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Education

Degree	University	Department	Year
Doctorate	University of California, Berkeley	Chemistry	2004
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Employment History

Date	Rank & Position	Department	Institution
July 2012-present	Associate Professor	Chemistry and Chemical and Biochemical Engineering	The University of Western Ontario
Oct. 2006-June 2012	Assistant Professor	Chemistry and Chemical and Biochemical Engineering	The University of Western Ontario
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Dec. 2004-June 2006	Postdoctoral Fellow	European Institute of Chemistry and Biology (Ivan Huc Group)	University of Bordeaux, France
Aug. 2000-Nov. 2004	Graduate Student Researcher	Chemistry (Jean Frechet Group)	University of California, Berkeley
May 1999 – Aug. 1999	Research Assistant	Chemistry (Donald Weaver Group)	Queen's University

Academic Honours

Petro Canada Young Innovator Award, **2012**
Tier 2 Canada Research Chair, Government of Canada, **2011-2016**
Early Researcher Award, Government of Ontario, **2008-2013**
Tier 2 Canada Research Chair, Government of Canada, **2006-2011**
John Charles Polanyi Prize, Government of Ontario, **2006**
Marie Curie Incoming International Fellowship for Post-Doctoral Research, European Commission, **2004-2006**

Teaching Awards

University Student's Council Teaching Honour Roll 2012-2013, 2007-2008
Maurice Bourgougnou Teaching Award, Department of Chemical and Biochemical Engineering, 2010-2011

Selected Scholarly and Professional Activities

Senior Editor: Journal of Interdisciplinary Nanomedicine (Wiley, new journal launched July 2015)
Member of the Editorial Advisory Board: Polymer International (Wiley) (2013 -)
Member of the Canadian Cancer Society Innovation Awards Review Panel (2014 - 2015)
Member of the Early Research Award panel for Advanced Materials and Manufacturing (2012, 2014, 2015)
Treasurer of the Macromolecular Science and Engineering Division of the Chemical Institute of Canada (2014 -)

CONTRIBUTIONS TO RESEARCH

Bold = graduate student authors whom I supervised

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Italics = postdoctoral fellows whom I supervised

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Book chapters:

3. **Fan, B.**; Gillies, E. R.* "Self-immolative Polymers." in the *Encyclopedia of Polymer Science and Technology*, Wiley, **2015**, 1-35. DOI: 10.1002/0471440264.pst610.
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Patent applications:

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3. Ragogna, P. J.; **Guterman, R.**; Gillies, E. R.; Corkery, C.; Berven, B. M. " Polyelectrolyte polymers, their manufacture and use" PCT Int. Appl. (2014), PCT/CA2014/050193.
2. Gillies, E. R.; *Bonduelle, C. V.*; **Karamdoust, S. K.**; Stojcevic, G.; Ferrari, L. P.; Adkinson, D. K.; "Methods for Preparation of Functionalized Copolymers and Graft Copolymers" PCT Int. Appl. (2012), WO 2012019302 A1 20120216.
1. Stojcevic, G.; Arsenault, G.; Gillies, E. R.; *Bonduelle, C. V.*; **McEachran, M. J.**; "Functionalized Copolymers of Isoolefins and Diolefins and Their Use as Compatibilizers for Coatings." PCT Int. Appl. (2012), WO 2012019303 A1 20120216.

Papers in refereed journals:

84. Tabatabaei, M.; Wallace, G. Q.; Caetano, F. A.; Gillies, E. R.; Ferguson, S. S. G.; Lagugne-Labarthe, F.* "Controlled positioning of analytes and cells on a plasmonic platform for glycan sensing applications using surface enhanced Raman spectroscopy." *Chem. Sci.* under revision.
83. **Hemery, G.**; Garanger, E.; Lecommandoux, S.; **Wong, A. D.**; Gillies, E. R.; Pedrono, B.; Bayle, T.; Jacob, D.; Sandre, O.* "Polymer-grafted iron oxide nanoparticles as thermosensitive MRI contrast agents and magnetic nano-heaters." *J. Phys. D: Appl. Phys.* Revision submitted.
82. Trant, J. F.; **Sran, I.**; de Bruyn, J. R.; Ingratta, M.; Borecki, A., Gillies, E. R.* Synthesis and properties of arborescent polyisobutylene derivatives and a paclitaxel conjugate: Towards stent coatings with prolonged drug release." *Eur. Polym. J.* in press
81. Kenaree, A. R.; **Cuthbert, T. J.**; Barbon, S. M.; Boyle, P. D.; Gillies, E. R.; Ragogna, P. J.; Gilroy, J. B.*. Synthesis and characterization of a family of air-stable ferrocene- and ruthenium-containing primary, secondary, and tertiary phosphines. *Organometallics.* in press.
80. **Peyret, A.**; Trant, J. F.; Bonduelle, C. V.; Ferji, K.; **Jain, N.**; Lecommandoux, S.*; Gillies, E. R.* "Synthetic glycopolypeptides: Synthesis and self-assembly of poly(γ -benzyl-L-glutamate)-glycosylated dendron hybrids." *Polym. Chem.*, online DOI: 10.1039/C5PY01060H
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78. **Moustafa, A.**; Abd Rabo Moustafa, M. M.; **Zilinskas, G. J.**; Gillies, E. R.* "Covalent drug immobilization in poly(ester amide) nanoparticles for controlled release." *Can. J. Chem. Eng.*, **2015**, in press (invited for a special issue on Nanotechnology).
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74. **Guterman, R.**; Gillies, E. R.; Ragogna, P. J.* "The Formation of gold nanoparticles in photopolymerized networks." *Can. J. Chem.* in press.
73. **Salem, M.**; Xia, Y.; Allan, A.; Rohani, S.; Gillies, E. R.* "Curcumin-loaded, folic acid-functionalized magnetite particles for targeted drug delivery." *RSC Adv.*, **2015**, *5*, 37521-37532.
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67. **Wong, A. D.**; **Gungor, T. M.**; Gillies, E. R.* "Multi-responsive Azobenzene End-cap for Self-immolative Polymers." *ACS Macro Lett.* **2014**, *3*, 1191-1195.

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53. **Abd Rabo Moustafa, M. M.**; Gillies, E. R.* "Rubber Functionalization by Diels-Alder Chemistry: From Cross-linking to Multifunctional Graft Copolymer Synthesis." *Macromolecules*, **2013**, *46*, 6024-6030.
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49. **Nazemi, A.**; Gillies, E. R.* "Dendritic Surface Functionalization of Nanomaterials: Controlling Properties and Functions for Biomedical Applications." *Braz. J. Pharm. Sci.*, **2013**, *49*, 15-32. (invited for a special issue on a Dendrimer symposium hosted in Sao Paulo)
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44. **Soleimani, A.**; Martinez, F.; Economopoulos, V.; Foster, P. J.; Scholl, T. J.; Gillies, E. R.* "Polymer Cross-linking: A Nanogel Approach to Enhancing the Relaxivity of MRI Contrast Agents." *J. Mater. Chem. B*, **2013**, *1*, 1027-1034.
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Invited presentations:

42. Université de Montreal, Montreal, Canada, Sept. 23, **2015**.
41. Royal Institute of Technology (KTH), Sweden, May 28, **2015**.
40. Department of Chemistry, University of Toronto, Aug. 28, **2014**.
39. 36th High Polymer Forum, Gananoque, Ontario, Aug. 4-7, **2014**.
38. Bogazici University, Istanbul, Turkey, Department of Chemistry, June 3, **2014**.
37. Brockhouse Institute for Materials Research, McMaster University, March 10, **2014**.
36. Ryerson University, Department of Chemistry, March 7, **2014**.
35. CROPS, Aix-Marseille Universite, Feb. 7, **2014**.
34. CINAM, Aix-Marseille Universite, Feb. 6, **2014**
33. Laboratory of Organic Polymer Chemistry, Universite Bordeaux, ENSCBP, July 18, **2013**.
32. 8th International Dendrimer Symposium, Madrid, Spain, June 23-27, **2013**.
31. Dalhousie University, Department of Chemistry, June 7, **2013**.
30. 96th Canadian Chemistry Conference and Exhibition, Quebec City, Canada, May 26-30, **2013**.
29. 245th ACS National Meeting and Exposition, New Orleans, USA, April 7-11, **2013**.
28. Dendrimers in the Context of Nanotechnology Symposium, Sao Paulo, Brazil, Oct. 1-3, **2012**.
27. Carleton University, Ottawa, Ontario, Sept. 13, **2012**.
26. Canadian Society for Chemistry Annual Meeting, Calgary, Canada, May 26-30, **2012**.
25. *Canadian Materials Science Conference*, London, Canada, June 5-8, **2012**.
24. *Center for Advanced Materials and Biomaterials Research*, London, Canada, March 30, **2012**.
23. *International Conference on Polymers and Advanced Materials*, Huatulco, Mexico, October 16-21, **2011**.
22. *Molecular Function and Imaging Symposium*, Ottawa, Canada, June 23-24, **2011**.
21. *7th International Dendrimer Symposium*, Gaithersburg, Maryland, USA, June 24-July 1, **2011**.
20. *McMaster University, Department of Chemical Engineering*, Hamilton, Canada, November 4, **2010**.
19. *Regroupement Québécois sur les Matériaux de Pointe (RQEMP)*, Orford, Canada, August 25-27, **2010**.
18. *International Workshop on Polymer Science - Novel Processes, Materials and Structures*, London, Canada, Aug. 5, **2010**.
17. *2nd Sino-Canadian Scientific Exchange on Advanced Materials*, Souzhou, China, May 15-20, **2010**.
16. *Queen's University, Chemistry Department*, Kingston, Canada, Mar. 5, **2010**.
15. *WORLDDiscoveries Research Showcase (UWO)*, London, Canada, Feb. 5, **2010**.
14. *Xerox Research Centre Canada*, Mississauga, Canada, Jan. 29, **2010**.
13. *2nd Annual LANXESS Research Symposium*, Sarnia, Canada, Dec. 5, **2008**.
12. *University of Windsor*, Windsor, Canada. Oct. 31, **2008**.
11. *Lawson Research Institute*, London, Canada. Oct. 21, **2008**.

10. *Brock University*, St. Catherines, Canada. Oct. 3, **2008**.
9. *The 4th Stimuli Responsive Polymers and Materials (STIPOMAT) Conference*, Lacanau, France, Sept. 21-24, **2008**.
8. *The 91st Conference of the Canadian Society for Chemistry*, Edmonton, Canada. May 24-28, **2008**.
7. *The 91st Conference of the Canadian Society for Chemistry*, Edmonton, Canada. May 24-28, **2008**.
6. *Wilfred Laurier University*, Waterloo, Canada, April 2, **2008**.
5. *University of Guelph, Soft Matters Seminar Series*, Guelph, Canada, January 24, **2008**.
4. *London Preclinical Cancer Magnetic Resonance Imaging Workshop*, London, Canada, November 20, **2007**.
3. *LANXESS*, Sarnia, Canada, November 13, **2007**.
2. *Western Institute for Nanomaterials Science Workshop*, London, Canada, May 14, **2007**.
1. Keynote Speaker - *Emerging Materials Knowledge Meeting on Biomaterials and Nanotechnology Research*, Laurentian University, Sudbury, Canada, March 9, **2007**.