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**Education:** 2002 BSc in physical chemistry, Faculty of Physical Chemistry, University of Belgrade, Republic of Serbia  
2004 MSc in materials science, University of São Paulo, São Paulo, Brazil  
2010 PhD in physical chemistry, Faculty of Physical Chemistry, University of Belgrade, Republic of Serbia.

**Research Rank:** 2016 Full Research Professor – University of Belgrade, Institute of Chemistry, Technology and Metallurgy

**Memberships:** Society of Physical chemists of Serbia  
Serbian Ceramic Society – Chair of the Catalysis and Catalysts Section  
AIPEA (Association International pour l'Etudes des Argiles)

**Professional Experience:** 2004–present: University of Belgrade, Institute of Chemistry, Technology and Metallurgy, Department of Catalysis and Chemical Engineering, Belgrade, Republic of Serbia  
2018–present Head of Department of Catalysis and Chemical Engineering  
2018–present Principal investigator III45001 „Nanostructured functional and composite materials in catalytic and sorption processes“ (The Ministry of Education and Science of the Republic of Serbia)  
2018–2021 Vice president of the Scientific Advisory Board (ICTM)  
2019–present Vice president of the Administrative Board (ICTM)  
2020–present Vice president of the Association of Institutes of Serbia

**Awards and Honors:**

**Research Interests:** Catalysis, Electrocatalysis, Adsorption, Environmental Protection, Materials Science, Clays & Clay Minerals, Natural Aluminosilicate Materials, Plasma Enhanced Chemical Vapour Deposition

**Professional Skills:** Laboratory equipment (GC, UV-Vis, DR UV-Vis, N<sub>2</sub> physisorption, plasma reactor, Hg porosimeter...) and professional software

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**Language Skills:** English (written and spoken)  
Portuguese (written and spoken)  
Romanian (basic level)

**Projects:** International:

2014–2016 Preparation and application of new catalytic materials obtained by plasma methods (Coordinator: Dr P. Banković)  
2010–2011 Synthesis and catalytic properties of heterogeneous catalysts  
2006–2008 Heteropoly compounds as heterogeneous catalysts

**ERASMUS+:**

2020–2022 NOVA University of Lisbon, NOVA School of Science and Technology, FCT – NOVA

**COST Actions:**

2012–2016 ES1202 Action: Conceiving Wastewater Treatment in 2020 - Energetic, environmental and economic challenges (Member of Committee: Dr P. Banković)

**Basic research:**

**2006–2010** Sinteza, karakterizacija i testiranje katalitičkih svojstava specijalno dizajniranih materijala

**2004–2005** Sinteza, karakterizacija, testiranje i modelovanje heterogenih katalizatora za parcijalne i potpune oksidacije organskih jedinjenja

**Integrated, interdisciplinary investigation (III):**

**2011–present** Nanostructured functional and composite materials in catalytic and sorption processes, Project III 45001, 2011-present, The Ministry of Education, Science and Technological Development of Republic of Serbia (2018-present Principal investigator of the project)

**Major Publications: Monographs and Chapters:**

1. I. Vyrides, E. Anayiotou, **P. Banković**, W. De Schepper and X. Dominguez-Benetton, Metal recovery from sludge: Problem or opportunity, in Innovative Wastewater Treatment & Resource Recovery Technologies (Eds. Juan M. Lema, Sonia S. Martinez), IWA Publishing, London, SW1H 0QS, UK (2017), 351–364.
2. **P. Banković**, A. Ivanović-Šašić, Z. Mojović, N. Jović-Jovičić, M. Žunić, A. Milutinović-Nikolić, D. Jovanović, Modified Clays in Environmental Protection, in Proceedings of the III Advanced Ceramics and Applications Conference (Eds. W. E. Lee, R. Gadow, V. Mitić, N. Obradović), Atlantis Press, Paris, France, 2015, 221-240.
3. A. Milutinović-Nikolić, J. Krstić, J. Dostanić, Z. Vuković, S. Marinović, A. Nastasović, N. Jović-Jovičić, M. Žunić, **P. Banković**, A. Milutinović-Nikolić, Z. Mojović, A. Abu Rabi-Stanković, D. Jovanović, M. Mojović, M. Daković, Monografija „Bentonit iz rudnika „Bogovina“ kao savremeni nanotehnološki materijal“, Urednici: Z. Mojović, P. Banković, Institut za hemiju, tehnologiju i metalurgiju, Beograd, 2013, 238.

**Selected published papers:**

1. T. Novaković, T. Barudžija, M. Čomor, **P. Banković**, Z. Mojović, Electrochemical behavior of different types of alumina, *J. Electroanal. Chem.* **895** (2021) 115542
2. S. Marinović, T. Mudrinić, B. Dojčinović, T. Barudžija, **P. Banković**, T. Novaković, Cobalt-doped alumina catalysts in catalytic oxidation of tartrazine induced by Oxone®, *Journal of Environmental Chemical engineering.* **9(6)** (2021) 106348
3. Marko G. Popadić, Sanja R. Marinović, Tihana M. Mudrinić, Aleksandra D. Milutinović-Nikolić, **Predrag T. Banković**, Ivana S. Đorđević, Goran V. Janjić, A novel approach in revealing mechanisms and particular step predictors of pH dependent tartrazine catalytic degradation in presence of Oxone®, **281** (2021) 130806.
4. N. Jović-Jovičić, T. Mudrinić, A. Milutinović-Nikolić, **P. Banković**, Z. Mojović. The influence of pH on electrochemical behavior of nicotine-clay based electrodes. *Science of Sintering*, 53(4) (2021), Paper no. 10, 14 pages.
5. I. Ilić, A. Milutinović-Nikolić, Z. Mojović, Z. Vuković, P. Vulić, I. Gržetić, **P. Banković**, N. Jović-Jovičić, Oxidative degradation of aromatic N-compounds using cobalt containing montmorillonite-based catalysts, *Applied Clay Science*, **193** (2020) 105668
6. Ajdukovic Marija, Stojadinovic Stevan, Marinovic Sanja, Milutinovic-Nikolic Aleksandra, Dojcinovic Biljana, **Bankovic Predrag**, Activation of Oxone (R) with plasma deposited mixed cobalt and alumina oxide for the dye degradation, *Applied Surface Science*, 503 (2020) 144144.
7. Pagnacco Maja C, Maksimovic Jelena P, Mudrinic Tihana M, **Bankovic Predrag T**, Nedic-Vasiljevic Bojana, M Milutinovic-Nikolic Aleksandra D, Oscillatory Briggs-Rauscher Reaction as "Fingerprint" for Bentonite Identification: The Fine-Tuning of Oscillatory Dynamics with Addition of Clay (Article), *CHEMISTRYSELECT*, 5(27) (2020) 8137-8141.
8. Marija Marković; Sanja Marinović; Tihana Mudrinić; Marija Ajduković; Nataša Jović-Jovičić; Zorica Mojović; Jovana Orlić; Aleksandra Milutinović-Nikolić; **Predrag Banković**, Co(II) impregnated Al(III)-pillared montmorillonite-synthesis, characterization and catalytic properties in Oxone® activation for dye degradation, *Applied Clay Science* (2019) 105276.
9. Tihana Mudrinić, Sanja Marinović, Aleksandra Milutinović-Nikolić, Nataša Jović-Jovičić, Marija Ajduković, Zorica Mojović, **Predrag Banković**, Novel non-enzymatic glucose sensing material based on pillared clay modified with cobalt, *Sensors and Actuators B: Chemical* 299 (2019) 126976
10. Sanja Marinović, Tihana Mudrinić, Nataša Jović-Jovičić, Marija Ajduković, Aleksandra Milutinović-Nikolić, **Predrag Banković**, Zorica Mojović, „Non-toxic poly(vinyl alcohol)/clay composites as electrode material for detection of 4-chlorophenol and 4-nitrophenol”, *Journal of Electroanalytical Chemistry*, **848** (2019) 113280
11. Dojčinović, Biljana; Jancar, Bostjan; Bessais, Lotfi; Kremenovic, Aleksandar; Jovic Jovicic, Natasa; **Bankovic, Predrag**; Stankovic, Dalibor; Ognjanovic, Milos; Antic, Bratislav "Differently shaped nanocrystalline (Fe,Y)<sub>3</sub>O<sub>4</sub> and its adsorption efficiency toward inorganic arsenic species", *Nanotechnology* (2019) 475702.
12. N. Jović-Jovičić, M. Mojović, D. Stanković, B. Nedić-Vasiljević, A. Milutinović-Nikolić, **P. Banković**, Z. Mojović, Characterization and electrochemical properties of organomodified and corresponding derived carbonized clay, *Electrochimica Acta*, 296 (2019) 387-396.
13. Tihana M. Mudrinić, Marija J. Ajduković, Nataša P. Jović-Jovičić, Sanja R. Marinović, Zorica D. Mojović, Aleksandra D. Milutinović-Nikolić, **Predrag T. Banković**, Al,Fe,Ni-pillared bentonite in the catalytic wet peroxide oxidation of the textile dye Acid Yellow 99, *Reaction Kinetics, Mechanisms and Catalysis*, **124(1)** (2018) 75-88.
14. Marija Marković, Sanja Marinović, Tihana Mudrinić, Zorica Mojović, Marija Ajduković, Aleksandra



36. Z. Mojović, **P. Banković**, N. Jović-Jovičić, A. Abu Rabi-Stanković, A. Milutinović-Nikolić, D. Jovanović, "Carbon Monoxide Electrooxidation on Pt and PtRu Modified Zeolite X", *Journal of Porous Materials* 19 (2012) 695–703.
37. Z. Mojović, N. Jović-Jovičić, A. Milutinović-Nikolić, **P. Banković**, A. Abu Rabi-Stanković, D. Jovanović, "Phenol determination on HDTMA–bentonite-based electrodes", *Journal of Hazardous Materials* 194 (2011) 178–184.
38. Z. Mojović, **P. Banković**, N. Jović-Jovičić, A. Milutinović-Nikolić, A. Abu Rabi-Stanković, D. Jovanović, "Electrocatalytic behavior of nickel impregnated zeolite electrode", *International Journal of Hydrogen Energy*, 36 (2011) 13343–13351.
39. Z. Mojović, N. Jović-Jovičić, **P. Banković**, M. Žunić, A. Abu Rabi- Stanković, A. Milutinović-Nikolić, D. Jovanović, "Electrooxidation of phenol on different organo bentonite-based electrodes ", *Applied Clay Science*, 53 (2011) 331–335.
40. **P.Banković**, Z.Mojović, A.Milutinović-Nikolić, N.Jović-Jovičić, S.Marinović, D.Jovanović, „Mixed pillared bentonite for electrooxidation of phenol” *Applied Clay Science* 49 (2010) 84–89.
41. M. Mojović, M. Daković, **P. Banković**, Z. Mojović, “Paramagnetic pillared bentonites - The new digestive tract MRI contrast agents”, *Applied Clay Science*, 48 (2010) 191–194.
42. Z. Mojović, **P. Banković**, A. Milutinović-Nikolić, B. Nedić, D. Jovanović, “Co-aluminosilicate based electrodes”, *Applied Clay Science*, 48 (2010) 179–184.
43. Z. Mojović, A. Milutinović-Nikolić, **P. Banković**, S. Mentus, D. Jovanović, “Electrochemical behavior of silver impregnated Al-pillared smectite in alkaline solution” *Journal of Solid State Electrochemistry*, 14 (2010) 1621–1627.
44. **P. Banković**, Z. Mojović, A. Milutinović-Nikolić, N. Jović-Jovičić, S. Marinović, D. Jovanović, “ Mixed pillared bentonite for electrooxidation of phenol”, *Applied Clay Science*, 49/1-2 (2010) 84-89.
45. N. Jović-Jovičić, A. Milutinović-Nikolić, **P. Banković**, Z. Mojović, M. Žunić, I. Gržetić, D. Jovanović, “Organic-inorganic bentonite for simultaneous adsorption of acid orange 10 and lead ions ”, *Applied Clay Science*, 47/3-4 (2010) 452–456.
46. Z. Mojović, **P. Banković**, A. Milutinović-Nikolić, J. Dostanić, N. Jović-Jovičić, D. Jovanović “Al,Cu-pillared clays as catalysts in environmental protection”, *Chemical Engineering Journal* 154 (2009) 149–155.
47. M. Stanković, M. Gabrovska, J. Krstić, P. Tzvetkov, M. Shopska, T. Tsacheva, **P. Banković**, R. Edreva-Kardjieva, D. Jovanović „Effect of Silver Modification on Structure, Catalytic Performance of Ni-Mg/Diatomite Catalysts for Edible Oil Hydrogenation” *Journal of molecular catalysis A: Chemical*, 297/1 (2009) 54–62.
48. **P. Banković**, A. Milutinović-Nikolić, Z. Mojović, A. Rosić, Ž. Čupić, D. Lončarević, D. Jovanović, “Toluene degradation in water using AlFe-pillared clay catalysts”, *Chinese Journal of Catalysis*, 30(1) (2009) 14–18.
49. **P. Banković**, N.R. Demarquette, M.L.P. da Silva, “Obtention of selective membranes for water and hydrophobic liquids by plasma enhanced chemical vapor deposition on porous substrates”, *Materials Science and Engineering B* 112 (2004) 165–170.

(Total: 62 published papers)

#### **Conference Proceedings and Papers:**

Large number of proceedings