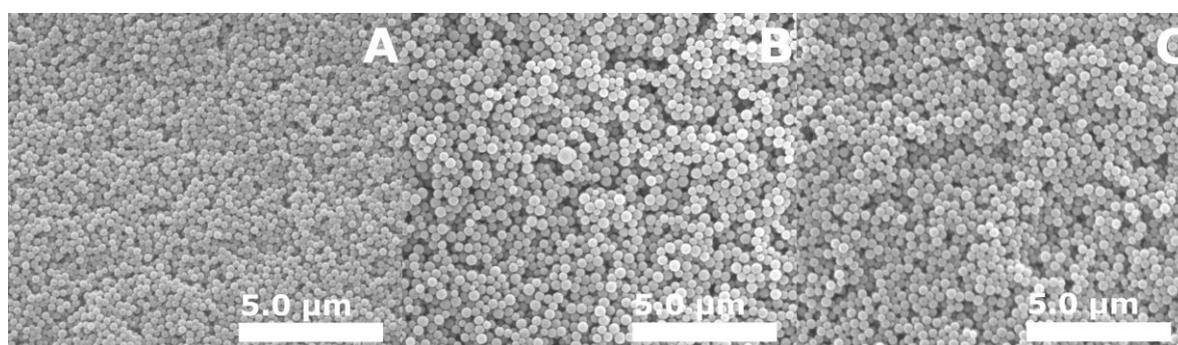


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5 **trimethoxysilane and Emulsion Polymerization of**
6 **Styrene**

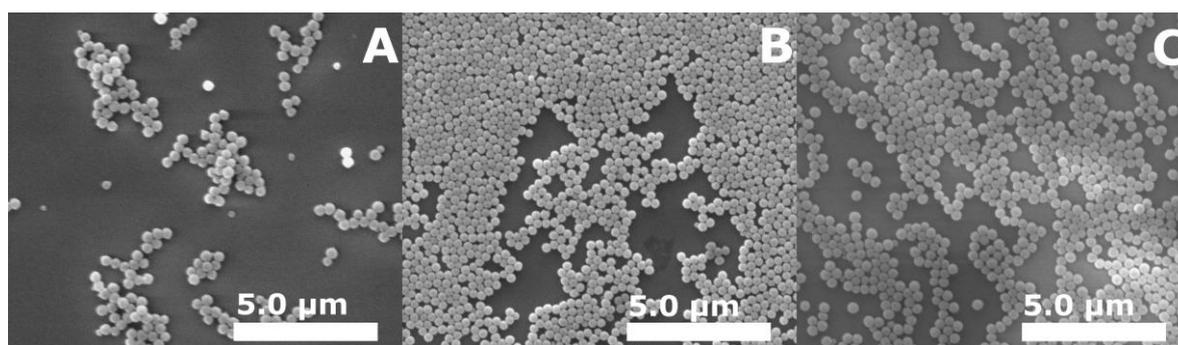
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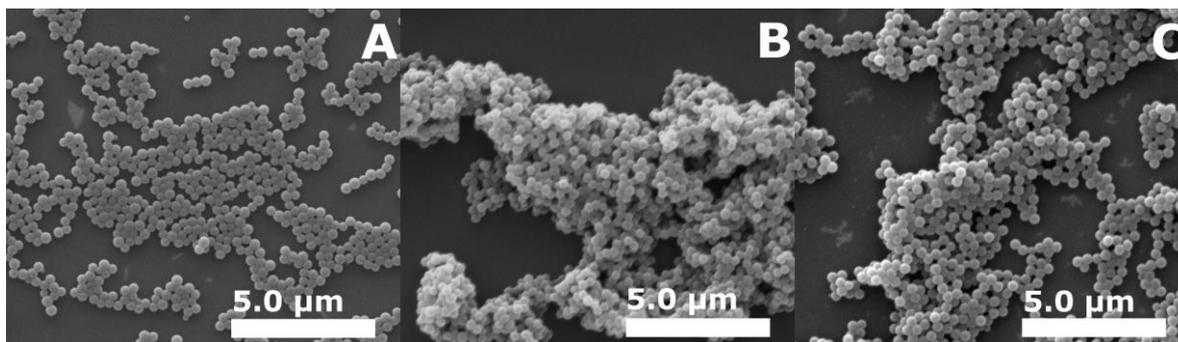
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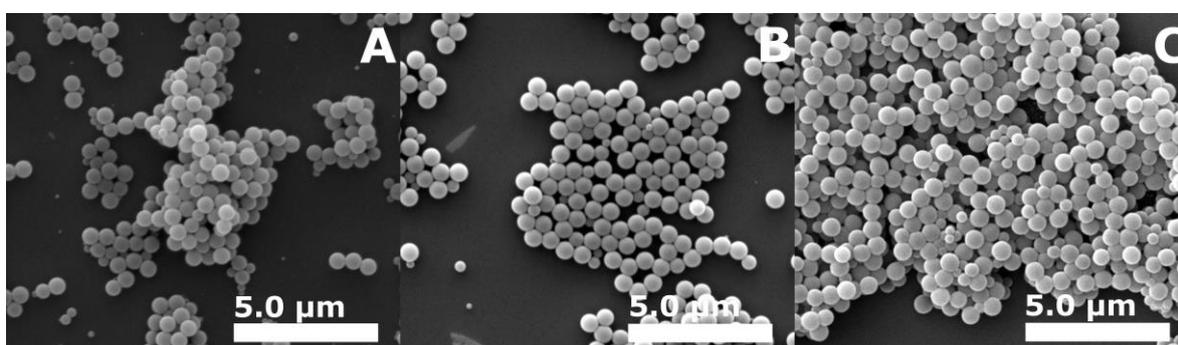
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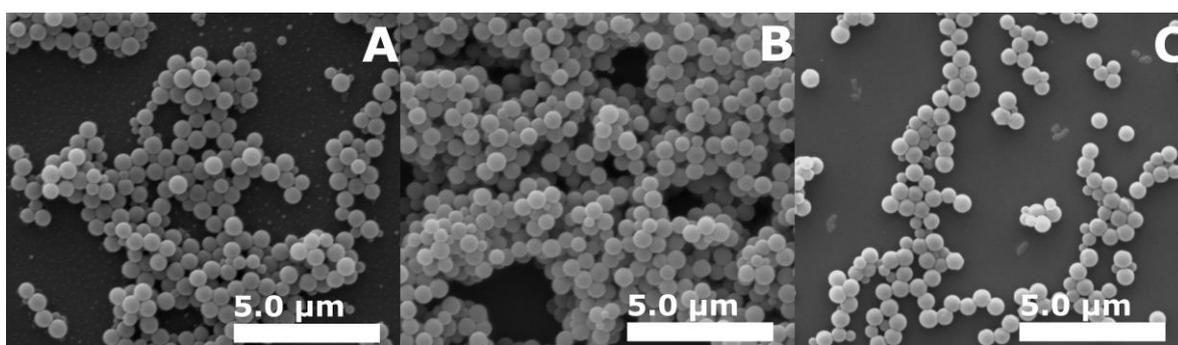
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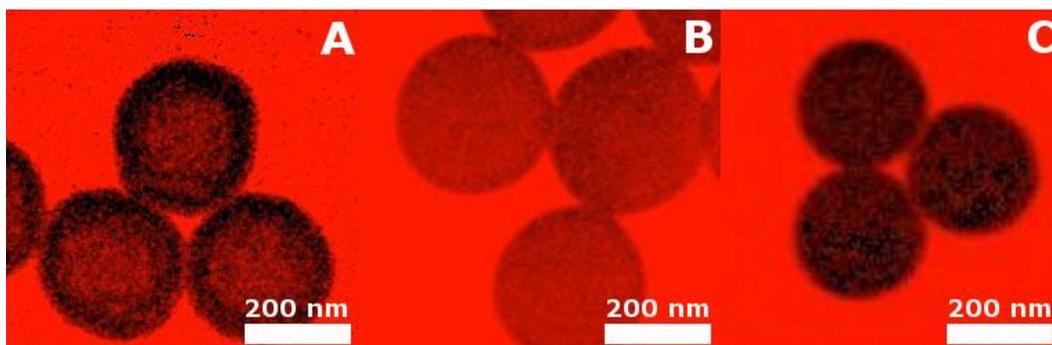


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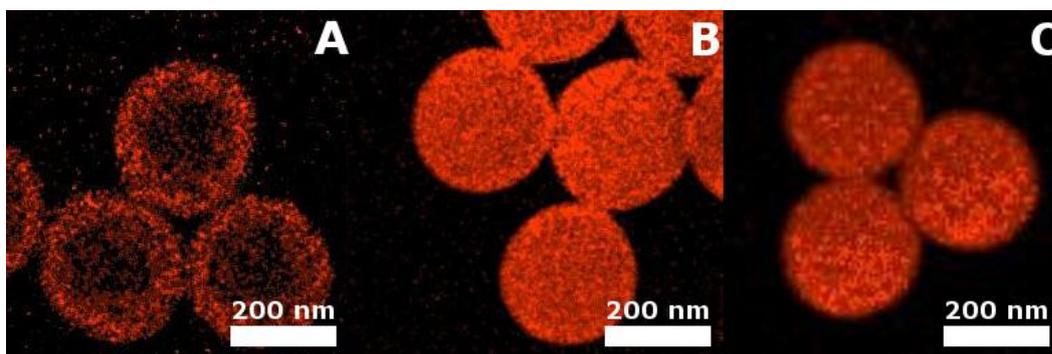
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31 **Figure S6.** STEM-EDS mappings displaying the distribution of carbon in hybrid particles obtained at
32 a ratio of MPTMS:styrene of (A) 20:80, (B) 50:50 and (C) 80:20. The background substrate used for
33 these samples consist of 100% carbon.



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35 **Figure S7.** STEM-EDS mappings displaying the distribution of oxygen in hybrid particles obtained
36 at a ratio of MPTMS:styrene of (A) 20:80, (B) 50:50 and (C) 80:20.

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