# Chemical Preparations of Metal Nanoparticle-Modified Electrodes

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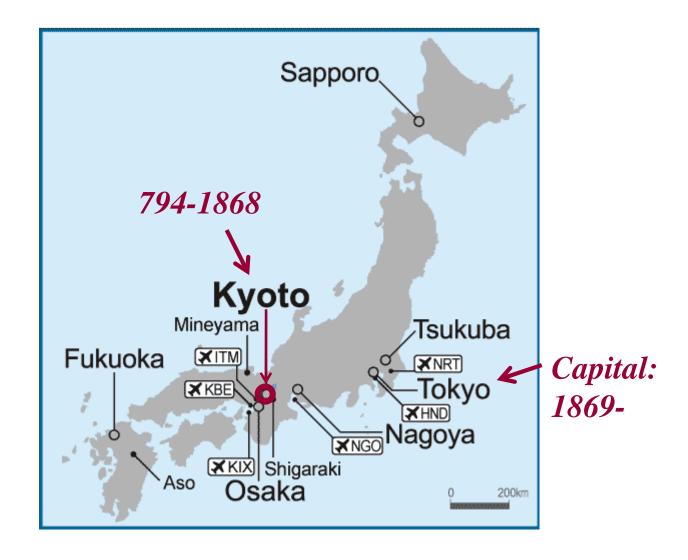
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- 7. NUS Singapore
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### My Research History

1991 Dr. Sci. Kyoto University

Research Associate Nagoya University

**Kyoto University** 

Spectroelectrochemistry in Organic Solvents

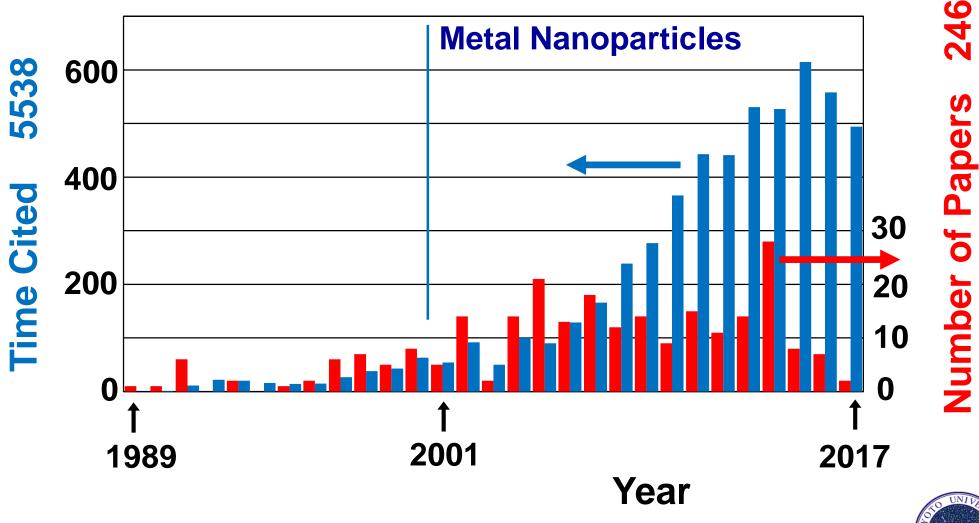
2001 Associate Professor Kyoto University

**Nanomaterials Laboratory** 

**Metal Nanoparticles Modified Electrodes** 

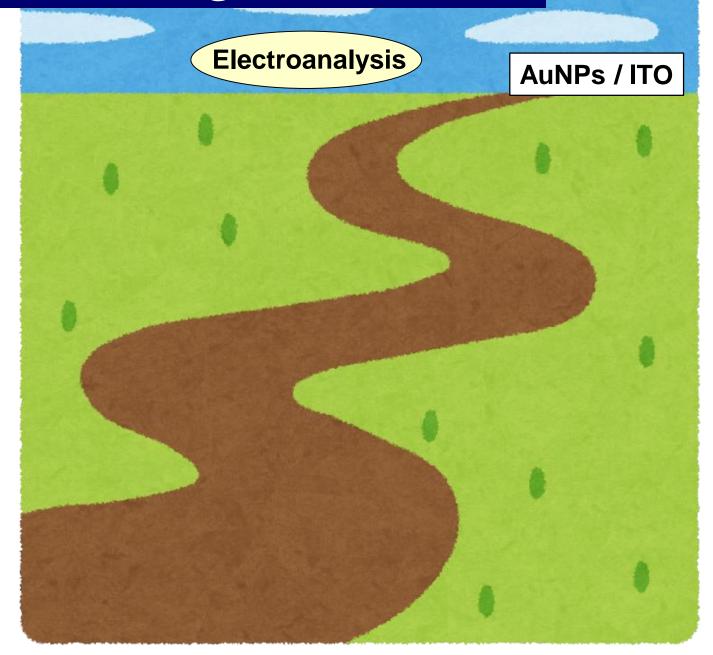


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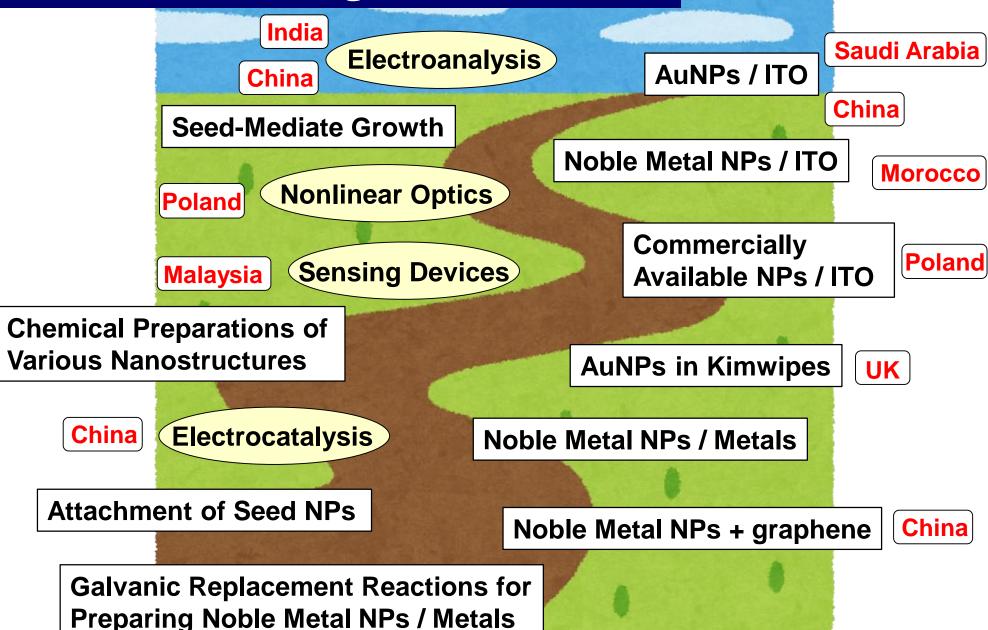


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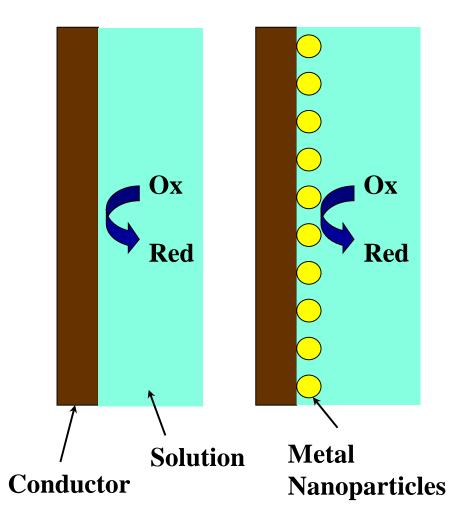
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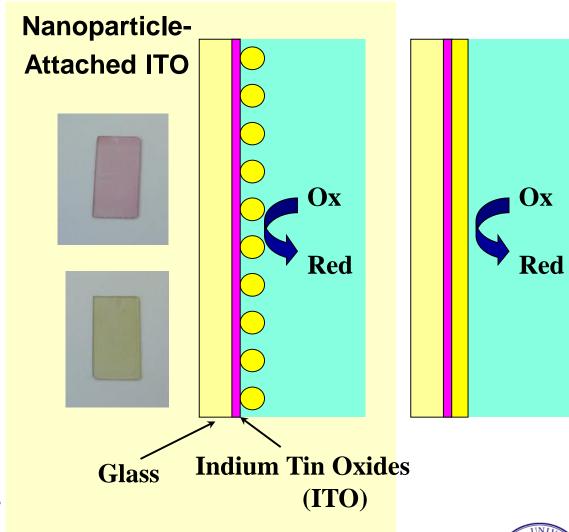


### Our Research Progress since 2001



### **Metal NPs for Electrode Materials**





### Original of Seed-Mediated Growth Method

#### **Seed Solution**

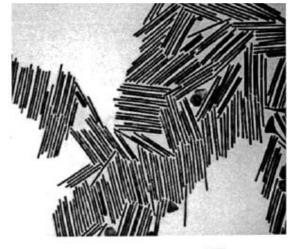
HAuCl<sub>4</sub> Sodium Citrate NaBH<sub>4</sub>



#### **Growth Solution**

Cetyltrimethylammonium bromide

HAuCl<sub>4</sub> Ascorbis Acid NaOH



100 nm

Murphy and coworkers,

J. Phys. Chem. B, 105, 4065 (2001). Adv. Mater. 15, 414 (2003).



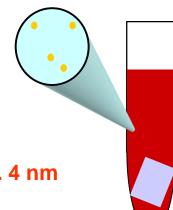
### Our Seed-Mediated Growth Method

#### **Substrate Indium Tin Oxide (ITO)**



HAuCl<sub>4</sub> Sodium Citrate NaBH<sub>4</sub>

Au nanospheres, diam. 4 nm



Attachment of Au Nano-seeds

2 hours

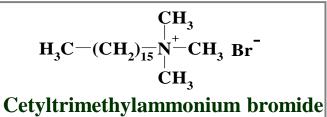
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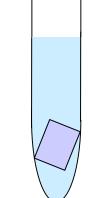
Cetyltrimethylammonium bromide

HAuCl<sub>4</sub>

Ascorbis Acid

NaOH





Two-Step Immersion

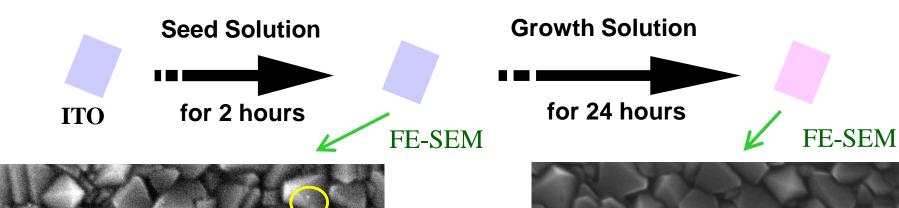
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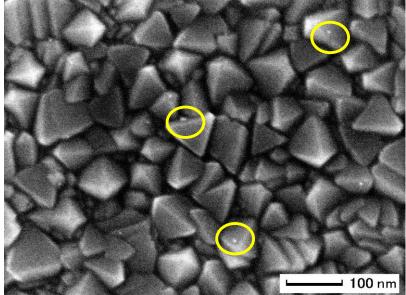
Crystal Growth
via
Chemical Reduction

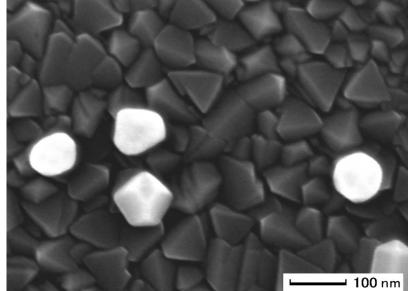
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### **Attachment and Growth of AuNPs**

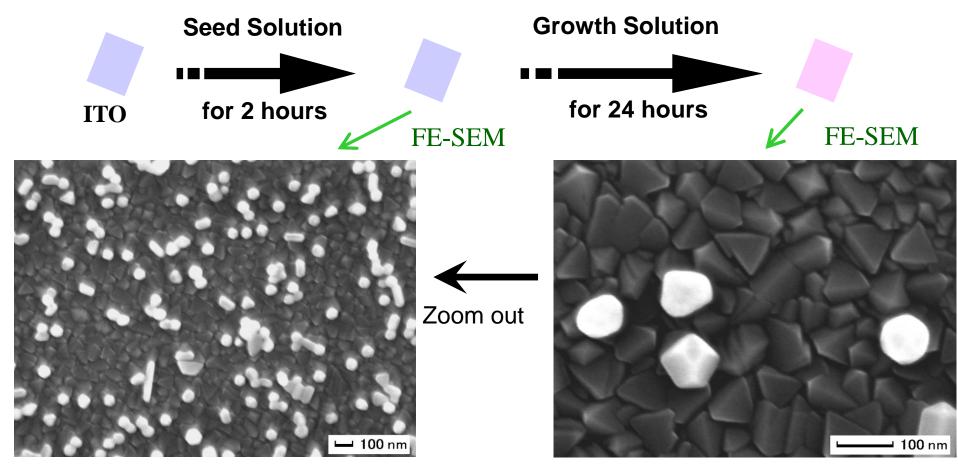






Crystal growth of 60 - 80 nm of Au Nanoparticles

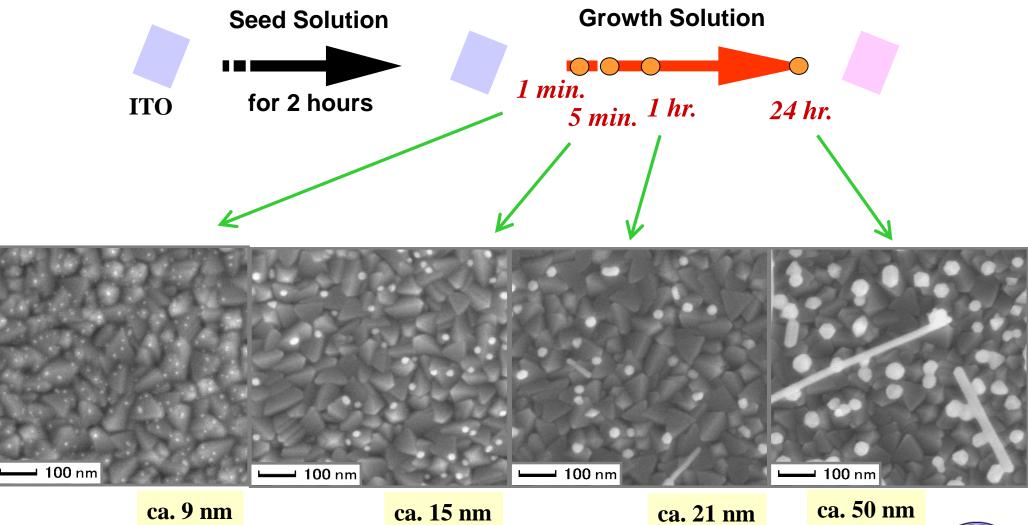
### **Attachment and Growth of AuNPs**



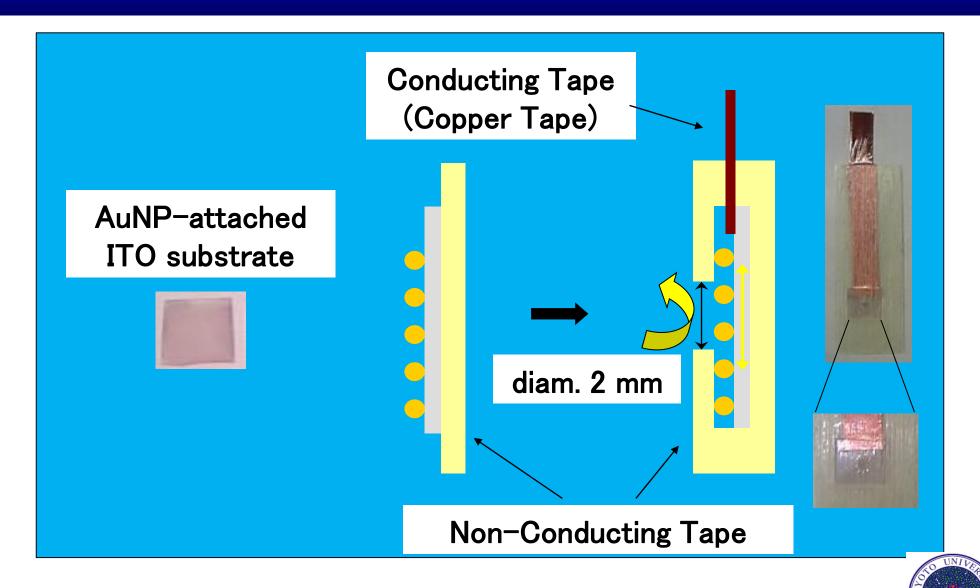
**Attachment of Dispersed Au Nanoparticles** 

Crystal growth of 60 - 80 nm of Au Nanoparticles

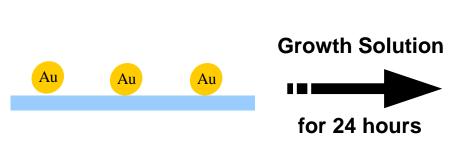
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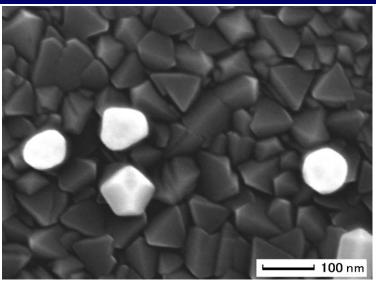


### **Fabrication of Electrodes**

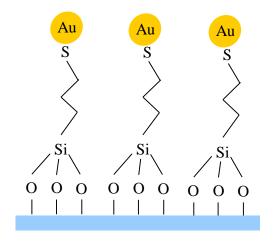


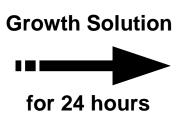
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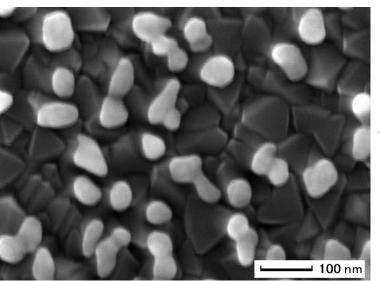




**Crystal Growth** 



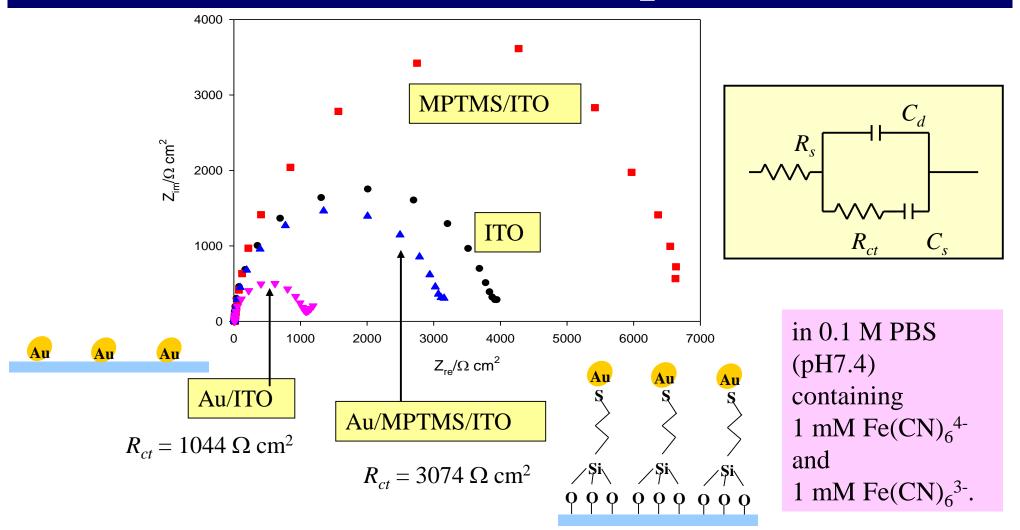




**Amorphous** 



### **Electrochemical Impedance**



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### Dr. Jingdong Zhang's Contributions



Oct. 2003 - Mar. 2005 in Kyoto

Dr. Jingdong Zhang Professor Huazhong University of Science and Technology Wuhan, China

EIS, ascorbic acid, uric acid etc.

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### **Collaboration with Professor Goyal**

Dr. Rajendra N. Goyal Professor Emeritus Indian Institute of Technology Roorkee, India.



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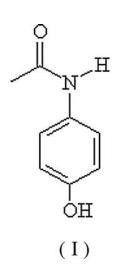
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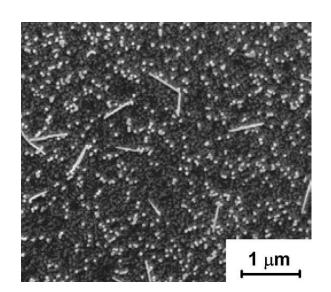
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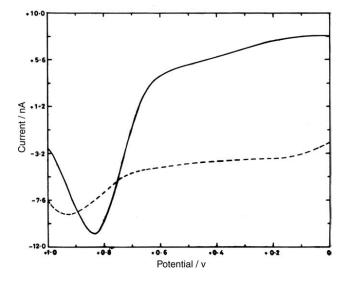


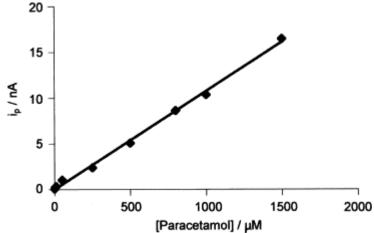
### **Collaboration with Professor Goyal**

#### paracetamol









Goyal, Gupta, Oyama, Bachheti *Electrochem. Commun.*, **7**, 803 (2005).



### Collaboration with Professor Goyal

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### Dr. Chang Gang's Contributions

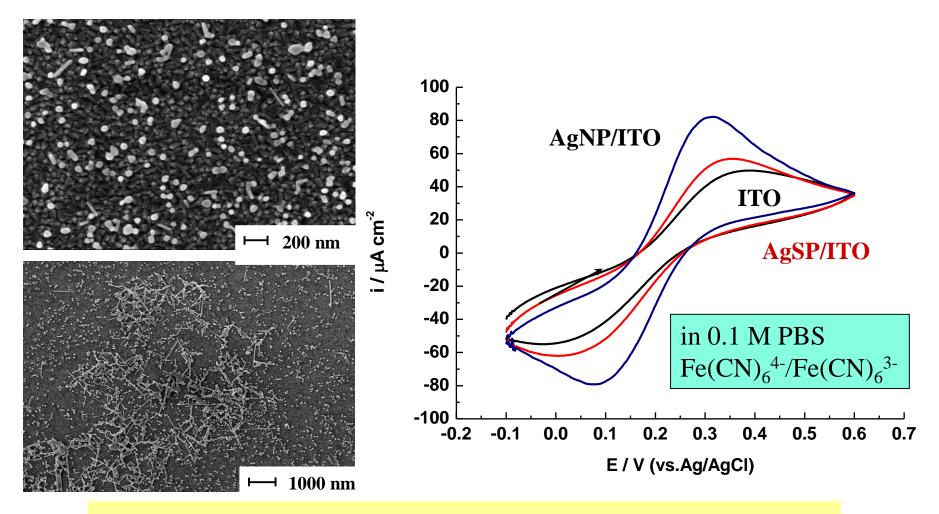
Dec. 2003 – Sep. 2006 in Kyoto

Dr. Gang Chang Professor Hubei University Wuhan, China





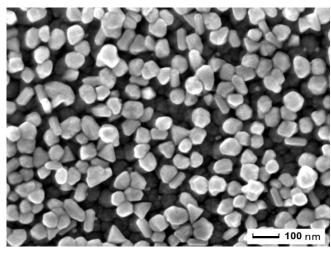
### Silver Nanoparticle-Attached ITO

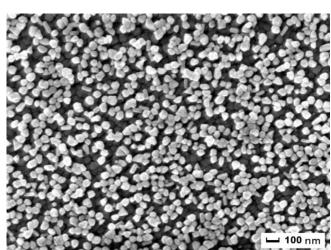


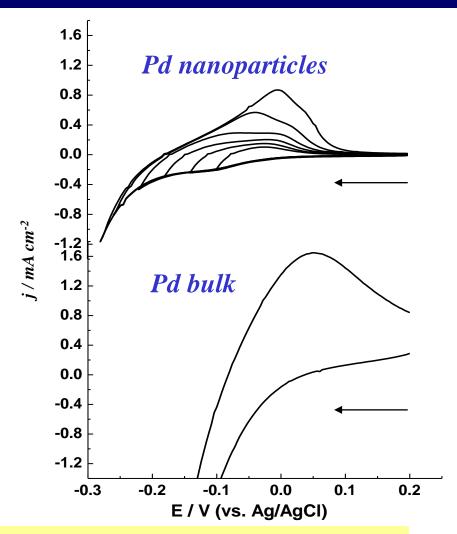
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### Palladium Nanoparticle-Attached ITO



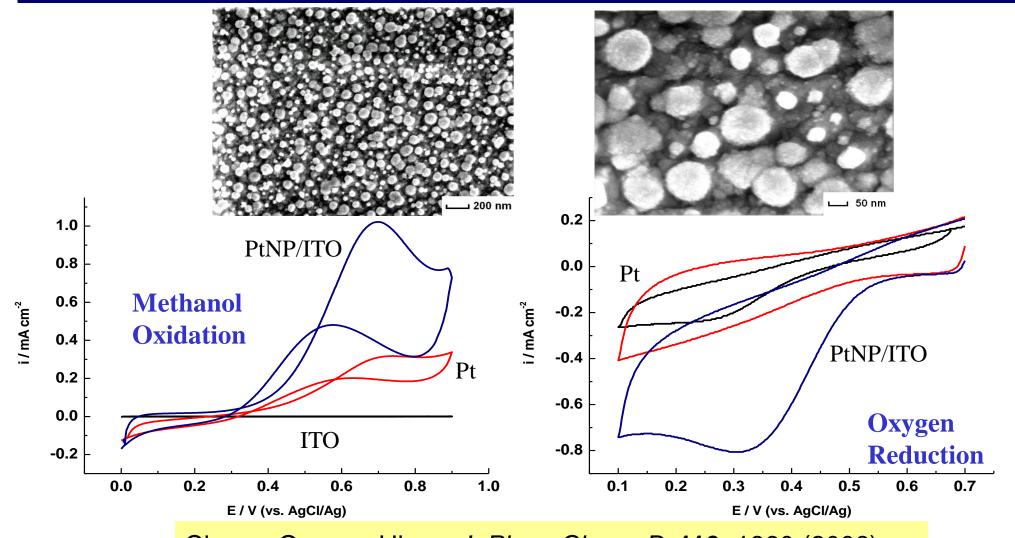




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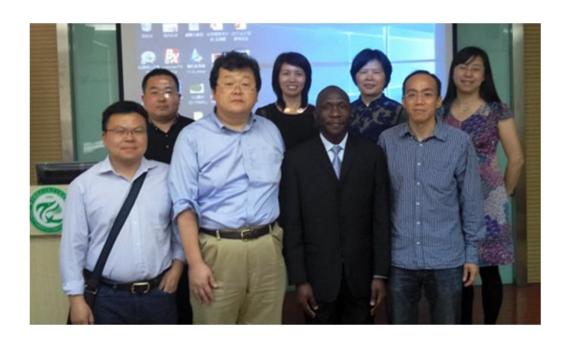
### Platinum Nanoparticle-Attached ITO



Chang, Oyama, Hirao, *J. Phys. Chem. B,* **110**, 1860 (2006).



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Hubei University, Wuhan, China

Prof. Jingdong Zhang Huazhong University of Science & Technology (HUST), Wuhan, China



### Dr. Ali Umar's Contributions



May 2004 – Mar. 2007 in Kyoto

Dr. Akrajas Ali Umar
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Institute of Micro-Engineering and
Nanoelectronics (IMEN)
Universiti Kebangsaan Malaysia (UKM)
Malaysia



### Dr. Nouneh Khalid's Contributions

Sep. 2007 – May. 2009 in Kyoto



Dr. Khalid Nouneh
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Universite Ibn Tofail
Morocco

Growth and optical features of AgNPs on ITO Journal of Alloys Compounds, **509**, 2631 (2011).

Synthesis and optical features of NiNPs on ITO Journal of Alloys Compounds, **509**, 5882 (2011).



### Dr. Md. Abdul Aziz's Contributions

Nov. 2009 – Oct. 2011 in Kyoto



Dr. Md Abdul Aziz
Research Scientist
King Faud University of
Petroleum and Minerals
Saudi Arabia

Thermal-driven attachment of AuNPs on ITO
Journal of Nanoparticle Research, **15**, 1618 (2013).

Preparation monodispersed carboxylate-functioalized AuNPs Gold Bulletin, **47**, 127 (2014).

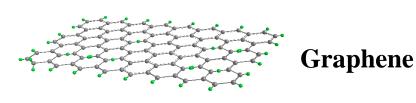


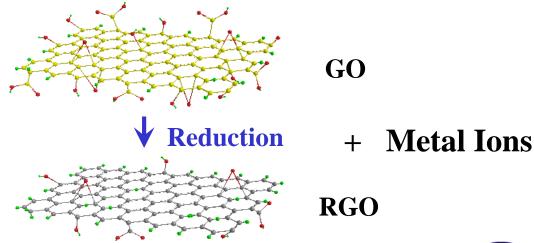
### Dr. Xiaomei Chen's Contributions

Nov. 2012 – Oct. 2014 in Kyoto



Dr. Xiaomei Chen Professor Jimei University China







### Dr. Xiaomei Chen's Contributions

#### Nov. 2012 – Oct. 2014 in Kyoto

PdNPs+GO, H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> Electrochim. Acta, **97**, 398 (2013).

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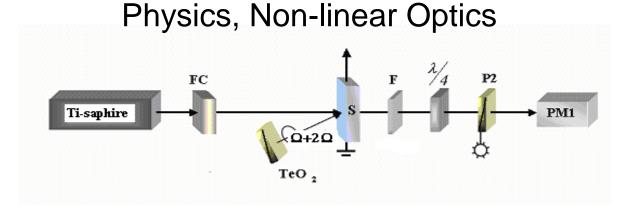
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Prof. Ivan Kityk
Czestochowa University
of Technology,
Poland







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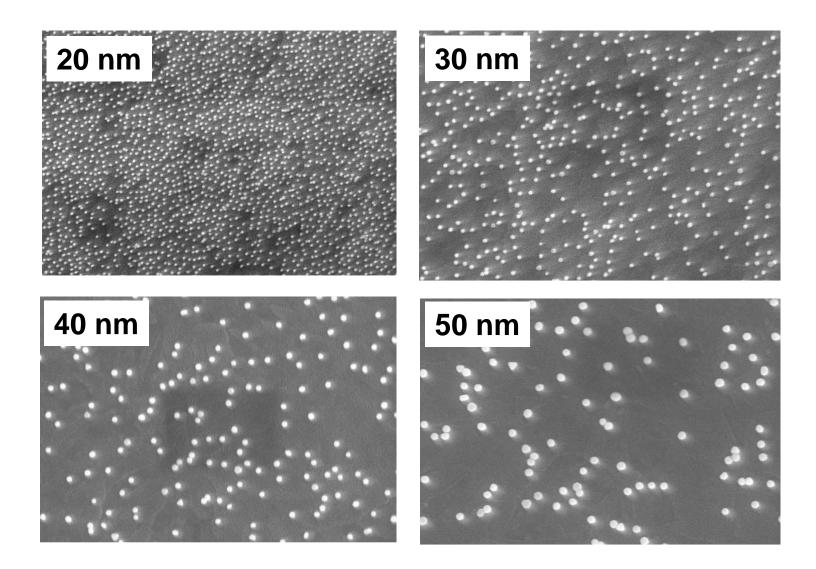
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- Pump-probe third harmonic generation of AuNPs on ITO Materials Letters, **74**, 226 (2012).
- Laser stimulated optical features of AuNPs on ITO Physica E, **44**, 1182 (2012).

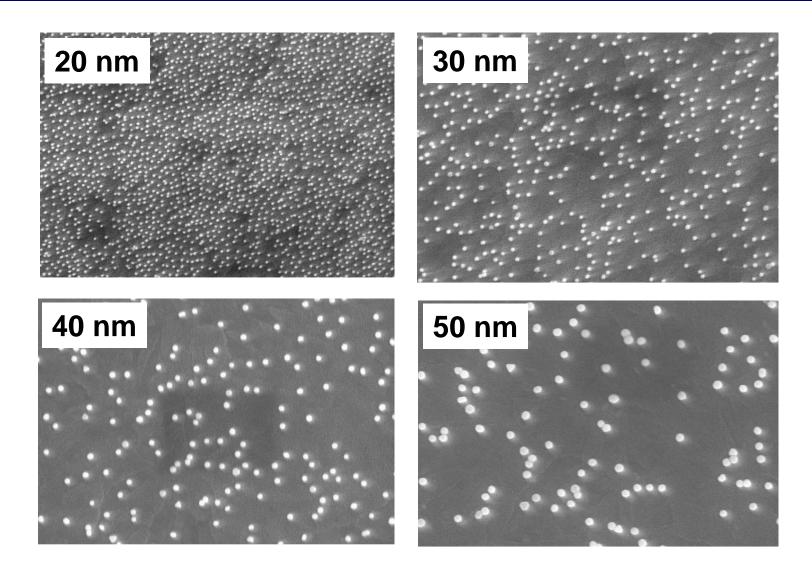


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- Second harmonic generation in LiB<sub>3</sub>O<sub>5</sub> in AgNP/ITO

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- Light reflection reduction of AgNPs attached Al-doped ZnO Physica E, **56**, 283 (2014).
- Nonlinear optical features of BiB<sub>3</sub>O<sub>6</sub>/PVA on Al-doped ZnO Physica E, **64**, 1 (2014).
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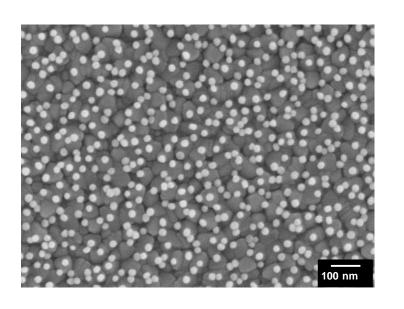


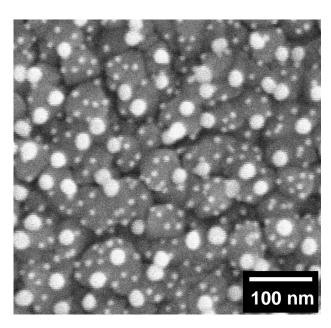
## AuNPs/ITO prepared by Dr. Aziz





5, 10, 20 nm AuNPs + APTMS + ITO



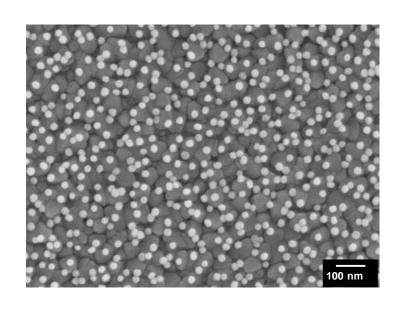


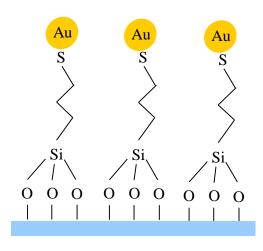
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### Failures in Modifications

Gold nanoparticles (AuNPs)

on indium doped tin oxides (ITO)



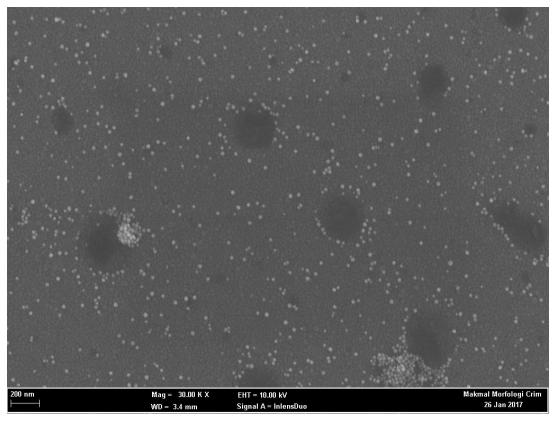
## Progress since Oct. 2016

#### Failure of the preparations

Lower density attachment

Strange islands of linker molecules

**Gathering** 





## Progress since Oct. 2016

Jan. 2017 - Jun. 2017

As struggles of trials, the effects of the kinds of ITO substrates and the concentrations of linker molecules, APTMS.

Jul. 2017

As a final trial, we tried to change the source of AuNPs.



#### **Gold Colloid Solutions**

Previous Sigma

tannic acid capped (5, 10, 20 nm)

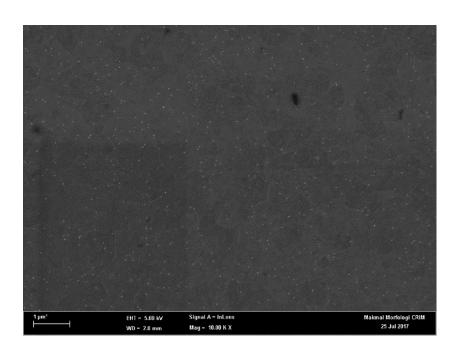
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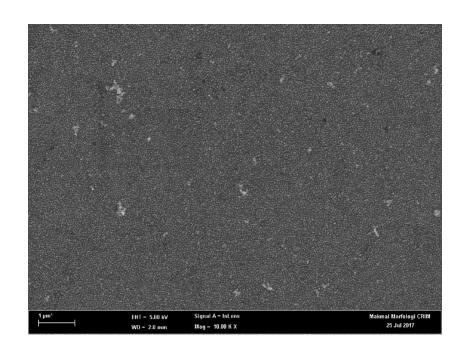
stabilized suspension in citrate buffer (5, 10, 15, 20, 30, 40, 50, 60, 80, 100 nm)

stabilized suspension in 0.1 mM PBS, reactant free (5, 10, 15, 20, 30, 40, 50, 60, 80, 100, 150, 200, 250, 300, 400 nm)



#### Jul. 2017



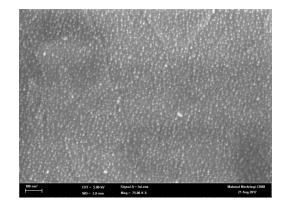


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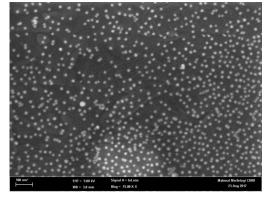
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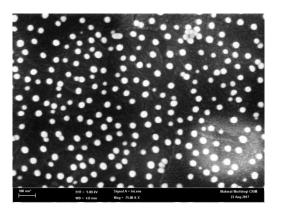
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20 nm

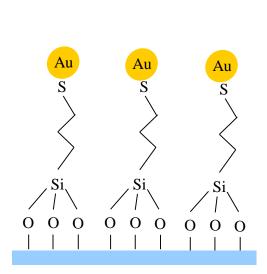




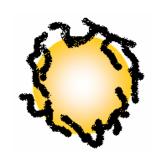
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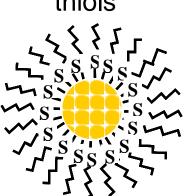
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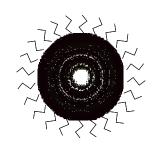




thiols



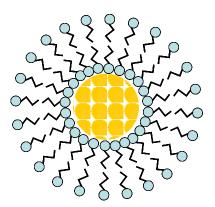
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#### citrate ions

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surfactants

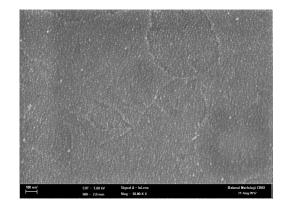


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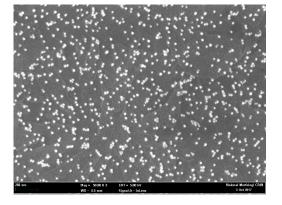
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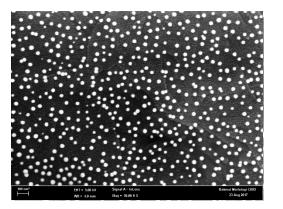
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**20** nm



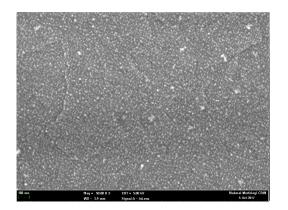


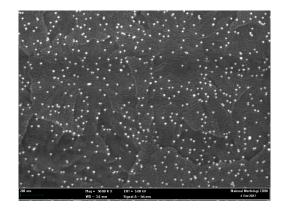
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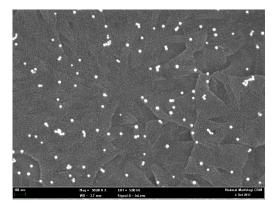
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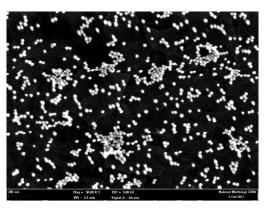




15 nm

20 nm





30 nm



## **Preparations for Professor Kityk**

Various sized gold nanoparticles (AuNPs)

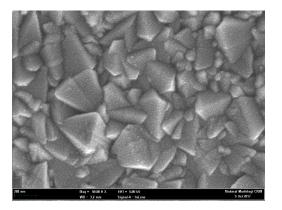
on fluorine doped tin oxides (FTO)



Sigma-Aldrich

Oct. 2017 2% APTMS

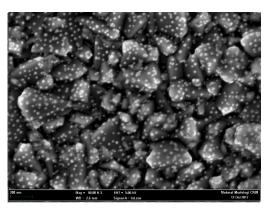
10 nm

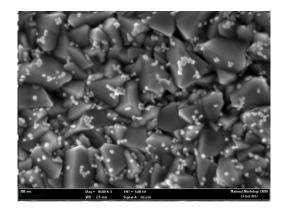


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15 nm

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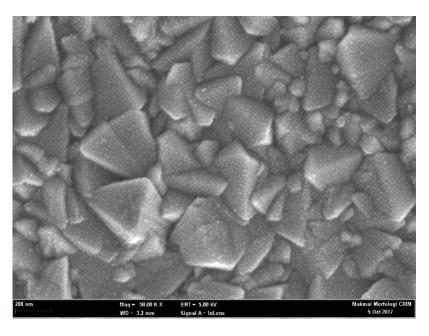


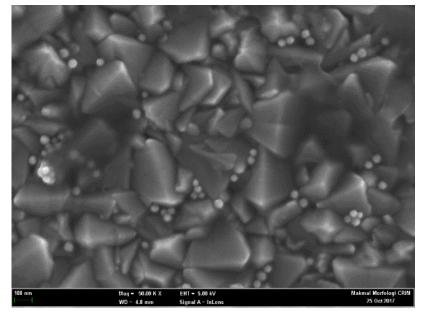
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Sigma-Aldrich

Oct. 2017 2% APTMS





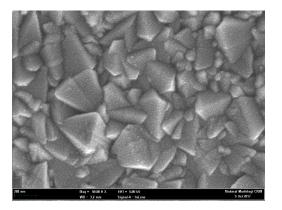
10 nm 50 nm



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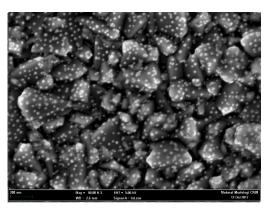
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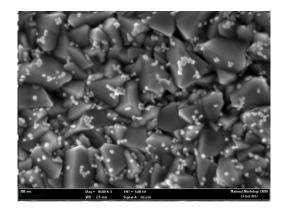


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15 nm

20 nm





30 nm



### **Preparations for Professor Laskowski**

Silver nanoparticles (AgNPs)

on fluorine doped tin oxides (FTO)



#### **Silver Colloid Solutions**

Sigma-Aldrich (now Merch), but actually nanoComposix (USA)

0.02 mg/mL in aqueous buffer, contains sodium citrate as stabilizer (10, 20, 40, 60, 100 nm)

**BBI** solutions (previous, BB international Ltd.)

Silver nanoparticles (20, 40, 60, 80, 100 nm)

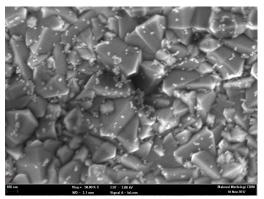
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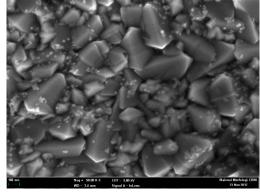


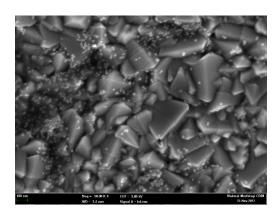
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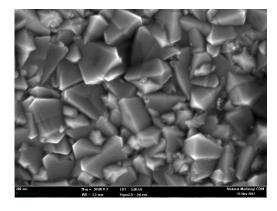
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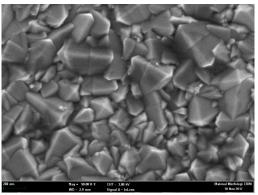


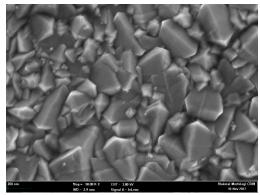




**BBI** solutions





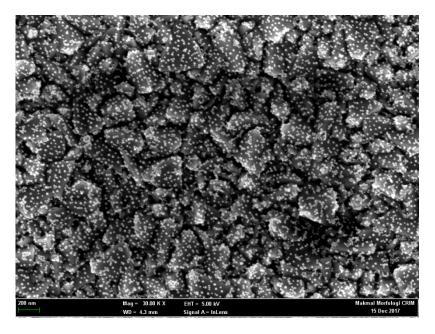


AgNPs: 20 nm

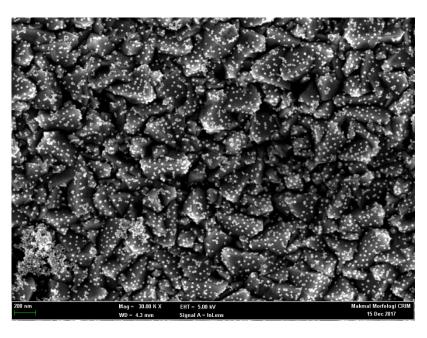


## Systematic Comparison of Modification

Dec. 2017 2% APTMS



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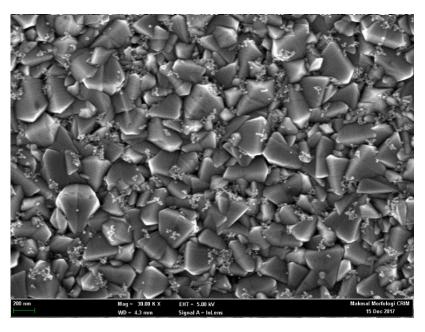


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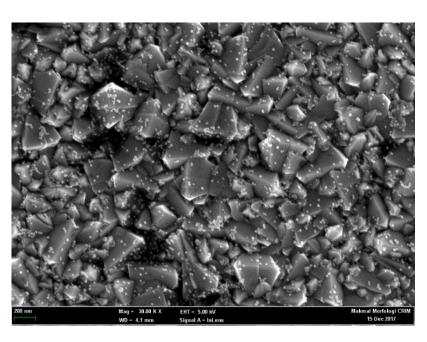


## Systematic Comparison of Modification

Dec. 2017 2% APTMS



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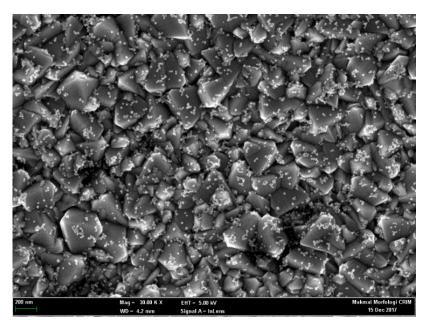


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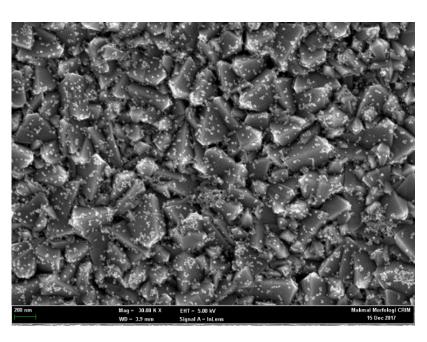
AgNPs: 20 nm, 0.02 mg/mL in buffer, contains sodium citrate as stabilizer

## Systematic Comparison of Modification

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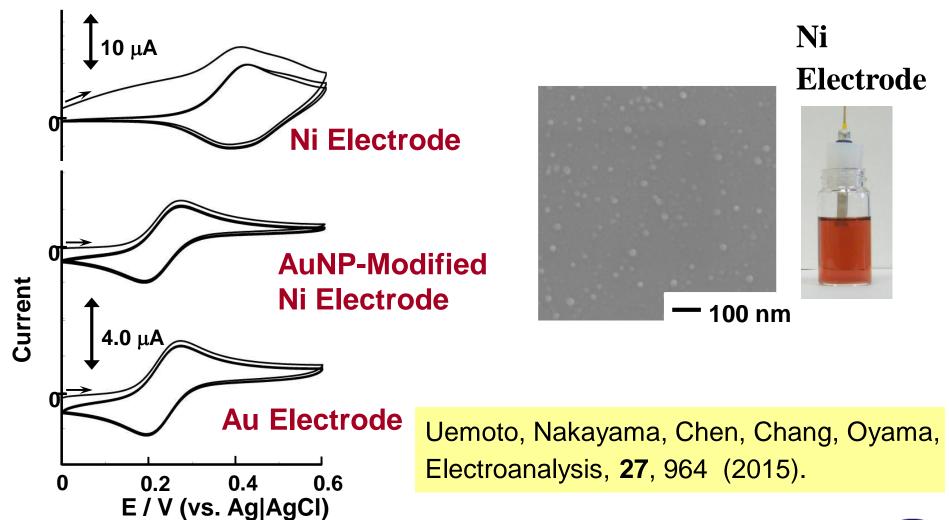
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# Recent Development of Metal Nanoparticle-Modified Electrodes



#### **AuNP-Modified Ni Electrode**





### Galvanic Replacement Reaction

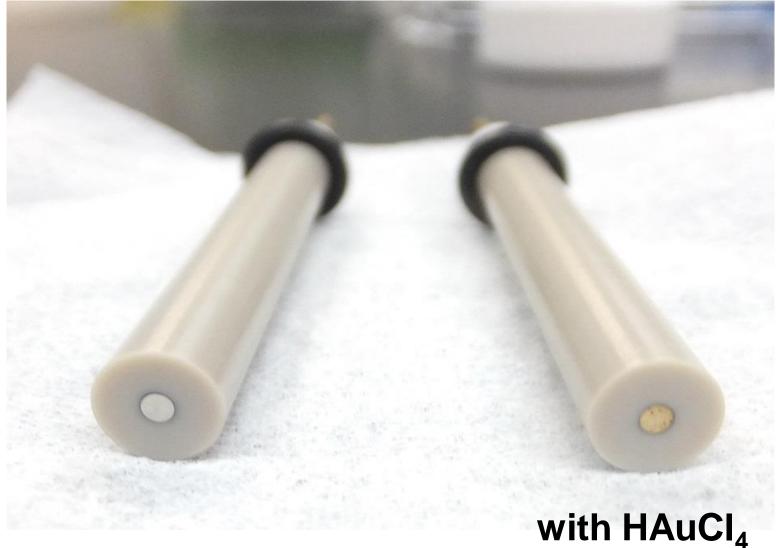
$$Ni^{2+} + 2e^{-} \rightleftharpoons Ni(s)$$
  $E^{0} = -0.24 \text{ V}$ 
 $AuCl_{2}^{-} + e^{-} \rightleftarrows Au(s) + 2Cl^{-}$   $E^{0} = 1.15 \text{ V}$ 
 $AuCl_{4}^{-} + 2e^{-} \rightleftarrows AuCl_{2}^{-} + 2Cl^{-}$   $E^{0} = 0.93 \text{ V}$ 

$$2AuCl_4^- + 3Ni(s) \rightarrow 2Au(s) + 3Ni^{2+} + 8Cl^-$$

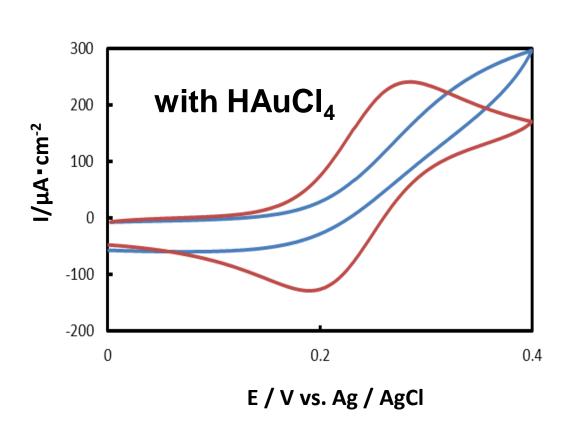
During just immersing an electrode in a solution containing only HAuCl<sub>4</sub>

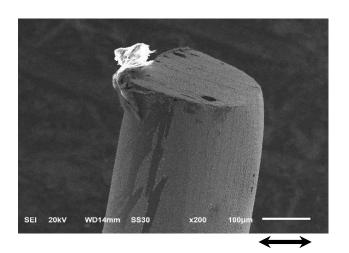


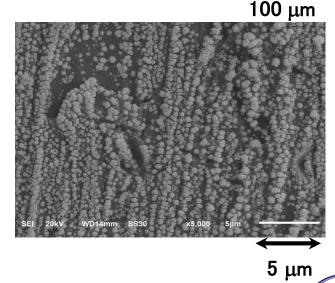
## Ni Electrode Treated with HAuCl<sub>4</sub>



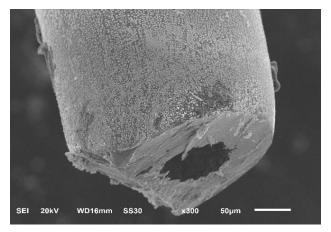


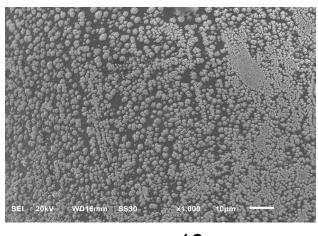


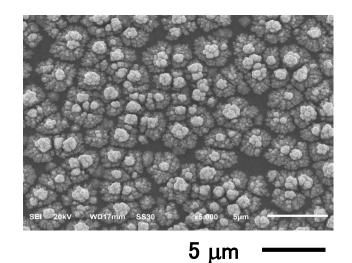




1.0 × 10<sup>-3</sup> M HAuCl<sub>4</sub> Immersion Time 1 hour





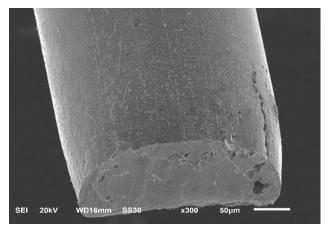


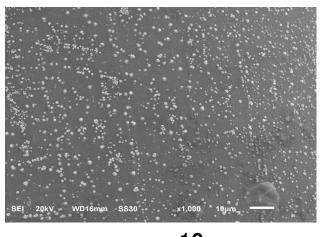
50 μm —

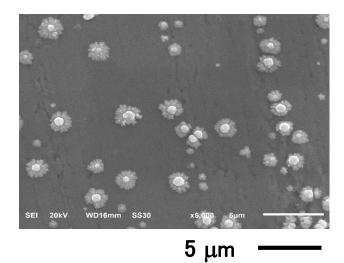
10 μm —



1.0 × 10<sup>-4</sup> M HAuCl<sub>4</sub> Immersion Time 1 hour







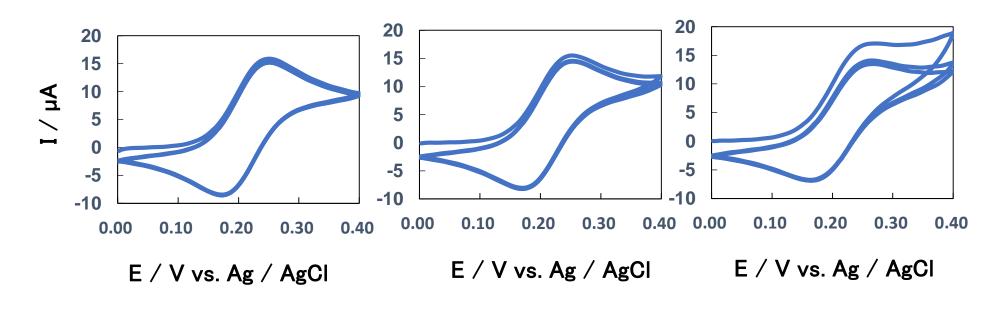
50 μm —

10 μm -

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Immersion Time: 1 hour

1.0 mM ferrocyanide



 $1.0 \times 10^{-5} \text{ M}$ 

 $1.0 \times 10^{-6} \text{ M}$ 

 $1.0 \times 10^{-7} \text{ M}$ 

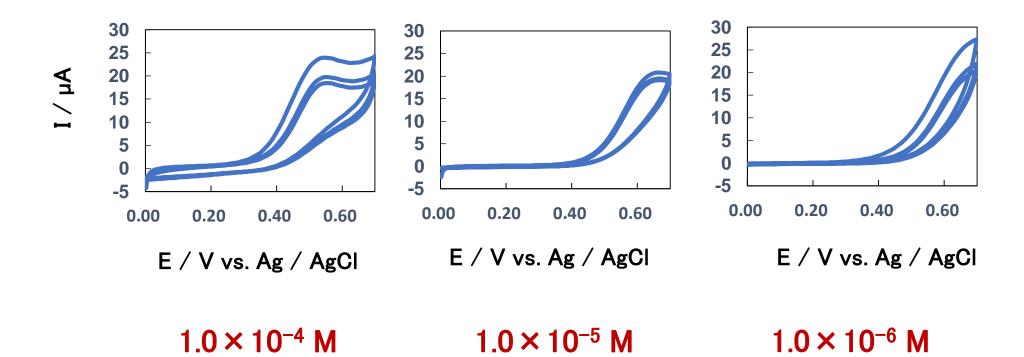




Immersion Time: 1 hour

**HAuCl**<sub>4</sub>

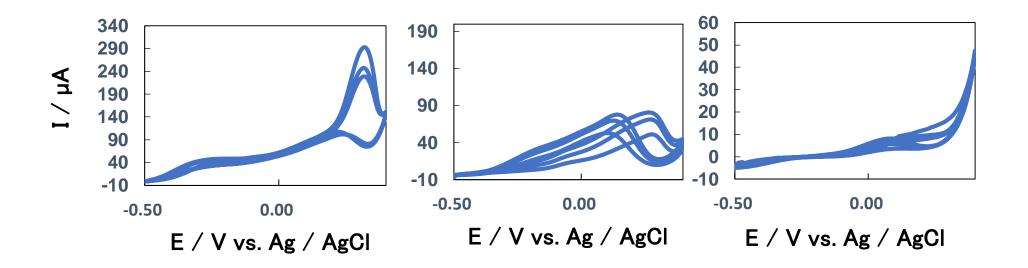
1.0 mM uric acid





**Immersion Time: 1 hour** 

10 mM glucose



HAuCl<sub>4</sub>

 $1.0 \times 10^{-4} \text{ M}$ 

 $1.0 \times 10^{-5} \text{ M}$ 

 $1.0 \times 10^{-6} \text{ M}$ 



## Summary

Wet Chemical Synthesis of Metal Nanoparticles

Potentials for Nanostructuring

and Electrochemical Applications

Easy Synthesis in Aqueous Solution

at Room Temperature

At moment, we would like to focus the modification of noble metal nanoparticles on Ni or Ti electrodes

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