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HYDROGEN GENERATION AND STORAGE



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Research Interests:

polymeric materials, supercritical fluids, microporous materials, hydrogen storage, metal nanoparticles, emulsion-templated materials, and high-throughput materials methodology