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## CATALYSIS, DENDRIMERS AND NANO-CHEMISTRY

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### Dendrocatal

#### RESEARCH AREA

Experimental Sciences

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#### KEY WORDS

Organometallic chemistry,  
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#### AIM

- Chemical industry
- Pharmaceutical industry

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### ABOUT US

The aim of our research is to improve chemical sustainability by developing new molecular, supported, or nano-catalysts. We apply fundamental concepts of organometallic chemistry and homogeneous catalysis in areas such as aqueous-phase organic synthesis, recovery of catalysts or hydrogen storage

### RESEARCH LINES

- Synthesis and reactivity in aqueous phase of hydrosoluble organometallic complexes (especially with N-heterocyclic carbene ligands)
- Reactivity and mechanistic studies aimed at understanding the role of water in processes involving organometallic complexes
- Development of catalytic processes for the formation of C-C and C-E bonds in aqueous media and biphasic recovery of catalysts
- Recovery of catalysts supported on nanomaterials (dendrimers, nanoparticles, carbon nanotubes, etc.)
- Synthesis and characterization of water-soluble metal nanoparticles stabilized by NHC ligands
- Preparation, properties and reactivity of open-shell palladium complexes
- Catalysts for the chemical storage of hydrogen

### OFFERED SERVICES

- Technical services of synthesis and characterization of inorganic compounds
- Advice in the areas of expertise of the research group

### MARKETABLE RESULTS

