catalysis Science & Technology Chemical Engineering Journal Journal of Colloid and Interface Science Environmental Pollution Fuel Journal of Molecular Catalysis A Catalysis Today Energy & Fuels Fuel Processing Technology RSC Advances Catalysts Nanomaterials Industrial & Engineering Chemistry Research Journal of Analytical and Applied Pyrolysis Journal of Chemical Technology & Biotechnology

	<p>Biomass Conversion and Biorefinery  International Journal of Chemical Kinetics  Journal of Porous Materials  Journal of the American Oil Chemists' Society</p>
Reviewed grant proposals	<p>National Science Foundation – Energy for Sustainability program  National Science Foundation – Division of Chemical, Bioengineering, Environmental and Transport Systems  National Science Foundation – Broadening Participation in Engineering program  National Science Foundation – Emerging Frontiers in Research and Innovation program  U.S. Department of Energy – SBIR/STTR program  Kentucky Science and Engineering Foundation – SBIR/STTR program  Czech Science Foundation</p>
Lectured courses	<p>Power Generation Technologies EGR/CME/ME/EE 599/EGR 542  Innovations at the Nexus of Food, Energy &amp; Water Systems CHE 580  Transferable Skills for Scientists &amp; Engineers CHE 580</p>
Committee participation	<p>UK Defined Contribution Plans Administrator Selection Committee  UK Retirement Plan Oversight Committee  UK KY-WV LSAMP Director Hiring Committee  UK CAER Staff Award Committee  UK CAER Research Performance and Promotion Committee  UK CAER Research Seed Grant Committee</p>
Board participation	<p>UK KY-WV LSAMP Bridge to the Doctorate Advisory Board  Kentucky Distillers Association Diversity, Equity &amp; Inclusion Advisory Group</p>
<b>References</b>	
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### Awards

1. 2017 International Collaborative Research Initiation Award. \$5,000 award sponsored by the National Science Foundation given to recognize excellence in the mentoring of students participating in an international Research Experience for Undergraduates.
2. 2007 Dissertation Enhancement Award. \$3,000 award sponsored by the University of Kentucky (UK) Graduate School given to doctoral candidates to conduct research at a site away from UK's campus (in this case the University of Alicante in Spain).

## Awarded Grants

1. E. Santillan-Jimenez (PI), G. Caboche (co-PI). *Novel global and "pandemic-proof" approach to STEM teaching*. United States Department of State, Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs – Fulbright Foreign Scholarship Board. \$8,000. 06/13/21-07/13/21.
2. E. Santillan-Jimenez (PI), C. Crofcheck (co-PI), F. Williams (co-PI), B. Guerrant (co-PI), N. Minion (co-PI). *Research Innovators in Sustainable Energy (RISE)*. University of Kentucky Office of Sustainability – Sustainability Challenge Grant. \$24,986. 05/01/20-06/30/22.
3. M. Crocker (PI), E. Santillan-Jimenez (co-PI). *NRT: IN FELLOWS & an Academy of Innovators at the Nexus of Food, Energy & Water Systems*. National Science Foundation Division of Graduate Education. \$2,998,456. 09/01/19-08/31/24.
4. E. Santillan-Jimenez (PI). *SPORES: Students Participating in Outreach and Research for Environmental Sustainability*. University of Kentucky Student Sustainability Council. \$8,580. 01/01/19-12/31/19.
5. S. DeBolt (PI), E. Santillan-Jimenez (Senior Personnel). *A multiscale, multiphysics modeling framework for genome-to-phenome mapping via intermediate phenotypes*. National Science Foundation Experimental Project to Stimulate Competitive Research Track II. \$3,000,000. 08/15/18-07/31/22.
6. E. Santillan-Jimenez (PI). *Probing the economic and industrial viability of converting algae, hemp and waste oils to diesel and jet fuel*. University of Kentucky Office of the Vice President for Research – Research Support Grant. \$17,378. 07/01/17-06/30/18.
7. M. Crocker (PI), E. Santillan-Jimenez (co-PI). *SusChEM: Promotion of Nickel Catalysts for the Conversion of Biomass-derived Oils to Fuel-like Hydrocarbons – REU Supplement*. National Science Foundation Catalysis and Biocatalysis program. \$10,968. 01/24/17-08/31/17.
8. E. Santillan-Jimenez (PI), Rebekah Radtke (co-PI), Margaret Mohr-Schroeder (co-PI). *From SEE(E)D to (S)STEM: Scientists, Engineers, Entrepreneurs, Educators & Designers developing didactic tools to promote Sustainability, Science, Technology, Engineering & Mathematics*. University of Kentucky Office of Sustainability – Sustainability Challenge Grant. \$25,184. 01/01/16-12/31/16.
9. M. Crocker (PI), E. Santillan-Jimenez (co-PI). *MRI: Acquisition of a Gas Chromatograph with Dual Detection Capabilities to be Used in Sustainable Energy Research*. National Science Foundation Major Research Instrumentation program. \$145,161. 08/01/15-07/30/16.
10. E. Santillan-Jimenez (PI), W. Henderson III (co-PI). *Using a research center-based mentoring program to increase the participation of African Americans, Hispanics and Native Americans in engineering*, National Science Foundation Broadening Participation in Engineering program. \$447,770. 12/01/14-11/30/18.
11. M. Crocker (PI), E. Santillan-Jimenez (co-PI). *SusChEM: Promotion of Nickel Catalysts for the Conversion of Biomass-derived Oils to Fuel-like Hydrocarbons*. National Science Foundation Catalysis and Biocatalysis program. \$371,737. 09/01/14-08/31/17.
12. E. Santillan-Jimenez (PI), M. Crocker (co-PI). *Use of carbide catalysts for the upgrading of biomass-derived liquids to renewable fuels*. University of Kentucky Office of the Vice President for Research – Research Support Grant. \$14,467. 02/01/13-01/31/14.

## Books and Book Chapters

1. M. Crocker, E. Santillan-Jimenez (eds.) (2020). *Chemical Catalysts for Biomass Upgrading*, 2020 Wiley-VCH Verlag GmbH & Co. KGaA., Weinheim, Germany. Print ISBN: 9783527344666; Online ISBN: 9783527814794; DOI: 10.1002/9783527814794.
2. R. Loe, E. Santillan-Jimenez, M. Crocker (2020). *Upgrading of Lipids to Fuel-like Hydrocarbons and Terminal Olefins via Decarbonylation/Decarboxylation*. In *Chemical*

### Selected Publications

1. R. Pace, S. Kesner, E. Santillan-Jimenez, T. Morgan, M. Frazar, V. Kelly, M.A. Zeller, M. Crocker. *Evaluation of Near-ambient Algal Biomass Fractionation Conditions for Bioproduct Development*. *Biomass Convers. Biorefin.* (2020) IN PRESS – DOI: 10.1007/s13399-020-01090-5.
2. R. Radtke, E. Santillan-Jimenez, M. Mohr-Schroeder. *Collaboration by Design: Development of a Video Game for Energy Literacy*. *International Journal of Designs for Learning* 11 (2020) 46.
3. C. Beasley, M.K. Gnanamani, E. Santillan-Jimenez, M. Martinelli, W.D. Shafer, S.D. Hopps, N. Wanninayake, D.-Y. Kim. *Effect of Metal Work Function on Hydrogen Production from Photocatalytic Water Splitting with  $MTiO_2$  Catalysts*. *ChemistrySelect* 5 (2020) 1013.
4. G.C.R. Silva, D. Qian, R. Pace, O. Heinz, G. Caboche, E. Santillan-Jimenez, M. Crocker. *Promotional Effect of Cu, Fe and Pt on the Performance of  $Ni/Al_2O_3$  in the Deoxygenation of Used Cooking Oil to Fuel-Like Hydrocarbons*. *Catalysts* 10 (2020) 91.
5. J.C. Hower, D. Qian, N.J. Briot, E. Santillan-Jimenez, M.M. Hood, R.K. Taggart, H. Hsu-Kim. *Nano-Scale Rare Earth Distribution in Fly Ash Derived from the Combustion of the Fire Clay Coal, Kentucky*. *Minerals* 9 (2019) 206.
6. E. Santillan-Jimenez, R. Pace, T. Morgan, C. Behnke, D. Sajkowski, A. Lappas, M. Crocker. *Coprocessing of hydrothermal liquefaction algal bio-oil and petroleum feedstock to fuel-like hydrocarbons via fluid catalytic cracking*. *Fuel Process. Technol.* 188 (2019) 164.
7. R. Loe, K. Huff, M. Walli, T. Morgan, D. Qian, R. Pace, Y. Song, M. Isaacs, E. Santillan-Jimenez, M. Crocker. *Effect of Pt promotion on the Ni-catalyzed deoxygenation of tristearin to fuel-like hydrocarbons*. *Catalysts* 9 (2019) 200.
8. R. Loe, Y. Lavoignat, M. Maier, M. Abdallah, T. Morgan, D. Qian, R. Pace, E. Santillan-Jimenez, M. Crocker. *Continuous catalytic deoxygenation of waste free fatty acid-based feeds to fuel-like hydrocarbons over a supported Ni-Cu catalyst*. *Catalysts* 9 (2019) 123.
9. E. Santillan-Jimenez, R. Loe, M. Garrett, T. Morgan, M. Crocker. *Effect of Cu promotion on cracking and methanation during the Ni-catalyzed deoxygenation of waste lipids and hemp seed oil to fuel-like hydrocarbons*. *Catal. Today* 302 (2018) 261.
10. T. Morgan, E. Santillan-Jimenez, K. Huff, K.R. Javed, M. Crocker. *Use of dual detection in the gas chromatographic analysis of oleaginous biomass feeds and biofuel products to enable accurate simulated distillation and lipid profiling*. *Energy Fuels* 31 (2017) 9498.
11. E. Santillan-Jimenez, R. Pace, S. Marques, T. Morgan, C. McKelphin, J. Mobley, M. Crocker. *Extraction, purification, characterization and catalytic upgrading of algae lipids to fuel-like hydrocarbons*. *Fuel* 180 (2016) 668.
12. R. Loe, E. Santillan-Jimenez, T. Morgan, L. Sewell, Y. Ji, S. Jones, M.A. Isaacs, A.F. Lee, M. Crocker. *Effect of Cu and Sn promotion on the catalytic deoxygenation of model and algal lipids to fuel-like hydrocarbons over supported Ni catalysts*. *Appl. Catal. B: Environ.* 191 (2016) 147.
13. E. Santillan-Jimenez, M. Perdu, R. Pace, T. Morgan, M. Crocker. *Activated Carbon, Carbon Nanofiber and Carbon Nanotube Supported Molybdenum Carbide Catalysts for the Hydrodeoxygenation of Guaiacol*. *Catalysts* 5 (2015) 424.
14. J. Choi, V. Schwartz, E. Santillan-Jimenez, M. Crocker, S. Lewis, M. Lance, H. Meyer, K. More. *Structural Evolution of Molybdenum Carbides in Hot Aqueous Environments and Impact on Low-Temperature Hydroprocessing of Acetic Acid*. *Catalysts* 5 (2015) 406.
15. E. Santillan-Jimenez, T. Morgan, R. Loe, M. Crocker. *Continuous catalytic deoxygenation of model and algal lipids to fuel-like hydrocarbons over Ni-Al layered double hydroxide*. *Catal. Today* 258 (2015) 284.

16. J.J.H.B. Sattler, J. Ruiz-Martinez, E. Santillan-Jimenez, B. Weckhuysen. *Catalytic Dehydrogenation of Light Alkanes on Metals and Metal Oxides*. Chem. Rev. 114 (2014) 10613.
17. M.H. Wilson, J. Groppo, A. Placido, S. Graham, S.A. Morton, E. Santillan-Jimenez, A. Shea, M. Crocker, C. Crofcheck, R. Andrews. *CO<sub>2</sub> recycling using microalgae for the production of fuels*. Appl. Petrochem. Res. 4 (2014) 41.
18. T. Morgan, E. Santillan-Jimenez, M. Crocker. *Simulated distillation approach to the gas chromatographic analysis of feedstock and products in the deoxygenation of lipids to hydrocarbon biofuel*. Energy Fuels 28 (2014) 2654.
19. E. Santillan-Jimenez, T. Morgan, J. Shoup, A.E. Harman-Ware, M. Crocker. *Catalytic deoxygenation of triglycerides and fatty acids to hydrocarbons over Ni-Al layered double hydroxide*. Catal. Today 237 (2014) 136.
20. E. Santillan-Jimenez, T. Morgan, J. Lacny, S. Mohapatra, M. Crocker. *Catalytic deoxygenation of triglycerides and fatty acids to hydrocarbons over carbon-supported nickel*. Fuel 103 (2013) 1010.
21. T. Morgan, E. Santillan-Jimenez, A.E. Harman-Ware, Y. Ji, D. Grubb, M. Crocker. *Catalytic deoxygenation of triglycerides to hydrocarbons over supported nickel catalysts*. Chem. Eng. J. 189-190 (2012) 346.
22. E. Santillan-Jimenez, M. Crocker. *Catalytic deoxygenation of fatty acids and their derivatives to hydrocarbon fuels via decarboxylation/decarbonylation*. J. Chem. Technol. Biotechnol. 87 (2012) 1041.
23. E. Santillan-Jimenez, M. Crocker, A. Bueno-López, C. Salinas-Martínez de Lecea. *Carbon nanotube-supported metal catalysts for NO<sub>x</sub> reduction using hydrocarbon reductants: gas switching and adsorption studies*. Ind. Eng. Chem. Res. 50 (2011) 7191.
24. E. Santillan-Jimenez, V. Miljković-Kocić, M. Crocker, K. Wilson. *Carbon nanotube-supported catalysts for NO<sub>x</sub> reduction using hydrocarbon reductants. Part 1: Catalyst preparation, characterization and NO<sub>x</sub> reduction characteristics*. Appl. Catal. B 102 (2011) 1.
25. T. Morgan, D. Grubb, E. Santillan-Jimenez, M. Crocker. *Conversion of triglycerides to hydrocarbons over supported metal catalysts*. Top. Catal. 53 (2010) 820.
26. J.L. Shumaker, C. Crofcheck, S.A. Tackett, E. Santillan-Jimenez, T. Morgan, Y. Ji, M. Crocker, T.J. Toops. *Biodiesel synthesis using calcined layered double hydroxide catalysts*. Appl. Catal. B 82 (2008) 120.
27. A. Hutchinson, D. Atwood, E. Santillan-Jimenez. *The removal of mercury from water by open chain ligands containing multiple sulfurs*. J. Hazard. Mater. 156 (2008) 458.
28. J.L. Shumaker, C. Crofcheck, S.A. Tackett, E. Santillan-Jimenez, M. Crocker. *Biodiesel production from soybean oil using calcined Li-Al layered double hydroxide catalysts*. Catal. Lett. 115 (2007) 56.

### **Selected Presentations**

1. E. Santillan-Jimenez. *Towards a multi-institutional approach to the transferable skill training of STEM students*. 2021 National Science Foundation Research Traineeship (NRT) Annual Meeting – Shaping 21<sup>st</sup> Century STEM Graduate Education, Jan. 28-29, 2021 (Virtual Meeting).
2. J. Parker, M. Crocker, E. Santillan-Jimenez, C. Schutzman, S. Turner, Q. Duan. *IN FELLOWS & an Academy of Innovators at the Nexus of Food, Energy & Water Systems (INFEWS)*. 2021 National Science Foundation Research Traineeship (NRT) Annual Meeting – Shaping 21<sup>st</sup> Century STEM Graduate Education, Jan. 28-29, 2021 (Virtual Meeting).
3. E. Santillan-Jimenez, Q. Duan, J. Dariotis, M. Crocker. *Enhancing graduate education by integrating research and professional skill development within a diverse, inclusive and*

- supportive academy*. 2020 American Society for Engineering Education Virtual Annual Conference & Exposition, June 22-26, 2020.
4. E. Santillan-Jimenez. *Help Position Your Students for Success: From Becoming Better Mentees to Going International*. 2019 Louis Stokes Midwest Center of Excellence Conference – Building a Diverse STEM Talent Pool: Classrooms to Careers, Indianapolis, IN, October 25-27, 2019.
  5. E. Santillan-Jimenez, A.G. Villasante-Tezanos. *Broadening participation in engineering using research center-based mentoring: Evidence generated and lessons learned through a five-year program*. 2019 NSF Engineering Education and Centers Grantees Conference, Arlington, VA, October 21-23, 2019.
  6. G.C.R. Silva, E. Santillan-Jimenez, T. Morgan, M. Crocker. *Conversion of Waste Oil to Renewable Diesel Over Supported Ni Catalysts Promoted with Cu, Fe or Pt*. 26<sup>th</sup> North American Catalysis Society Meeting, Chicago, IL, June 23-28, 2019.
  7. E. Santillan-Jimenez, R. Loe, M. Abdallah, M. Maier, M. Walli, R. Pace, D. Qian, M. Crocker. *Catalytic Deoxygenation of Waste Lipids to Fuel-like Hydrocarbons over Supported Ni Catalysts Promoted with Cu*. 26<sup>th</sup> North American Catalysis Society Meeting, Chicago, IL, June 23-28, 2019.
  8. E. Santillan-Jimenez, S. Hodges, A.G. Villasante-Tezanos. *Broadening participation in engineering through a research center-based mentoring program*. 2019 American Society for Engineering Education Annual Conference & Exposition, Tampa, FL, June 15-19, 2019.
  9. E. Santillan-Jimenez, R. Loe, Y. Song, M. Isaacs, K. Wilson, A. Lee, M. Crocker. *Conversion of model, waste and highly unsaturated lipids to fuel-like hydrocarbons over bimetallic decarboxylation/decarbonylation catalysts*. 255<sup>th</sup> American Chemical Society National Meeting, New Orleans, LA. March 18-22, 2018.
  10. E. Santillan-Jimenez, W. Henderson. *Increasing impact by synergizing research-center based mentoring with LSAMP, EPSCoR, iREUs and other initiatives to broaden participation in STEM*. 2017 NSF Engineering Education and Centers Grantees Conference, Arlington, VA, October 29-31, 2017.
  11. E. Santillan-Jimenez, S. Hodges, F. Williams, R. Duran. *Using a research center-based mentoring program to broaden participation in STEM and facilitate access to an international research experience for undergraduates*. 2017 Louis Stokes Midwest Center of Excellence Conference – Take Action: Reaching Deeper into the Nation’s Diverse Pool of STEM Talent, Indianapolis, IN, October 6-8, 2017.
  12. R. Loe, E. Santillan-Jimenez, M. Crocker. *Catalytic Deoxygenation of Waste, Hemp and Algal Lipids to Fuel-like Hydrocarbons over Supported Ni Catalysts*. 25<sup>th</sup> North American Catalysis Society Meeting, Denver, CO, June 4-9, 2017.
  13. E. Santillan-Jimenez, T. Morgan, R. Pace, D. Sajkowski, C. Behnke, A. Lappas, M. Crocker. *Co-Processing of Algae-Derived Hydrothermal Liquefaction Bio-Oil and Petroleum Feedstock via Fluid Catalytic Cracking for the Production of Fuel-like Hydrocarbons*. 25<sup>th</sup> North American Catalysis Society Meeting, Denver, CO, June 4-9, 2017.
  14. E. Santillan-Jimenez, W. Henderson. *Using a research center-based mentoring program to increase the participation of African Americans, Hispanics and Native Americans in engineering*. 2017 American Society for Engineering Education Annual Conference & Exposition, Columbus, OH, June 25-28, 2017.
  15. R. Pace, E. Santillan-Jimenez, M.H. Wilson, J.G. Groppo, S. Kesner, E. Frazar, A. Zeller, M. Crocker. *Processing of algae biomass for the production of fuels and bioplastics*. 7<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Algal Biomass, Biofuels and Bioproducts, Miami, FL, June 18-21, 2017.

16. C. McKelphin, E. Santillan-Jimenez, M. Crocker. *Kinetic Study of Catalytic Decarboxylation/Decarbonylation of Triglycerides to Fuels*. American Institute of Chemical Engineers National Conference, San Francisco, CA, November 11-14, 2016.
17. E. M. Frazar, R. Pace, R. Loe, E. Santillan-Jimenez, M. Crocker. *Algae-mediated Conversion of CO<sub>2</sub> Emissions to Diesel Range Hydrocarbons*. American Institute of Chemical Engineers National Conference, San Francisco, CA, November 11-14, 2016.
18. E. Santillan-Jimenez. *Energy is elementary: Supporting elementary science education by enhancing energy literacy*. Kentucky Science Teachers Association 44<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference, Lexington, KY, Nov. 10-12, 2016.
19. E. Santillan-Jimenez, W. Henderson. *Using research center-based mentoring to increase minority participation in engineering*. 9<sup>th</sup> Annual Mentoring Conference, Albuquerque, NM, Oct. 24-27, 2016.
20. R. Loe, E. Santillan-Jimenez, M. Crocker. *Catalytic deoxygenation of model and realistic feeds to fuel-like hydrocarbons over supported nickel-copper catalysts*. 252<sup>nd</sup> American Chemical Society National Meeting, Philadelphia, PA, August 21-25, 2016.
21. R. Loe, E. Santillan-Jimenez, M. Crocker. *Catalytic Deoxygenation of Model and Realistic Lipid Feeds to Fuel-like Hydrocarbons over Supported Nickel Alloy Catalysts*. 9<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Environmental Catalysis, Newcastle, Australia, July 10-13, 2016.
22. E. Santillan-Jimenez, M. Wilson, M. Crocker. *Algae-mediated conversion of coal-derived flue gas to fuels and bioplastics*. Bioenergy 2016, Washington, D.C., July 12-14, 2016.
23. C. McKelphin, E. Santillan-Jimenez, M. Crocker. *Optimization of Algal Extracts for the Production of Fuels*. 251<sup>st</sup> American Chemical Society National Meeting, San Diego, CA. March 13-17, 2016.
24. E. Santillan-Jimenez, T. Morgan, R. Loe, R. Pace, S. Marques, M. Crocker. *Extraction, Purification and Catalytic Upgrading of Algae Lipids to Fuel-like Hydrocarbons*. 2015 Algae Biomass Summit, Washington, D.C., September 29-October 2, 2015.
25. E. Santillan-Jimenez, M. Wilson, M. Crocker. *Algae-mediated conversion of flue-gas from a coal-fired power plant to drop-in hydrocarbon fuels*. Bioenergy 2015, Washington, D.C., June 23-24, 2015.
26. E. Santillan-Jimenez, T. Morgan, R. Loe, M. Crocker. *Continuous Deoxygenation of Model and Algal Lipids to Fuel-like Hydrocarbons over Supported Ni Alloy Catalysts*. 24<sup>th</sup> North American Catalysis Society Meeting, Pittsburgh, PA, June 14-19, 2015.
27. R. Loe, T. Morgan, E. Santillan-Jimenez, M. Crocker. *Catalytic deoxygenation of model and algal lipids to fuel-like hydrocarbons over supported nickel alloy catalysts*. 249<sup>th</sup> American Chemical Society National Meeting, Denver, CO, March 22-26, 2015.
28. E. Santillan-Jimenez, T. Morgan, R. Loe, M. Crocker. *Continuous deoxygenation of algal lipids to fuel-like hydrocarbons over inexpensive Ni-based catalysts*. 8<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Environmental Catalysis, Asheville, NC, August 24-27, 2014.
29. R. Loe, E. Santillan-Jimenez, M. Crocker. *Catalytic deoxygenation of tristearin to hydrocarbons over supported nickel alloy catalysts*. 8<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Environmental Catalysis, Asheville, NC, August 24-27, 2014.
30. R. Loe, T. Morgan, E. Santillan-Jimenez, M. Crocker. *Catalytic Deoxygenation of Tristearin to Hydrocarbons over Supported Nickel Alloy Catalysts*. Tri-State Catalysis Society Symposium, Louisville, KY, September 15, 2014.
31. J. Choi, V. Schwartz, E. Santillan-Jimenez, M. Crocker, S. Lewis, R. Connatser, H. Meyer, K. More. *Catalytic Performance of Mo<sub>2</sub>C in Aqueous-Phase Hydroprocessing of Model Bio-oils*.



- Southeastern Catalysis Society 12<sup>th</sup> Annual Fall Symposium, Asheville, NC, September 29-30, 2013.
32. M. Crocker, M.H.W. Wilson, J. Groppo, A. Placido, S. Graham, E. Santillan-Jimenez, T. Morgan, J. Shoup, D. Kim, L. Mills, H. Y. Shin, C. Crofcheck. *CO<sub>2</sub> recycling using microalgae for the production of liquid fuels*. 246<sup>th</sup> American Chemical Society National Meeting, Indianapolis, IN, September 8-12, 2013.
  33. E. Santillan-Jimenez, T. Morgan, M. Crocker. *Conversion of triglycerides and fatty acids to fuel-like hydrocarbons over supported nickel catalysts*. 246<sup>th</sup> American Chemical Society National Meeting, Indianapolis, IN, September 8-12, 2013.
  34. E. Santillan-Jimenez, T. Morgan, J. Shoup, M. Crocker. *Ni-Catalyzed Conversion of Lipids to Fuel-Like Hydrocarbons: From Proof of Concept to Catalyst Recycling Studies*. 23<sup>rd</sup> North American Catalysis Meeting, Louisville, KY, June 2-7, 2013.
  35. J. Choi, V. Schwartz, E. Santillan-Jimenez, M. Crocker, S. Lewis, H. Meyer, K. More. *Catalytic Activity and Stability of Molybdenum Carbides in Aqueous Phase Hydrotreating of Acetic Acid*. 23<sup>rd</sup> North American Catalysis Meeting, Louisville, KY, June 2-7, 2013.
  36. J. Choi, V. Schwartz, E. Santillan-Jimenez, M. Crocker, S. Lewis, H. Meyer, K. More. *Catalytic Performance of Molybdenum Carbides in Aqueous-Phase Hydrotreating of Acetic Acid*. 245<sup>th</sup> American Chemical Society National Meeting, New Orleans, LA, April 7-11, 2013.
  37. J. Shoup, E. Santillan-Jimenez, T. Morgan, M. Crocker. *Conversion of Triglycerides and Fatty Acids to Hydrocarbons Using Supported Nickel Catalysts*. 2012 American Institute of Chemical Engineers Annual Meeting, Pittsburgh, PA, October 28-November 2, 2012.
  38. E. Santillan-Jimenez, T. Morgan, M. Crocker. *Conversion of triglycerides and fatty acids to hydrocarbons via decarboxylation/decarbonylation (deCO<sub>x</sub>) over supported nickel catalysts*. 7<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Environmental Catalysis, Lyon, France, September 2-6, 2012.
  39. S. Mohapatra, T. Morgan, E. Santillan-Jimenez, M. Crocker. *Conversion of triglycerides and fatty acids to hydrocarbons over supported nickel catalysts*. 22<sup>nd</sup> North American Catalysis Society Meeting, Detroit, MI, June 5-10, 2011.
  40. T. Morgan, S.A. Morton, M. Crocker, D. Grubb, E. Santillan-Jimenez. *Application of layered double hydroxides to the production of renewable diesel*. 239<sup>th</sup> American Chemical Society National Meeting, San Francisco, CA, March 21-25, 2010.
  41. T. Morgan, D. Grubb, E. Santillan-Jimenez, S.A. Morton, M. Crocker. *Conversion of vegetable and algae oils to hydrocarbons over supported metal catalysts*. AIChE 2009 Annual Meeting. Nashville, TN, November 8-13, 2009.
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