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ECPM: Ecole Européenne de chimie, Polymères et Matériaux (European Engineering school for Chemistry, Polymer and Materials)

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Key Words: Bioplastics (biopolymers ...), biomaterials, nano-biocomposites, biocomposites, renewable resources, agro-polymers, biocompatible/biodegradable polymers, plastics processing, formulation, polymers properties.

Graduate studies:

- 1982/84 : Engineer graduate delivered by High Polymers Application School / Ecole d'Application des Hauts polymères (E.A.H.P.) C. Sadron Institute, Strasbourg-France.
- 1984/85 : Studies of management in Institute of Enterprise Administration / Institut d'Administration des Entreprises (I.A.E.), Strasbourg-France.
- 1992/95 : Ph.D. from School of Mines of Paris / Ecole Nationale Supérieure des Mines de Paris-France.
Specialty: Science and material engineering.
6th of July, 1995.
- 2002 : "Aptitude Diploma for Research Direction" From URCA (Reims Champagne-Ardenne University) in Process engineering. Reims- France.
26th of February, 2002

Present Situation:

- **Full Professor & Lab Director** (since 2003) at ECPM (Ecole Européenne de Chimie, Polymères et Matériaux- European School for Chemistry, Polymers and Materials). Previously, ULP: University Louis Pasteur in Strasbourg - Now, Uds: University of Strasbourg, in France

Laboratory: LIPHT (Laboratoire d'Ingénierie des Polymères pour les Hautes Technologies –Lab of Polymers Engineering for the high Technologies). EAc (CNRS) 4379.

Responsibilities:

Laboratory Head (Since 2009)

Laboratory Co-Director (2004-2008)

Responsible of the Team « Biopolymer » at LIPHT (Since 2003)

In charge of the Enterprises-ECPM relationships (Since 2009)

In Charge of the internships for all ECPM students (2004-2006)

Vice-president of “commission locale CNU 33/62” (Since 2004)

Member of the commission locale CNU Section 33, at INPL-Nancy (Since 2004)

Elected Member of the council (administration) of ECPM (2004-2008)
Animator of the commission « Internship » of ECPM (2003-2006)
Member of the commission “buildings” ECPM (2004/05)
Member of the commission “Teaching” ECPM (2004-2006) ...

Main Research Topics:

Studies of the relationships between Materials, Process and Properties.
- From 1996 to 2003: Study of multiphase systems (composites, blends, multilayers) based on agro-resources (starches, lignins, cellulose ...) and biopolyesters. Development of compostable packaging.
- Since 2003: Bioplastics = Biopolymers and Biomaterials, biodegradable and/or biobased materials. Nano-biocomposites. Structuration of heterophase bio-systems.

PhD Thesis supervisions & management:

- F. Houllier : Incorporation de co-produits de paille de blé dans des matrices thermoplastiques. Approche de la compatibilité charge-matrice et propriétés des composites. URCA. May 2004.
- E. Schwach : Etude de systèmes multiphasés biodegradables à base d'amidon de blé plastifié. Relations structure – propriétés. Approche de la compatibilisation. URCA. July 2004.
- L. Belard : Nouvelle stratégie d'hydrophobisation de matériaux à base d'amidon plastifié. URCA. 19 Dec. 2007.
- P. Bordes : Nano-biocomposites : étude de systèmes structurés à base de polyhydroxyalcanoates et montmorillonites. ULP. 29 Nov. 2007.
- F. Chivrac : Nano-biocomposites à base de carbohydrates. ULP. Feb. 2009.
- E. Hablot : Développement de liants verts pour éco-membranes. Fellowship CIFRE. Uds. 26 Nov. 2009.
- M.C. Correa : Nano-biocomposites - Etude de systèmes à base de polyhydroxybutyrate –co-valerate plastifié et montmorillonites . Federal University of Sao Carlos UFSCar (Brazil) *Co-direction*. (Starting March 2008).
- M. Griffon Développement d'isolants verts . Fellowship CIFRE. Uds (Starting Nov. 2008)
- H. Ozturk : « Développement de nouveaux polyesters par catalyse enzymatique ». Technical University of Istanbul (Turkey). *Co-direction*.
- C. Amorosi : « Développement de biocapteurs à empreinte moléculaire par polymérisation plasma » Funding from Luxembourg. Uds (Starting Sept. 2009)
- O. Teixeira de Carvalho « Films biodégradables à base d'amidon de manioc » Université de Sao Paolo (USP – Brésil) *Co-direction*. (Starting March 2009)

Post-doct. supervisions:

- Virginia Epure: Développement et Etude de matériaux obtenus par bio production. European Funding IP Project (Sept. 2007-March 2009)
- Perrine Bordes: Développement de matériaux biodégradables pour le traitement de l'air (2008).
- Veronica Martino: Développement de matériaux biosourcés. European Funding IP (Starting May 2009)

PhD thesis co-supervisions (5)

Master Thesis supervisions (18)

Referee in different journals: Polymer, Polymer International, Chemical Engineering and Processing, Biomacromolecules, Polym Eng & Sci, European Polymer Journal, Cereal Chemistry, Materials Chemistry and Physics, Bioresource Technology, Macromolecular Bioscience, Polymers & Polymer Composites, Macromolecular Materials & Engineering, Journal of Agricultural and Food Chemistry, Colloids and Surfaces A: Physicochemical and Engineering Aspects, Environmental Technology, International Polymer Processing, Progress in Polymer Science, Composites Part A, Journal of Cereal Science, Acta Biomaterialia, Journal of Biomedical Materials Research: Part A, Composites Science and Technology, Carbohydrate Polymers, Wiley's books, Macromolecular Chemistry and Physics (Review of books), Carbohydrate Research, Recent Patents on Materials Science, Solid State Sciences, Applied Clay Science, Macromolecules

Other:

- Member of scientific committee:

- « International conference on biodegradable polymers and sustainable composites- BIOPOL 2007 » 3-5 October 2007 (Alicante-Spain),
- « International conference on biodegradable polymers and sustainable composites- BIOPOL 2009 » 30 Sept-2 Oct. 2009 (Alicante-Spain)
- “First international conference on Materials Bioproducts interactions”. MATBIM 2010. 3-5 March 2010 Paris (France)
- « The 4th International Meeting On Molecular Chemistry and Development ». RICMD4. 24-27 November, Marrakech (Maroc)
- « Polymer Science and Engineering- PSE-2010 » in Collaboration with Asian Polymer association (APA). 26-27 November, 2010 (India)

- (Co-)Organization of International Symposia and Conferences:

- Symposium « Biomaterials » PPS-23, Mai 2007 -Salvador (Brazil)
- “Materials from Natural/Renewal Resource” (MNR) du MFMS 2008. 28-31 July 2008 - Hong Kong (China)
- “Green Polymers” Symposium”. 8th World Congress of Chemical Engineering” (WCCE8)”. 23-27 August 2009 -Montréal (Canada)
- “First international conference on Materials Bioproducts Interactions”. MATBIM 2010. 3-5 March. 2010 – Paris (France)
- “Polymers from Renewable Resources” Symposium, PPS-26, 4-8 July 2010 - Banff, Alberta (Canada)
- « International conference on biodegradable and biobased polymers - BIOPOL 2011 » 29-31 August 2011 (Strasbourg- France)
(Chairperson)
- - “Chemical & Biochemical Wood Valorization (WoodChem 2011), 1-2 December 2011 (Strasbourg- France)

- **Co-organization of National Scientific Meeting:**
 - “Journée Polymères Thérapeutiques”, GFP, 18 June 2009 - Strasbourg, France
- **Member of different “Editorial Boards” of International Journals:**
 - The Open Environmental Engineering Journal (Bentham Science Publishers)
 - The Open Polymer Science Journal (Bentham Science Publishers)
 - The Open Macromolecules Journal (Bentham Science Publishers)
 - The Open Biomaterials Journal (Bentham Science Publishers)
 - *Associated Editor of Journal of Chinese Clinical Medicine*
- ADEME (AGRICE) Ministère de l’industrie. Expert in the group « **biomaterials** » (1999-2007)
- ANRT (Association Nationale de la Recherche Technique).
- French Ambassade in Australia (Délég. Sci. et Techno.) Ministère des Affaires étrangères (Referee)
- Czech Science Foundation (Referee) (2002-)
- CAPES-COFEUCUB France-Brazil and FAPESP (Referee) (2008 -)
- Enterprise agro-industry (Member of scientific committee) (2004-)
- Expert for “Centre Européen d’Entreprise et d’Innovation Alsace » (2007)
- Member of commission « Packaging » of LNE (Lab National d’Essais) (2007-)
- Member of committee expert (2008). Expertise of:
 - Research Units,
 - Masters (Education).
- Member of the strategic orientation committee of “Pôle Fibre-Grand Est” (since 2008)
- Member of the council of “Pôle Fibre-Grand Est” (since 2009)
- Member of the boarding of GFP (Groupe Français des Polymères) - Grand Est (since 2009).
- Expert at Agence Nationale de la Recherche (ANR)
- Expert at the Office of Basic Energy Sciences BES-DOE (Department of Energy – USA) (since 2010)

Main publications & communications:

Edition of books :

- S. Kalia and L. Avérous. “Handbook of Biopolymers and Their Applications”. **Scrivener Publishing**. Publication end 2011.
- L. Avérous and E. Pollet. « Environmental Silicate Nano-bio-composites ». **Springer-Verlag (London)**. Publication in 2012.
- P. Halley and L. Avérous. « Starch Polymers – From Genetic Engineering to Green Applications ». **Elsevier Limited Publication..** Publication in 2013.

Articles with impact factors:

- 1) Avérous L., Quantin J.C., Lafon D., Crespy A. (1995), "Determination of 3D orientations in reinforced thermoplastics, using scanning electron microscopy." **Acta Stereologica (Image analysis & Stereology)**, Vol. 14/1, pp. 69-74.
- 2) Avérous L., Quantin J.C., Lafon D., Crespy A. (1995), "Granulometric characterization of short fiberglass in reinforced polypropylene. Relation to processing conditions and mechanical properties." **Int J. Polymer Analysis & Characterization**, Vol. 1, N°4, pp. 339-347.
- 3) Avérous L., Quantin J.C., Lafon D., Crespy A. (1996), "Morphological determinations of fiber composites" **Microscopy-Microanalysis-Microstructures**, Vol. 7, pp. 433-439.
- 4) Avérous L., Quantin J.C., Crespy A., Lafon D. (1997), "Evolution of the three-dimensional orientation of glass fibers in injected isotactic polypropylene." **Polym. Eng. Sci.**, Vol. 37, N°2, pp. 329-337.
- 5) Avérous L., Quantin J.C., Crespy A. (1998), "Determination of the microtexture of reinforced thermoplastics by image analysis." **Composites Science and Technology**, Vol. 58, N° 3-4, pp. 377-387.
- 6) Avérous L., Gauvin R. (1998), "Surface analysis of phenolic composites obtained by RTM Process" **Journal of Reinforced Plastics and Composites**, Vol. 17, N°13, pp. 1167-1184.
- 7) Avérous L., Moro L., Dole P., Fringant C. (2000) "Properties of thermoplastics blends: starch-polycaprolactone." **Polymer**. Vol. 41, N°11, pp 4157-4167.
- 8) Avérous L., Fauconnier N., Moro L., Fringant C. (2000) "Blends of thermoplastic starch and polyesteramide: Processing and properties." **Journal of Applied Polymer Science**. Vol. 76, N°7, pp. 1117-1128.
- 9) Avérous L., Fringant C. (2001) "Association between plasticized starch and polyesters: processing and performances of injected biodegradable systems." **Polym Eng. Sci.**, Vol. 41, N°5, pp. 727-734.
- 10) Martin O., Avérous L. (2001). "Poly(lactic acid): plasticization and properties of biodegradable multiphase systems." **Polymer**, Vol 42, N° 14, pp. 6209-6219.
- 11) Avérous L., Fringant C., Moro L. (2001). "Starch-based biodegradable materials suitable for Thermoforming Packaging." **Starch/Starke**, Vol. 53, N°8, pp. 368-371.
- 12) Avérous L., Fringant C., Moro L. (2001). "Plasticized starch-cellulose interactions in polysaccharide composites." **Polymer**, Vol 42, N° 15, pp. 6571-6578.
- 13) Martin O., Schwach E., Avérous L., Couturier Y. (2001). "Properties of Biodegradable Multilayer Films Based on Plasticized Wheat Starch." **Starch/Starke**, Vol.53, N°8, pp. 372-380.
- 14) Martin O., Avérous L. (2002). "Comprehensive experimental study of a starch/polyesteramide coextrusion." **Journal of Applied Polymer Science**. Vol. 86, N°10, pp. 2586-2600.
- 15) Pouteau C., Dole P., Cathala B., Avérous L., Boquillon N. (2003) "Antioxidant properties of lignin in polypropylene", **Polymer Degradation and Stability**. Vol. 81, N°1, pp 9-18.
- 16) Martin O., Avérous L., Della Valle G (2003). "Inline determination of plasticized wheat starch viscous behaviour: Impact of processing."

- Carbohydrate Polymers**, Vol. 53 N°2, pp. 169-182.
- 17) Avérous L., Boquillon N. (2004). "Biocomposites based on plasticized starch: thermal and mechanical behaviours". **Carbohydrate Polymers**, Vol. 56 N°2 pp. 111-122
 - 18) Avérous L. (2004). "Biodegradable multiphase systems based on plasticized starch: a review." **Polymer Reviews**, Vol. 44, N°3, pp. 231-274
 - 19) Le Digabel F., Boquillon N., Dole P., Monties B., Averous L. (2004) "Properties of thermoplastic composites based on wheat straw lignocellulosic fillers". **Journal of Applied Polymer Science**, Vol. 93 N°1 pp. 428-436.
 - 20) Schwach E., Averous L. (2004). "Starch-based biodegradable blends: morphology and interface properties". **Polymer International**, Vol. 53 N°12 pp. 2115-2124.
 - 21) Dole P., Avérous L., Joly C., Della Valle G., Bliard C. (2005) "Evaluation of PE-starch multilayers: Processing and properties.". **Polym. Eng. Sci.**, Vol. 45 N°2, pp. 217-224.
 - 22) Belard L., Dole P., Avérous L. (2005). « Current progress on biodegradable materials, based on plasticized starch ». **Australian Journal of Chemistry**, Vol. 58, N°6, pp 457-460.
 - 23) Avérous L., Le Digabel F (2006) "Properties of biocomposites based on lignocellulose fillers" **Carbohydrate Polymers**, Vol. 66, N°4, pp 480-493.
 - 24) Le Digabel F., Avérous L. (2006) "Effects of lignin content on the properties of lignocellulose-based biocomposites" **Carbohydrate Polymers**, Vol.66, N°4, pp 537-545.
 - 25) Chivrac F., Kadlecová Z., Pollet E., Avérous L. (2006) "Aromatic Copolyester-Based Nano-Biocomposites: Elaboration, Structural Characterization and Properties" **Journal of Polymers and the Environment**, Vol. 14, N°4, pp. 393-401.
 - 26) Chivrac F., Pollet E., Avérous L. (2007) "Non-isothermal crystallization behaviour of poly(butylene adipate-co-terephthalate) / clay nano-biocomposites" **Journal of Polymer Science Part B: Polymer Physics**, Vol. 45, N°13, pp. 1503-1510.
 - 27) Avérous L. (2007). "Cellulose-based biocomposites: comparison of different multiphase systems" **Composite Interfaces**, Vol. 14, No. 7-9, pp. 787-805.
 - 28) Hablot E., Bordes P., Pollet E., Avérous L. (2008) "Thermal and thermo-mechanical degradation of poly(3-hydroxybutyrate)-based multiphase systems" **Polymer Degradation & Stability**, Vol. 93, N°2, pp. 413-421
 - 29) Chivrac F., Pollet E., Schmutz, M., Avérous L. (2008) "New approach to elaborate exfoliated starch-based nano-biocomposites" **Biomacromolecules**, Vol. 9 N°3, pp. 896-900
 - 30) Pogodina N., Cerclé C., Avérous L., Thomann R., Bouquey M., Muller R. (2008) « Processing and Characterization of Biodegradable Polymer Nanocomposites. Detection of Dispersion State » **Rheologica Acta**, Vol. 47, N°5-6, pp. 543-553
 - 31) Bordes P., Pollet E., Bourbigot S., Avérous L. (2008) « Structure and properties of PHA/clay nano-biocomposites prepared by melt intercalation » **Macromolecular chemistry & physics**, Vol. 209, N°14, pp. 1473-1484
 - 32) Chivrac F., Gueguen O., Pollet E., Ahzi S., Makradi A., Avérous L. (2008) « Micromechanical Modeling and Characterization of the Effective Properties in Starch Based Nano-Biocomposites" **Acta Biomaterialia**, Vol. 4, N°6, pp. 1707-1714
 - 33) Schwach E., Six JL, Avérous L. (2008) "Biodegradable blends based on starch and poly(lactic acid): Comparison of different strategies and estimate of compatibilization." **Journal of Polymers and the Environment**, Vol. 16, N°4, pp. 286-297
 - 34) Hablot E., Zheng D., Bouquey M., Avérous L. (2008) "Polyurethanes based on Castor Oil: Kinetics, Chemical, Mechanical and Thermal Properties" **Macromolecular Materials & Engineering**, Vol. 293 N°11 pp. 922-929
 - 35) Bordes P., Pollet E., Avérous L. (2009) « Nano-biocomposites: Biodegradable polyester/nanoclay systems » **Progress in Polymer Science**, Vol. 34, pp. 125-155.
 - 36) Belard L., Dole P., Avérous L. (2009) "Study of pseudo-multilayer structures based on starch-polycaprolactone extruded blends" **Polym. Eng. Sci.**, Vol. 49, N°6, pp. 1177-1186.
 - 37) Avérous L., Halley P.J. (2009) « Biocomposites based on plasticized starch. » **Biofuels, Bioproducts & Biorefining**, Vol. 3, N°3, 329-343
 - 38) Bordes P., Hablot E., Pollet E., Avérous L. (2009) "Effect of clay organomodifiers on polyhydroxyalkanoates degradations" **Polymer Degradation & Stability**, Vol. 94, N°5, pp. 789-796.
 - 39) Branciforti M.C., Custodio T.A., Guerrini L.M., Averous L., Bretas R.E.S. (2009) "Characterization of nano-structured poly(D,L-lactid acid) nonwoven mats obtained from different solutions by electrospinning", **Journal of Macromolecular Science, Part B, Physics**, Vol. 48, N°6, pp. 1222-1240.
 - 40) Chivrac F., Pollet E., Avérous L. (2009) "Progress in Nano-Biocomposites Based on Polysaccharides and Nanoclays" **Materials Science & Engineering R**, Vol. 67, pp. 1-17
 - 41) Chivrac F., Pollet E., Avérous L. (2010) "Shear Induced Clay Organo-Modification: Application to Plasticized Starch Nano-biocomposites." **Polymers for Advanced Technologies**, Vol. 21, DOI: 10.1002/pat.1468.
 - 42) Chivrac F., Gueguen O., Pollet E., Averous L., Ahzi, S., Belouettar S., (2010) "Micromechanically-based formulation of the cooperative model for the yield behavior of starch-based nano-biocomposites" **Journal of Nanoscience and Nanotechnology**, Vol. 10, pp. 2949-2955
 - 43) Chivrac F., Pollet E., Dole P., Avérous L. (2010) "Starch-Based Nano-Biocomposites: Plasticizer Impact on the Montmorillonite Exfoliation Process" **Carbohydrate Polymers**, Vol. 79, pp. 941-947.
 - 44) Chivrac F., Pollet E., Avérous L. (2010) "Starch nano-biocomposites based on needle-like sepiolite clays" **Carbohydrate Polymers**, Vol. 80, pp. 145-153.
 - 45) Hablot E, Matadi R, Ahzi S, Avérous L. (2010) "Renewable biocomposites of dimer fatty acid-based polyamides with cellulose fibres: thermal, physical and mechanical properties". **Composites Science and Technology**, Vol. 70, pp. 504-509.
 - 46) Hablot E, Matadi R, Ahzi S, Vaudemond R, Ruch D, Avérous L. (2010) "Yield behaviour of renewable biocomposites of dimer fatty acid-based polyamides with cellulose fibres". **Composites Science and Technology**, Vol. 70, pp. 525-529.
 - 47) Halary J.L., Avérous L., Borredon M.E., Bourbigot S., Boutevin B., Bunel C., Caillol S., Commereuc S., Duquesne S., Lecamp L., Leibler L., Pollet E., Soulié-Ziakovic C., Tournilhac F., Vaca-Garcia C., Verney V. (2010). « Polymer materials and sustainable development / Matériaux polymères et développement durable ». **Actualité Chimique**, Vol. 338-339, pp. 41-53.
 - 48) Martino V.P., Ruseckaite R.A., Jiménez A., Averous L. (2010) "Correlation Between Composition, Structure and Properties of Poly(lactic acid) - Polyadipate Based Nano-Biocomposites" **Macromolecular Materials & Engineering**, Vol. 295, DOI: 10.1002/mame.200900351.
 - 49) Chivrac F., Angellier-Coussy H., Guillard V., Pollet E., Avérous L. (2010) "How does water diffuse in starch/montmorillonite nano-biocomposite materials?" **Carbohydrate Polymers**, DOI : 10.1016/j.carbpol.2010.04.036.
 - 50) Martino V.P., Jiménez A., Ruseckaite R.A., Averous L. (201X) « Structure and properties of clay nano-biocomposites based on Poly(lactic acid) plasticized with polyadipates » **Polymers for Advanced Technologies**, Accepted.

51) Courgneau C., Domenek S., Guinault A., Averous L., Ducruet L. « Analysis of the structure-properties relationships of different multiphase systems based on plasticized PLA . **Submitted.**

Book chapters:

- 1- Averous L., Quantin J.C., Lafon L., Crespy A. (1996) « Approche prévisionnelle dans la détermination du module d'élasticité de composites à matrice thermoplastique (Estimated approach in the determination of elastic modulus for composites with thermoplastic matrix) » In « Journées nationales sur les composites N°10 », Editeurs : D. Baptiste D. et A. Vautrin; **Edition AMAC**, Paris, pp. 875-881. (ISBN: 2-9505117-3-2)
- 2- Avérous L., Fringant C., Martin O. (1999), "Coextrusion of biodegradable starch-based materials" In « Biopolymer Science: Food and non food applications. », Editeurs : Colonna P. et Guilbert S., **INRA Editions**, pp. 207-212. (ISBN: 2-7380-0874-7).
- 3- Avérous L. (2002) "Interactions between cellulose and plasticized wheat starch. – Properties of biodegradable multiphase systems." In "Plant biopolymer Science: Food and non food applications", Editeurs : Renard D., Della Valle G. et Popineau Y., **RSC Editions** (Cambridge-UK) pp. 253-259. (ISBN: 0-85404-856-1 - ISSN: 0260-6291)
- 4- Vilpoux O., Avérous L. (2003); Plásticos a base de amido » In « Tecnologia, usos e potencialidades de tuberosas amiláceas Latino Americanas », Editeurs : Cereda M.P. et Vilpoux O. São Paulo: Fundação Cargill. **Series Culturas de Tuberosas Latinoamericanas**. Vol.3, Chapitre 18. pp. 499-529.
- 5- Vilpoux O., Avérous L. (2004). « Starch-based plastics » In « Technology, use and potentialities of Latin American starchy tubers », Eds: Cereda M.P. et Vilpoux O.; **Collection latin american starchy tubers**. NGO Raízes and Cargill Foundation -São Paulo– Brazil. Book N°3, Chap 18. pp. 521-553
- 6- Avérous L. (2008) "Polylactic acid: synthesis, properties and applications" In "Monomers, Polymers and Composites from renewable resources" Eds: Belgacem N. et Gandini A., **Elsevier Limited Publication**. Chap. 21. pp 433-450. (ISBN: 978-0-08-045316-3)
- 7- Avérous L. (2008) "Multilayer Coextrusion of Starch/Biopolyester" In "Biodegradable Polymer Blends and Composites from Renewable Resources" Ed. Long Yu, **John Wiley & Sons Inc.**, Chap. 18, pp. 441-464 (ISBN: 9780470146835)
- 8- Chivrac F., Pollet E., Avérous L. (2009) "Mechanical properties of starch-based nano-biocomposites" In "Trends in Polymer Research" Ed. G. E. Zaikov, A. Jimenez et Y.B. Monakov, **Nova Publishers**, Chap. 2, pp. 17-28 (ISBN: 1-59454-274-0)
- 9- Bordes P., Pollet E., Avérous L. (2009) "Potential Use of Polyhydroxyalkanoate (PHA) for Biocomposites Development" In « Nano- and Biocomposites » Ed. F. Hussain, A. Kin-tak Lau et K. Lafdi, **CRC Press**, Taylor & Francis Group, Chap. 8, pp. 193-225 (ISBN: 9781420080278)
- 10- Pollet E., Avérous L. (2009) "Recent results in Nano-Biocomposites based on Montmorillonites" In " Advances in Polymer Nanocomposite Technology" Ed. Vikas Mittal, **Nova Publishers**, Chap. 11, pp. (ISBN: 978-1-60741-970-9)

Patent:

L. Avérous, C. Fringant, L. Moro, JC Prudhomme. Matériau biodégradable multicouche à base d'amidon ainsi que son procédé de fabrication. (Starch-based multilayer biodegradable material and its fabrication method). French Patent. 1st April 1999. Publication: 16 Oct 2000. N° FR 2791603

Articles without impact factors:

- Avérous L. (2010). Nano- and Biocomposites. **MaterialsToday**, Vol 13, N°4, p. 57.
- Avérous L. (2009) "Biodegradable Polymer Blends and Composites from Renewable Resources » Book Review - **Macromolecular Chemistry and Physics**, Vol. 210, N° 10, p 890. (DOI: 10.1002/macp.200900141).
- Avérous L. (2007) « Les polymères biodégradables : quelles finalités, quelles opportunités ? » Bulletin du GFP Numéro 106 (Mars 2007). pp. 13-16 (*ISSN 1118-1412*).
- Boquillon N, Laignel B., Avérous L. (2002) "Development of biodegradable packaging from renewable resources". **Food, Cosmetics and Drug Packaging** (Elsevier Publication), Vol.25, N°5, pp. 96-99. (*ISSN: 0951-4554*).

Invited Communications (Outside congress):

- 1-Avérous L (2004), Recent developments on plasticized starch-based biodegradable materials. University of Queensland. Brisbane (Australie). 25 November, 2004.
- 2-Avérous L (2005), "Biodegradable polymeric materials based on renewable resources. From the elaboration to the characterization." ICT –Polymer Departement. Pragua (Czech Republic) 18 October, 2005.
- 3-Avérous L. (2005) "Nano-Biocomposites : Nanofillers organization in biopolymer matrices" ICT – Polymer Departement. Pragua (Czech Republic) 18 October, 2005.
- 4- Avérous L. (2005) « Materials based on Starch ». Universidade Sao Francisco, Itatiba (Brazil) 4 November, 2005
- 5-Avérous L. (2005) « Starch-based biodegradable materials ». Departamento de Engenharia de Alimentos, Universidade de Sao Paulo, Pirassununga (Brazil) 8 November, 2005
- 6-Avérous L. (2006) « Matériaux multiphasés à base d'amidon » CERMAV- Grenoble (France) 26 June 2006
- 7- Avérous L. (2007) « Materials based on renewable resources » Escola Politecnica, Universidade de Sao Paulo, Sao Paulo (Brazil) 24 May 2007
- 8- Avérous L. (2007) « Towards the Improvement of Green Plastics » Australian Institute for Bioengineering and Nanotechnology (AIBN) University of Queensland – Brisbane (Australia) 4 July 2007 (Invited Professor)
- 9-Avérous L. (2008) « Au carrefour du Bio et du nano : les nano-biocomposites » Université de Lille. Villeneuve d'Ascq (France) 29 Feb 2008.
- 10- Avérous L. (2008) « Les nano-biocomposites : Analyse des relations (nano/micro) structures-propriétés » » Supagro, Montpellier (France) 15 May 2008.
- 11- Avérous L. (2008) «Recent advances on Starch-based Nano-Biocomposites » Monash University, Melbourne (Australia) 8 Sept 2008
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