## Enhanced Catalyst Durability and Sulfur Tolerance by **Atomic Layer Deposition**

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#### Goals:

- Improve understanding of atomic layer deposition (ALD) dopant-catalyst interactions for sulfur tolerance
- Demonstrate 2x lifetime gains for ALD catalysts during biomass upgrading

### Approach:

- Develop sulfur tolerance relationships for ALD dopant-metal-support interfaces
- Measure improved catalyst S-tolerance when upgrading bioderived intermediates

#### **Impact on the Bioenergy Industry:**

S-tolerant catalysts can potentially reduce the frequency of catalyst regeneration, Rx downtime, and separation burdens that are pain points for the bioenergy industry



#### **ChemCatBio Capabilities Leveraged:**

- Catalytic Upgrading of Biological Intermediates (CUBI)
- Advanced Catalyst Synthesis & Characterization (ACSC)
- Consortium for Computational Physics and Chemistry (CCPC)