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Project Title

Exploring protein-mineral interfaces: from single-molecule measurements to the design of biomimetic nanostructured materials

Project Description

Protein-mineral interaction is a fundamental feature of biominerization. Proteins stabilize amorphous phases, direct crystallization, inhibit pathological mineralization, etc. However, molecular mechanisms behind these effects remains poorly understood. The present project aims at exploring protein-mineral interfaces by probing single-molecule/real-time events with the aim to provide guidelines to design novel biomimetic nanostructures with tailored properties and functions.

Keywords

biomineralization, atomic force microscopy (AFM), collagen

Description of the Host Research Lab

Research at the Laboratoire de Réactivité de Surface is focused on developing and controlling the surface of inorganic materials (such as metal oxides) for applications in heterogeneous catalysis (pollution control, “green” processes, upgrading of bio-sourced molecules or pollutants) and biointerfaces (biosensors, anti-biofilm surfaces, biopiles, prebiotic chemistry).

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