

## SYSA 5: Poster Session SYSA

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**Structure and Morphology of conducting Polymerfilms for Photovoltaic Applications** — •MATTHIAS RUDERER<sup>1</sup>, EZZELDIN METWALLI<sup>1</sup>, WEINAN WANG<sup>1</sup>, GUNAR KAUNE<sup>1</sup>, STEPHAN V. ROTH<sup>2</sup>, and PETER MÜLLER-BUSCHBAUM<sup>1</sup> — <sup>1</sup>TU München, Physik-Department, LS E13, James-Franck-Str. 1, 85747 Garching, Germany — <sup>2</sup>HASYLAB at DESY, Notkestr. 85, 22603 Hamburg, Germany

Conducting polymers have shown to be interesting candidates for photovoltaics due to their high absorption coefficient, low costs etc. Nevertheless there are stringent constraints in device fabrication due to the short exciton diffusion length. Therefore the structure of the polymerfilm is crucial. It was shown that a blended structure compared to a layered structure increases the efficiency [1].

In the presented work we focus on such blend films. Two conducting polymers of different classes, of poly(phenylene vinylene) (PPV) and polythiophene (PT) derivatives, are blended with different ratios. Films are prepared by using spin coating. With optical spectroscopy (UV/Vis and FT-IR) the absorbed part of the optical spectrum and the stability under ambient conditions is detected. The structure and morphology of the films are investigated with scattering methods (GI(U)SAXS) [2] and the critical blending ratio for the bicontinuous structure is determined.

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**Influence of water on the work function of conducting Poly(3,4-ethylenedioxythiophen)/poly(styrenesulfonate)**

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The use of intrinsic conducting polymers ICPs as electrodes and hole injection layers in optoelectronic devices based on conjugated organic materials is a key for the successful implementation of organic electronics. Most ICPs today are based on aqueous dispersions of poly(3,4-ethylene-dioxythiophene) and poly(styrenesulfonate)PEDT:PSS. One of the reasons for this success is the high work function of PEDT:PSS, leading to low hole injection barriers at interfaces between the ICP and the active organic layers. However, reported values for the work function of PEDT:PSS exhibit a significant spread from 4.8 to 5.2 eV. This inconsistency makes it difficult to predict hole injection barriers in actual devices. Residual water in the film was found to alter the films work function significantly.

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**Crystallization of Ferroelectric PVDF-TrFE in Cylindrical Nanopores** — •NITIN SHINGNE<sup>1,2</sup>, MARKUS GEUSS<sup>2</sup>, ULRICH GÖSELE<sup>2</sup>, MARTIN STEINHART<sup>2</sup>, and THOMAS THURN-ALBRECHT<sup>1</sup> — <sup>1</sup>Department of Physics, Martin Luther University, Hoher Weg 8, D-06120, Halle — <sup>2</sup>Max Planck Institute of Microstructure Physics, Weinberg 2, D-06120, Halle

Using differential scanning calorimetry and wide angle X-ray scattering we studied the crystallization and melting as well as the paraelectric to ferroelectric phase transition in templated 1D nanostructures of Polyvinylidene fluoride-co-trifluoroethylene P(VDF-TrFE). Self-ordered porous alumina membranes served as templates. Previous studies on poly(vinylidene fluoride) have shown that the crystal orientation in the nanostructures is controlled by the kinetics of crystallization and can lead to strong orientation phenomena. Similar texture effects are observed for the copolymer studied here which can be understood in detail by taking into account that crystal growth occurs in the high temperature hexagonal phase. In all cases studied it was observed that the molecular chain axis, i.e. the c-axis, is oriented perpendicular to the long axis of the nanopores. In particular, for the copolymer the (110) lattice planes are oriented parallel to the template surface. At room temperature, the dipoles in the ferroelectric phase are prefer-

entially oriented at an angle of 30° with respect to the long axis of the pores. Therefore, strong longitudinal polarization is present in the native nanofibers or is accessible by poling.

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**Pentacene film growth on HOPG** — •JAN GÖTZEN, DANIEL KÄFER, CHRISTOF WÖLL, and GREGOR WITTE — Physikalische Chemie I, Ruhr-Universität Bochum, 44780 Bochum

Recent studies have shown that the structure and molecular orientation in organic thin films depends sensitively on the interaction with the substrate which is of vital interest for an understanding and optimization of organic thin film electronic devices. Here we report a characterization of the microstructure, morphology and thermal stability of pentacene films grown by OMBD onto freshly cleaved HOPG by employing STM, AFM, NEXAFS, XRD and TDS. Despite a rather weak, essentially van-der Waals-type substrate interaction pentacene molecules adsorb with their planes oriented parallel to the surface and form a commensurate monolayer due to the close match of the molecular carbon frame and the underlying graphite lattice. This packing motive, however, is not maintained in multilayer films where instead molecules in subsequent layers are tilted around their long axis. The multilayer growth is further characterized by the formation of individual, elongated crystalline islands exhibiting the Siegrist bulk polymorphism and thus parallels the growth scenario observed previously for pentacene on Au(111). Identical structures were observed for rather different growth conditions (rate and temperature) and therefore indicate the presence of equilibrium film structures. In contrast films with upright oriented molecules were obtained if the graphite had been briefly sputtered to roughen the substrate surface and thus emphasizes the importance of micro-roughness on the resulting film growth.

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**Investigations of contact resistances in polythiophene organic field effect transistors via a gated four-probe method** —

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In this study the effect of contact resistances on device behaviour in polythiophene (P3HT) organic field effect transistors (OFETs) was investigated. The transistors consist of a contact geometry with Au source and drain electrodes and two additional Au channel electrodes between the source and drain contacts. The contact geometry is patterned using photolithography. High impedance electrometers are used to measure the potentials at each of the channel electrodes. The voltage drop in the source and drain contact regions can then be determined. This allows for direct investigation of the temperature and field dependence of the contact resistance. The thickness of the PH3T layer was varied to investigate the influence of the thickness on the accuracy of the four-probe method.

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**Self-Assembled Monolayers of Anthraceneselenol on Au(111): simulations and experiments** — •ANNA TRACK<sup>1,2</sup>, GEORG

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Molecular and organic electronics interfaces between organic films and metal substrates are of particular interest because they dictate charge injection properties. Self-assembled monolayers (SAMs) of fully conjugated molecules (characterized by a considerable conductivity) provide ideal model systems for an in depth study of such interfaces on a molecular level. Here, we combine various experimental techniques (including STM, LEED and UPS) with density functional theory based slab-type band-structure calculations to derive structural and electronic properties for the case of anthracene-2-selenol SAMs on Au(111). From these calculations valuable details about the charge rearrangements at the surface, binding energy, work function modifica-

tion upon SAM formation, as well as the alignment between molecular levels and metallic states can be derived. Of prime importance is a detailed microstructural characterisation, where we use the calculations to highlight potential pitfalls in the interpretation of STM pictures of aromatic SAMs.

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**PTCDA on Au(111), Ag(111) and Cu(111): Correlation of interface charge transfer to bonding distance** — ●STEFFEN DUHM<sup>1</sup>, ALEXANDER GERLACH<sup>2</sup>, INGO SALZMANN<sup>1</sup>, BENJAMIN BRÖKER<sup>1</sup>, ROBERT L. JOHNSON<sup>3</sup>, FRANK SCHREIBER<sup>2</sup>, and NORBERT KOCH<sup>1</sup> — <sup>1</sup>Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin — <sup>2</sup>Universität Hamburg — <sup>3</sup>Universität Tübingen

The electronic structure at the interfaces of 3,4,9,10-perylene tetracarboxylic dianhydride (PTCDA) and the metal surfaces Au(111), Ag(111) and Cu(111) was investigated using ultraviolet photoelectron spectroscopy (UPS). By combining these results with recent x-ray standing wave data from PTCDA on the same substrates clear correlation between the electronic properties and the interface geometry is found. The charge transfer between the molecule and the metal increases with decreasing average bonding distance along the sequence Au - Ag - Cu. Clear signatures of charge-transfer-induced occupied molecular states were found for PTCDA on Ag(111) and Cu(111). As reported previously by Zou et al. [1] a new hybrid state was found at the Fermi-level ( $E_F$ ) for PTCDA/Ag(111), rendering the monolayer metallic. In contrast, the hybrid state for PTCDA/Cu(111) was observed well below  $E_F$ , indicating even stronger charge transfer and thus a semiconducting chemisorbed molecular monolayer. The hybridisation of molecular and Au electronic states could not be evidenced by UPS.

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**Photoluminescence degradation of blue OLED emitters** — ●STEPHAN WINTER, SEBASTIAN REINEKE, KARSTEN WALZER, and KARL LEO — Institut für Angewandte Photophysik, Technische Universität Dresden, 01062 Dresden

Organic light-emitting diodes (OLEDs) based on small molecule materials are currently developed for applications in flat panel displays and general lighting sources. Key parameters of such devices are high efficiency, long lifetime, and appropriate colour properties. Most of the efficient deep blue emitters still suffer from rather fast degradation and, thus, require further improvement.

The aim of the present work is to gain a fundamental understanding of the intrinsic degradation processes causing the low stability of blue OLED emitters. For this purpose, we study the photoluminescence (PL) degradation instead of the most often investigated electroluminescence degradation to separate electrically and optically caused effects.

We show a newly developed PL lifetime measurement system which allows the study of degradation processes under the influence of either electron or hole currents. First, we demonstrate the importance of a proper encapsulation for PL lifetime. Next, using this set-up, we demonstrate the very high PL stability of the highly efficient blue singlet emitter 2,2',7,7'-tetrakis(2,2-diphenylvinyl)spiro-9,9'-bifluorene (Spiro-DPVBi) under electron and hole currents and make a comparison to the lifetime of OLEDs using the same emitter.

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**Investigation of the Schottky Barrier in Ag/CuPc/H-Si(111) Structures** — ●IULIA GENOVEVA KORODI, JAN IVANCO, and DIETRICH R.T. ZAHN — Chemnitz University of Technology, Semiconductor Physics, D-09107 Chemnitz, Germany

In this work molecular layers of copper phthalocyanine (CuPc) with thicknesses ranging from 1ML to 4ML were deposited on hydrogen passivated n-type silicon (111) substrate by Organic Molecular Beam Epitaxy (OMBE) under high vacuum (HV) conditions. Metal contacts of silver (Ag) were formed on top using thermal evaporation under the same HV conditions. In situ current-voltage (I-V) measurements were performed on these organic modified systems in order to investigate the influence of the CuPc interlayers on the barrier height of Ag/H-Si(111) Schottky contacts. The Schottky barrier height ( $0.665 \pm 0.005$  eV for the Ag/H-Si reference sample) tends to decrease (i.e. by approximately 0.15 eV for 4ML) with increasing organic interlayer thickness. The I-V curves under forward bias were simulated in order to extract the Schottky barrier and the results were compared with experimental

ones.

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**Investigation of buried metal-organic interface with Photoelectron spectroscopy (PES)** — ●PAVO VRDOLJAK<sup>1</sup>, ACHIM SCHÖLL<sup>1</sup>, FRIEDRICH REINERT<sup>1</sup>, and EBERHARD UMBACH<sup>2</sup> — <sup>1</sup>Universität Würzburg, Experimentelle Physik II, 97074 Würzburg — <sup>2</sup>Forschungszentrum Karlsruhe, 76021 Karlsruhe

Metal-organic interfaces are of crucial importance for electronic devices since they influence the layer morphology, the electronic structure at contacts, and the charge carrier transport. Various investigations have addressed this issue from the viewpoint of surface science, applying model systems with thin organic films on flat (single crystalline or amorphous) metal substrates. The contacts in electronic devices, however, can be very different. This is mainly due to the morphological roughness of the interface in case of a metal top contact deposited on an organic layer and the possible influence on the electronic structure. In case of real contacts also interdiffusion has to be taken into account. However, surface sensitive techniques such as photoelectron spectroscopy (PES) and atomic force microscopy (AFM) can not immediately access the buried interface. To tackle this problem we have applied and optimised a lift-off technique which allows the removal of the metal top-contact in the UHV and analyse the interface between the contact and the organic film. We will present first PES and AFM results of Au contacts deposited on PTCDA layers.

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**Morphology, electronic and crystal structure of Pentacene/Fullerene layered and co-deposited thin films on PEDOT:PSS** — ●INGO SALZMANN, STEFFEN DUHM, RICARDA OPITZ, JIAN ZHANG, JÜRGEN P. RABE, and NORBERT KOCH — Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Institut für Physik, D-12489 Berlin, Germany

The electronic structure of bilayer and co-deposited thin films of pentacene (P) and fullerene (C60) on the conducting polymer poly(ethylenedioxythiophene):poly(styrenesulfonate) (PEDOT:PSS) has been investigated by ultraviolet photoelectron spectroscopy. For a film of C60 on P covered PEDOT:PSS an energy offset between the highest occupied molecular orbital (HOMO) levels of C60 and P of 1.7 eV was found. The P-HOMO was Fermi-level pinned with the HOMO-onset at 0.35 eV binding energy and charge transfer between P and PEDOT:PSS lowered the sample work function by 0.7 eV. The C60 energy levels were vacuum level aligned relative to P. Reversing the deposition sequence leads to an onset of the P-HOMO at 0.3 eV above the Fermi level indicating a lack of thermodynamic equilibrium between PEDOT:PSS and P. Co-deposited films (ratio 1:1) exhibited an offset between the P and C60 HOMO levels of 1.1 eV, which increased to the initial value of 1.7 eV by pre-covering PEDOT:PSS with a thin P layer. Atomic force microscopy and x-ray diffraction investigations revealed phase separation of P and C60 in the co-deposited films as well as crystalline growth of P in all cases, whereas C60 was crystalline only if grown on P. Organic photovoltaic device characteristics could be correlated with the results above.

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**Transport properties and morphology of solution processed pentacene transistors** — ●MARKUS KASPER, CLAUDIA BOCK, and ULRICH KUNZE — Werkstoffe und Nanoelektronik, Ruhr Universität Bochum, D-44780 Bochum, Germany

Recent developments have shown that precursors enabling solution deposition of pentacene thin films begin to rival vacuum deposited pentacene for organic field-effect transistor (OFET) applications. In this contribution 13,6-N-Sulfinylacetamidopentacene (NSFAAP) is used to fabricate and characterise bottom-contact OFETs with SiO<sub>2</sub> dielectric. We study the influence of source and drain contact metals and the effect of a supplemental HMDS pretreatment of the gate oxide on the transport properties and the pentacene film morphology. In order to separate the sheet resistance from the parasitic series resistance of the contacts and leads different transistors with a channel length between  $L = 3$  and  $100 \mu\text{m}$  are prepared. All transistors have a constant channel width of  $W = 2 \text{ mm}$ . The pentacene thin films are deposited by spin coating NSFAAP from a CHCl<sub>3</sub> solution in air and thermally converting the precursor to pentacene in a nitrogen environment. In order to achieve a homogenous film morphology and an improved coupling of the organic film to the electrodes the process parameters like spinning speed and conversion temperature are optimised.

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**Phosphorescence Quenching in Ir(III)-complexes** — ●ALEX THIESSEN, DIRK HERTEL, and KLAUS MEERHOLZ — Institute of Physical Chemistry, University of Cologne, Luxemburger Str. 116, 50939 Cologne, Germany

Recently [1], we reported a study of phosphorescence quenching in polyspirobifluorene doped with the phosphorescent emitter platinum-porphyrin (PtOEP). It was shown that the phosphorescence reduction is due to the interaction of triplet excitons with charges (polarons) in a unipolar diode structure. The rate constant for triplet-polaron interaction has been evaluated to be 10-13 cm<sup>3</sup>/s leading to an interaction radius of 0.2 nm. In our current work we have used the methodology [1] to elucidate the role of this process in materials relevant to phosphorescent OLEDs. We have studied a red-emitting Ir(III)-complex doped into low molecular weight materials and in polymers. It will be shown, that the efficiency of triplet-polaron annihilation depends mostly on the nature of the matrix and not on the structure of the heavy-metal complex. The results give insight to a possible origin of the magneto-resistance effects in organic materials [2]. Recently [3], it has been proposed that triplet-polaron annihilation might play a crucial role. We will discuss the influence of magnetic fields on the triplet-polaron annihilation for our model system.

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**Investigation of the influence of substrate temperature on growth, structure and morphology of VTE processed perylene thin films on SiO<sub>2</sub> substrates** — ●PHILIP SCHULZ, PHENWISA NIYAMAKOM, AZADEH FARAHZADI, CHRISTIAN EFFERTZ, MARYAM BEIGMOHAMADI, and MATTHIAS WUTTIG — Institute of Physics (IA), RWTH Aachen University, 52074 Aachen, Germany

It has been shown recently, that perylene based Organic Thin Film Transistors (OTFTs) are capable to yield high field effect mobilities. The substrate temperature during deposition has a pronounced influence on the growth of perylene thin films processed by Vacuum Thermal Evaporation (VTE). By adjusting this parameter the structure of the film, and in turn its electronic and optical properties, can be controlled in order to tailor the film to suit the specific application.

In this work, perylene thin films have been evaporated on SiO<sub>2</sub> layers held at temperatures between 235 K and 340 K. Subsequently, the structural and optical properties have been determined ex-situ by a set of complementary characterisation techniques.

The morphology of the films is investigated by Atomic Force Microscopy (AFM) yielding the roughness and lateral correlation length. Density and film thickness have been determined from X-ray Reflectometry (XRR). The vertical grain size, microstrain and d-spacing have been extracted from X-ray Diffraction experiments (XRD). The optical constants and anisotropy were analysed by ellipsometry measurements. All results have been correlated to the film adhesion on substrates modified with different surface treatments.

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**Luminescence line shifts of ultrathin rubrene layers on epitaxial aluminium oxide** — ●MATHIAS MÜLLER, OLGA KRYLOVA, and MORITZ SOKOLOWSKI — Institut für physikalische und theoretische Physik, Universität Bonn, Wegelerstraße 12, 53111 Bonn

We have investigated the photoluminescence properties of rubrene films on an ultrathin layer of aluminium oxide under UHV-conditions. The ultrathin alumina layer was grown epitaxially on Ni<sub>3</sub>Al(111) by heating of the sample under low oxygen pressure. Afterwards rubrene films of varying thickness (d) were evaporated onto the alumina. The photoluminescence (PL) was measured at 40 K using an argon-ion-laser for excitation and an N<sub>2</sub> cooled CCD-Spectrometer for detection. PL-Spectra could be detected from d=0,6 Å upwards. Both the positions and the intensities of the transitions show strong changes depending on the nominal film thickness. With increasing film thickness the intensity decreases by three orders of magnitude whereas the entire spectrum shifts continuously to smaller wavenumbers (1200 cm<sup>-1</sup> for d=0,6 Å to 79 Å). These changes are tentatively interpreted as an emission from the center of small clusters, that have been formed on the surface. Funding by DFG research unit 557 is gratefully acknowledged.

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**Interface reactions of ferroelectric copolymer layers with different electrode materials** — ●KLAUS MÜLLER, DIPANKAR MANDAL, KARSTEN HENKEL, IOANNA PALOUMPA, and DIETER SCHMEISSER

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The ferroelectric copolymer poly(vinylidene fluoride trifluoroethylene) (P(VDF-TrFE)) is a possible material for low cost applications as organic nonvolatile memory element. We present an XPS interface investigation of the copolymer/electrode interface. Below 100nm film thickness, interface phenomena becomes important. Possible interface reactions could lead to a reduction of the ferroelectric functionality. We present a comparative study of the two interfaces Al/P(VDF-TrFE) and PEDOT:PSS/P(VDF-TrFE). The result is a clear indication of a surface reaction in between the Aluminum-electrodes. In contrast, for PEDOT:PSS the measurements shows a layer by layer formation of the interface PEDOT:PSS/PVDF without any reaction. Second, we present a study of remanent polarization of ultrathin spincoated films of the copolymer, in a thickness range from 5 to 100nm, with organic electrodes like PEDOT:PSS. The measurements are carried out by using the flatband shift of a capacitance-voltage (CV) characteristic. This shift of flatband voltage is used as value for the electric polarization of the polymer.

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**Temperature dependent growth and morphology of perylene thin films on gold substrates** — ●PHENWISA NIYAMAKOM, PHILIP SCHULZ, AZADEH FARAHZADI, LI DING, MARYAM BEIGMOHAMADI, and MATTHIAS WUTTIG — Institute of Physics (IA), RWTH Aachen University, 52056 Aachen, Germany

In this study, the influence of substrate temperature on the growth and morphology of thin perylene films deposited on gold substrates is studied. The films have been deposited at different substrate temperatures and film thicknesses by vacuum thermal evaporation (VTE), have been investigated. Atomic force microscopy (AFM) has been performed to study film morphology as the surface roughness and evolution of perylene film growth. The structural properties and molecular vibrations of perylene thin films have been studied by X-ray diffractometry (XRD) and Fourier transform infrared spectroscopy (FTIR). Finally, a model for the perylene thin film growth is presented.

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**Strong screening in photoemission at interfaces between organic semiconductors and gold: polarization effects versus charge transfer** — ●DANIEL KOLACYK<sup>1</sup>, HEIKO PEISERT<sup>1</sup>, ANDRÉ PETERSHANS<sup>2</sup>, and THOMAS CHASSÉ<sup>1</sup> — <sup>1</sup>Universität Tübingen, Institut für Physikalische Chemie — <sup>2</sup>Forschungszentrum Karlsruhe, Institut für Technische Chemie

We studied electronic polarization effects at organic/metal interfaces using combined photoemission spectroscopy (PES) and x-ray excited Auger electron spectroscopy (XAES) as a function of the organic layer thickness. As a model system, sandwich structures of metallophthalocyanines (e.g consisting of PcMg and PcZn) were deposited on gold. It was found, that the screening of the photohole is remarkably increased for molecules directly at the interface whereas further layers are affected weakly. This may be caused by a fast charge transfer across the interface as a result of the photoionization due to the overlap organic/metal wave functions. Furthermore, differences in the screening were found for buried molecules and molecules on the surface of the organic film ascribed to different polarization energies. The influence of the morphology and orientation was studied by comparing different substrates: polycrystalline gold foil and single crystalline Au(100).

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**An Infrared Spectroscopy and X-ray Diffraction Study of the medium length *n*-Hexadecanol solidified in mesoporous silicon** — ANKE HENSCHEL, ●RENÉ BERWANGER, ROLF PELSTER, KLAUS KNORR, and PATRICK HUBER — Saarland University, Saarbruecken, Germany

The conformation and arrangement of the *n*-alcohol C<sub>16</sub>H<sub>33</sub>OH confined in tubular pores of porous silicon (mean pore diameter 10nm, pore length 70 μm) is investigated by combined Infrared Spectroscopy and X-Ray Diffraction measurements. The phase behaviour is reminiscent of the one found for the linear *n*-alkanes confined in mesoporous silicon<sup>1</sup>: the long axes of the molecules are oriented perpendicular to the pore axes. About the long axes of the pores we find a four-fold symmetry of the diffraction pattern, coinciding with the symmetry of the silicon matrix. The confined alcohol exhibits six dominant domains.

We find distinct changes in the vibration characteristics, in the structure factor as well as the phase transition temperatures of the confined alcohol as compared to the bulk phase. The phase sequence in the pores is liquid, Rotator and crystalline. The melting and freezing transitions are reduced by 20 K.

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**NTCDA as transparent electron transport material in organic p-i-n solar cells** — ●CHRISTIANE FALKENBERG<sup>1</sup>, CHRISTIAN UHRICH<sup>1</sup>, SELINA OLTROF<sup>1</sup>, BERT MÄNNIG<sup>1,2</sup>, MORITZ RIEDE<sup>1</sup>, and KARL LEO<sup>1</sup> — <sup>1</sup>Institut für Angewandte Photophysik, Technische Universität Dresden, 01069 Dresden, Germany, <http://www.iapp.de> — <sup>2</sup>Now at Heliatek GmbH, Liebigstr. 26, 01187 Dresden, Germany

In organic p-i-n-solar cells, the active layer where light is absorbed and free charge carriers are generated is sandwiched between two doped charge carrier transport layers which are preferentially electron or hole conducting. In order to increase the efficiency of organic photovoltaic devices, the properties of those doped layers play a crucial role: high conductivities and charge carrier mobilities, thermal and morphological stability, and a good energy level alignment relative to the neighboring active layers are required. We investigate here the electron transport materials and successfully substitute the standard system consisting of n-C<sub>60</sub> by the wide-gap material NTCDA (naphthalenetetracarboxylic dianhydride). Unlike C<sub>60</sub>, it does not absorb in the visible range and therefore blocks the excitons which were created in the active layer. Combined photoelectron spectroscopy (PES) and absorption determine HOMO and LUMO energies of -8.01 eV and approximately -4.5...-4.0 eV, respectively. Furthermore, the electronic structure of the aluminum/NTCDA-contact and the morphology of thin evaporated layers are analyzed via PES and AFM, respectively. The power conversion efficiency of simple p-i-n-cell structures is improved by 10% upon substitution of C<sub>60</sub> in electron transport layers by NTCDA.

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**Surface modification for improved charge injection in copper electrode/ organic semiconductor interfaces of p-type OFET applications** — ●JOHANNES FRISCH<sup>1</sup>, NORBERT KOCH<sup>1</sup>, and SILVIA JANIETZ<sup>2</sup> — <sup>1</sup>Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Department of Physics, Newtonstrasse 15, D-12489 Berlin, Germany — <sup>2</sup>Fraunhofer-Institute of Applied Polymer Research, Department Polymer Electronics, Geiselbergstr. 69 D-14476 Potsdam, Germany

Very important for the development of practical applications in organic field effect transistors (OFETs) are high On-current and ON/Off ratio. The On-current in p-type OFET devices is limited by the hole injection density. One way to modify charge injection properties is to introduce a monolayer of the strong electron acceptor tetrafluorotetracyanoquinodimethane (F4-TCNQ) at the Cu-electrode/ organic hole transport layer (OHTL) interface. The adsorbed monolayer of F4-TCNQ results in an increase in work function and consequently in a reduction of the hole injection barrier. XPS analysis showed a significant difference between untreated and modified surfaces. Top gate structure OFETs with bottom contact and flexible substrates were produced to evaluate the influence of the modified Cu-electrode/ OHTL interface. The OFET-performance was evaluated in comparison to the conventional device structure without F4-TCNQ. The results of the Transfer-measurements and Output-characteristics corroborate the advantages of the modification with respect to high On-current, lower threshold voltage and operational stability.

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**Effect of blending ratio and internal order on the optical properties of P3HT:PCBM bulk heterojunction films** — ●THOMAS MADENA, MARTIN KNIPPER, INGO RIEDEL, and JÜRGEN PARISI — Energy- and Semiconductor Research Laboratory, Department of Physics, University of Oldenburg, Carl-von-Ossietzky-Strasse 9-11, D-26111 Oldenburg

Organic solar cells represent thin film devices comprising a multilayer system of planar semiconductor films finished with a metal electrode. Internal reflections of the incident light and the resulting coherent superposition of electromagnetic waves travelling in opposite directions cause a spatially nonuniform light intensity distribution. Calculation of the intensity pattern along the cross section of the device is an essential step for optimizing the photocurrent in single junction and in particular multispectral tandem devices. Provided that thickness

and optical constants of individual layers of the device are known optical simulation of the light propagation can be carried out via the transfer matrix formalism. In this work we investigated the absorber of solution-processed organic solar cells based on conjugated polymer-fullerene (P3HT:PCBM) bulk heterojunctions. Variation of the blending ratio and thermal annealing of the films have strong impact on the device performance. Ellipsometry was applied together with structural analysis of P3HT:PCBM films in order to relate their optical response to the film composition and thermally induced internal ordering. The results are correlated with the measured photocurrent and spectral response of solar cells with respective active layer composition.

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**Monitoring the growth of thin metal phthalocyanine films via Raman scattering** — ●BRITTE-ELFRIEDE SCHUSTER<sup>1</sup>, CAMELIU HIMCINSCHI<sup>2</sup>, MARIUS TOADER<sup>2</sup>, HEIKO PEISERT<sup>1</sup>, THOMAS CHASSÉ<sup>1</sup>, and DIETRICH R. T. ZAHN<sup>2</sup> — <sup>1</sup>Institute of Physical and Theoretical Chemistry, University of Tübingen; Auf der Morgenstelle 8, 72076 Tübingen, Germany. — <sup>2</sup>Semiconductor Physics, Chemnitz University of Technology; Reichenhainer Straße 70, 09126 Chemnitz, Germany.

Due to their unique properties, (metal) phthalocyanines (MPc) are highly attractive materials and promising candidates for various applications e.g. in fields of organic light emitting diodes or organic field effect transistors. Since device efficiency and performance are significantly influenced by the physical properties of the thin organic films, intensive studies of the growth and the influence of preparation parameters are very important for thin film technology. In this work the growth of copper(II)phthalocyanine (CuPc) and titanium(IV)phthalocyanine (TiOPc) on the technically relevant substrate silicon is assessed by in situ monitoring of the Raman scattering of internal vibrational modes to study e.g. the evolution of the polymorphic modifications during the growth and/or the molecular arrangement within the organic layers. The thermal evaporation of metals like silver on the organic films under ultra-high vacuum conditions provides further information about the interface formation. In this regard the occurrence of new Raman modes, normally being infrared active, suggest the interaction of the metal with the phthalocyanine film via a charge transfer.

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**Improving electron injection in organic light emitting diodes using a thin Li<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>4</sub> layer** — ●ANDREA GASSMANN, CHRISTIAN MELZER, and HEINZ VON SEGGERN — Technische Universität Darmstadt, Institute for Materials Science, Electronic Materials Division, Petersenstr. 23, 64287 Darmstadt

In this contribution a novel cathode material is introduced allowing for device performances comparable to the benchmark cathode LiF / Al. A thin layer of the metal salt lithium phosphate Li<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>4</sub> is deposited between the organic semiconductor and an Al cathode. In normal OLED structures it will be disclosed that both the current density and the luminance increase similarly to the characteristics of reference devices fabricated with LiF / Al cathodes. This increase can be ascribed to an enhanced electron injection.

Regarding the origin of the observed device characteristic improvement through Li<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>4</sub> / Al, a field enhanced injection due to piled - up holes at the cathode side can be excluded since the improvement of device characteristics holds also true in electron-only devices. Moreover, it was observed that Li<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>4</sub> is most beneficial to the device performance at a thickness of 7 Å. Concerning the doping ability of Li<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>4</sub>, devices with co-evaporated organic semiconductor were prepared revealing a deterioration of device characteristics. Furthermore, in capacitance/ voltage measurements no evidence of doping was found. Therefore, the focal point of Li<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>4</sub> / Al research is attributed to interface properties what is the subject of current and future investigations.

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**Charge transfer doping of organic diodes: A theoretical study** — ●OLIVER OTTINGER, CHRISTIAN MELZER, and HEINZ VON SEGGERN — Electronic Materials Division, Institute of Materials Science, Technische Universität Darmstadt, Petersenstr. 23, 64287 Darmstadt, Germany

Charge transfer doping is a promising concept for improving charge injection from metals into organic semiconductors. A self-consistent model of an unipolar electron-only metal/insulator/metal (MIM) diode based on drift diffusion theory was applied. It allows for the description of injection as well as space charge limited currents. The model was

extended by charge transfer doping with arbitrary doping profiles. Besides modelling the steady state current density-voltage characteristics and the respective electric field- and charge carrier distributions, the response on an ac disturbance has been considered in order to model impedance measurements. Simulations were done for bulk doped and near-interface doped diodes.

It will be shown, that doping in the vicinity of the cathode results in an improved device performance. This stems from an electric field induced inherent barrier lowering promoting the electron injection. A bulk doped MIM system can be well understood as two Schottky diodes in series while one is forward and the other is reverse biased. Simulating CV characteristics it was shown that both resulting depletion capacitances determine the time dependent characteristics of the device.

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**Charge injection in light emitting organic field effect transistors** — ●MARTIN SCHIDLEJA, CHRISTIAN MELZER, and HEINZ VON SEGGERN — Electronic Materials Division, Institute of Materials Science, Technische Universität Darmstadt, Petersenstr. 23, 64287 Darmstadt, Germany

Light emitting organic field effect transistors with different metals used as source and drain contacts are investigated. The transistors are built in a top-gate, bottom-contact configuration with poly(9,9-dinonyl-fluorene-alt-benzothiadiazole) (F8BT) as organic semiconductor and poly(methyl methacrylate) (PMMA) as gate-dielectric. For the drain and source electrodes either gold or silver is used. While gold results in balanced injection barriers for hole and electron injection of about 1 eV, the use of silver disturbs this essential balance in the injection properties.

The drain current and the position of the recombination zone in the transistor channel at different voltages are measured for the respective transistors. It is found that the experimental data cannot be explained by the standard equations for ambipolar transistors, most probably due to large injection barriers and hence, high contact resistances. In order to evaluate the results, a numerical model is introduced, taking into account the influence of different injection-barriers on the ambipolar behaviour of organic field effect transistors by separate calculation of the injection currents at the source and drain contacts, respectively. Our results stress the importance of contact phenomena in light emitting organic field effect transistors.

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**Vacuum deposited films of dicyanovinylene-capped oligothiophenes for use in organic solar cells** — ●MARIETA LEVICHKOVA<sup>1</sup>, DAVID WYNANDS<sup>1</sup>, MORITZ RIEDE<sup>1</sup>, MARTIN PFEIFFER<sup>2</sup>, EDUARD BRIER<sup>3</sup>, EGON REINOLD<sup>3</sup>, PETER BÄUERLE<sup>3</sup>, and KARL LEO<sup>1</sup> — <sup>1</sup>Institut für Angewandte Photophysik, TU Dresden, 01062 Dresden — <sup>2</sup>Heliatek GmbH, 01187 Dresden — <sup>3</sup>Institut für Organische Chemie II und Neue Materialien, Universität Ulm, 89081 Ulm

Solar cells based on oligothiophene derivatives comprising electron-accepting dicyanovinyl groups have shown high power efficiencies (up to 3.4%). Here, we study the effect of substrate temperature on the morphology and photophysical properties of DCV6T ( $\alpha,\omega$ -bis-(dicyanovinyl)-sexithiophene) films with the aim to optimize the active layer structure. The films are prepared by vapor deposition on quartz substrates covered with amorphous hole transport layer. During the evaporation of DCV6T, the substrates are kept at constant temperatures between 20°C and 100°C. AFM images show increased grain size and surface roughness of the samples grown at higher  $T_{sub}$ . The alteration of surface topography is accompanied by an enhanced and red-shifted absorption which we attribute to a more ordered molecular arrangement leading to a co-planarization of the thiophene rings within the oligomers. Also, for the samples grown at  $T_{sub} \geq 80^\circ\text{C}$ , the overlap between absorption and luminescence increases which suggests an increase in exciton diffusion length. Finally, we will discuss the effect of the various DCV6T morphologies on the performance of solar cells.

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**Initial growth of evaporated copper phthalocyanine thin-films - Comparison of metal and oxide substrates** — ●INDRO BISWAS<sup>1</sup>, HEIKO PEISERT<sup>1</sup>, MATHIAS NAGEL<sup>1</sup>, MARIA BENEDETTA CASU<sup>1</sup>, BRITT-ELFRIEDE SCHUSTER<sup>1</sup>, STEFAN SCHUPPLER<sup>2</sup>, PETER NAGEL<sup>2</sup>, MICHAEL MERZ<sup>2</sup>, and THOMAS CHASSÉ<sup>1</sup> — <sup>1</sup>Institut für Physikalische und Theoretische Chemie, Universität Tübingen, Auf der Morgenstelle 8, 72076 Tübingen — <sup>2</sup>Institut für Festkörper-

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The growth of copper phthalocyanine thin films evaporated on various substrates has been examined in detail, using near-edge x-ray absorption fine structure (NEXAFS) spectroscopy and surface-sensitive x-ray photoemission spectroscopy (SXPS). The focus is on interfaces relevant for technical applications, i.e. metals and oxide conductors as contact electrodes in OLEDs and solar cells, and insulators as dielectric materials in OFETs. The molecular orientation of thin-films in the range of 0.2 to 3.0 nm thickness was examined, with a special focus on the layers directly at the interface. Metal substrates generally lead to an interfacial layer of flat lying molecules, even on rough polycrystalline substrates. On the used oxide substrates (SiO<sub>2</sub>) and indium tin oxide) the initial molecular orientation is not lying on rough surfaces, with the exception of a single crystalline substrate (TiO<sub>2</sub>). The growth mode is discussed in terms of interfacial and intermolecular interactions and of preparation parameters.

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**Transparent Contacting Materials for Organic Solar Cells** — ●JAN MEISS, MORITZ K. RIEDE, and KARL LEO — Institut für Angewandte Photophysik, Technische Universität Dresden, 01062 Dresden

Organic solar cells are emerging as a possible inexpensive alternative to inorganic photovoltaics. A current cost issue of organic solar cells is the high price of indium tin oxide (ITO), the most commonly used transparent contacting material. We are exploring alternatives to replace the scarce and expensive indium. Promising candidates are ZnO:Al or the highly conductive polymer PEDOT:PSS.

Here, we present the first small-molecule organic solar cells employing only PEDOT:PSS as transparent anode. Both cells on glass and on flexible PET foil were made, using thermally evaporated ZnPc/C60 as donor-acceptor heterojunction and metal contacts as back electrode. Different methods to structure the PEDOT:PSS electrodes were investigated and are presented, e.g. by dip-coating in a solution of polystyrene in toluene or by using pre-patterned plastic foil.

Resulting prototype cells with open-circuit voltages of up to 0.48 V, currents of 5 mA/cm<sup>2</sup> and fill factors > 50% were obtained with efficiencies of up to 0.99% (on flexible plastic foil) and 0.7% (on glass) for non-optimized experimental cells.

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**Photo and electric-field induced absorption in organic materials for solar cell use** — ●MARTIN KNIPPER, JANET NEERKEN, and JÜRGEN PARISI — Energy and Semiconductor Research Laboratory, Department of Physics, University of Oldenburg, 26111 Oldenburg

Photo induced absorption (PIA) measurements are done at poly[2-methoxy-5-(3-,7-dimethyloctyloxy)-p-phenylene vinylene (MDMO-PPV) and at MDMO-PPV blended with [6,6]-phenyl-C61-butyric acid methyl ester (PCBM). This material combination is used for organic solar cells. The results from this optical measurement show us a charge transfer in the blended material. The aim of the new work is to do the absorption measurement electric-field induced. Therefore we sandwich the absorber layer between a transparent indium tin oxide (ITO) front electrode covered with a polymer buffer layer (PEDOT:PSS) and an aluminum back electrode. The aluminum electrode is semitransparent for this experiment. The electric-field induced absorption measurements show us signals at characteristic energies. From the peaks of the signal we can draw conclusions about absorption and charge transfer in the active layer of the organic solar cell in a real solar cell structure.

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**Light incoupling in small molecule organic solar cells** — ●NIKOLA ALLINGER<sup>1</sup>, JAN MEISS<sup>1</sup>, MORITZ RIEDE<sup>1</sup>, KARL LEO<sup>1</sup>, and WOLF-MICHAEL GNEHR<sup>2</sup> — <sup>1</sup>Institut für Angewandte Photophysik, Technische Universität Dresden, 01069 Dresden (Germany) — <sup>2</sup>Heliatek GmbH, Liebigstraße 26, 01187 Dresden (Germany)

Light incoupling is an essential topic for optimization of organic solar cells. In our group, we examine light incoupling of different kinds of transparent contacting materials as well as external dielectric coatings, using optical simulation of thin film systems and experimental methods. Thin films of small molecules are prepared by thermal evaporation in a multi-chamber UHV system. Complex refraction indices of various materials are calculated from reflection and transmission measurements of monolayers. For modelling of optical properties of thin film systems, we developed a numerical simulation program based on the transfer matrix method. The cell structures investigated con-

sist of nanolayers of small molecules, using ZnPc/C60 as an acceptor-donor heterojunction. As contact materials, we compare the expensive standard material indium tin oxide (ITO) with more cost-efficient alternatives like thin Ag layers or spin-coated layers of the polymer PEDOT:PSS, and discuss the resulting cell properties. Additional dielectric layers of varying materials, like tris(8-hydroxy-quinolate)-aluminum (Alq3) or N,N'-tetrakis(4-methoxyphenyl)-benzidine (MeO-TPD), are deposited on top of the stack and their influence on cell efficiencies is investigated.

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**Switching behaviour of organic field effect transistors** — ●INGO HÖRSELMANN, ANDREI HERASIMOVICH, and SUSANNE SCHEINERT — TU Ilmenau, Germany

We prepared an organic field effect transistor with source/drain electrodes self-aligned to the bottom gate contact, resulting in a low parasitic gate-drain capacitance of 6 pF/cm. As gate insulator we used a 200 nm silicon nitride layer grown by chemical vapor deposition (CVD). The active semiconductor material is spincoated Poly(3-hexylthiophene) P3HT. The channel length is 2  $\mu\text{m}$ , the measured transconductance cut-off frequency is 2.4 kHz at  $V_{GS}=V_{DS}=-20\text{ V}$ .

To investigate the transient behavior of the transistor, we switched the drain and gate potential with rectangle pulses and recorded the transient response of the source and drain currents. Because of the low parasitic capacitance it is possible to record the delay between switching the potential and the current flow through the transistor channel. Hysteresis effects were investigated by variation of the duty factor of gate potential pulses, resulting in different on-currents.

We compare the measured switching behaviour with two dimensional device simulations. The simulation describes the tendency of the measurement. During switch on by decreasing the gate potential, the source current is greater than the drain current because the carriers are mostly injected from the source contact to build up the channel. During switch off the currents at source and drain are similar, because the holes flow from the accumulation channel to both contacts.

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**Temperature dependant resonant photoemission and NEXAFS study of zinc(II)phthalocyanine on poly- and single crystalline gold** — ●BRITT-ELFRIEDE SCHUSTER<sup>1</sup>, INDRO BISWAS<sup>1</sup>, MARIA BENEDETTA CASU<sup>1</sup>, DAVID BATCHELOR<sup>2</sup>, MARTIN KNUPFER<sup>3</sup>, HEIKO PEISERT<sup>1</sup>, and THOMAS CHASSÉ<sup>1</sup> — <sup>1</sup>Institute of Physical and Theoretical Chemistry, University of Tübingen, 72076 Tübingen. — <sup>2</sup>BESSY GmbH, 12489 Berlin. — <sup>3</sup>Leibniz Institute for Solid State and Materials Research Dresden, P.O. Box 270116, 01171 Dresden.

The arrangement and the orientation of organic molecules are crucial for charge transport properties and thus essential for the efficiency of devices based on these materials. Mechanisms for the charge transport in organic materials depend significantly on the temperature. As an example, the localisation energy based on electron-phonon coupling decreases significantly at low temperature, as a consequence different transport channels (band-like or hopping) are possible. In this work we investigate whether such phenomena are accompanied by changes of the intermolecular interaction and the orientation of the molecules. We observe an increase of the molecular ordering of zinc(II)phthalocyanine at low temperatures (liquid He) in particular on polycrystalline Au using polarisation dependent near edge X-ray absorption spectroscopy (NEXAFS). This can be understood by an increase of the intermolecular interaction and by a decrease of the electron-phonon coupling. Resonant photoemission data for C1s show a weaker participator resonance intensity at low temperature, which is discussed in terms of different de-excitation channels.

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**Solution-processed OFET with pentacene layer** — ●ANDREI HERASIMOVICH, CARSTEN GEIGENGACK, INGO HÖRSELMANN, and SUSANNE SCHEINERT — TU Ilmenau, Germany

The solubility is one important property of organic semiconductors for the low cost preparation of the polymer layers from solution. However, many organic materials with high charge carrier mobility such as pentacene are insoluble in organic solvents at room temperature. Our goal was to investigate electrical properties of organic field effect transistors (OFET) based on a pentacene semiconductor film obtained from soluble precursor (N-Acetyl -6,13-epithioimino -6 -13 -aihydropentacene -S -Oxide). Pentacene films were fabricated by spin-coating from 1-2%(m/m) precursor in a chloroform solution followed by annealing at 130-200°C under a nitrogen atmosphere to convert the precursor

to pentacene. The conversion was confirmed by XPS and GDOES (glow discharge optical emission spectroscopy) element analysis and by UV-VIS optical measurements. We have found that the annealing conditions influence strongly the electrical properties of the OFETs. However, transistors with optimized annealing conditions have a good inverse subthreshold slope of 0.2 V/dec, an on/off ratio of 10<sup>6</sup> and high charge carrier mobilities of 0.01-0.1 cm<sup>2</sup>/V s. We demonstrate also that OFET characteristics depend on insulator and contact properties.

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**Thin-Film Properties of DNA und RNA Bases: A Combined Experimental and Theoretical Study** — ●ANDREA HAUG, SABINE SCHWEIZER, FLORIAN LATTEYER, MARIA BENEDETTA CASU, HEIKO PEISERT, CHRISTIAN OCHSENFELD, and THOMAS CHASSÉ — Institut für Physik. und Theoret. Chemie, Universität Tübingen

In recent years significant progress has been made in the use of organic materials as building blocks of organic electronics. The research has also been expanded in the field of bioorganic materials like DNA/RNA bases and their derivatives. The bases show interesting electronic properties that make possible the use of these molecules, e.g. as organic layers in OFET [1]. The structures of the DNA/RNA bases cytosine, uracil, and thymine in thin films with a nominal film thickness of >20 nm were studied using photoemission (XPS, UPS) and FTIR spectroscopy. The bases were evaporated in situ from powder on gold foil. The experimental results indicate that cytosine is composed of two energetically close tautomeric forms, whereas uracil and thymine exist only in one tautomeric form. For complementing the results, relative energies of tautomeric forms of cytosine, uracil, and thymine were calculated using Hartree-Fock (HF), density functional theory, and post-HF methods. Furthermore, the assignment of XPS spectra is supported by simple model considerations employing Koopmans ionization energies and Mulliken net atomic charges. The bases were also investigated in various film thicknesses (0.1-10 nm) focussing on the interface properties base-gold. [1] G. Maruccio et al. Nano Lett. 2003, 3, 479

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**External Quantum Efficiency of p-i-n Solar Cells incorporating Oligothiophene:Fullerene Heterojunctions** — ●HOLGER SEIFERT<sup>1</sup>, RICO SCHUEPPEL<sup>1</sup>, EDUARD BRIER<sup>2</sup>, EGON REINOLD<sup>2</sup>, PETER BAEUERLE<sup>2</sup>, MORITZ K. RIEDE<sup>1</sup>, and KARL LEO<sup>1</sup> — <sup>1</sup>Institut für Angewandte Photophysik, Technische Universität Dresden — <sup>2</sup>Institut für Organische Chemie II und Neue Materialien, Universität Ulm

We investigate organic p-i-n solar cells with an oligothiophene derivative as donor and Fullerene C<sub>60</sub> as acceptor materials. This donor-acceptor heterojunction leads to solar cells with an open circuit voltage as high as 1.0V and a reasonable power conversion efficiency of up to 3.4% [1].

Measuring current-voltage characteristics under monochromatic illumination of low intensity (non-standard reporting conditions), we find a wavelength dependent fill factor of these photovoltaic devices.

Furthermore, we determine the external quantum efficiency (EQE) from the photoresponse of these devices using a modulated monochromatic illumination on top of a white light bias as well as an external voltage bias. The EQE spectrum can be attributed to the spectrally different absorption of donor and acceptor. We discuss the dependence of the EQE spectrum from the applied external voltage with respect to the charge generation mechanism.

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**Electronic and optical properties of evaporated organic bulk heterojunctions** — ●ROBIN KNECHT<sup>1</sup>, GÜNTHER SCHNURPFEL<sup>2</sup>, and DERCK SCHLETTWEIN<sup>1</sup> — <sup>1</sup>Institut für Angewandte Physik, Justus-Liebig-Universität Gießen, Heinrich-Buff-Ring 16, D-35392 Gießen, Germany — <sup>2</sup>Institut für Organische und Makromolekulare Chemie, Universität Bremen, Leobener Strasse NW 2, D-28334 Bremen, Germany

The formation of evaporated blends of organic donor and acceptor molecules has gained interest recently for active interlayers in organic photovoltaic cells and organic field effect structures.

In this contribution we report about the combination of one component of high aggregation probability towards crystalline pathways (e.g. phthalocyaninato zinc II, *PcZn*) with another component of low aggregation probability towards a widely amorphous matrix (e.g. *Cl<sub>4</sub>MePTCDI*, a chlorinated perylene imid).

Mixed films were created by simultaneous physical vapour deposition of both substances to create an evaporated organic bulk heterojunction and studied for their potential as materials for organic photovoltaic devices. Using transmission spectroscopy, structure analysis and photovoltaic test measurements electronic and optical properties were investigated and compared with the properties of the single films and solution spectra.

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**Comparison of high mobility P3HT and pBTTT semiconducting polymers** — ●SILVIU BOTNARAS<sup>1</sup>, ARNE HOPPE<sup>1</sup>, BENEDIKT GBUREK<sup>1</sup>, MARTIN HEENEY<sup>2</sup>, and VEIT WAGNER<sup>1</sup> — <sup>1</sup>Jacobs University Bremen, School of Engineering and Science, 28725 Bremen, Germany — <sup>2</sup>Centre for Materials Research, Queen Mary University of London, London E1 4NS, UK

Polythiophenes are well known for their semiconducting properties and for their application in organic electronic devices such as thin film transistors or organic solar cells. Due to the possibility of low-temperature solution-processing and high charge carrier mobility these polymers are possible candidates for large area commercial applications. Regioregular poly(3-hexylthiophene) (rr-P3HT) with reported charge carrier mobilities larger than 0.1 cm<sup>2</sup>/Vs has been well established as a polymeric model system in the last years. One disadvantage of P3HT, however, is the low stability under ambient conditions. Within the last two years a new class of polymers emerged with even higher mobilities and increased air stability: Polythienothiophenes. We report on a study of poly(2,5-bis(3-alkylthiophen-2yl)thieno[3,2-b]thiophene) (pBTTT) with reported charge carrier mobilities up to 0.6 cm<sup>2</sup>/Vs. We found charge carrier mobilities larger than 0.1 cm<sup>2</sup>/Vs for solution processed devices on silicon dioxide as insulating layer. A comparison of the pBTTT and P3HT devices is presented with respect to air stability, contact properties and functionality on silicon and polymeric substrates. The analysis demonstrates the superior properties for pBTTT.

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**Threshold voltage shift in OFETs due to charges stored in a polymer dielectric** — ●NIELS BENSON, CHRISTIAN MELZER, and HEINZ VON SEGGERN — Technische Universität Darmstadt, Institute of Materials Science, Division: Electronic Materials, Petersenstraße 23, D-64287 Darmstadt, Germany

Considering organic field effect transistors (OFETs), we recently demonstrated that a significant positive threshold voltage shift of  $\Delta V_{th} \approx 60V$  can be obtained when negative charges are trapped in a near surface layer of a polymer gate dielectric. This charge leads to an effective field enhancement at the contacts and allows for an effective hole injection from Ca electrodes into pentacene.

Here we present the complementary experiment, where a negative  $\Delta V_{th}$  is obtained as the result of positive charges stored in the OFET dielectric. The utilized pentacene OFET comprises Au drain/source electrodes, as well as a Polymethylmethacrylat (PMMA) insulator. The positive charge is stored in the PMMA dielectric by exposing the OFET to different electric field strengths at a forming temperature of  $T = 108^\circ C$ . For an electric field strength of 2MV/cm between the transistor channel and the gate electrode, during the forming step, a negative threshold voltage shift of  $\Delta V_{th} \approx -29V$  was obtained. In addition, to the observed threshold voltage shift an electron current is measured in the pentacene OFET, comprising Au source/drain electrodes. This current occurred despite an injection barrier of  $\approx 2.2eV$ .

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**Visualizing the Frontier Orbitals of a Conformationally Adapted Metalloporphyrin** — ●JOACHIM REICHERT<sup>1</sup>, ALEXANDER WEBER-BARGIONI<sup>2</sup>, WILLI AUWÄRTER<sup>1</sup>, FLORIAN KLAPPENBERGER<sup>1</sup>, AGUSTIN SCHIFFRIN<sup>2</sup>, YAN PENNEC<sup>2</sup>, and JOHANNES BARTH<sup>1</sup> — <sup>1</sup>Physik Department E20, TU München, Munich, Germany — <sup>2</sup>Departments of Chemistry and Physics & Astronomy, University of British Columbia, Vancouver, Canada

We present a molecular level study of the geometric and electronic properties of Co-tetraphenyl-porphyrin molecules adsorbed on the Cu(111) surface. Combined low-temperature scanning tunneling microscopy and near-edge X-ray absorption fine structure observations reveal how the metal substrate induces a conformational adaptation into a distorted saddle-shape geometry. By scanning tunneling spectroscopy we identify the molecules discrete energy levels and map their spatial electron density distributions. These results, along with a simple theoretical description, provide a direct correlation between the

shape of frontier molecular orbitals and intramolecular structural features. In addition, it is demonstrated that the same concepts can be applied to address the interaction of cerium with surface anchored porphyrin host molecules.

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**Photoelectrochemical characterization of the role of organic sensitizers adsorbed on nanostructured ZnO** — ●ANDREAS HASTALL, THOMAS LOEWENSTEIN, and DERCK SCHLETTWEIN — Institut für Angewandte Physik, Justus-Liebig-Universität Gießen, Heinrich-Buff-Ring 16, D-35392 Gießen, Germany

Porous sensitized ZnO is a promising material for application as electrode in dye-sensitized solar cells (DSSC) to utilize the intense absorption of organic sensitizers in the visible spectral range [1]. Electrochemical deposition of ZnO from aqueous solutions is a low temperature process ( $<150^\circ C$ ) which allows the use of various substrates. The process can be performed at low energy input and cost and is therefore promising short pay-back times and high net energy gains. The role of the adsorbed sensitizer dye and resulting charge carrier generation, collection, but also recombination in the interface of ZnO/sensitizer/electrolyte of DSSC were analyzed in detail by transient photocurrent measurements, intensity modulated photocurrent and photovoltage spectroscopy (IMPS / IMVS) [2], photovoltage decay and charge-extraction [3]. Results will be discussed for different sensitizers adsorbed to the ZnO surface and for ZnO prepared on various substrates and optimized in structure and morphology.

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**Co and Fe Adatoms in Biomolecular Nanotrenches: Control of Diffusion at the Atomic Scale and 1-D Nanotemplating**

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We studied the self-assembly of the L-methionine amino acid on the noble metal Ag(111) surface under ultra-high vacuum conditions, by the means of low-temperature scanning tunneling microscopy and photoelectron spectroscopy (XPS). Molecular dimerization and self-assembly in 1-D nanostructures parallel to the  $<110>$  crystallographic orientations of the substrate atomic lattice is observed. Commensurate chains arrange into tunable and regular biomolecular gratings. An XPS analysis evidences zwitterionic self-assembly. The confinement of the surface state electrons was used to steer the positioning of single magnetic adatoms like Fe and Co in the molecular trenches at low temperatures. Also, the thermal motion of the transition metal atoms in the trenches was monitored in order to probe the influence of the adatom restriction on their diffusion characteristics and compared to 2-D particle movement.

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**Nanostructured organic photodiode with adaptable sensitivity** — ●STEVE PITTNER and VEIT WAGNER — Jacobs University Bremen, Germany

Organic materials show promising properties for cheap and high volume manufacturing of electronic devices. For light detection a drawback of those materials is the short electron-hole pair (exciton) diffusion length of usually far less than 100 nm. Thus, in order to build an effective organic photodiode the geometrical dimensions have to be small, so that all excitons can dissociate in the strong fields at the contacts or internally built-in interfaces. Subsequently the separated  $e^-$  and  $h^+$  will drift to their appropriate contact. The approach of using a nanoscale lateral finger structure compared to the commonly used stacked layer geometry shows two advantages. An now possible additional gate electrode offers the option to tune the sensitivity of such an organic photodiode. Furthermore, no transparent and electrical conductive encapsulation is required so that a transparent insulating polymer can be used here. This approach is shown for devices made of dihexyl-sexithiophene (DH6T) or the polymer P3HT as photosensitive

organic semiconductor on Si/SiO<sub>2</sub> substrate.

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**The temperature dependence of amorphous thin film growth: the case of  $\alpha$ -NPD** — ●PHENWISA NIYAMAKOM, PHILIP SCHULZ, AZADEH FARAHZADI, TOBIAS LAU, and MATTHIAS WÜTTIG — Institute of Physics (IA), RWTH Aachen University, 52056 Aachen, Germany

Both the substrate temperature during deposition and the deposition rate are important parameters, which have a pronounced influence on the morphology and related properties of an amorphous organic layer, including subsequently the device performance of OLEDs. We have studied the morphology and structural properties of N,N'-diphenyl-N,N'-bis(1-naphthyl)-1-1'-biphenyl-4-4'' diamine ( $\alpha$ -NPD) films on silicon substrates by atomic force microscopy (AFM), X-ray reflectometry (XRR) and contact angle measurements. The  $\alpha$ -NPD thin films have been deposited by vacuum thermal evaporation (VTE). A quantitative analysis of the AFM images has been performed to derive the surface morphology, surface roughness and correlation length. The film density and the surface roughness have been analyzed from XRR spectra. In addition, the surface free energy of  $\alpha$ -NPD has been calculated from the contact angle in order to understand the wetting behavior of  $\alpha$ -NPD on the silicon surface. From the data obtained, the evolution of  $\alpha$ -NPD thin film growth with temperature dependence will be explained.

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**Contact resistance effects of P3HT field-effect transistors produced by Maskless Mesoscale Material Deposition (M3D)** — ●D. BELAINEH<sup>1</sup>, B. GBUREK<sup>1</sup>, V. ZÖLLMER<sup>2</sup>, V. RUTKOWSKI<sup>2</sup>, M. BUSSE<sup>2</sup>, and V. WAGNER<sup>1</sup> — <sup>1</sup>Jacobs University Bremen, School of Engineering and Science, Campus Ring 8, 28759 Bremen, Germany — <sup>2</sup>Fraunhofer Institut für Fertigungstechnik und angewandte Materialforschung (IFAM), Wiener Straße 12, 28359 Bremen, Germany

In search for improved contact properties of organic field-effect transistors (OFETs), conventional lithographic patterning of the source and drain electrodes is compared to manufacturing by the M3D technique. M3D is a direct-write method used for depositing silver particles as source and drain electrodes on Si/SiO<sub>2</sub> substrates from an aerosolized functional ink. This method yields electrodes with a very rough surface structure which should give rise to very high local fields. The contact properties were determined by the transmission line method, i.e. by analyzing the channel conductance in dependence of the channel length  $L=10$  to  $50 \mu\text{m}$ . The results are compared to those from OFETs with smooth silver electrodes prepared by optical lithography, where the silver layer was either deposited by e-beam metallization or by sputtering. The investigations show that M3D allows to produce samples with similar contact properties as by using lithographic techniques. However, ongoing improvements of deposition process are expected to yield superior contact properties. Especially due to fast and gentle processing of the electrodes M3D is an interesting alternative of electrode structuring with potential for improved injection properties.

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**Impedance analysis on organic ultrathin layers** — ●SIDHANT BOM and VEIT WAGNER — Jacobs University Bremen, School of Engineering and Science, Campus Ring 8, 28759 Bremen, Germany

Impedance spectroscopy is a standard technique for thin film analysis to obtain important information as thicknesses, diffusion properties of mobile ions and leakage currents. The measured electrical impedance of a sample is modeled by a physical equivalent circuit of resistors and capacitors. In the present work this information is obtained as a function of frequency also for ultrathin organic layers in the monolayer regime.

A series of semiconducting and insulating polymers (regioregular poly-3-hexylthiophene (rr-P3HT), polymethylmethacrylate (PMMA)) and self assembled monolayers (octadecyltrichlorosilane (OTS), hexamethyldisilazane (HMDS), thiolated phospholipids) were deposited either on highly n-doped silicon wafers or on gold surfaces. E.g. ultrathin layers were obtained by dip coating a silicon wafer in rr-P3HT solution in chloroform. The thickness of 2 nm determined for this system by impedance measurement agrees well with the atomic force microscopy analysis and corresponds to a single layer of polymer chains. The leakage current is seen as an ohmic contribution at low frequencies and allows a systematic optimization of process parameters.

In summary, impedance spectroscopy allows very fast and convenient analysis of thin organic layers even down to the monolayer regime.

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**STM/NEXAFS INVESTIGATIONS OF METALLO-PHTHALOCYANINES GROWN ON FERROMAGNETIC Co(001) THIN FILMS** — KATHRIN MÜLLER<sup>1</sup>, KATHRIN HEIMER<sup>2</sup>, OLEKSIY ANDREYEV<sup>2</sup>, ANDREAS SCHEYBAL<sup>1</sup>, FELIX SCHMITT<sup>2</sup>, JENS SAUTHER<sup>2</sup>, ROLF BERTSCHINGER<sup>1</sup>, JAN PETER WÜSTENBERG<sup>2</sup>, KIM TIMOR<sup>1</sup>, ●STEFAN LACH<sup>2</sup>, THOMAS JUNG<sup>1</sup>, MARTIN AESCHLIMANN<sup>2</sup>, and CHRISTIANE ZIEGLER<sup>2</sup> — <sup>1</sup>Paul Scherrer Institut, Lab. for Micro&Nanostructures CH-5232 Villigen PSI — <sup>2</sup>TU Kaiserslautern Department of Physics D-67663 Kaiserslautern

Due to their chemical tunability and weak spin-orbit coupling organic semiconducting materials are promising candidates for future spintronic devices.

This motivates detailed investigations of the interface between organic-semiconductors like metallo-phthalocyanines and ferromagnetic metallic substrates. Here, a STM/NEXAFS study of the morphology of submonolayer up to multilayer CuPc and FePc thin films on epitaxially grown ferromagnetic Co(001) films will be presented. Cobalt was chosen for its high degree of spin polarization at the Fermi level. The STM data reveal that for monolayer coverages the morphology on smooth Co films is different for the two chosen metallo-phthalocyanines. This difference in morphology will be compared to data relevant for spintronic devices such as the spin polarization at the surface.

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**Optimization of organic thin film photovoltaic cells based on the oligothiophene derivative DCV6T** — ●DAVID WYNANDS, KERSTIN SCHULZE, CHRISTIAN UHRIG, MORITZ RIEDE, and KARL LEO — Institut für angewandte Photophysik, Technische Universität, 01096 Dresden, Germany

We have recently reported on a series of oligothiophene derivatives featuring dicyanovinylene end groups that can be used in combination with C<sub>60</sub> as acceptor material in organic thin film solar cells. The introduction of such electron-accepting groups provides a reduced bandgap and increased ionisation energy compared to the unsubstituted molecule. This allows solar cells with high photovoltages. DCV6T thin films absorb between 450nm and 680nm with an absorption coefficient of  $\alpha=1.89 \cdot 10^5 \text{ cm}^{-1}$  at the maximum (580nm). Using ITO coated glass as substrate and p-doped  $\alpha$ -NPD as hole transport layer, we prepare solar cells with flat and bulk heterojunctions between DCV6T and C<sub>60</sub>. A Voc of 0.9V is achieved in both cases. We show that by increasing the concentration of DCV6T in the bulk layers currents up to  $10 \text{ mA/cm}^2$  under  $100 \text{ mW/cm}^2$  simulated sunlight can be reached. However, the fillfactor of 0.45 remains low and has to be improved further. To overcome restrictions of the single cells we also prepared tandem cells that reach efficiencies of 3.4% under  $100 \text{ mW/cm}^2$  simulated sunlight.

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**Hole bandstructure and mobilities in guanine stacks** — ●LARS MATTHES, FRANK ORTMANN, KARSTEN HANNEWALD, and FRIEDHELM BECHSTEDT — Institut für Festkörpertheorie und -optik, Friedrich-Schiller-Universität, Jena, Germany

DNA molecules are no longer regarded as passive molecules with the sole purpose to store genetic information. Nowadays nanowires derived from the DNA are also considered as possible candidates for molecular devices towards a further miniaturization of electronic technology. Therefore an investigation of intrinsic charge carrier mobilities in such wires is needed. Moreover, the understanding of charge-transport processes in DNA is also highly relevant for biological phenomena such as radiation damage and repair.

Our model system is a stack of guanine molecules where we study the hole mobilities by means of a recently developed theory [1]. Thereby the interaction with phonons and hopping processes play a major role.

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**Bundle Formation in Polyelectrolyte Brushes** — ●JENS-UWE GÜNTHER, HEIKO AHRENS, and CHRISTIANE A. HELM — Institut für Physik, Ernst-Moritz-Arndt Universität, Felix-Hausdorff-Str. 6, D-17487 Greifswald, Germany

Theoretical predictions of bundling phenomena in semiflexible polyelectrolytes in the presence of monovalent and divalent counterions are tested with X-ray grazing incidence diffraction. We use amphiphilic



diblock copolymers consisting of a hydrophobic anchor and a polyelectrolyte block (PEE-PSS, PBA-PAMPS, PIB-PMMA) grafted at the air-water interface to form polyelectrolyte brushes. The brush thickness determined by X-ray reflectivity amounts to 30-50% of the contour length. In-plane peaks are observed for different kind of counterions (monovalent Cs<sup>+</sup> and Na<sup>+</sup>, divalent Ca<sup>2+</sup> and Sr<sup>2+</sup>) and different ion concentrations in the subphase. Increased salt concentration in the polyelectrolyte brush leads to a decrease in bundle length, as well as to more chains per bundle hence larger bundle diameters. These observations are consistent with a decreased electrostatic repulsion between the chains, which lead to a decreased persistence length as well as a decreased repulsion between chains.

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**Chemical modification of GaAs surfaces with novel functional peptides** — •THOMAS KAINDL<sup>1</sup>, KLAUS ADLKOEFER<sup>1</sup>, TOMOYUKI MORITA<sup>2</sup>, SHUNSAKU KIMURA<sup>2</sup>, MICHAEL HIMMELHAUS<sup>1</sup>, and MOTOMU TANAKA<sup>1</sup> — <sup>1</sup>Physikalisch Chemisches Institut, INF 253, 69120 Heidelberg, Universität Heidelberg — <sup>2</sup>Department of Material Chemistry, Kyoto University Nishikyō-ku, 615-8510 Kyoto, Japan

The interconnection of biological molecules (peptides, enzymes, etc.) with solid based devices offers great advantages towards the creation of new functional hybrid materials. Molecular dipole engineering was achieved by deposition of helical peptides, carrying a large dipole moment, onto GaAs [100] surfaces. After optimization of the preparation protocols the formed monolayers were systematically studied by various surface sensitive methods. Ellipsometric film thickness measurements and topographic studies by AFM revealed a macroscopically uniform monolayer formation with few surface defects. The averaged tilt angle of the peptide helix axis was estimated by TM-FTIR, where all peptides showed nearly vertical orientation on the GaAs. To gain further information of the molecular level structure, radiation impeding grazing-incidence x-ray scattering out of specular plane experiments were carried out. The same functionalization protocol was successfully adapted to commercially available, high electron mobility transistors. Based on the preceding thorough structural characterization of the peptide layers on bulk GaAs, a significant influence of the molecular dipole moments on the transistors characteristics could be demonstrated.

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**Adhesion between alkyl chains determines head group conformation in phosphocholine monolayers** — •OLAF SOLTWEDEL<sup>1</sup>, CHRISTEL MÜLLER<sup>2</sup>, HEIKO AHRENS<sup>1</sup>, JENS-UWE GÜNTHER<sup>1</sup>, and CHRISTIANE A. HELM<sup>1</sup> — <sup>1</sup>Institut für Physik, Ernst-Moritz-Arndt Universität, Felix-Hausdorff-Str. 6, D-17487 Greifswald, Germany — <sup>2</sup>Institut für physikalische Chemie, Johannes-Gutenberg Universität, Jakob-Welder Weg 11, D-50055 Mainz, German

Phosphatidylcholine monolayers at the air-water interface with different alkyl chain lengths are investigated with isotherms, X-ray reflectivity and Grazing Incidence X-ray diffraction. The length and symmetry of the alkyl chains is varied, C14-C14, C16-C16, C18-C18, C14-C18, C18-C14, C16-C18 and C18-C16. Increasing the alkyl chain length by 2 CH<sub>2</sub>-groups lowers the liquid-solid phase transition by about 15 mN/m. This is attributed to the increased adhesion between the ordered alkyl chains. The phase transition of C18-C14 and C14-C18 is between the one of C14-C14 and C16-C16, the analogue is observed for C16-C18 and C18-C16. To make it possible that the ordered part of the alkyl chains is the same for different chain lengths, the head group has to rearrange. In biological system, the bending of the glycerol occurs at the C2-atom, as it does in water-free choline crystals. But to maximize the thickness of the ordered alkyl chains, the head-group conformation has to change. The thermodynamic observations are supported by X-ray measurements.

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**Isotope Effects in Partially Deuterated Polyelectrolyte Multilayers** — •OXANA IVANOVA<sup>1</sup>, MANESH GOPINADHAN<sup>1</sup>, OLAF SOLTWEDEL<sup>1</sup>, ROLAND STEITZ<sup>2</sup>, and CHRISTIANE A. HELM<sup>1</sup> — <sup>1</sup>Institut für Physik, Ernst-Moritz-Arndt Universität, Felix-Hausdorff-Str. 6, 17489 Greifswald, Germany — <sup>2</sup>Hahn-Meitner Institut, Glienicker Straße 100, D-14109 Berlin, Germany

Neutron reflectivity (spatial resolution 1nm) is a powerful tool for the investigation of thin polymeric layers. Deuteration is a labeling technique which monitors the internal order of the multilayers (superlattice structure by partial deuteration) as well as the water content, but the deuteration may affect structural and transport properties. Here

we report data on the water uptake of selectively deuterated polyelectrolyte multilayers consisting of PSS, PSSd and PAH. A deuterated (PSSd/PAH)<sub>n</sub> layer keeps always one or two H<sub>2</sub>O molecules per monomer pair more than a protonated (PSS/PAH)<sub>n</sub> layer, both at 0% r.h. and 100% H<sub>2</sub>O r.h. The film swells about 5% more in heavy water (100% r.h.) than in ordinary water, in heavy water the swelling of both the protonated and deuterated layers is pronounced and the same. After exposure to 100% r.h. D<sub>2</sub>O, the drying is not fully reversible, the film thickness is the same, yet an increased scattering length density remains. After immersing the film into pure water, and subsequent drying (0% r.h.) the original scattering length density is obtained. This suggests an exchange of bound H<sup>+</sup> to bound D<sup>+</sup> due to exposure to D<sub>2</sub>O within the polyelectrolyte multilayer.

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**Block-copolymer directed mesoporous TiO<sub>2</sub> for solar cell applications** — MIHAELA NEDELICU<sup>1</sup>, •STEFAN GULDIN<sup>1,4</sup>, SVEN HÜTTNER<sup>1</sup>, HENRY J. SNAITH<sup>2</sup>, JINWOO LEE<sup>3</sup>, CHRIS ORILLAL<sup>3</sup>, SCOTT WARREN<sup>3</sup>, ULRICH WIESNER<sup>3</sup>, and ULLRICH STEINER<sup>1</sup> — <sup>1</sup>Department of Physics, Cavendish Laboratory, University of Cambridge, UK — <sup>2</sup>Department of Physics, University of Oxford, UK — <sup>3</sup>Materials Science Department, University of Cornell, Ithaca, USA — <sup>4</sup>Physik Department, Technische Universität München, Garching, D

Nanostructuring metal-oxides through polymer-assisted self-assembly has gained significant interest in the last 10 years for a wide range of applications. Dye-sensitized solar cells, for example, rely on a highly porous, polycrystalline metal-oxide electrode.

In our work we used a Poly(isoprene)-b-Poly(ethylenoxide) (PI-b-PEO) diblock-copolymer as a structure-directing agent for the formation of TiO<sub>2</sub>. The block-copolymer phase separates into ordered domains, tens of nanometers in size. Titania precursors were incorporated through a non hydrolytic sol-gel route which swell only the hydrophilic PEO.

During temperature annealing the PI-block forms a carbon scaffold which enables high temperatures for the crystallisation of TiO<sub>2</sub> without loss of the mesostructure. This leads to a nanostructured material with improved crystallinity and a high surface area.

The benefits of these interesting material properties are presented in efficient dye-sensitized solar cells.

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**Structural chances in thin block copolymer films during vapor treatment** — •ZHENYU DI<sup>1</sup>, CHRISTINE PAPADAKIS<sup>1</sup>, CHARLES DARKO<sup>1</sup>, DORTHE POSSELT<sup>2</sup>, and DETLEF-M SMILGIES<sup>3</sup> — <sup>1</sup>Physikdepartment E13, TU München — <sup>2</sup>Roskilde University, Denmark — <sup>3</sup>Cornell University, USA

The mesoscopic structures formed by self-assembly of diblock copolymers in thin film geometry are interesting for a variety of applications. However, spin coating leads to domain structures with defects. Vapor treatment has been shown to be an effective way to increase the long-range order.

We have studied the structural changes in thin films of poly(styrene-*b*-butadiene) diblock copolymers and their kinetics during vapor treatment. In this system, the initial lamellar orientation (parallel or perpendicular to the substrate) can be controlled by the block copolymer molar mass [1]. We have investigated both initial orientations as well as the influence of the initial film thickness, solvent selectivity, and the vapor pressure using grazing-incidence small-angle x-ray scattering with a time resolution of a few sec. The growth of the lamellar domains can be controlled by the degree of swelling.

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**Taylored Interfaces in PP-Glass Model Composites** — •HANNA BRODOWSKY and EDITH MÄDER — Leibniz-Institut für Polymerforschung Dresden, Hohe Str. 6, D-01069

The interface between the reinforcing fiber and polymer matrix plays a crucial role for a composite's mechanical properties. In the vicinity of the fiber, a three dimensional "interphase" is formed on the fiber surface, in which the properties of the matrix differ from those in the bulk. This interphase can be tailored by using a suitable sizing (surface modification) of the fiber, e.g. suppressing or promoting heterogeneous nucleation of a thermoplastic matrix.

Polypropylene-glass fiber composites are prepared as single fiber model composites with varying sizings and different PP chain lengths. Static tests permit insights in the interfacial characteristics such as

fracture energy release rate, shear strength and modulus. Cyclic tests on these model composites are used to study the nature of dissipative processes and the damage behaviour. An AFM characterisation of the fiber fracture surface provides supplementary information.

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**Simultaneous acquisition of rheological data and microscopic information** — ●ANNETTE FISCHER — Thermo Fisher Scientific, Dieselstr.4, 76227 Karlsruhe

Foams can be defined as composite materials characterized by a solid or liquid continuous matrix which surrounds a gaseous phase. The possibility of combining the properties of the continuous matrix and gas voids in a great variety of morphologies, is a powerful tool in the material industry to design materials with properties for nearly any kind of applications where performance and low weight are requested. The characterization of foam is very difficult. Numerous parameters have to be considered and controlled: foam quality, foam texture, size of the measurement apparatus compared to bubbles size, influence of foam production method, wall slip phenomena and foam compressibility. These numerous parameters do explain there is no general view concerning the behaviour of this kind of system. Rheological methods reveal information on macroscopic material properties. However, the mechanical material properties are strongly dependent on the underlying microstructure. Therefore information on the microstructure is often very helpful for a better understanding of a certain rheological behaviour. The new RheoScope module for the HAAKE Mars offers the possibility to record rheological properties and microscopic images simultaneously. The resulting measurements and pictures can be clearly correlated.

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**Structure of the top contact in photovoltaic devices: Au deposition on TiO<sub>2</sub>:PVK hybrid thin films** — ●GUNAR KAUNE<sup>1</sup>, MOTTAKIN M. ABUL KASHEM<sup>1</sup>, ALEXANDER DIERTHER<sup>1</sup>, WEINAN WANG<sup>1</sup>, SEBASTIEN COUET<sup>2</sup>, KAI SCHLAGE<sup>2</sup>, RALF RÖHLSBERGER<sup>2</sup>, STEPHAN V. ROTH<sup>2</sup>, ANDREAS TIMMANN<sup>2</sup>, and PETER MÜLLER-BUSCHBAUM<sup>1</sup> — <sup>1</sup>TU München, Physik-Department LS E13, James-Franck-Straße 1, 85747 Garching — <sup>2</sup>HASYLAB at DESY, Notkestraße 85, 22603 Hamburg

Photovoltaic energy conversion systems based on an inorganic semiconductor and a semi-conductive polymer, so called hybrid solar cells, promise to open new solar cell applications. In a common device, a thin metal film is deposited on top of the hybrid film in order to apply electrical contact. Since type and structure of this metal electrode influence the performance of the solar cell, the understanding of its structural growth and the interaction with the polymer layer is necessary.

In our study, we use a model system consisting of nanostructured titanium dioxide and poly-N-vinylcarbazole (PVK) blended with zinc phthalocyanine (ZnPc). On top of this, a thin gold film was deposited by rf-sputtering. In-situ to deposition, the growth of the gold film was probed with grazing incidence small angle scattering (GISAXS) with a very high time resolution of 1 second. Particular attention was paid to the initial stage of the growth, where the first gold particles form on the polymer surface. The results obtained from fitting the 2d scattering data are compared with information about the surface morphology obtained with atomic force microscopy.

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**Soft X-ray scanning transmission spectroscopy of diindenoperylene thin films** — ●MARIA BENEDETTA CASU<sup>1</sup>, INDRO BISWAS<sup>1</sup>, GEORGE TZVETKOV<sup>2,3</sup>, JÖRG RAABE<sup>3</sup>, and THOMAS CHASSÉ<sup>1</sup> — <sup>1</sup>Institute of Physical and Theoretical Chemistry, University of Tuebingen, 72076 Tübingen, Germany — <sup>2</sup>Physikalische Chemie II, Universität Erlangen-Nürnberg, 91058 Erlangen, Germany — <sup>3</sup>Swiss Light Source, PSI, 5232 Villigen, Switzerland

Organic materials have been extensively investigated in the recent decades. They were considered very appealing not only because of a pure academic interest as a new class of materials but also because of their promising properties toward the electronic applications. Nowadays we can surely affirm that these materials kept their promise. Diindenoperylene is a perylene-based molecule that shows a very high hole mobility already in thin films, good film forming properties and thermal stability. Thus it may be promising as active layer in devices. In this work we present the results of scanning transmission X-ray microscopy (STXM) investigations on diindenoperylene thin films deposited on polycrystalline gold. STXM is a powerful technique that

takes advantage from the use of synchrotron radiation, allowing the simultaneous investigation of structure, and electronic properties with excellent spatial resolution. Our STXM images together with nano near-edge X-ray absorption fine structure spectra (both taken at the C 1s edge) show that different electronic structure domains occur depending on different sample thicknesses. The implications of this finding will be discussed also in terms of growth of organic materials.

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**A new tool for gradual tuning the composition of binary self-assembled monolayers and chemical lithography: UV-promoted exchange reaction** — ●NIRMALYA BALLAV, TOBIAS WEIDNER, and MICHAEL ZHARNIKOV — Angewandte Physikalische Chemie, Universität Heidelberg, 69120 Heidelberg, Germany

We demonstrate that exchange reaction between a primary self-assembled monolayer (SAM) and a potential molecular substituent, capable to form SAM on the same substrate can be promoted in a controlled way by preliminary exposure of the SAM to UV light with a suitable wavelength. Using a model system of a non-substituted alkanethiolate (AT) SAM as the primary film and COOH-substituted AT as the substituent, we showed that the composition of the binary mixed film formed by the UV promoted exchange reaction (UUPER) can be precisely varied and tuned over the entire concentration range by the selection of a proper UV exposure time. The reason for the promotion effect of the UV light treatment is the appearance of chemical and structural defects in the primary film, viz. photooxidation of the thiolate tailgroups and the structural and chemical defects in the aliphatic matrix. Since both these defects are stochastically distributed over the target film, no phase separation occurs, and the resulting mixed SAM represents a true molecular mixture of both components. Apart from its usefulness for the preparation of mixed SAMs, the UUPER approach can be combined with lithography and applied for the fabrication of chemical patterns and molecular templates.

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**Interface energetics in highly ordered organic-organic heterosystems: Thermal induced layer swap in the system HBC on PTCDA** — ●RAINER JACOB, CHRISTIAN WAGNER, THOMAS DIENEL, and TORSTEN FRITZ — Institut für Angewandte Photophysik, TU-Dresden, George Bähr Str. 1, 01069 Dresden

The structural and energetic properties of organic-organic and organic-inorganic interfaces play a crucial role in future devices based on ultra thin organic layers or single molecules. We will present results of a STM and LEED study of an organic-organic heterosystem consisting of two stacked highly ordered monolayers (ML) of hexaperi-hexabenzocoronene (HBC) and perylene-3,4,9,10-tetracarboxylic-dianhydride (PTCDA) on Au(111). While the evaporation of one ML PTCDA onto a highly ordered HBC ML creates a stable organic-organic heterosystem [1], no such observation could be made for the reversed stack order, i.e., HBC on PTCDA on Au(111). Even light annealing at approx. 60°C of such a sample leads to a swap of the stack order and the creation of large sample areas where the consecutively evaporated HBC has displaced the PTCDA as first layer, with the PTCDA now forming an epitaxial layer on top of the ordered HBC. Force field calculations [2] revealed that interface energetics can be made responsible for the process observed, as there is a considerable energy gain per surface area when changing from HBC on PTCDA on Au(111) to PTCDA on HBC on Au(111).

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**Improved efficiency of phosphorescent organic light emitting devices at high brightness** — ●SEBASTIAN REINEKE, GREGOR SCHWARTZ, KARSTEN WALZER, and KARL LEO — Institut für Angewandte Photophysik, 01062 Dresden, Germany

We present a novel emission layer (EML) structure for phosphorescent organic light emitting diodes (OLEDs) comprising mixed films of fac tris(2-phenylpyridine) iridium [Ir(ppy)<sub>3</sub>] dispersed in 4,4',4''-tris(N-carbazolyl)-triphenylamine (TCTA) which reduces the decrease of efficiency at high current densities. Based on results of photoluminescence experiments, we intermit the EML with thin neat layers of TCTA. Due to its high triplet energy, TCTA acts as an exciton blocking layer inside the EML which suppresses exciton migration on the dopant sites and, consequently, triplet-triplet annihilation. We show that this EML structure leads to a smaller efficiency decrease: Starting

at initial external quantum efficiencies (IEQE) of 15.8 % and 14.4 % at low brightness for the reference and interlayer device, respectively, those structures yield critical current densities  $j_c$  of 140 mA/cm<sup>2</sup> and 270 mA/cm<sup>2</sup>. Here,  $j_c$  defines the current density where the IEQE drops to half of its value.

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**Active layer thickness dependence in flexible P3HT field-effect transistors** — •BENEDIKT GBUREK and VEIT WAGNER — Jacobs University Bremen, School of Engineering and Science, Campus Ring 8, 28759 Bremen, Germany

Applications of organic electronics require cheap and fast production methods on e.g. flexible and transparent devices. Following these goals, organic field-effect transistors (OFETs) in top-gate architecture are produced on flexible and transparent plastic (PET) foils as device substrate. The organic semiconductor, regio-regular poly-(3-hexylthiophene) (rr-P3HT), and the gate insulator, polymethylmethacrylate (PMMA), are deposited wet-chemically under atmospheric conditions. Comparably high charge carrier mobility of 0.02 cm<sup>2</sup>/(Vs) was determined at -40 V gate-source voltage in devices with 300 nm insulator thickness in the linear regime. Unlike the severe degradation of uncapped P3HT transistors, our device characteristics remain stable for several months due to the encapsulation with the PMMA gate insulator. Plastic devices fabricated in this way were used to analyze the dependence of the charge carrier mobility on the thickness of the P3HT layer. The mobility was found to be low for thin layers of several nm and to increase strongly with increasing layer thickness. For sufficiently large thickness, i.e. beyond 15 nm, the mobility remains constant. Thickness dependent charge transport properties were analyzed by fitting theoretical models. Beside gate voltage dependent mobility also contact resistance - a crucial point for further miniaturization of devices - was taken into account.

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**Real-Time Observation of PTCDA Growth on Ag(111) - a SMART Investigation** — •FLORIAN C. MAIER<sup>1</sup>, PIERRE L. LEVESQUE<sup>2</sup>, THOMAS SCHMIDT<sup>1</sup>, HELDER MARCHETTO<sup>2</sup>, ULRICH GROH<sup>1</sup>, TOMAS SKALA<sup>2</sup>, RAINER FINK<sup>3</sup>, HANS-JOACHIM FREUND<sup>2</sup>, and EBERHARD UMBACH<sup>1,4</sup> — <sup>1</sup>Universität Würzburg, Experimentelle Physik II, 97074 Würzburg — <sup>2</sup>Fritz-Haber-Institut der Max-Planck-Gesellschaft, 14159 Berlin — <sup>3</sup>Univ. Erlangen-Nürnberg, Phys. Chemie II, 91058 Germany — <sup>4</sup>Forschungszentrum Karlsruhe, 76021 Karlsruhe

The spectro-microscope SMART, an aberration corrected high resolution LEEM/PEEM (Low Energy/Photo-Emission Electron Microscope) system, has been used to investigate the growth of thin organic films on metal substrates and their interaction. The growth of PTCDA (3,4,9,10 perylene-tetracarboxylic-acid dianhydrid) on a single-crystalline Ag(111) surface has been observed in-situ and in real-time at substrate temperatures between 220 and 390 K. LEEM, PEEM and LEED studies reveal the dependence of the growth mode, the structure and the phase formation on both, the temperature and the substrate morphology. Whereas PTCDA grows in a mound like quasi layer-by-layer fashion at low temperatures, Stranski-Krastanov growth (i.e. a bi-layer followed by 3D islands) occurs above room temperature. Details of the real-time investigation like the dynamic behaviour of the growing layers, the metastability and desorption of single layers will be discussed. (Funded by BMBF, contract 05KS4WWB/4)

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**White top emitting OLED with angle independent emission characteristic** — •MICHAEL THOMSCHEKE, PATRICIA FREITAG, GREGOR SCHWARTZ, ROBERT NITSCHKE, KARSTEN WALZER, and KARL LEO — Technische Universität Dresden, Institut für Angewandte Photophysik, Georg-Bähr-Straße 1, 01062 Dresden, Germany

The general device structure of a top emitting organic light emitting diode (OLED) consists of several organic layers sandwiched in between two metal contacts, with the top one being semitransparent for light outcoupling reasons. Due to the high reflectivity of the electrodes, strong microcavity effects occur which lead to a preferred emission of light of a certain wavelength with main outcoupling in forward direction. This creates rather narrow emission bands, accompanied by strong spectral shifts upon viewing angle variation [1].

By using an organic capping layer on top of the semitransparent metal contact, this unwanted effect can be reduced. This is important especially for white light emission for the use of OLEDs in future lighting applications. Our optical simulations show that the strong angular

dependence of the emission color almost vanishes. To verify the simulations we study white top emitting OLEDs based on an approach of Schwartz [2] which are adapted to the top emitting case.

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**Molecular Transport in Real-Space Density-Functional Calculations** — •PAUL BAUMEISTER<sup>1</sup> and TOMOYA ONO<sup>1,2</sup> — <sup>1</sup>Institut für Festkörperforschung, Forschungszentrum Jülich, 52428 Jülich, Germany — <sup>2</sup>Department of Precision Science and Technology, Osaka University, Suita, Osaka 565-0871, Japan

Real-space methods are very promising for large scale *ab initio* calculations of the electronic structure on systems with low symmetry. Especially the performance on massively parallel computers enables accurate first-principles calculations of large realistic setups. We have applied the transport formalism in real space [1] to  $\pi$ -conjugated organic molecules between copper surfaces. Focusing on the limit of zero bias voltage and applying a jellium model for the electrodes it becomes feasible to compute scattering wave functions and thus transport properties. Herein, the numerical results for the electronic structure of a molecule inside a junction are combined with analytical solutions of the jellium electrodes. Matching the incident and the outgoing wave function requires a Green-function method.

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**Pentacene thin films on diamond surfaces: effect of surface termination** — •W. GAJEWSKI<sup>1</sup>, F. BUTH<sup>1</sup>, M. HUTH<sup>2</sup>, B. NICKEL<sup>2</sup>, M. STUTZMANN<sup>1</sup>, and J.A. GARRIDO<sup>1</sup> — <sup>1</sup>Walter Schottky Institute, TU-Munich, Garching — <sup>2</sup>Physics Department, Ludwig-Maximilians University, Munich

We investigate the effect of diamond surface termination by oxygen or hydrogen on the structural and optoelectronic properties of pentacene thin films deposited on diamond. Pentacene films with thicknesses from 3 to 50 nm were deposited on O- and H-terminated diamond films, as well as on SiO<sub>2</sub> surfaces for comparison. On O-terminated diamond surfaces, pentacene molecules are oriented almost perpendicular to the substrate, as revealed by X-ray diffraction and AFM. For H-terminated diamond surfaces the morphology of the pentacene films is much more complex, probably due to a Stranski-Krastanov like growth mode characterized by a first flat molecular layer followed by 3D island growth. Optical absorption as well as spectrally resolved photocurrent measurements in the energy range 0.5-6.0 eV performed at temperatures from 80 to 350K allow the detection of the excitonics and the HOMO-LUMO transition in the pentacene film, as well as specific charge transfer processes between diamond and pentacene. Current-voltage characteristics recorded for pentacene films with various thickness in the dark and under illumination reveal a complex temperature and electric field dependence of the electronic transport at the diamond/pentacene interface.

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**Vibrational and electronic properties of methylated silicon (111) surfaces in air** — •FLORENT YANG<sup>1</sup>, RALF HUNGER<sup>2</sup>, KATY Roodenko<sup>3</sup>, KARSTEN HINRICHS<sup>3</sup>, KLAUS RADEMANN<sup>4</sup>, and JÖRG RAPPICH<sup>1</sup> — <sup>1</sup>Hahn-Meitner-Institut Berlin, Dep. Si-Photovoltaics (SE1), Berlin, Germany — <sup>2</sup>Technische Universität Darmstadt, Institute of Materials Science, Darmstadt, Germany — <sup>3</sup>Institute of Analytical Sciences, Department Berlin, Germany — <sup>4</sup>Humboldt University Berlin, Department of Chemistry, Berlin, Germany

Controlling and monitoring the grafting of small organic molecule onto silicon (Si) surfaces is the centre of sustained efforts of many research groups. These investigations are widely motivated by the fabricating hybrid devices and sensors. The control of the work function, the creation of surface dipole, and the change in band bending obtained by an organic layer on Si is of great interest also for hetero-structure solar cells. Our work concerns the direct deposition of CH<sub>3</sub>/CD<sub>3</sub> groups on flat hydrogenated p-Si(111) surfaces by anodisation in a Grignard reagent. The ultrathin films have been characterised by different tech-

niques like IR-SE, AFM, XPS/UPS to obtain information about the thickness, the topography and the type of chemical bonds of the organic films on the surface. PL spectroscopy was used to investigate the recombination behaviour at such interfaces. Methylated Si surfaces show low surface recombination velocities and are not susceptible to rapid oxidation in ambient air. These modified surfaces passivate the Si towards oxidation and exhibit a much better stability than H-terminated Si surfaces in ambient air.

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**Monolayer to multilayer transition of hexa-peri-hexabenzocoronene on Ag(111)** — ●HENDRIK GLOWATZKI<sup>1</sup>, GIANINA N. GAVRILA<sup>2</sup>, STEFAN SEIFERT<sup>2</sup>, ROBERT L. JOHNSON<sup>3</sup>, HANS JOACHIM RÄDER<sup>4</sup>, KLAUS MÜLLEN<sup>4</sup>, DIETRICH R.T. ZAHN<sup>2</sup>, JÜRGEN P. RABE<sup>1</sup>, and NORBERT KOCH<sup>1</sup> — <sup>1</sup>Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Institut f. Physik, Newtonstr. 15, D-12489 Berlin — <sup>2</sup>Technische Universität Chemnitz, Institut f. Physik, Reichenhainer Str. 70, D-09126 Chemnitz — <sup>3</sup>Universität Hamburg, Institut f. Experimentalphysik, D-22761 Hamburg — <sup>4</sup>Max Planck Institut für Polymerforschung, D-55021 Mainz

The properties of hexa-peri-hexabenzocoronene (HBC) deposited on Ag(111) in the mono- and multilayer regimes were investigated by several complementary techniques. The molecular orientation was determined by near-edge x-ray absorption fine structure spectroscopy (NEXAFS), scanning tunneling and scanning force microscopy (STM, SFM), and the electronic structure by ultraviolet photoelectron spectroscopy (UPS). We found that the molecular orientation changed as a function of coverage; at monolayer coverage the HBC molecules were aligned parallel to the substrate whereas in the multilayer the molecules were tilted by 43°. This structural transition was accompanied by a rigid shift of the molecular energy levels by 0.3 eV towards higher binding energy between mono- and multilayer coverage. In addition, the highest molecular levels in the multilayer were broadened by 0.35 eV, suggesting the formation of extended intermolecular energy bands.

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**Cu-Adatom-Mediated Bonding in close-packed Benzoate/Cu(110) Systems** — ●MARIA CHRISTINA LENNARTZ, NICOLAE ATODIRESEI, SILVIA KARTHÄUSER, and STEFAN BLÜGEL — Institute for Solid State Research, Research Centre Juelich, Juelich, Germany

Copper is an established metal in electronics industry and the special linkage between carboxylates and Cu(110) surfaces justifies that this system is regarded as an alternative to the well-known and intensively studied thiol/gold system. Therefore our aim is to investigate the structure and the electronic transport through the carboxylate/Cu(110) interface, experimentally and theoretically, and to use these data to build up molecular devices. Especially the electronic transport properties depend crucially on the molecular orientation and the crystalline structure. Therefore a major point of our interest is to control the lateral order of the molecular arrangements while determining the corresponding molecular transport properties. We will present a microscopic evidence for a new Cu-adatom stabilized high density phase of benzoate molecules on Cu(110) surfaces. Using UHV-STM investigations and density-functional theory calculations two different chemical species building the new structure, benzoate molecules and benzoate copper-adatoms molecules, could be identified. The energy calculations provide strong support that the benzoate copper-adatoms molecules form energetically favourable bonds with the surface, but are also more mobile on the surface.

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**Electronic coupling of organic dyes with inorganic van der Waals semiconductors** — ERIC MANKEL, JOHANNA HÄRTER, ●THOMAS MAYER, and WOLFRAM JÄGERMANN — FG Oberflächenforschung, FB Materialwissenschaft, Technische Universität Darmstadt

A prerequisite for tailoring organic/organic and organic/inorganic interfaces is the understanding of the electronic coupling processes. Inert van der Waals surfaces of layered chalcogenide semiconductors are free of surface states and allow to monitor free of chemical interaction charge transfer and interface dipole formation by synchrotron induced photoelectron spectroscopy. Copper phthalocyanine, CuPc and a perylene derivate, PTCDA were adsorbed in situ on UHV-cleaved n- and p-WSe<sub>2</sub>. For both molecules the HOMO position below the valence band maximum is independent of the substrate Fermi level position, SFLP, (n or p-type) and amounts to 0,64eV and 1,63eV for CuPc

and PTCDA. The constancy of the HOMO position versus substrate orbitals for varied SFLP and coverages indicates the absence of an interface dipole. Both molecules induce band bending on n and on p substrates but in opposite directions in dependency of doping indicating the position of the molecule charge neutrality level between the n and p SFLP. The surface SFLP of n- and p-WSe<sub>2</sub> for higher dye coverage do not converge to the same value. A difference of about 0,45eV is measured for both dyes indicating a shift of the dye charge neutrality level due to charge transfer.

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**Influence of dispersion interactions on the adsorption of NTCDA on (110)-oriented noble metals** — ●AFSHIN ABBASI<sup>1</sup>, REINHARD SCHOLZ<sup>2</sup>, and MICHAEL SCHREIBER<sup>1</sup> — <sup>1</sup>Institut für Physik, Technische Universität Chemnitz — <sup>2</sup>Walter Schottky Institut, Technische Universität München

The chemisorption of NTCDA on noble metals is investigated with second order Møller-Plesset perturbation theory (MP2) for a single molecule adsorbed to a finite-sized Cu, Ag, or Au cluster. Contrary to Hartree-Fock and density functional theory (DFT), MP2 contains the major part of the dispersion interactions, so that the Pauli repulsion between adsorbate and substrate is largely compensated by attractive van-der-Waals forces. As a result, the adsorbate geometries are nearly flat, in sharp contrast to previous investigations with DFT [1]. The MP2 calculations provide new insight into the chemisorption of functionalized aromatic molecules on different noble metals: The binding energy and the distance between adsorbate and substrate follow opposite chemical trends.

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**Temperature dependence of dislocation formation in perylene films** — ●PHENWISA NIYAMAKOM, PHILIP SCHULZ, AZADEH FARAHZADI, MARYAM BEIGMOHAMADI, and MATTHIAS WUTTIG — Institute of Physics (IA), RWTH Aachen University, 52056 Aachen, Germany

We have recently studied the growth of highly ordered perylene thin films on top of an amorphous oxide layer at room temperature. These films show growth model, which is assisted by screw dislocation [1]. In this study, the substrate temperature is included as an important deposition parameter to investigate the temperature dependence on the evolution of dislocations in perylene films with thickness and deposition rate. The perylene films have been deposited by vacuum thermal evaporation (VTE). The film morphology and structural properties have been investigated by atomic force microscopy (AFM) and X-ray diffractometry (XRD). The surface roughness, island density and screw dislocation density have been analyzed by AFM. Our quantitative analysis also includes the determination of the lateral correlation length, extracted from AFM images. An analysis of the XRD peak profiles allowed us to determine the microstrain and vertical grain size. The comparison of the perylene thin film growth at different substrate temperatures will be presented.

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**Metal-phthalocyanine sub-monolayer films on Ag(111): An x-ray standing wave study of CuPc, TiOPc and SnPc** — ●INGO KRÖGER<sup>1</sup>, CHRISTOPH STADLER<sup>1</sup>, FLORIAN POLLINGER<sup>1</sup>, ANDREAS STAHL<sup>1</sup>, FELIX ERFURTH<sup>1</sup>, BENJAMIN STADTMÜLLER<sup>1</sup>, CHRISTIAN KUMPF<sup>1</sup>, and EBERHARD UMBACH<sup>1,2</sup> — <sup>1</sup>Universität Würzburg, Experimentelle Physik II, 97074 Würzburg — <sup>2</sup>Forschungszentrum Karlsruhe GmbH, D-76021 Karlsruhe

Metal-phthalocyanine (Me-Pc) molecules adsorbed in sub-monolayer structures on Ag(111) exhibit a very interesting ordering phenomenon due to intermolecular repulsion (see contribution of C. Kumpf et al.). Key aspects for the understanding of this observation are the local bonding mechanism and the adsorption geometry of the molecules. We investigated these aspects for the planar CuPc and the non-planar TiOPc and SnPc molecules on Ag(111) using the x-ray standing wave (XSW) technique, which is a highly accurate method for getting geometric data of molecules in the monolayer regime. It yields information about (vertical) bonding distances and the deformation of the molecule upon adsorption, and therefore allows to elucidate the bonding mechanism. We present XSW data of different (disordered, commensu-

rate, and incommensurate) phases for each of the molecules. Beside a molecule-surface interaction via the central metal atom, the data indicates chemisorption mediated by the pi-system of the molecules which decreases with increasing coverage.

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**Film formation of oligothiophenes for a molecular organic field-effect transistor** — ●KINGA HAUBNER<sup>1</sup>, EVELIN JAEHNE<sup>1</sup>, HANS-JUERGEN PETER ADLER<sup>1</sup>, DENNY KOEHLER<sup>2</sup>, CHRISTIAN LOPPACHER<sup>2</sup>, LUKAS ENG<sup>2</sup>, ANDREI HERASIMOVICH<sup>3</sup>, and SUSANNE SCHEINERT<sup>3</sup> — <sup>1</sup>Institute of Macromolecular Chemistry and Textile Chemistry, Technische Universitaet Dresden, 01069 Dresden, Germany — <sup>2</sup>Institute of Applied Photophysics, Technische Universitaet Dresden, 01069 Dresden, Germany — <sup>3</sup>Solid State Electronics and Center of Micro- and Nanotechnologies, Technische Universitaet Ilmenau, 98684 Ilmenau, Germany

Novel oligomers based on  $\beta$ -substituted thiophene derivatives were synthesized with the aim to build-up a small molecule organic field-effect transistor (OFET). We investigated the properties of the applied films of  $\alpha,\omega$ -dicyano- $\beta,\beta'$ -dibutylquaterthiophene (DCNDBQT) and  $\alpha,\omega$ -dicyano- $\beta,\beta'$ -dibutylsexithiophene (DCNDBST) by different cast methods - spin-coating and vacuum sublimation - as well as thin films of two other oligothiophene derivatives, dibutylquaterthiophene (DBQT) and dibutylsexithiophene (DBST). The ultra-thin organic film formation on TiO<sub>2</sub> templates was effectively promoted through the specifically designed, bifunctional self-assembly molecules (SAM). Vacuum sublimated DCNDBQT, which forms a dense packed molecular layer, was used to build-up a nanoscopic OFET-structure. The resulting field mobilities of  $10^{-5}$  cm<sup>2</sup> V<sup>-1</sup> s<sup>-1</sup> reflect a moderate current density as interpreted in the framework of the ultra-thin molecular OFET structure.

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**Dipole orientation of the P[VDF-TrFE] co-polymer films: A NEXAFS study** — ●DIPANKAR MANDAL, KLAUS MÜLLER, and DIETER SCHMEISSER — Brandenburgische Technische Universität Cottbus, Angewandte Physik - Sensorik, Konrad-Wachsmann-Allee 17, 03046 Cottbus, Germany

Ferroelectric properties of copolymers of vinylidene fluoride with trifluoroethylene (P[VDF-TrFE]) has become great deal of interest due to potential use in non volatile memory technology. Permanent dipoles (formed between the alternating hydrogen and fluorine atom within the copolymer) ordering of orientation are crucial for device efficiency. Here we focus on thickness dependence dipole orientation in these copolymer films. In our systematic studies, we found there is prominent dipole re-orientation effect also for the intrinsic films (~10 nm thickness) before applying the electric field. It is observed after the application of the field, the dipoles re-oriented in opposite direction. Therefore, we conclude that the lowest thickness of the film should have well grown crystalline lamellae structure. As a result, c-axis of crystallites acts as well define manner in plane of the surface and for that reason the b-axis is more free. Because the b-axis is parallel to the polarization direction, it is easy to get a preferred orientation of the dipoles. For thicker films (here up to 100 nm), the average orientation effect is hindered, so a very low re-orientation effect has been observed. For this investigation, we used Near Edge X-ray Absorption Spectroscopy, at the U 49/2-PGM beam line of BESSY-II, Berlin. This work is supported by DFG within SPP1157 (SCHM 745/11-2).

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**High Resolution Photoelectron Spectroscopy at the SnPc/Ag(111) interface** — C. SCHEUERMANN, M. HAEMING, I. KRÖGER, C. STADLER, C. KUMPF, ●A. SCHÖLL, F. REINERT, and E. UMBACH — Universität Würzburg, Experimentelle Physik II, 97074 Würzburg

Phthalocyanines are interesting for applications in organic devices due to the potential of tailoring their properties by introducing different metal ligands into the heterocycle. Some derivatives offer the potential of tuning the work function of metal contacts due to an intrinsic dipole moment. We present a high resolution photoelectron spectroscopy study on SnPc submonolayers on Ag(111). Based on a structural analysis, which shows the existence of different adsorption phases with different orientation of the molecular dipoles depending on temperature and coverage, the PES data indicate a significant effect on the surface work function. The valence and core spectra allow identifying a covalent interaction at the interface with the appearance of a new state at

EF. Moreover, the data provide evidence for a systematic weakening of the interfacial interaction with increasing coverage. This is accompanied by a constriction of the substrate-adsorbate charge transfer, which becomes evident from an analysis of the core level line shapes. As a consequence, a comprehensive description of the electronic structure in the contact regime, of the resulting interface dipole, and of work function effects needs to account not only for structural properties such as the intrinsic molecular geometry, but also for intermolecular- and interfacial interactions which may involve significant charge transfer.

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**Metal work function tuning with new molecular acceptors** — ●BENJAMIN BRÖKER<sup>1</sup>, RALF-PETER BLUM<sup>1</sup>, ANTJE VOLLMER<sup>2</sup>, OLIVER HOFMANN<sup>3</sup>, STEFFEN DUHM<sup>1</sup>, HENDRIK GLOWATZKI<sup>1</sup>, RALPH RIEGER<sup>4</sup>, HANS JOACHIM RÄDER<sup>4</sup>, KLAUS MÜLLEN<sup>4</sup>, JÜRGEN P. RABE<sup>1</sup>, and NORBERT KOCH<sup>1</sup> — <sup>1</sup>Institut für Physik, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, D-12389 Berlin, Germany — <sup>2</sup>Berliner Elektronenspeicherring-Gesellschaft für Synchrotronstrahlung mbH, D-12489 Berlin, Germany — <sup>3</sup>Institut für Festkörperphysik, Technische Universität Graz, A-8010 Graz, Austria — <sup>4</sup>Max Planck Institut für Polymerforschung, D-55128 Mainz, Germany

The interfaces between metal electrodes and electroactive organic materials are important for the performance of organic electronic devices. One way of optimizing the anode/organic interface is the insertion of a (sub-)monolayer of molecular acceptors. Here we present an UPS study of new electron acceptor molecules deposited on Au(111), Cu(111) and Ag(111). This study intends to improve the understanding of how the interactions of specific electron withdrawing groups with metal surfaces are correlated with observed modifications of interfacial electron density distribution, work function change ( $\Delta\Phi$ ), and the energy level alignment. We find that  $\Delta\Phi$ , which is the difference between the work function ( $\Phi$ ) of the clean metal surface and  $\Phi$  after formation of a molecular monolayer, is a monotonic function of initial  $\Phi$  of the metal. Two different slopes were observed for acceptors with cyano and those with keto or nitro groups. This work is financially supported by the European Community project "IControl" (EC-STREP-033197).

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**Exploring the binding of the strong organic acceptor F4TCNQ to coinage metals** — ●GEROLD RANGGER<sup>1</sup>, LORENZ ROMANER<sup>1</sup>, GEORG HEIMEL<sup>2</sup>, STEFFEN DUHM<sup>3</sup>, RALF-PETER BLUM<sup>3</sup>, BENJAMIN BRÖKER<sup>3</sup>, NORBERT KOCH<sup>3</sup>, ALEXANDER GERLACH<sup>4</sup>, FRANK SCHREIBER<sup>4</sup>, and EGBERT ZOJER<sup>1</sup> — <sup>1</sup>Institut für Festkörperphysik, Technische Universität Graz, 8010 Graz, Austria. — <sup>2</sup>Department of Material Science and Engineering, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, MA 02143, USA — <sup>3</sup>Institut für Physik, Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, 12389 Berlin, Germany — <sup>4</sup>Institut für Angewandte Physik, Universität Tübingen, 72076 Tübingen, Germany

Organic/metal interface properties are of high interest for the application of molecular (sub)monolayers to modify surface properties. They are applied for, e.g., molecular electronics, chemical sensing, or the tuning of injection barriers in organic electronic devices.

We present a joint theoretical and experimental study of F4TCNQ adsorbed on Cu(111). The electronic and structural properties were determined by ultraviolet photoelectron spectroscopy (UPS) and X-ray standing wave (XSW) measurements. To better understand the complex process of binding, we modelled the system using density-functional theory. We find forward-donation from the lone pairs of the molecule into metallic states and back-donation from the metal into the LUMO of the molecule. The data on Cu(111) are compared to F4TCNQ on Au(111) and Ag(111) as well as to investigations of pyrenetetraone on various coinage metals.

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**Self-assembly and tunneling transport characteristics of phenylthio-substituted coronenes on graphite** — ●PETER KOWALZIK<sup>1</sup>, SILVIA KARTHÄUSER<sup>1</sup>, JEAN-MANUEL RAIMUNDO<sup>2</sup>, MARC GINGRAS<sup>2</sup>, and RAINER WASER<sup>1</sup> — <sup>1</sup>Institute of Solid State Research and CNI, Research Center Juelich GmbH, 52425 Juelich, Germany — <sup>2</sup>Département de Chimie, GCOM2, Université de La Méditerranée Aix-Marseille II, Case 901, 13288 Marseille Cedex 09, France

The use of conjugated (macro)molecules as components in molecular electronic devices is favoured because of the possibility to tune their electron transport properties through modifications of the size of the aromatic system and appropriate functionalisations in the periphery. Here we study the self-assembly and tunneling transport prop-

erties of dodecakis(phenylthio)coronene (DPTC) on graphite. DPTC shows an effective delocalisation of negative charges throughout the molecular system despite its overall nonplanarity. Layers of DPTC were deposited on the graphite surface from solution and characterised via UHV-STM/STS resulting in large highly ordered two dimensional supramolecular structures with several phases. Monolayers of DPTC adsorb with the coronene disc of the molecules lying flat on the graphite surface and arrange in structures with hexagonal symmetry. In addition clusters of several DPTC molecules of definite size are observed which again assemble into hexagonally ordered films on the substrate. STS measurements reveal orbital mediated tunneling processes which were analysed by current-voltage curves.

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**Ordering and morphology of CoPc (FePc) thin films grown on Au(001)-5x20** — ●OLGA V. MOLODTSOVA<sup>1</sup>, VICTOR YU. ARISTOV<sup>1,2</sup>, and MARTIN KNUPFER<sup>1</sup> — <sup>1</sup>IFW Dresden, Dresden, Germany — <sup>2</sup>ISSP RAS, Chernogolovka, Russia

The molecular orientation and ordering in the organic semiconductor cobalt- and iron-phthalocyanine (CoPc and FePc) thin films in situ grown on a Au(001)-5x20 surface has been studied by a combination of Low Energy Electron Diffraction (LEED) and near-edge x-ray absorption spectroscopy. The results indicate that the molecular planes of CoPc and FePc (up to 60 Å) deposited at substrate temperatures ranging from room temperature (RT) to 300°C are mainly laying parallel to the substrate surface. The LEED patterns from the thin films show that the overlayers are highly ordered with a square unit cell of approximately 14 Å x 14 Å aligned along the <110> axes of the Au(001) surface. The additional high resolution photoelectron spectroscopy data prove that CoPc and FePc overlayers on (001) single crystal gold substrates remain stoichiometric and molecular.

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**Molecular Wires and Assemblies on Ionic Surfaces** — ●LARS ZIMMERLI, THILO GLATZEL, BARTOSZ SUCH, PASCAL STEINER, and ERNST MEYER — Department of Physics, Klingelbergstr. 82, 4056 Basel, Switzerland

The adsorption of functional organic molecules on insulating surfaces offers fascinating perspectives for novel nanometer sized electronic and optoelectronic devices. However, the growth of ordered molecules is often hampered by the strength of the intermolecular interaction compared to molecule-surface interaction [1].

In this contribution we report on the self assembly of cyanoporphyrin based molecules deposited on in-situ cleaved and annealed ionic (KBr and NaCl) surfaces. The molecular arrangements on the terraces and steps are analyzed in detail using an ultrahigh vacuum nc-AFM operated at room temperature. Ordered molecular assemblies grown out of a bunch of disordered molecules at step edges are typically found. Single molecular wire-like structures were resolved within the assemblies. The arrangement as well as the orientation of the ordered molecules with respect to the atomic lattice of the substrate has been determined from measurements showing atomic and molecular resolution simultaneously. Along straight monatomic steps single molecular wires of several hundred nanometers length were found.

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**The unoccupied electronic structure of potassium doped cobalt- and iron phthalocyanines studied by near edge absorption fine structure** — ●VICTOR YU. ARISTOV<sup>1,2</sup>, OLGA V. MOLODTSOVA<sup>1</sup>, VICTOR N. SIVKOV<sup>3</sup>, SERGEI V. NEKIPELOV<sup>3</sup>, VICTOR M. ZHILIN<sup>2</sup>, and MARTIN KNUPFER<sup>1</sup> — <sup>1</sup>IFW Dresden, Dresden, Germany — <sup>2</sup>ISSP RAS, Chernogolovka, Russia — <sup>3</sup>Syktvykar State University, Syktvykar, Russia

Magnetic transition metal phthalocyanines, which are organometallic complexes, have already obtained substantial attention of researchers due to many different potential applications. In particular, CoPc is often utilizing in the fields of gas and radiation sensors, optoelectronics and in medical applications. Nowadays CoPc is considered as a material for development of low dimensional molecular magnets. Such important potential applications give a strong motivation to characterize and study the electronic structure, molecular orientation and ordering in the organic semiconductor transition magnetic metal phthalocyanines thin films which is relevant to the organic film performance. The ability to incorporate electron acceptors and donors into

molecular crystals enables the control of their electronic properties by introducing charge carriers. In this presentation we report the evolution of unoccupied electronic levels and electronic properties of the organic semiconductor cobalt- and iron phthalocyanines with potassium doping, which has been studied by near-edge x-ray absorption.

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**Time-resolved investigations on reversible single-crystal-to-single-crystal photodimerisation** — ●JÖRG HALLMANN, JAV DAVAASAMBUU, and SIMONE TECHERT — MPI for biophysical Chemistry, Am Fassber 11, 37070 Göttingen

Compounds like cinnamic acid and their derivatives are known for their ability to dimerise upon light irradiation. In the following the work will concentrate on time-resolved structural studies of  $\alpha$ -styrylpyrylium (TFMS) salts. These systems preserve periodicity upon photodimerisation and transform thermally back to the initial phase and structure. Therefore these systems are attractive candidates for optical switcher and information storage materials using light, respectively. In the following kinetic studies are presented for crystals with an edge length in the millimeter range as well as studies on single crystal films with a thickness of a few hundred nanometers. The studies concern time-resolved diffraction studies and spectroscopy of fluorescence, absorption in the VIS and IR range, and single-photo-counting. The thin crystalline films of some hundred nanometer size were used for ultrafast time-resolved optical pump - x-ray probe experiments revealing that the photo-switchable process occurs in the (sub) picosecond time regime beyond the resolution of the apparatus used. Investigations on macroscopic crystals allowed determining the time-resolved light-induced changes of the molecular structures down to electron densities.

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**Long term aging behavior of ZnPc:C60 Organic Solar Cells under controlled conditions** — ●RUDOLF LESSMANN<sup>1</sup>, ZIRUO HONG<sup>2</sup>, MORITZ K. RIEDE<sup>1</sup>, and KARL LEO<sup>1</sup> — <sup>1</sup>IAPP - Institut Für Angewandte Photophysik, Technische Universität Dresden, Germany — <sup>2</sup>Department of Materials Science & Engineering, University of California, Los Angeles, USA

Cu or Zn Phtalocyanines (CuPc and ZnPc) and C60 are frequently used for organic solar cells, since their energy levels form a donor-acceptor hetero junction and they have high absorption coefficients and a complementary absorption in the sun spectrum. Its known from literature that strong degradation is induced by oxygen diffusion in C60 which acts as an exciton quencher, drastically reduces the mobility, and eventually decomposes C60. Here, we analyze the long term aging behavior of solar cells based on flat and bulk ZnPc/C60 heterojunctions under controlled conditions. The starting structure is ITO(120 nm)/ZnPc(15 nm)/C60(40 nm)/buffer(4 nm)/Al(100 nm). Devices encapsulated with glass and UV epoxy were aged under controlled temperature and illumination at 475 nm (intensities > 10 mW/cm<sup>2</sup>), corresponding to the maximum photo-response of C60 in the visible spectra for this device structure. We experimentally address new ways to stabilize the C60 - oxygen interaction in the device. The overall degradation is quite fast, the fitted time to half of initial value ( $t_H$ ) of  $I_{SC}$  is on the order of 1000 h. After that time  $I(-1V)$  is still around 95% of its initial value, indicating that the degradation is mainly driven by changes of the transport properties.

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**Phenyl-thiophene co-oligomer growth on dielectrics** — ●FRANK BALZER<sup>1</sup>, MANUELA SCHIEK<sup>1</sup>, ARNE LÜTZEN<sup>2</sup>, and HORST-GÜNTER RUBAHN<sup>1</sup> — <sup>1</sup>Mads Clausen Institute, NanoSYD, University of Southern Denmark, Sønderborg, Dänemark — <sup>2</sup>Kekulé-Institute of Organic Chemistry and Biochemistry, Universität Bonn, Deutschland

Light emitting thiophene/phenylene co-oligomers have attracted quite some interest in the past due to their fortunate optical and transport properties. Here the growth of 2,5-bis(4-biphenyl)thiophene on alkali halide (001) surfaces as well as on muscovite mica (100) is investigated by atomic force microscopy (AFM), by low energy electron diffraction (LEED), and by fluorescence microscopy. Profound differences in the growth morphology are observed. On, e.g., KCl both needle-like crystallites with several ten nanometers width and height, but several micrometers length from lying molecules are formed. These needles cover the substrate surface together with platelets from upright molecules. Needles aggregate into box-like structures with several micrometers side length. On muscovite only uniaxially aligned

needles are observed by AFM and by fluorescence microscopy. However, LEED demonstrates the formation of an epitaxial wetting layer from lying molecules. In all cases needles emit polarized light after UV excitation. Formation mechanisms of such different types of self-assembled structures are discussed and compared to thin films from *para*-phenylenes and from  $\alpha$ -thiophenes.

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**Reversible Temperature Induced Switching of Grafted Poly-N-isopropylacrylamide Brushes** — ●PETRA UHLMANN, EVA HEROLD, SINA BURKERT, MARTIN MÜLLER, and MANFRED STAMM — Leibniz Institute of Polymer Research Dresden, Hohe Strasse 6, D-01069 Dresden

Polymer brushes, as linear polymer chains tethered by one end to a solid surface with sufficient grafting density, represent a special case of grafted polymer thin films and a versatile tool to control and switch the properties of polymer interfaces. Poly-N-isopropylacrylamide (PNiPAAM) which is known to undergo conformational changes due to temperature alterations (stretched below and coiled above the lower critical solution temperature (LCST) of 32°C) represents a very interesting mean to reversibly switch the physico-chemical properties of polymer interfaces when immobilized in a brush-like conformation at solid interfaces. The switching process and mechanism of collaborative acting PNiPAAM brushes was investigated using ellipsometry, dynamic contact angles and attenuated total reflectance infrared spectroscopy (ATR). The phase transition mechanism of the PNiPAAM brushes observed near the LCST was found to be independent of the molecular weight of the polymer. Using ATR-FTIR the formation of internal hydrogen bonds due to switching, by ellipsometry the deswelling of the brush in aqueous environment above the LCST and by wetting measurements changing hydrophilicity in dependence of temperature could be followed. The influence of molecular weight and grafting density on switching process and mechanism will be discussed.

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**The Potential of the Horizontal ToF-Neutron Reflectometer REFSANS at FRM-II Munich Highlighted by Recent Experimental Results** — ●REINHARD KAMPMANN<sup>1</sup>, HAESESEILLER MARTIN<sup>1</sup>, MOULIN JEAN FRANCOIS<sup>1</sup>, NICKEL BERT<sup>2</sup>, MÜLLER-BUSCHBAUM PETER<sup>3</sup>, PAPADAKIS CHRISTINE<sup>3</sup>, SACKMANN ERICH<sup>2</sup>, RÄDLER JOACHIM<sup>2</sup>, and SCHREYER ANDREAS<sup>1</sup> — <sup>1</sup>GKSS-Forschungszentrum Geesthacht GmbH, D-21502 Geesthacht, Germany — <sup>2</sup>Lehrstuhl für Experimentelle Physik/Biophysik, Sektion Physik, Ludwig-Maximilians-Universität, D-80539 München, Germany — <sup>3</sup>Physik-Department E13, TU-München, D-85748 Garching, Germany

The horizontal neutron reflectometer REFSANS allows to perform comprehensive analyses of vertical and lateral surface and interface structures by means of specular and off-specular neutron reflectivity as well as small-angle neutron scattering at grazing incidence (GISANS). All measurements can be performed on the air-water interface (horizontally aligned sample). The performance of this novel instrument is highlighted by means of recent measurements of weak off-specular scattering, GI-SANS and extremely low specular reflectivity including the case of a strong incoherent substrate scattering. This work has been supported by the German Federal Ministry of Education, Research and Technology (BMBF) under contracts 03-KA5FRM-1 and 03-KAE8X-3.

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**Crystallisation of acetaminophen in nanoporous glasses** — ●GOPALAKRISHNAN T. RENGARAJAN, DIRK ENKE, and MARIO BEINER — Naturwissenschaftliche Fakultät II, Martin-Luther-Universität Halle-Wittenberg, 06099 Halle/Saale, Germany

Pharmaceuticals are polymorphic materials existing in different crystalline forms like many other small molecules. Selection of a partic-

ular crystalline form and stabilization of amorphous pharmaceuticals are important issues for specific drug applications. DSC and X-ray scattering methods are used to study the crystallization behavior of acetaminophen used as model drug in nanoporous glasses with well defined pore diameters in the range 4-100nm. We will show that nanoconfinement is a strategy to produce the metastable form III of acetaminophen, which is usually inaccessible in bulk samples. Thermodynamic quantities like melting temperature and heat of melting of form III are reported for the first time [1]. We will also show that nanoconfinement can be used to increase the life time of the amorphous phase, which has better solubility and bioavailability compared to crystalline states. Thermodynamic, nucleation and kinetic effects contributing to changes in the crystallization behaviour in nanoscopic host systems will be discussed.

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**Long-ranged steric forces between poly(styrene sulfonate) covered surfaces** — ●STEPHAN BLOCK and CHRISTIANE A. HELM — Institut für Physik, Ernst-Moritz-Arndt Universität, Felix-Hausdorff-Str. 6, D-17487 Greifswald, Germany

We investigate distance dependent surface forces with Colloid Probe Technique (CPT) between poly(styrene sulfonate) (PSS) coated surfaces in salt solutions between 1 mM and 1 M, after the PSS was adsorbed from 1 M NaCl solution onto Si surfaces positively charged by silanization. A non-flat conformation is observed [1]. The theory of Alexander and de Gennes for interacting surfaces covered with neutral anchored polymers describes the long-ranged steric interaction between the PSS layers. A lack of electrostatic interaction and the scaling of the layer thickness similar to polyelectrolyte brushes suggest that the polyelectrolytes are neutralized by counterions incorporated into the layer. Investigation of asymmetric surfaces (one PSS covered surface against a silica colloidal probe or a silicon tip) supports this picture, since decay length and amplitude of the force are halved compared to the forces between two identical surfaces. After drying (0% r.h.) and reimmersion into solution the surface forces between the PSS layers are almost unchanged, suggesting strong local bonds between few monomers and the substrate. Furthermore, on increase of the PSS molecular weight (78kDa, 350kDa and 1.3MDa) the PSS layer thickness as well as the distance between adsorption points increases.

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**Lamellar phase of polyelectrolyte chains adsorbed onto oppositely charged lipid monolayers** — ●JENS-UWE GÜNTHER, HEIKO AHRENS, OLAF SOLTWEDEL, and CHRISTIANE A. HELM — Institut für Physik, Ernst-Moritz-Arndt Universität, Felix-Hausdorff-Str. 6, D-17487 Greifswald, Germany

At the air-water interface, the polyanion PSS (Poly styrene sulfonate) is adsorbed onto positively charged TAP or DODAB monolayers (1,2-Dipalmitoyl-3-Trimethylammonium-Propane, dioctadecylammonium bromide), respectively. By compressing the lipid monolayer, the surface charge is varied. In-plane order is investigated with grazing incidence X-ray diffraction, the lipid phases with fluorescence microscopy. When the alkyl chains of DODAB and TAB are ordered, an additional superstructure peak of the aligned PSS chains is observed provided the PSS concentration is 1 mM or less. For DODAB in the fluid phase, PSS in a lamellar phase with a much wider spacing is found. On decrease of the PSS concentration, the spacing of the chains is larger, since the monolayer charge is no longer compensated. The influence of the kind of counterion as well as the polymer length is less pronounced. If the PSS concentration or the ion concentration is larger than 1 mM no chain ordering is observed, suggesting that both large intra- and interchain electrostatic interactions are necessary to obtain a lamellar polyelectrolyte phase.