Supplementary information

Electrospun Nanofibers with Surface Oriented Lamellar Pattern and Potential Applications

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Electrospinning process details:

The electrospinning duration was 2 to 4 hours. The working distance was 14 cm, while the applied voltage was -3kV on the collector and 18-22 kV on the needle. The relative humidity inside the electrospinning enclosure was fixed in the range of 30-40%, using flowing nitrogen through a bubbler. At acetylacetonate/PVP weight ratio larger than 1.0, the needle voltage was 18 kV to ensure the nanofibers' drying before reaching the collector.



Figure S1. Thermal treatment heating profile.



Figure S2. Precursor solutions' viscosity as a function of acac/PVP weight ratio



Figure S3. Nanofibers' diameters distribution before thermal treatment at different acac/PVP ratio: a) 0.8. b) 1.0 c) 1.5



Figure S4. Nanofibers after thermal treatment in inert atmosphere up to 220°C and in air from 220°C to 475°C.



Figure S5. t-plot comparison between lamellar and smooth surface Fe-Al-O nanofibers.



Figure S6. Isotherm linear plot of smooth and lamellar surface nanofibers

Material	Al-O	Ni-O	Fe-O	Ti-Al-O	Ni-Al-O	Ti-Fe-O
PVP	9	16	14	9	16	8
$M_1(acac)_x$	14	24	20	0	18	0
$M_2(acac)_x$	0	0	0	4	6	4
TTIP	0	0	0	9	0	9
AcAc	0	0	0	6	0	6
Acetic acid	55	0	47	52	0	52
Ethanol	22	0	19	20	0	21
DMF	0	60	0	0	60	0

Table S1. Precursor composition for electrospun nanofiber (all values are in % wt.)

 $\overline{M_v(acac)_x}$ - metal acetylacetonate complex

TTIP- Titanium isopropoxide

AcAc- Acetyl acetate

DMF- Dimethylformamide