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I am a current PhD Student spending my time between research and teaching college students. I plan to complete my doctorate by the end of 2022. My work focuses on the oxydative addition of nitroarenes and carbon-oxygen aromatic compounds on Nickel and Palladium complexes. I perform mechanistic investigation with theoretical and experimental means as well as investigate the potential of machine learning applications for synthetist chemists using Nickel coupling reactions.

Education

2019 - present	PhD student, in the Methods and Mechanims team under the supervision of Dr. Laurence Grimaud . I study coupling reactions of nitroarene and C-O aromatic compounds on Pd and Ni complexes using experimental and therotetical tools.	 Catalysis Methods and Mechanisms
2019	Master of Physical and Theoretical Chemistry, highest honors Sorbonne Université, Paris	
2017	Admission to Agrégation de Chimie : high-level competitive examination for future chemistry teachers for high school and preparatory classes (rank : 8/240)	
2014 - 2016	Chemistry and Physics at Ecole Normale Supérieure (Bachelor in Chemistry and Physics and first year of Master in Chemistry, highest honors), Paris	
2012 - 2014	Preparatory class (Math, Physics and Chemistry) admission to the most competitive research-engineer « Grandes Ecoles » (Universities) in France : Ecole Normale Supérieure (Ulm) (rank : 27/1200), Ecole Polytechnique (rank : 24/1400), Centrale Paris (rank : 38/2500), Lycée Thiers, Marseille.	

Research Experience






August 2020	Aqemia , Paris Implemented a scoring function for the synthetisability of drug-like molecules. Under the supervision of Dr. Maximilien Levesque	
February - June 2019	LBM, Ecole Normale Supérieure, Paris Studied the mechanism of the deoxygenation of amine N-oxides by DFT and experimental means. Under the supervision of Dr. Laurence Grimaud and Dr. Ilaria Ciofini	
February - June 2018	LCM , Ecole Polytechnique - CNRS, Palaiseau. Synthesized and characterized divalent lanthanides dimers and sandwich single-molecule magnets. Under the supervision of Dr. Mathieu Xémard and Dr. Gregory Nocton .	

March - July 2016	Theoretical and Quantum Chemistry Group, Technische Universität Berlin, Berlin. Analyzed the inverse trans influence on ^1H NMR hydride shifts in pseudo-octahedral U^{VI} complexes with relativistic DFT. Under the supervision of Dr. Anja H. Greif and Pr. Martin Kaupp.	
May - June 2015	LCM, Ecole Polytechnique - CNRS, Palaiseau. Described the coordination properties of N-heterocyclic mesoionic carbens with quantum-chemical tools. Under the supervision of Dr. Gilles Frison.	
January 2015	Ultrafast Photochemistry Group, Ecole Normale Supérieure, Paris. Purified photoswitchable protein Padron and did it's spectroscopic characterization. Stage supervisé par Dr. Agathe Espagne.	

Publications

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2. Metal-Free Deoxygenation of Amine N-Oxides : Synthetic and Mechanistic Studies
W. Lecroq, **J. Schleinitz**, M. Billoue, A. Perfetto, A-C. Gaumont, J. Lalevée, I. Ciofini, L. Grimaud, S. Lakhdar
ChemPhysChem, **2021**, 22, 1237. DOI: [10.1002/cphc.202100108](https://doi.org/10.1002/cphc.202100108), PDF
1. Bis-Cyclooctatetraenyl Thulium(II) : Highly Reducing Lanthanide Sandwich Single-Molecule Magnets
J. Moutet, **J. Schleinitz**, L. La Droitte, M. Tricoire, F. Pointillart, F. Gendron, T. Simler, C. Clavaguéra, B. Le Guennic, O. Cador, G. Nocton
Angewandte Chemie International Edition, **2021**, 60 (11), 6042-6046. DOI: [10.1002/anie.202015428](https://doi.org/10.1002/anie.202015428), PDF

Current Collaborations

Ilaria Ciofini	DFT studies of organic and inorganic mechanisms pathways. I-CLeHS, Chimie-Paris Tech, Paris, France	
Marine Desage - El Murr	Electrochemical and DFT study of Nickel multimers for catalysis applications. Institut de Chimie, Strasbourg, France	
Pietrick Hudhomme	Experimental and theoretical mechanistic investigations on an unusual oxydative addition of nitroperylene diimide with palladium tetrakis phosphine. Université d'Angers, Angers, France	
Rodolphe Vuilleumier	Reaction yield prediction with litterature extracted data. Ecole Normale Supérieure, Paris, France	
& Maxime Langevin		

Teaching Experiences

2020 - present	Supervision of exploratory projects conducted by students for the TFChim national contest. \simeq 10h/year
2019 - present	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Recrutement of the ENS chemistry students : 4h experimental evaluation sessions, written exam writing and corrections, \simeq 3 weeks/year. ○ Organic Chemistry Lessons for students applying for Agregation competitive exam. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> — \simeq 25 students. Mostly graduate physicist students, \simeq 40h/year — More details on the lessons here.

- Teaching assistant in Electrochemistry, theoretical tutorials and experimental session.
 - $\simeq 20$ students. First year chemistry ENS students (third year university equivalent), $\simeq 25\text{h/year}$
 - More details on the lessons [here](#).
- Preparation of graduate students for the Agregation competitive examination.
 - 15 graduated students. the teaching consist in the evaluation of diverse chemical subjects presented by the students. The presentations can take place in the laboratory as practical work sessions or in a classroom. $\simeq 60\text{h/year}$
- Teaching practical chemistry
 - $\simeq 20$ students. First year chemistry ENS students (third year university equivalent), $\simeq 20\text{h/year}$

2018 - 2019 Oral examinations in Physics for first and second year undergraduate students (« Colles » for French preparatory classes)

Skills

Languages	French (native speaker), English (fluent), Spanish (conversant)
Experimental	NMR techniques for characterisation and kinetic studies, EPR, UV-Vis Spectroscopy, Fluorimetry, Infrared spectroscopy, Electrochemistry : Stationnary (RDE, UME techniques) and Non Stationnary Votallmetry (CV, SWV, DPV, Chronamperometry) for compound characterisation and mechanistic studies. Inorganic synthesis, XRD : cristallisation of inorganic complexes. Inert atmosphere synthesis : glovebox and schlenk line techniques.
Computational	DFT/TD-DFT : Gaussian, Orca and ADF. Ground state/excited states optimization, Transition state optimization. Single electron transfer barrier modelisation (Marcus Theory). Rdkit toolkit, sklearn : machine learning basics, github. Data Analysis.
Supervision	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> — bachelor student week to month interships : electrochemistry and inorganic synthesis several students (2019 to present) — master 1 student, semester internship : python and machine learning for reaction prediction 2 students (April - August 2020) — master 2 student, semester internship : dft and experimental mechanistic studies 1 student (February - July 2020)

References

PhD supervisor and Team leader : Dr. Laurence Grimaud : laurence.grimaud@ens.psl.eu
 Team leader : Dr. Maxime Vitale : maxime.vitale@ens.psl.eu
 Former PhD supervisor : Dr. Maximilien Levesque, CEO at Aqemia : maximilien.levesque@aqemia.com
 Former internship supervisor : Dr. Grégory Nocton : gregory.nocton@polytechnique.edu