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For: U.S. Application  
By: Inventor

**ASSIGNMENT OF INVENTION**

In consideration of the payment by ASSIGNEE to ASSIGNOR of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00), the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, and for other good and valuable consideration,

**ASSIGNOR:**

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hereby sells, assigns and transfers to

**ASSIGNEE:**

The Curators of the University of Missouri  
Office of Technology and Special Projects  
University of Missouri System  
Columbia, Missouri 65211-2015  
A Missouri Corporation

the entire right, title and interest for the United States and its territorial possessions and in all foreign countries, including all rights to claim priority, in and to any and all improvements which are disclosed in the invention entitled:

**PRE-FORMED ASSEMBLIES OF SOLGEL-DERIVED NANOPARTICLES AS 3D SCAFFOLDS  
FOR COMPOSITES AND AEROGELS**

and which is found in the U.S. patent application Serial No. 12/676,129 filed March 2, 2010 and any legal equivalent thereof in a foreign country, including the right to claim priority and, in and to, all Letters Patent to be obtained for said invention by the above application or any continuation, division, renewal, or substitute thereof, and as to letters patent any reissue or re-examination thereof.

ASSIGNOR hereby covenants that no assignment, sale, agreement or encumbrance has been or will be made or entered into which would conflict with this assignment.

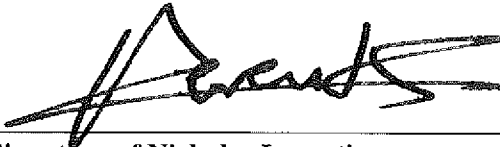
ASSIGNOR further covenants that ASSIGNEE will, upon its request, be provided promptly with all pertinent facts and documents relating to said invention and said Letters Patent and legal equivalents as may be known and accessible to ASSIGNOR and ASSIGNOR will testify as to the same in any interference, litigation or proceeding related thereto and will promptly execute and deliver to ASSIGNEE or its legal representatives any and all papers, instruments or affidavits required to apply for, obtain, maintain, issue and enforce said

application, said invention and said Letters Patent and said equivalents thereof which may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes thereof.

ASSIGNOR hereby authorizes and requests the attorneys of the CARR LLP of Dallas, Texas to insert in the spaces provided above the application number of the application when known.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Assignor has hereunto set his hands on the date indicated below.

15 M.L.  
Date: March 10, 2010

  
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Signature of Nicholas Leventis

State of Missouri  
County of Phelps

I, Patricia Kapila, a Notary Public for said County and State, do hereby certify that Nicholas Leventis personally appeared before me this day and acknowledge the due execution of the foregoing instrument.

Witness my hand and official seal this the 15<sup>th</sup> day of March, 2010.



Patricia Kapila  
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Notary Public

My commission expires March 3, 2012, 20  .

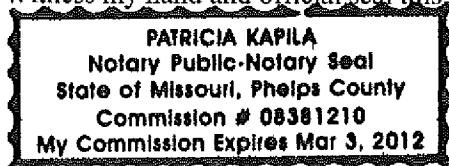
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Signature of Chariklia Sotiriou-Leventis

State of Missouri  
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I, Patricia Kapila, a Notary Public for said County and State, do hereby certify that **Chariklia Sotiriou-Leventis** personally appeared before me this day and acknowledge the due execution of the foregoing instrument.

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