# 3. Theses

Lists of doctoral theses, which were written based on the PF experiments.

**Doctor of Science** 

AHMED, Naveed (Chiba Univ.)

"Photocatalytic Conversion of Carbon Dioxide into Methanol over Layered Double Hydroxide Catalysts" (7C, 9A and 9C)

**Doctor of Science** 

TORIGOE, Hiroe (Okayama Univ.)

"Preparation of New Type of Xe-Compounds and Activation of Small Molecules by Utilizing Zeolite as A Specific Reaction Field" (NW10A and 9C)

**Doctor of Science** 

TANG, Qun (CAS)

"RecOR Complex Including RecR N-N Dimer and RecO Monomer Displays a High Affinity for ssDNA. Nucleic Acid Research" (NW10A and 9C)

**Doctor of Engineering** 

YAMAMOTO, Takafumi (Kyoto Univ.)

"Synthesis, Structure, and Physical Properties of Novel Iron Oxides Prepared by Topotactic Reactions" (NE1A)

**Doctor of Science** 

OHTSUBO, Yoshiyuki (Kyoto Univ.)

"Spin-Polarized Electronic States on Ge(111)" (18A and 19A)

**Doctor of Science** 

KOITAYA, Takanori (The Univ. of Tokyo)

"Adsorbed Cyclohexane on Rh(111): Two-Dimensional Superstructure, Energy Level Alignment, and Kinetic and Geometric Isotope Effects" (13A)

**Doctor of Engineering** 

NIWA, Hideharu (The Univ. of Tokyo)

"Electronic Structure of Carbon-Based Oxygen Reduction Catalysts Studied by Soft X-Ray Spectroscopy" (2C)

**Doctor of Engineering** 

SEKI, Kazuaki (Nagoya Univ.)

"Polytype Control and Twin Suppression in Solution Growth of 3C-SiC" (15C)

**Doctor of Engineering** 

ITO, Eri (Nagoya Inst. of Tech.)

"Structure Analysis of Poly(dimethyl siloxane)-Based Amphiphilic Hydrogel for Medical Device Applications" (6A, 9C, and 15A)

**Doctor of Engineering** 

JEONG, Ji-Hoon (Kyoto Univ.)

"Recovery of Heavy Metals from Wastes using Environmentally Friendly Hydrometallurgical Process" (3A)

**Doctor of Engineering** 

HINOKUMA, Satoshi (Kumamoto Univ.)

"Development of Support Material Stabilizing Precious Metal Nanoparticles and Their Preparation Method" (NW10A)

Doctor of Philosophy

VELAGA, Srihari (Univ. of Madras, INDIA)

"Investigation on CdO CaO Solid Solution with Wide band Gap Tunability: Macroscopic Structure, Vibrational and Local Structural Studies at Atomic Scale" (NW10A)

#### **Doctor of Science**

ISOHAMA, Yoichi (Hiroshima Univ.)

"Study of Local Ti Off-Centering of BaTiO₃ Probed by Resonant X-Ray Emission Spectroscopy" (15B1)

#### **Doctor of Science**

MICHISHIO, KOJI (Tokyo Univ. of Sci.)

"Production of an Energy-Tunable Positronium Beam using the Photodetachment of Positronium Negative Ions" (SPF)

#### **Doctor of Science**

HIRAO, Norie (Ibaraki Univ.)

"Development of Micro-XAFS using Synchrotron Soft X-Rays and its Application to Surface State Analyses" (27A)

# **Doctor of Engineering**

HARAGUCHI, Daisuke (Waseda Univ.)

"Investigation of Removal Mechanisms and Modeling for Hydroxide Co-Precipitation Treatment in Wastewater Containing Fluorine and Arsenic" (9A and 12C)

## **Doctor of Agriculture**

NISHIOKA, Taiki (Hokkaido Univ.)

"Structure-Guided Design for Improvement of Enzymes and Their Application" (17A, NE3A, NW12A and 5A)

## **Doctor of Engineering**

MATSUI, Kazuki (MURORAN Inst. of Tech.)

"Pressure-Induced Structural Change of Unfilled Skutterudite Compounds" (NE5C and 18C)

#### **Doctor of Science**

EINAGA, Mari (Niigata Univ.)

"Study of Pressure-Induced Superconductivity and Structural Phase Transition in Bismuth Compounds" (NE1A and 18C)

## **Doctor of Science**

OKADA, Akitoshi (The Univ. of Tokyo)

"Crystal Structure Analysis of DnaB-DnaC Complex Involved in DNA Replication in E. Coli" (NW12A)

## **Doctor of Agriculture**

HORITA, Shoichiro (The Univ. of Tokyo)

"Structural Basis of the Different Substrate Preferences of Two Old Yellow Enzymes from Yeasts in Asymmetric Reduction of Enone Compounds" (NW12A)

# **Doctor of Science**

KIYOTANI, Tamiko (Kitasato Univ.)

"Crystal Structure and Powder X-Ray Analysis of Structural Transition Depended on Temperature and Humidity of Peptide Hydrate" (4B2)

## **Doctor of Science**

ISHIGURO, Nozomu (The Univ. of Tokyo)

"Advanced Characterization of Practical Heterogeneous Catalysts using Time-Resolved/Space-Resolved XAFS" (9A, 9C and 12C)

### **Doctor of Science**

NISHIDA, Keisuke (Tohoku Univ.)

"Density and Sound Velocity Measurements of Liquid Fe-S at High Pressure: Implications for the Earth's and the lunar Cores" (14C2 and NE7A)