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Current research

- Capillary and nanochromatography coupled with ESI/APCI MS/MS in the examination of natural dyestuffs and historical works of art
- In vitro investigation of processing anticancer metallodrugs and tumor-targeting nanomaterials using a multidimensional analytical methodology
- Investigation of bioavailability/bioaccessibility of metal species from diet supplements; identification of low molecular bioligands responsible for the deactivation of toxic metals in plants
- Implementation of digitally controlled rotating field plasmas in analytical spectrochemistry
- Development of electrophoretic methods for the characterization of nanostructures

Selected publications

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- Miszczak A., Rosłon M., Zbroja G., Brama K., Szalacha E., Gawrońska H., Pawłak K., *SEC ICP MS and CZE ICP MS Investigation of Medium and High Molecular Weight Complexes Formed by Cadmium Ions with Phytochelatins*, Analytical and Bioanalytical Chemistry, 405, 4667, 2013
- Ruzik L., *Speciation of Challenging Elements in Food by Atomic Spectrometry*, Talanta, 93, 18, 2012
- Jankowski K., Reszke E., *Recent Developments in Instrumentation of Microwave Plasma Sources for Optical Emission and Mass Spectrometry: Tutorial Review*, Journal of Analytical Atomic Spectrometry, 28, 1196, 2013
- Oszwałdowski S., Roberts K.P., Timerbaev A.R., *Capillary Zone Electrophoresis of Quantum Dots Dispersed in Mixed Micelles: New Evidence of the Concentration Effect*, Journal of Chromatography A, 1305, 320, 2013

Research profile

Cultural heritage preservation, identification of natural and synthetic dyes in art objects
Kinetic studies of cytotoxic drug complexes and nanoparticles with plasma transport proteins
Metallo-medical diagnosis
Food control, speciation analysis of food products
Characterization of metal deactivation mechanisms in plants
Plasma sources and sample introduction devices for plasma spectrometry
Characterization of semiconductor nanocrystals

Collaboration

Vernadsky Institute of Analytical Chemistry and Geochemistry, Moscow (Russia) – Andrei Timerbaev
Institute of Inorganic Chemistry, Vienna University (Austria) – Bernhard Keppler
College of Chemical Engineering and Materials Science, Zhejiang University of Technology (China) – Zhou Ying
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Scientific awards

- Professor Andrzej Waksztundzki Medal - Award of the Polish Academy of Sciences
- Young Scientist Medal - Award of the Warsaw University of Technology
- 3 Awards of HM Rector of the Warsaw University of Technology for scientific activity (since 2010)

Research equipment

- Mass spectrometers:
- ESI/APCI - MS/MS QqQ (Agilent Technologies)
 - ESI - MS 1100 (Agilent Technologies)
 - ICP MS 7500 (Agilent Technologies)
- Chromatographs HPLC:
- 3 of Agilent Technologies, Perkin Elmer, Waters
 - Capillary HPLC system of Agilent Technologies
 - Nanospray-Chip for ESI MS of Agilent Technologies
- Capillary electrophoresis systems:
- Agilent Technologies
 - Prinse
- Optical emission spectrometers:
- Integra XL ICP-OES (GBC Scientific Equipment)
 - MIP 750MV MIP-OES (Analab)

