# **Curriculum Vitae**

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## **EDUCATION**

#### 2017 - 2023

**Doctor of Philosophy** in Chemistry, Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur, Department of Chemistry, Kanpur, India, 9/10 CGPA.

Doctoral Thesis: "Interaction of Sulfur Dioxide with Metal Complexes"

Thesis Advisor: Dr. Raja Angamuthu

#### 2013 - 2015

**Master of Science** in Chemistry, Specialization: Inorganic chemistry, organic chemistry physical chemistry, environmental chemistry, C.S.J.M University, India.

#### 2010 - 2013

Bachelor of Science in Chemistry, Physics, Mathematics, CSJM University, India.

#### 2009 - 2010

10+2 with Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics, Central Board of Secondary Education.

## 2007 - 2008

10<sup>th</sup> Central Board of Secondary Education.

## SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENTS

1/2019 – 12/2022 Senior Research Fellowship (SRF), Council of Scientific and Industrial Research, Govt. of India

1/2017 – 12/2019 Junior Research Fellowship (JRF), Council of Scientific and Industrial Research, Govt. of India

**18/12/2016** – Qualified Junior Research Fellowship (**JRF**), All India Rank **74**, Council of Scientific and Industrial Research, Govt. of India

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

- "Direct observation of arene sulfur dioxide interaction: Role of metal ions in electronic modulation for binding and activation". S. Singh, S. Dinesh, A. Yadav, S. Raje, R. J. Butcher, M. Sundararajan\* and R. Angamuthu\*, <u>Chem. Commun.</u>, 2024, 60, 11104-11107. <a href="https://doi.org/10.1039/D4CC02329C">https://doi.org/10.1039/D4CC02329C</a>
- 2. Sequestration of Sulfur Dioxide by Utilizing Benzothiazolines Based Schiff-Base Ni(II) Square Planar Complexes (Manuscript to be communicated)
- 3. Benzylideneamino anilines as Organic Hydride Donors in Activation of Sulfur Dioxide (Manuscript to be communicated)

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE/SKILLS

- Synthesis of organic compounds and transition metal complexes, ranging from milligrams to preparative scale, including handling of inert conditions and air sensitive reactions using **Schlenk line technique**, handling thiols, Acids, low temperature reactions and the purifications of metal complexes and organic molecules by Column Chromatography
- Handling of high pressure & temperature reactions using **High-Pressure tubes**
- Working knowledge in **Electrochemistry**
- Characterization of compounds using NMR, IR, UV-VIS, CHN-Analysis, ESI-MS
- Growing crystals and elucidation of structure by Single crystal X-ray diffraction (SCXRD) technique using OLEX, SHELXTL, WINGX, Mercury and Ortep
- Detection of redox potential values of redox active metal complexes using **Cyclic Voltammetry** (CV) technique
- Expertise in softwares and online applications like EndNote, Sci-Finder, Origin Pro, Mestro Nova NMR, Chem Draw, mMass, Microsoft Office etc
- Documentation of records and writing research articles for publications
- Acquainted with sequestration and activation of sulfur dioxide
- Knowledge of two languages: **Hindi** (Native), and **English** (Professional)

#### TEACHING AND SUPERVISION EXPERIENCE

**2021** – **2022** Guided two postgraduate students for M.Sc dissertation, Department of Chemistry, IIT Kanpur, India

**2019** – **2022** Teaching Associate (**TA**) in CHM 654A (BS-MS), CHM441A, CHM 101A, B.Tech Lab, Department of Chemistry, IIT Kanpur, India

#### CONFERENCES AND SYMPOSIUM

2019 – Attended 'Chemical Research Society of India' (CRSI) National conference Department of chemistry IIT Kanpur, India

2020 – Attended a seminar on "Bruker Single Crystal X-ray Diffraction and User Training"

- **2020** Attended international symposium on "Organometallic Chemistry and Catalysis" **IITK/LCC-CNRS joint CEFIPRA/IFCPAR**, Department of chemistry IITK, India
- 2022 Presented a Poster in 'Chemical Research Society of India' (CRSI) National conference Department of chemistry IISER Mohali, India.
- 2022 Presented a Poster in 'Future Aspects of Micro Particles in Chemistry (FAMPC) National conference Department of chemistry Government SSP College Waraseoni (M.P)
- **2022** Presented a Poster in 'Modern Trends in Inorganic Chemistry (MTIC XIX) International conference Department of chemistry BHU-Varanasi.

| Membership              |                   |               |      |
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| Organization            | Membership Status | Membership ID | Year |
| Chemical Research       | Life Membership   | LM 3257       | 2022 |
| Society of India (CRSI) |                   |               |      |

#### **EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES/Hobbies**

2018 – 2019 Worked as a volunteer in **freshers** (Y18, Y19 batches) Department of chemistry IIT Kanpur, India

2019 – 2020 Worked as a volunteer in 'Chemical Research Society of India' (CRSI) National conference Department of chemistry IIT Kanpur, India

Athletic, Swimming, Basket ball (regional sports meet).

## **DECLARATION**

I hereby declare that the above-furnished particulars are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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