Soft Materials McElvain Seminar



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"It's All About the Interface: Xray Spectroscopy Applied to Basic Energy Challenges"

Over the past decade photon science has seen the development of both brighter and ultrafast light-sources as well as more sensitive X-ray detection. We show how ultra-fast and ultrasensitive X-ray spectroscopy can be used to address basic energy challenges where chemical and electron dynamics at the interface governs the phenomena. Applications to fundamental chemical reactions, sustainable catalysts, energy storage and functional materials will be discussed in this context.

Thursday, November 2nd at 12:15pm Room 1315 Chemistry Building

Join us at 12pm for a reception before the seminar!