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CURSUS

From 2002 PROFESSOR in Material Chemistry
Université de Haute Alsace, IUT de Mulhouse

2001 HABILITATION A DIRIGER DES RECHERCHES
Université de Haute Alsace, Mulhouse

1993 ASSISTANT PROFESSOR in Material Chemistry
Université de Haute Alsace, Mulhouse

1992 PHD in Physical Chemistry ,
Université de Haute Alsace, Mulhouse

1989 Engineer in Chemistry, Lyon – Master Degree in Macromolecular and
Composites Materials, Lyon

RESEARCH ACTIVITIES

Physico-chemical properties of polymers: thermal (crystallinity, relaxations) and rheological behaviors

Surface and interface properties : wetting, interfacial tension, adhesion, friction

Author of 70 publications in journals and books, 128 publications in proceedings and 56 oral communications

RELEVANT PUBLICATIONS

A. Galliano, **S. Bistac**, J. Schultz, Adhesion and friction of PDMS networks : molecular weight effect, Journal of Colloid and Interface Science, 265, 372-379 (2003)

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K. Jradi, **S. Bistac**, M. Schmitt, G. Reiter, Oriented crystallisation of isotactic polystyrene in films prepared by friction transfer, Polymer 50, 3724-3729 (2009)

G. Reiter, C. Vasilev, K. Jradi, **S. Bistac**, M. Schmitt, Structuring the surface of crystallizable polymers with an AFM tip, “Scanning Probe Microscopy in Nanoscience and Nanotechnology - Nanoscience and Nanotechnology Series” Springer, Chapter 24,833-866 (2010)