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## List of Publications by Year in descending order

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1	Oxygen and hydrogen evolution reactions on Ru, RuO <sub>2</sub> , Ir, and IrO <sub>2</sub> thin film electrodes in acidic and alkaline electrolytes: A comparative study on activity and stability. <i>Catalysis Today</i> , 2016, 262, 170-180.	4.4	999
2	Identification of Quaternary Shape Memory Alloys with Near-Zero Thermal Hysteresis and Unprecedented Functional Stability. <i>Advanced Functional Materials</i> , 2010, 20, 1917-1923.	14.9	304
3	Discovery of a Multinary Noble Metal-Free Oxygen Reduction Catalyst. <i>Advanced Energy Materials</i> , 2018, 8, 1802269.	19.5	227
4	Toward a Paradigm Shift in Electrocatalysis Using Complex Solid Solution Nanoparticles. <i>ACS Energy Letters</i> , 2019, 4, 1206-1214.	17.4	140
5	Development of multifunctional thin films using high-throughput experimentation methods. <i>International Journal of Materials Research</i> , 2008, 99, 1144-1149.	0.3	116
6	Mechanical and tribological performance of MoS <sub>2</sub> co-sputtered composites. <i>Surface and Coatings Technology</i> , 2000, 126, 15-24.	4.8	115
7	Complex Solid-Solution Electrocatalyst Discovery by Computational Prediction and High-Throughput Experimentation**. <i>Angewandte Chemie - International Edition</i> , 2021, 60, 6932-6937.	13.8	86
8	Combinatorial metallurgical synthesis and processing of high-entropy alloys. <i>Journal of Materials Research</i> , 2018, 33, 3156-3169.	2.6	83
9	Enhanced photoelectrochemical properties of WO <sub>3</sub> thin films fabricated by reactive magnetron sputtering. <i>International Journal of Hydrogen Energy</i> , 2011, 36, 4724-4731.	7.1	82
10	On the Origin of the Improved Ruthenium Stability in RuO <sub>2</sub> -IrO <sub>2</sub> Mixed Oxides. <i>Journal of the Electrochemical Society</i> , 2016, 163, F3099-F3104.	2.9	82
11	Design of Complex Solid-Solution Electrocatalysts by Correlating Configuration, Adsorption Energy Distribution Patterns, and Activity Curves. <i>Angewandte Chemie - International Edition</i> , 2020, 59, 5844-5850.	13.8	81
12	Structural, morphological, chemical and tribological investigations of sputter deposited MoS <sub>x</sub> /metal multilayer coatings. <i>Surface and Coatings Technology</i> , 1998, 108-109, 340-344.	4.8	74
13	Accelerated atomic-scale exploration of phase evolution in compositionally complex materials. <i>Materials Horizons</i> , 2018, 5, 86-92.	12.2	72
14	Morphology and tribological properties of metal (oxide)-MoS <sub>2</sub> nanostructured multilayer coatings. <i>Surface and Coatings Technology</i> , 1998, 105, 175-183.	4.8	71
15	Bayesian Optimization of High-Entropy Alloy Compositions for Electrocatalytic Oxygen Reduction**. <i>Angewandte Chemie - International Edition</i> , 2021, 60, 24144-24152.	13.8	61
16	Combinatorial fabrication and high-throughput characterization of a Ti-Ni-Cu shape memory thin film composition spread. <i>Materials Science &amp; Engineering A: Structural Materials: Properties, Microstructure and Processing</i> , 2008, 481-482, 151-155.	5.6	60
17	Use of nanoscaled multilayer and compound films to realize a soft lubrication phase within a hard, wear-resistant matrix. <i>Surface and Coatings Technology</i> , 2000, 126, 159-165.	4.8	52
18	Phase transformation, structural and functional fatigue properties of Ti-Ni-Hf shape memory thin films. <i>Acta Materialia</i> , 2011, 59, 3267-3275.	7.9	52

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19	A combinatorial passivation study of Ta–Ti alloys. <i>Corrosion Science</i> , 2009, 51, 1519-1527.	6.6	50
20	In-process structuring of CrN coatings, and its influence on friction in dry and lubricated sliding. <i>Wear</i> , 2003, 254, 1099-1105.	3.1	49
21	Combinatorial study of phase transformation characteristics of a Ti–Ni–Pd shape memory thin film composition spread in view of microactuator applications. <i>Applied Surface Science</i> , 2007, 254, 743-748.	6.1	45
22	High-throughput characterization of hydrogen storage materials using thin films on micromachined Si substrates. <i>Journal of Alloys and Compounds</i> , 2007, 446-447, 516-521.	5.5	42
23	Layered WO <sub>3</sub> /TiO <sub>2</sub> nanostructures with enhanced photocurrent densities. <i>International Journal of Hydrogen Energy</i> , 2013, 38, 15954-15964.	7.1	42
24	Unravelling Composition–Activity–Stability Trends in High Entropy Alloy Electrocatalysts by Using a Data-Guided Combinatorial Synthesis Strategy and Computational Modeling. <i>Advanced Energy Materials</i> , 2022, 12, .	19.5	42
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26	High-throughput synthesis and characterization of anodic oxides on Nb–Ti alloys. <i>Electrochimica Acta</i> , 2009, 54, 5973-5980.	5.2	39
27	The ferromagnetic shape memory system Fe–Pd–Cu. <i>Acta Materialia</i> , 2010, 58, 5949-5961.	7.9	39
28	Atomic-scale investigation of fast oxidation kinetics of nanocrystalline CrMnFeCoNi thin films. <i>Journal of Alloys and Compounds</i> , 2018, 766, 1080-1085.	5.5	39
29	Thermally Oxidized Mn–Co Thin Films as Protective Coatings for SOFC Interconnects. <i>Journal of the Electrochemical Society</i> , 2009, 156, B1431.	2.9	37
30	Combinatorial investigation of Hf–Ta thin films and their anodic oxides. <i>Electrochimica Acta</i> , 2010, 55, 7884-7891.	5.2	37
31	High-throughput study of martensitic transformations in the complete Ti–Ni–Cu system. <i>Intermetallics</i> , 2012, 26, 98-109.	3.9	37
32	Potential-resolved dissolution of Pt-Cu: A thin-film material library study. <i>Electrochimica Acta</i> , 2014, 144, 332-340.	5.2	37
33	Effects of temperature on the chemistry and tribology of co-sputtered MoS <sub>x</sub> -Ti composite thin films. <i>Thin Solid Films</i> , 2005, 489, 137-144.	1.8	35
34	Investigation of thermally oxidised Mn–Co thin films for application in SOFC metallic interconnects. <i>Applied Surface Science</i> , 2008, 255, 1850-1859.	6.1	33
35	A New Prototype Two-Phase (TiNi) <sub>1-x</sub> (Ni <sub>2</sub> ) SMA System with Tailorable Thermal Hysteresis. <i>Advanced Functional Materials</i> , 2011, 21, 113-118.	14.9	30
36	Micro-hotplates for high-throughput thin film processing and in situ phase transformation characterization. <i>Sensors and Actuators A: Physical</i> , 2008, 147, 576-582.	4.1	28

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37	Investigation of hard magnetic properties in the FePt system by combinatorial deposition of thin film multilayer libraries. Applied Surface Science, 2006, 252, 2518-2523.	6.1	27
38	Zooming in Visualization of active site heterogeneity in high entropy alloy electrocatalysts using scanning electrochemical cell microscopy. Electrochemical Science Advances, 2022, 2, e2100105.	2.8	27
39	Characterisation of magnetron sputter deposited MoSx/metal multilayers. Thin Solid Films, 1999, 354, 59-65.	1.8	26
40	High-Throughput Characterization of Pt Supported on Thin Film Oxide Material Libraries Applied in the Oxygen Reduction Reaction. Analytical Chemistry, 2011, 83, 1916-1923.	6.5	26
41	Identification of optimized TiNiCu shape memory alloy compositions for high-frequency thin film microactuator applications. Smart Materials and Structures, 2010, 19, 065032.	3.5	25
42	Scanning droplet cell microscopy on a wide range hafniumniobium thin film combinatorial library. Electrochimica Acta, 2013, 110, 539-549.	5.2	25
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44	Composition-Dependent Oxygen Reduction Activity and Stability of PtCu Thin Films. ChemElectroChem, 2014, 1, 358-361.	3.4	22
45	Bayesian Optimization of High-Entropy Alloy Compositions for Electrocatalytic Oxygen Reduction**. Angewandte Chemie, 2021, 133, 24346-24354.	2.0	22
46	Properties of anodic oxides grown on a hafniumtantalumtitanium thin film library. Science and Technology of Advanced Materials, 2014, 15, 015006.	6.1	21
47	Searching novel complex solid solution electrocatalysts in unconventional element combinations. Nano Research, 2022, 15, 4780-4784.	10.4	21
48	High-throughput study of the anodic oxidation of HfTi thin films. Electrochimica Acta, 2009, 54, 5171-5178.	5.2	20
49	Using Instability of a Non-stoichiometric Mixed Oxide Oxygen Evolution Catalyst As a Tool to Improve Its Electrocatalytic Performance. Electrocatalysis, 2018, 9, 139-145.	3.0	20
50	Corrosion behaviour of MoSx-based coatings deposited onto high speed steel by magnetron sputtering. Surface and Coatings Technology, 2006, 201, 4099-4104.	4.8	19
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52	High-Throughput Compositional and Structural Evaluation of a Li <sub>a</sub> (Ni <sub>x</sub> Mn <sub>y</sub> Co <sub>z</sub> )O <sub>r</sub> Thin Film Battery Materials Library. ACS Combinatorial Science, 2013, 15, 401-409.		18
53	Microstructure and tribological performance of MoSx/Au co-sputtered composites. Journal of Vacuum Science and Technology A: Vacuum, Surfaces and Films, 2001, 19, 609-613.	2.1	15
54	Design von komplexen Mischkristallelektrokatalysatoren auf Basis der Korrelation von Konfiguration, Verteilungsmustern der Adsorptionsenergie und Aktivitätskurven. Angewandte Chemie, 2020, 132, 5893-5900.	2.0	15

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56	Correlative chemical and structural investigations of accelerated phase evolution in a nanocrystalline high entropy alloy. <i>Scripta Materialia</i> , 2020, 183, 122-126.	5.2	14
57	Nanostructured Ti-Ta thin films synthesized by combinatorial glancing angle sputter deposition. <i>Nanotechnology</i> , 2016, 27, 495604.	2.6	13
58	Structure and mechanical properties of argon assisted carbon nitride films. <i>Thin Solid Films</i> , 2001, 398-399, 124-129.	1.8	12
59	Applications of an energy-dispersive pnCCD for X-ray reflectivity: Investigation of interdiffusion in Fe-Pt multilayers. <i>Physica Status Solidi (A) Applications and Materials Science</i> , 2011, 208, 2601-2607.	1.8	12
60	Electrochemistry on binary valve metal combinatorial libraries: niobium-tantalum thin films. <i>Electrochimica Acta</i> , 2014, 140, 366-375.	5.2	12
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62	Nanocrystalline equiatomic CoCrFeNi alloy thin films: Are they single phase fcc?. <i>Surface and Coatings Technology</i> , 2021, 410, 126945.	4.8	12
63	High-throughput discovery of hydrogen evolution electrocatalysts in the complex solid solution system Co-Cr-Fe-Mo-Ni. <i>Journal of Materials Chemistry A</i> , 2022, 10, 9981-9987.	10.3	12
64	Topographical evolution of sputtered chromium nitride thin films. <i>Thin Solid Films</i> , 2007, 515, 2903-2920.	1.8	11
65	Electrocatalytic oxidation of 2-propanol on Pt <sub>x</sub> Ir <sub>100-x</sub> bifunctional electrocatalysts - A thin-film materials library study. <i>Journal of Catalysis</i> , 2021, 396, 387-394.	6.2	11
66	Microstructure, chemistry, and tribological performance of MoS <sub>x</sub> /WS <sub>y</sub> co-sputtered composites. <i>Journal of Vacuum Science and Technology A: Vacuum, Surfaces and Films</i> , 2002, 20, 1682-1689.	2.1	10
67	High-throughput characterization of film thickness in thin film materials libraries by digital holographic microscopy. <i>Science and Technology of Advanced Materials</i> , 2011, 12, 054201.	6.1	10
68	Reactions of water and ethanol with polycrystalline TiC surfaces. <i>Journal of Vacuum Science and Technology A: Vacuum, Surfaces and Films</i> , 2005, 23, 234-240.	2.1	9
69	Combinatorial synthesis and high-throughput characterization of the thin film materials system Co-Mn-Ge: Composition, structure, and magnetic properties. <i>Physica Status Solidi (A) Applications and Materials Science</i> , 2015, 212, 1969-1974.	1.8	9
70	Phase decomposition in a nanocrystalline CrCoNi alloy. <i>Scripta Materialia</i> , 2020, 188, 259-263.	5.2	9
71	Resistance to electrochemical corrosion of Cr <sub>x</sub> N <sub>y</sub> - and DLC-coated steel tools in the environment of wet wood. <i>Surface and Coatings Technology</i> , 2005, 200, 83-86.	4.8	8
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74	Complex Solid Solution Electrocatalyst Discovery by Computational Prediction and High-Throughput Experimentation**. Angewandte Chemie, 2021, 133, 7008-7013.	2.0	8
75	Combinatorial investigation of Fe-B thin-film nanocomposites. Science and Technology of Advanced Materials, 2011, 12, 054208.	6.1	7
76	Microstructure and magnetic properties of FeCo/Ti thin film multilayers annealed in nitrogen. Thin Solid Films, 2010, 519, 770-774.	1.8	5
77	Structural and multifunctional properties of magnetron-sputtered Fe-P(Mn) thin films. Thin Solid Films, 2016, 603, 262-267.	1.8	5
78	Structure Zone Investigation of Multiple Principle Element Alloy Thin Films as Optimization for Nanoindentation Measurements. Materials, 2020, 13, 2113.	2.9	5
79	MoS <sub>2</sub> -based alloys and nanocomposites for solid lubrication. Lubrication Science, 2004, 16, 229-238.	2.1	4
80	High-throughput characterization of the Seebeck coefficient of a-(Cr <sub>1-x</sub> Si <sub>x</sub> ) <sub>1-y</sub> O <sub>y</sub> thin film materials libraries as verification of the extended thermopower formula. Journal of Physics Condensed Matter, 2011, 23, 265501.	1.8	4
81	Small-Scale Deposition of Thin Films and Nanoparticles by Microevaporation Sources. Journal of Microelectromechanical Systems, 2011, 20, 21-27.	2.5	3
82	Interdiffusion in Fe/Pt Multilayers: In Situ High Temperature Synchrotron Radiation Reflectivity Study. Advanced Engineering Materials, 2011, 13, 475-479.	3.5	3
83	High-throughput study of binary thin film tungsten alloys. International Journal of Refractory Metals and Hard Materials, 2017, 69, 40-48.	3.8	3
84	Atomic scale understanding of phase stability and decomposition of a nanocrystalline CrMnFeCoNi Cantor alloy. Applied Physics Letters, 2021, 119, 201910.	3.3	3
85	Linear growth of reaction layer during in-situ TEM annealing of thin film Al/Ni diffusion couples. Journal of Alloys and Compounds, 2022, 922, 165926.	5.5	3
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87	Synthesis of Au microwires by selective oxidation of Au-W thin-film composition spreads. Science and Technology of Advanced Materials, 2013, 14, 015003.	6.1	2
88	Pt-Cu Alloys as Catalysts for the Oxygen Reduction Reaction - A Thin-Film Study of Activity and Stability. ECS Transactions, 2013, 58, 587-592.	0.5	2
89	Phase constitution of the noble metal thin-film complex solid solution system Ag-Ir-Pd-Pt-Ru in dependence of elemental compositions and annealing temperatures. Nano Research, 0, , 1.	10.4	2
90	Ceramic nitride/metal coatings with enhanced fracture toughness and fatigue resistance using a multiscale laminate architecture. International Journal of Surface Science and Engineering, 2008, 2, 419.	0.4	1