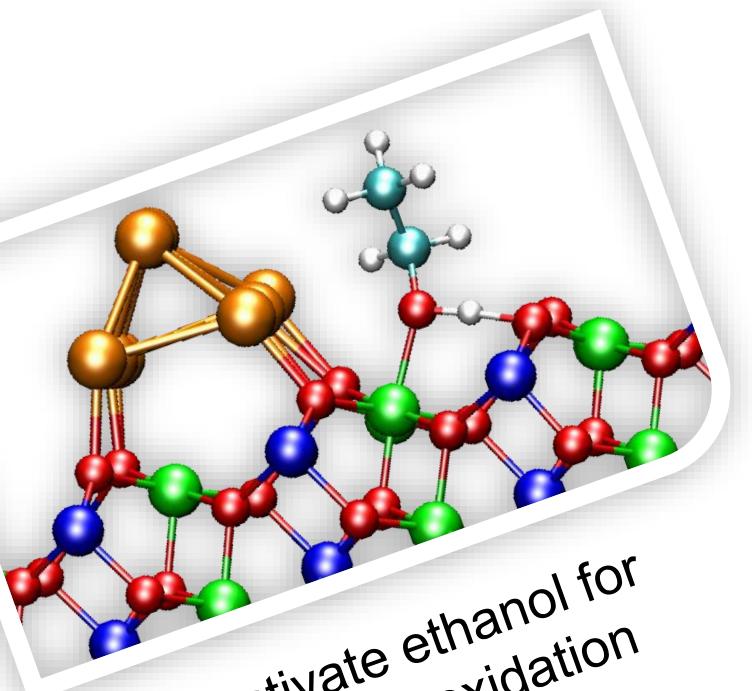


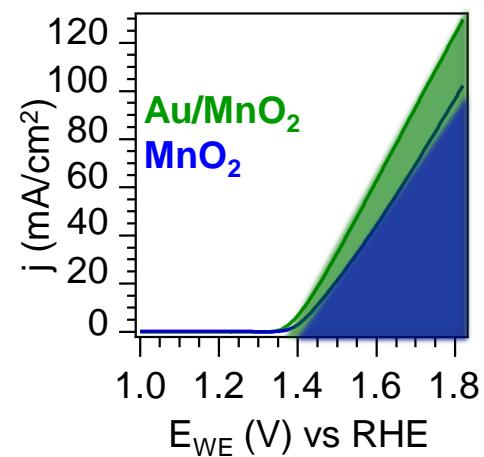
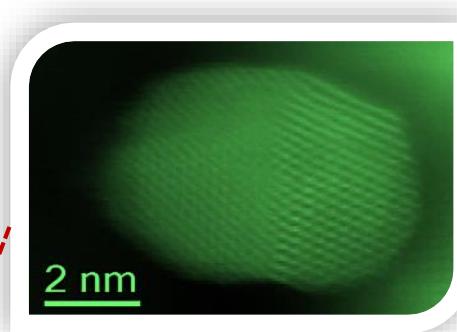
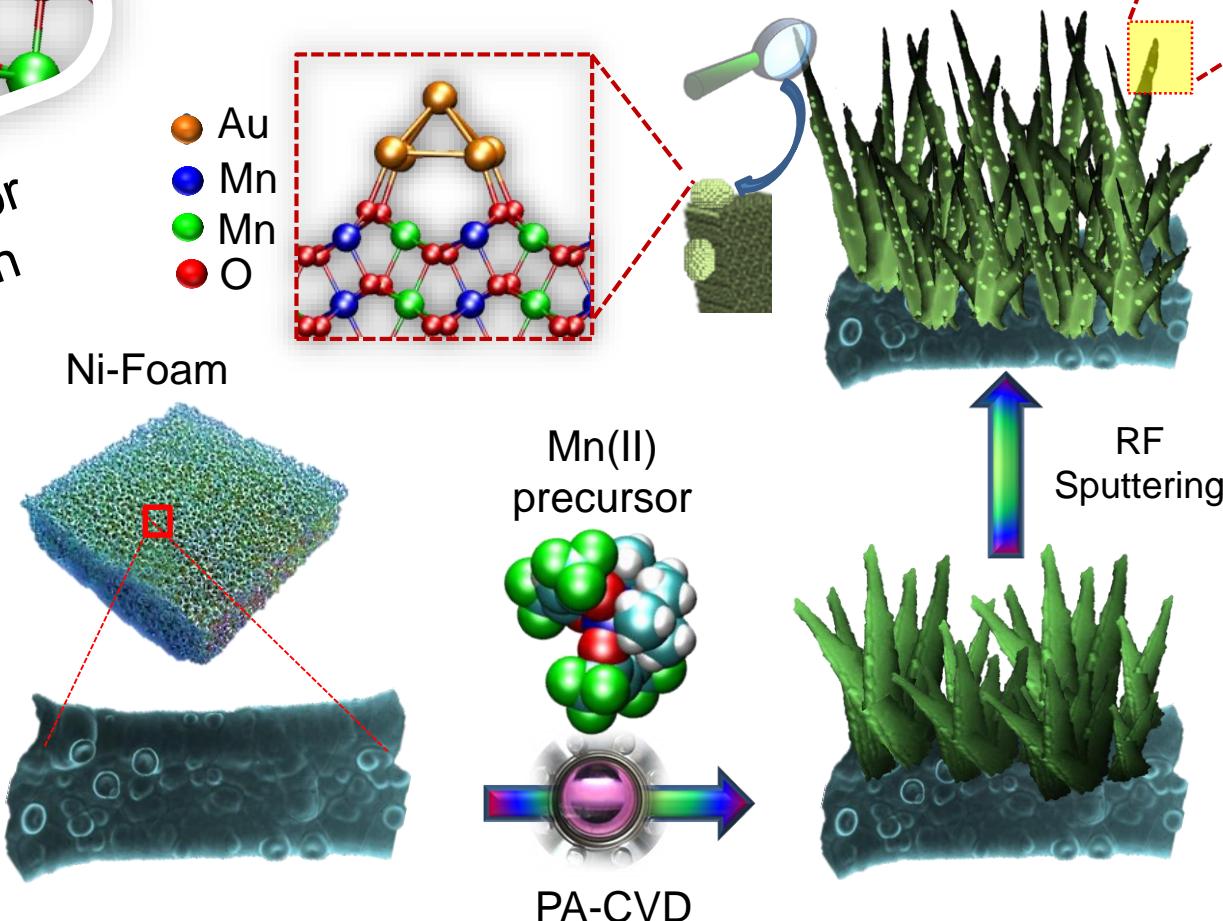
Au/MnO₂ Hierarchical Nanoarchitectures for ethanol electrochemical valorization

Direct Ethanol Fuel Cells: ☺ relevant for H₂ production ☹ based on Pt
Idea: replace Pt with MnO₂



Au-NPs activate ethanol for electrochemical oxidation

MnO₂ nanostructures grown on Ni foam by plasma-assisted CVD and functionalized with gold nanoparticles (Au-NPs)



Superior performances of Au/MnO₂ for ethanol oxidation in alkaline media