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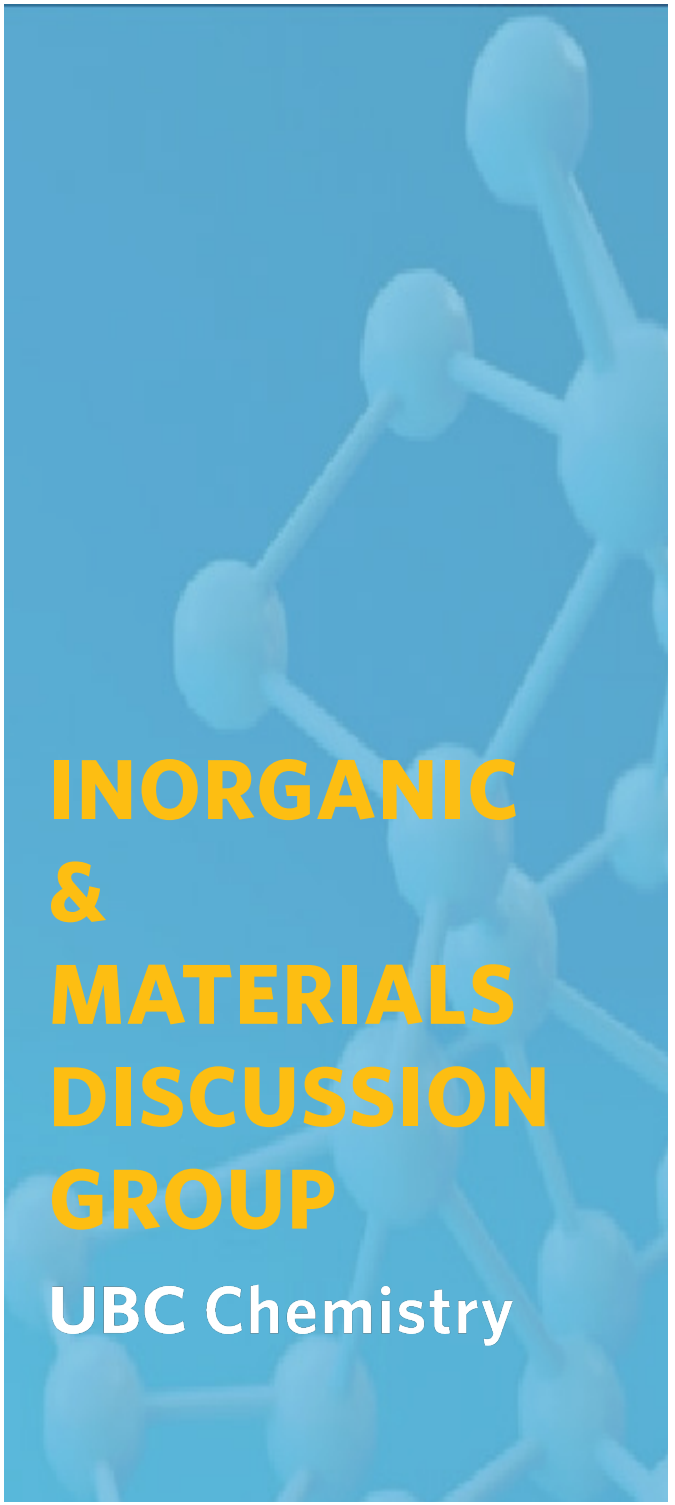

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Vanadium for Olefin Metathesis

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Moving Beyond the Metal: Using Secondary Acidic Sites to Facilitate Reduction of Inert

Prof. Nathaniel Szymczak
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Complex Surfaces: Elucidating Novel Reactivities at Electrocatalyst Surfaces Modified with Transition Metal Complex Monolayers

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Phospha-Peterson Reactions with Esters and Thioesters: Isolation of Phosphaalkenes Bearing C-heteroatom Substituents

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Reduction of Unsaturated Carbon–Oxygen Bonds in a Palladium Membrane Reactor

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Indium-catalyzed Synthesis of Bio-based Functional Materials

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