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Education

University of Louisville

2022–curr. *Doctor of Philosophy: Chemistry*
Advisor: Andrew J. Wilson, Ph.D.

Universidade do Vale do Itajaí (UNIVALI)

2019–2023 *Master of Science: Pharmaceutical Sciences*
Thesis: Preparation of γ -Fe₂O₃/Fe₃O₄/O-Carboxymethylchitosan/Activated Carbon magnetic nanocomposite and its Utilization in the Adsorption of Cr(VI) from Aqueous Media
Advisor: Clóvis Antônio Rodrigues, Ph.D.

2014–2018 *Bachelor of Science in Engineering: Chemical Engineering*
Thesis: Basic Metallic Oxides as Heterogeneous Catalysts for the Propanolysis of Methyl Paraoxon in a Batch Reactor
Advisor: Gizelle I. Almerindo, Ph.D.

Publications

2025 Marine Algae for Antimicrobial Applications: Silver Nanoparticles Prepared With *Sargassum Cymosum* Extract
Gerlach, O. M. S; **Hemmer, J. V.**; Wanderlind, E. H.; Gasparetto, R. L.; de Souza, E. S. M.; Fontoura, A.; dos Santos, A. L. H.; Bella-Cruz, A.; Tamanaha, M.; Radetski, C. M.; Almerindo, G. I.
ChemistrySelect
10.1002/slct.202405940

Heterogenous HER activity of Ni(ii)N₂S₂ molecular catalysts
Paudel, M.; S. Karki; Acharya, N.; Chapagain, S.; **Hemmer, J. V.**; Hofsommer, D. T.; Gupta, G.; Buchanan, R. M.; Grapperhaus, C. A.
Dalton Transactions
10.1039/D5DT00005J

2024 Suppressing Competing Solvent Reduction in CO₂ Electroreduction with a Magnetic Field
Karki, N.; Marquina, I. G.; **Hemmer, J. V.**; Yu, Y.; Wilson, A. J.
The Journal of Physical Chemistry Letters
10.1021/acs.jpcllett.4c01672

Quantification and description of photothermal heating effects in plasmon-assisted electrochemistry
Al-Amin, M.; **Hemmer, J. V.**; Joshi, P. B.; Fogelman, K.; Wilson, A. J.
Communications Chemistry
10.1038/s42004-024-01157-8

Reducing Ensemble Averaging for Mechanistic Understanding of Electrocatalysis in Energy Conversion Reactions
Hemmer, J. V.; Joshi, P. B.; Kaur, A.; Wilson, A. J.
The Journal of Physical Chemistry C
10.1021/acs.jpcc.3c06615

Publications (continued)

- 2023** Tracking Electrochemistry on Single Nanoparticles with Surface-Enhanced Raman Scattering Spectroscopy and Microscopy
Hemmer, J. V.; Joshi, P. B.; Wilson, A. J.
Journal of Visualized Experiments
10.3791/65486
- 2022** Synthesis and characterization of Schiff base derivatives and its effect on urinary parameters of Wistar rats: A comparative analysis with different classes of diuretics
Adão, J. R. U.; de Souza, P.; Boeing, T.; Mariano, L.; Brandt, A. N. B.; **Hemmer, J. V.;** Bazani, H. A. G.; de Andrade, S. F.; Corrêa, R.; Klein-Júnior, L. C.; Niero, R.
Journal of Molecular Structure
10.1016/j.molstruc.2022.132849
- 2021** *Pterocladia* capillacea-stabilized silver nanoparticles as a green approach toward antibacterial biomaterials
Cavalli, P. A.; Wanderlind, E. H.; **Hemmer, J. V.;** Gerlach, O. M. S.; Emmerich, A. K.; Bella-Cruz, A.; Tamanaha, M.; Almerindo, G. I.
New Journal of Chemistry
10.1039/d0nj05150k
- 2020** Green Synthesis of Gold Nanoparticles Obtained from Algae *Sargassum cymosum*: Optimization, Characterization and Stability
Costa, L. H.; **Hemmer, J. V.;** Wanderlind, E. H.; Gerlach, O. M. S.; Santos, A. L. H.; Tamanaha, M.; Bella-Cruz, A.; Corrêa, R.; Bazani, H. A. G.; Radetski, C. M.; Almerindo, G. I.
BioNanoScience
10.1007/s12668-020-00776-4
- Simple and highly active strontium-based catalyst for detoxification of an organophosphorus chemical warfare agent simulant
Hemmer, J. V.; Wanderlind, E. H.; Bazani, H. A. G.; Campos, C. E. M.; Wagner, T. M.; Emmerich, A. K.; Adão, J. R. U.; Almerindo, G. I.
Brazilian Journal of Chemical Engineering
10.1007/s43153-020-00048-4
- Use of brewing industry waste to produce carbon-based adsorbents: Paracetamol adsorption study
Naldony, B.; Heineck, R. G.; Bazani, H. A. G.; **Hemmer, J. V.;** Biavatti, M. L.; Radetski, C. M.; Almerindo, G. I.
Journal of Environmental Science and Health - Part A
10.1007/s12668-020-00776-4

Professional Experience

2021–2022	Central de Laboratórios de Ensaios Analíticos (CLEAn) - UNIVALI , Itajaí, SC, Brazil <i>Chromatography Sector Manager</i> Main responsibilities: testing of cosmetics and pharmaceuticals products through HPLC, LC-MS and FTIR; method development and validation; corrective and preventive maintenance, and calibration of analytical instruments.
2019–2020	<i>Laboratory Technician</i> Main responsibilities: physical-chemical analysis in water, wastewater and foodstuffs; method development and validation; maintenance of equipment, instruments and laboratory materials; sampling; internal quality control; inventory management; SOP writing and reviewing; ISO 17025 implementation.
2016–2018	<i>Laboratory Technician (Student Worker)</i> Main responsibilities: physical-chemical analysis in water and wastewater; maintenance of equipment, instruments and laboratory materials; sampling.
2012–2016	Wizard Idiomas , Navegantes, SC, Brazil <i>English ASL teacher</i>

Awards

- **2024** *Best Laboratory Teaching Assistant*
Department of Chemistry, University of Louisville
- **2023** *Most Auspicious First Year Graduate Student*
Department of Chemistry, University of Louisville
- **2019** *Certificate of Merit upon Graduation (“Honra ao Mérito”)*
Conselho Regional de Química (CRQ)
- **2019** *Certificate of Merit upon Graduation (“Honra ao Mérito”)*
Conselho Regional de Engenharia e Arquitetura (CREA)

Mentoring

- **2024** Mentored Undergraduate Research and Creative Activities Grant (MURC)
Colin Ackerman, August 2024–present

Presentations

- **Graduate Student Regional Research Conference**
“Measuring intermediates of electrochemical CO₂ reduction with spatially and temporally resolved SERS spectroscopy”
University of Louisville, Louisville, KY, March 22, 2023
- **II Simpósio de Investigações Químico-Farmacêuticas**
“Alumina-supported Strontium Oxide as Heterogeneous Catalyst for the Detoxification of an Organophosphorus Chemical Warfare Agent Simulant”
Universidade do Vale do Itajaí (UNIVALI), Itajaí, BR, September 19, 2019
- **IV Simpósio de Ciência e Tecnologia Ambiental**
“Adsorção de Paracetamol em Coluna de Leito Fixo Empacotada com Carvão Obtido de Bagaço de Malte”
 (“Adsorption of Paracetamol in a Fixed-bed Column Packed with Activated Carbon from Malt Bagasse”)
Universidade do Vale do Itajaí (UNIVALI), Itajaí, BR, June 4, 2019

Teaching Experience

	Univeristy of Louisville
F2025	<i>CHEM210: Introduction to Chemical Analysis 4</i> Instructor: Richard Baldwin, Ph.D.
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F2024	<i>CHEM426: Instrumental and Statistical Analysis</i> Instructor: Andrew J. Wilson, Ph.D.
S2024	<i>CHEM210: Introduction to Chemical Analysis 4</i> Instructor: Richard Baldwin, Ph.D.
	<i>CHEM209: Introduction to Chemical Analysis 3</i> Instructor: Richard Baldwin, Ph.D.
F2023	<i>CHEM210: Introduction to Chemical Analysis 4</i> Instructor: Xiang Zhang, Ph.D.
	<i>CHEM209: Introduction to Chemical Analysis 3</i> Instructor: Xiang Zhang, Ph.D.
	Univeristy of Louisville
Su2023	<i>CHEM344: Organic Chemistry 2</i> Instructor: Andrea Gorce, Ph.D.
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F2022	<i>CHEM208: Introduction to Chemical Analysis 2</i> Instructor: Richard Baldwin, Ph.D.
	<i>CHEM207: Introduction to Chemical Analysis 1</i> Instructor: Richard Baldwin, Ph.D.
	University of Vale do Itajaí (UNIVALI)
2021.1	<i>Análise Instrumental (Instrumental Analysis)</i> Instructor: Rodolfo Moresco, Ph.D.

Outreach

- **Poster presentation organizer and presenter**
Fairdale High School, Louisville, KY, February 2, 2024
- **Outreach experiment organizer**
“Synthesis and optical characterization of Ag and Au nanoparticles”
Fairdale High School, Louisville, KY, October 25, 2023
- **Organizer and panel presenter**
Opção Profissional por Área (OPA)
University of Vale do Itajaí (UNIVALI), Itajaí, BR, October, 2021