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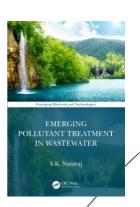
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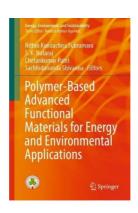
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### **MY BOOKS**

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Google scholar:

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Date of Birth: 4<sup>th</sup> February 1981

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### PRESENT POSITION

# **Professor, Centre for Nano and Material Sciences (CNMS)**

### **WORK EXPERIENCE:**

Professor	1 Spt'18 to	CNMS, JU, India
	Present	
Associate Professor	Dec'15 to 31	CNMS, JU, Bangalore,
	Aug'18	India
<b>DST-INSPIRE Faculty</b>	July'13 to Nov'15	CSIR-CSMCRI,
Fellow	•	Bhavnagar
University of Cambridge	May'10 to July'13	Cavendish Laboratory,
		UK
Academia Sinica	June'09 to	IAMS and CCMS, Taiwan
	April'10	
Chonnam National	May'07 to	AMERI, South Korea
University	April'09	

### **Education**

Ph.D Thesis Title: "Membrane based separation processes for industrial effluent treatment"

Supervisors: Prof. K.M. Hosamani and Prof.T.M. Aminabhavi, Ph.D. USA

Course	Centre/College	University	Duration	Awarded
Ph. D.	Centre of Excellence in Polymer Science	Karnatak University, India.	28-02-05 to 28-02-07	21 <sup>st</sup> Jan'08
M.Sc.	Centre of Excellence in	Karnatak University,	April'02 to	19 <sup>th</sup> Jan'05

	Polymer Science	India	June'04	
B.Sc.	P.C. Jabin Science College	Karnatak University, India	June'99 to May'02	10 <sup>th</sup> Dec'02

### **GRANTS AND PROJECTS**

Project Details	Agency	Role
1. Talent Attraction Program –Community of	Communi	Principal
Madrid, Kingdom of Spain, Institute	tyof	Investigat
IMDEA-Water (€298,000) Duration 4 Years	Madrid,	or
(2018-2022), Functional membranes for	Spain	
water treatment applications. Euros		
299,000.00 2017-T1/AMB5610		
2. DST-NANOMISSION PROJECT:	DST	Principal
Ordered Nanoporous Membranes and	Nanomissio	Investigat
Functional Nanomaterials for Water Treatment	n,Govt. of	or
Applications. Duration 3 Years (2019-2021)	India	
FUND Rs.160 LAKHS SR/NM/NT-1073/2016		
3. <b>DST-INSPIRE FACULTY FELLOW</b>	DST	Principal
AWARD	Govt. of	Investigat
Novel Nanostructured Electrode for Fuel	India	or
Cell and		
Battery Fuel Cell applications (FUND Rs.35.00 LAKH)		
4. Biomass Derived Heteroatom Doped	DST Govt	Principal
Graphene and Hard Carbon Composites for	ofIndia	Investigat
Energy Storage Application Funding: 77.00 Lakhs		or
5. Separation of Biobutanol via Scalable	SERB,	Co-PI
Approach of Pervaporation: To be a	Govt of	
"Viable Biofuel for Future	India	
(FUND Rs.35.00 LAKH) <u>CRG/2018/003474</u>		

### CO-AUTHROED/CO-PI PROJECTS

6. EPSRC-UK FOLLOW-ON-FUND, (£120,000.00), UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE, UK

A high performance supercapacitor using novel patented electrode technology.

7. QATAR FOUNDATION (QNRF)—WORK SITE-UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE, UK Composite Reverse Osmosis Membranes from Block Copolymers

 $\square$  Supervising: 10-Ph. D, (Ongoing), 2-Mater Projects, 3-Undergraduate Projects

### **BROADER RESEARCH INTERESTS AND EXPERIENCE IN:**

Membranes - Separation and Purification Technology, Sustainable and Green Energy Materials for Forward Osmosis, Fuel Cells - Membrane-Electrode-Assemblies [MEAs], Thin Supercapacitor

Electione-Assembl	nes [MEAs], Thin Supercapacitor				
	<ul> <li>Developing block copolymer thin-film membranes,</li> </ul>				
LEADERSHIP	establishinglab scale preparation and testing facilities				
(Design,	at Cavendish Lab, University of Cambridge (2011-				
Construction and	13).				
Training)	<ul> <li>Construction of Membrane Based-Gas Separation Unit</li> </ul>				
1141111115)	at				
	Cavendish Lab, University of Cambridge (May'2010-				
	Nov'2010).				
	<ul> <li>Starting Proton-Exchange Membrane for Fuel Cell</li> </ul>				
	researchactivities (2009-10).				
	<ul> <li>Electrospinning Facility, National Taiwan University</li> </ul>				
	(2009-10).				
	<ul> <li>Establishing Membrane testing facilities in Karnatak</li> </ul>				
	University(2005-07).				
	<b>MEMBRANES: Preparation/Development, Testing</b>				
SKILLS	Including; Performance Evaluation, Fouling Studies,				
	Characterization using Scanning Electron Microscope				
	(SEM)				
	Transmission Electron Microscope (TEM)				
	Atomic Force Microscope (AFM)				
	ATR-Fourier Transform Infra-Red Spectroscope (FTIR)				
	UV-Visible Spectroscope, Zeta Potential, Porosity Meter,				
	OSMO				
	Inspector, GPC, HPLC, Contact Angle, Testing Cell and				
	Unit Design				
COLLADODATI	Prof. K-H. Chen, Academia Sinica,				
COLLABORATI	Taipei, Taiwan.Prof. C-H. Wang,				
ONS	NTUST, Taipei, Taiwan.				
	Prof. K.S. Yang, Chonnam National University,				
	South Korea. Dr. Kamalesh Prasad, CSIR-				
	CSMCRI, Bhavnagar.				
	Dr. Ramavatar Meena, CAIR-CSMCRI, Bhavnagar.				

### INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE TECHNICAL

### SESSION CHAIRCONVENER

International Conference on Green Methods for Separation, Purification and Nanomaterials Synthesis -2018 (GMSP&NS-2018) organized by Centre for Nano and Material Sciences, Jain University on 24<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup> April 2018

# at JGI Global Campus, Bengaluru.

# Delegates from 5 Different Countries and 14 Different states

# within INDIA.Organizing Committee

- Advisory Committee: International Conference on "Advanced Materials Science and Applications (ICAMSA-2020)" Organized by MS Ramaiah Institute of Science and Technology, Bangalore 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> September 2020.
- Technical Committee Member: 2nd National Seminar on Frontiers in Materials and Chemical Sciences (NSFMC 2020) 31<sup>st</sup> August to 4th September 2020.
- Technical Committee Member: International Conference on Innovations in Material Science (AIMS-2020) organized by BMS Institute of Technology and Management on 6<sup>th</sup> August 2020.
- Advisory Committee: 2<sup>nd</sup> International Conference on Advanced Materials & Technology (ICMAT-20) on 17<sup>th</sup> January 2020. 17<sup>th</sup> January 2020,

### **CONFERENCE SESSION CHAIR:**

- Chaired Session on "Ultrafast Excited State Dynamics of Twisted Aromatics" at 2nd National Seminar on Frontiers in Materials and Chemical Sciences (NSFMC 2020) 31<sup>st</sup> August to 4th September 2020.
- Chair and Panel Member for session "Water Pollution: Monitoring & Remediation" at International Conference on Innovations in Material Science (AIMS-2020) organized by BMS Institute of Technology and Management on 6<sup>th</sup> August 2020.
- Chaired the Session on "Smart Materials and Water Treatment" at Second International Conference on Advanced Materials & Technology (ICMAT-20) on 17<sup>th</sup> January 2020. 17<sup>th</sup> January 2020,
- International Conference on Green Methods for Separation, Purification and Nanomaterials Synthesis -2018 (GMSP&NS-2018) organized by Centre for Nano and Material Sciences, Jain University on 24<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup> April 2018
- International Conference on Advanced Materials and Technology, ICMAT-16 held at Mysuru on 26<sup>th</sup> to 28<sup>th</sup> May 2016.

### **INVITED TALKS**

1. Delivered Invited Talk on "Exploring Bio-Based Materials for Energy and Environmental Applications" at National Webinar organized by Department of Physics, Davangere University, Davangere, 30<sup>th</sup> June 2021.

- 2. Delivered Invited Talk on ""Sustainable Materials and Processes for Future" at National Webinar organized by Department of Chemistry, Gokhale Centenary College, Ankola, Uttara Kannada, 18<sup>th</sup> June 2021.
- 3. Delivered Invited Talk on ""Advances in Sustainable Materials and Processes" at National Webinar organized by P. C. Jabin Science College, Hubballi, 10<sup>th</sup> June 2021.
- 4. Delivered Invited Talk on "Functional Nanomaterials-based Membranes and Filtration kits for effective treatment of Water" at Global Academy of Technology Bengaluru, 12<sup>th</sup> November 2020.
- 5. Delivered Invited Talk on "Strategic Multifunctional Materials for Water and Energy Applications" at Dr. B.R. Ambedkar National Institute of Technology, Jalandhar, 18<sup>th</sup> September 2020.
- 6. Delivered Invited Talk on "Chemistry in the Service of Society at Raja Lakhamangouda Science Institute, Belagavi on 25<sup>th</sup> June 2020.
- 7. Delivered Invited talk on Intellectual Property Rights and Advances in Functional Nanomaterials for Water Treatment Applications" at One Day State Level Seminar on Intellectual Property Rights (IPR), BVV Sangha's Basaveshwar Science College, Bagalkot on 24<sup>th</sup> February 2020.
- 8. Delivered Invited Talk on "Strategic Advancement in Multifunctional Materials" at BMS
  Institute of Technology and Management, Bangalore on 11<sup>th</sup> February 2020.
- 9. Delivered Invited Talk on "Smart and Functional Nanomaterials for Water Treatment and Energy Applications" at Second International Conference on Advanced Materials & Technology (ICMAT-20) on 17<sup>th</sup> January 2020.
- 10.Delivered Invited Talk on "Designing Sustainable Functional Nanomaterials for Water Treatment and Energy Applications at MS Ramaiah Institute of Science and Technology, Bangalore on 14<sup>th</sup> January 2020.
- 11.Delivered Invited Talk on "Waste to Wealth: Future Materials for Clean Water and Green Energy" at JSS University of Science and Technology, Bannimantap, Mysuru, Karnataka 570015 on 24<sup>th</sup> July 2019.
- 12.Invited Talk on "Sustainable Materials and Processes for Safe Water, Clean Environment and Green Energy" at Quality Improvement Programme in Chemistry held at ChristUniversity, Bangalore on 21<sup>st</sup> May 2019.
- 13.Invited Talk on "Interdependence of Science and Technology in Present Scenario" on 2<sup>nd</sup>
  March 2018 at Tontadarya College of Engineering, Gadag, India.
- 14.Invited Talk on "Forward Osmosis: An Emerging Separation and Purification Process. On 18<sup>th</sup> January 2018 at Department of Chemistry and Physics, Ramaiah Institute of Technology, Bangalore-54, is organizing a

- Faculty Development Programme (FDP) on "Recent Advances in Material Science and Application (RAMSA-2018).
- 15.Invited Talk on "Green Materials for Clean Water and Energy" on 2<sup>nd</sup> August 2017 at Department of Physics, Ramaiah Institute of Technology, Bangalore-54, is organizing a Faculty Development Programme (FDP) on "Recent Trends in Photonic Techniques" during 31<sup>st</sup> July 5<sup>th</sup> August 2017.
- 16.Invited Talk on "Sustainable Materials for Clean Water and Green Energy Applications" at *International Conference on Green Chemistry & Nanotechnology-Opportunities and Challenges* (GCNOC-2017) held at St. Aloysius College, Mangalore 27-28<sup>th</sup> February, 2017.
- 17.Invited Talk on Forward Osmosis: A Membrane Based Energy Efficient Process for Waste Treatment, Biomacro-molecules enrichment and value addition at *International Conference on Advanced Materials and Technology* 2016, **ICMAT-16** held at Mysuru on 26<sup>th</sup> May 2016 to 28<sup>th</sup> May 2016.
- 18.Delivered Invited Talk on "Sustainable Materials and Processes" at P. C. Jabin Science College, Hubballi on 8<sup>th</sup> March 32016.
- 19.Delivered Invited Talk on "Advanced and Sustainable Materials for Clean Water and Green Energy Applications" at Shri Siddeshwar Government College and PG Study Center, Nargund-582207 on 9<sup>th</sup> March 2016.
- 20. Young Researchers Conclave, Indian Institute of Technology Gandhinagar on December 27–28, 2013.
- 21.Recent Developments in Membrane Science and Technology: Focus on Forward Osmosis on 25<sup>th</sup> June-2014 RASPCENT-2014: Rajkot, Gujarat, INDIA.
- 22.Recent Advances in Separation and Purification Science and Technology on 19<sup>th</sup> August 2014, Forbes Academy, Gokak Falls, Karnataka, INDIA.
- 23.P.C. Jabin Science College, Karnatak University (2<sup>nd</sup> Aug' 2011, Hubli, India)

## **Research Supervision/Guidance: Research Scholars**

#### Ph.D

	Name of the Student	Course	Joining/Duratio	Role		
			n			
1	Ashesh Mahto	Ph.D	August 2014- 2019	Guide		
	Title: Designing of Materials Targeting Separation and Energy Storage Applications					
2	A.Kanakraj	Ph.D	June 2016-2020	Guide		
	Title: Eco-friendly Synthesis of Functional Materials for Energy and Environmental Applicaions					
3	M.R. Nidhi	Ph.D	August 2017- 2021	Guide		
	Title: Synthetic and Bio Applications	omaterial Interface	es for Membrane Se	eparation		

4	Mahaveer Halakarni	Ph.D	2018	Guide		
	Title: Designing High Performance Compatible Membranes and Draw Solutions for					
	Forward Osmosis Process of Industrial Importance					
5	Manohara H. M.	Ph.D	August 2017- 2021	Co-Guide		
	Title: Design and Synth Purification	nesis of Functional	l Materials for Univ	ersal Water		
	with Simultaneous Val	ue Addition				
6	Radha N.	Ph.D	August 2017- 2021	Co-Guide		
	Title: Functional Nanon Energy	materials and Nan	ocomposites for Ele	ectrochemical		
	Storage					
7	Supratim Chakraborty	Ph.D	2018	Co-Guide		
	Title: Design & synthes	sis of functionalize	ed biopolymers and	their		
	application in					
0	catalysis	DI D	A (2010	G G : 1		
8	Sachin M. Shet	Ph.D	August 2018	Co-Guide		
	Title: Designing and De Enhanced	evelopment of Str	ategies for Protein I	Packaging with		
	Stability for Improved	Biocatalysis				
9	Anshu Kumar	AcSIR 800 Project	January 2015	Project Guide		
	Title: Collecting Water Gujarat for	Sample From Dif	ferent Part Of Raja	sthan And		
	Analysis and Removal	of Fluoride, Chroi	mium and Color			
10	Smitha Kamath	Ph.D	June 2019	Guide		
	Title: Bio-based Functi Applications	onal Nanomateria	ls for Water Treatm	ent		
11	Ashok Maraddi	Ph.D	June 2019	Guide		
	Title: Biopolymer Deri Water	ved Functionalize	d Polyelectrolyte C	omplexes for		
	Treatment					
12	Santosh K.N.	Ph.D	June 2019	Guide		
	Title: Design and Deve Molecular	lopment of Contro	olled Nanoporous M	Iembrane		
	Separation					
13	Mahadevprasad K.N.	Ph.D	June 2019	Guide		

	Title: Engineering the Pore Characteristics in Membranes using Ordered					
	Nanomaterials for Wat	er Treatment Appl	lication			
14	Glenita D'Souza	Ph.D	June 2019	Guide		
	Title: Ordered Nanopor	rous Membranes f	or Water Treatment	Application		
15	Juno Rose Attakin					
	Title: Designing Seaweed-based Electrocatalysts for Energy Conversion and Storage  Applications					
16	Prahlada	Ph.D	June 2019	Co-guide		
	Title: Development of Flexible Miniaturized Li-S Batteries					
17						

# M.Sc

	Name of the Student	Course	Joining	Status			
1							
1	M.R. Nidhi	M.Sc -RO	Aug-2015	Complete d			
	Title: Low operating pressure nanofiltration membranes with Functionalized						
	Nanoclay as antifouling and flux	promoting agen	nt				
2	Deepika D.	M.Sc -RO	Aug-2016	Complete d			
	Title: Separation of Protein using UF  Membranes	Chitosan-Silve	r Nanocomposi	ite-based			
3	Vibha Sharma	M.Sc -RO	Aug-2016	Complete			
3	v iona Sharma	Wi.SC -KO	Aug-2010	d			
	Title: Modified Fe-AL Layered I cleaner for	•	de as Reusable	Micro-			
	Robust Removal of Anionic Dye		2.5 2010				
4	Smitha Kamath	M.Sc	May-2018	Complete d			
	Title: Functionalized Carbon Helix as an Effective Adsorbent for Cationic Dye Removal						
5	Sweedal Annunciata D'souza	M.Sc	May-2018	Complete d			
	Title:						
6	Smitha	M.Sc	Dec-2017	Complete d			

	Title: Engineering the Hydrophilicity of Ultrafiltration Membrane to Prevent the					
	Organic Fouling using Nanocomposites					
7	Prahlada	M.Sc	May-2019	Complete d		
	Title: Deep Eutectic Solvents as a Batteries	an Electrolyte fo	or Rechargeable	e Zinc ion		
7	Aleena	M.Sc	June-2019	Complete d		
	Title: Biopolymer Based Aerogel	Membrane for	Water Purifica	tion		
8	Asish Jolly	M.Sc	June-2019	Complete d		
	Title: Iron Based Magnetic Nano Metal Ion	composite Aero	gel Membrane	for Heavy		
	Removing	1.0	7 2010			
9	Aswathi	M.Sc	June-2019	Complete d		
	Title: Manganese Based Aerogel	Membrane for	Water Purificat	ion		
10	Keerthana	M.Sc	June-2019	Complete d		
	Title: Carbon Induced Chitosan-A	Agar for Water 1	Purification			
11	Shraddha Shetty	M.Sc	June-2019	Complete d		
	Title: Preparation of Chitosan-Bentonite Membrane over Polysulfone					
12	Vishwanath Reddy	MSc	June-2019	Ongoing		
13	Gowri Kakade	MSc	June-2020	Ongoing		

# SCIENTIFIC AND ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS

Editorial Board	GOOGLE CITATIONS, MAY'21
<ul> <li>Advances in Environmental Chemistry 20/07/2013</li> </ul>	ALL 4489 CITATIONS 30
• The Scientific World Journal (19/09/2013)	h- 56
• Journal of Science and Technology	index
(15/03/2016)	i10-
• Journal of Environmentally Friendly Processes(7May 20)	index

# **JOURNAL REFEREED**

1. Polymer, 2. Carbon, 3. Nanoscale, 4.International Journal of Hydrogen Energy, 5. Environmental Technology, 6. Advances in Polymer Technology, 7. J. Microscopy and Microanalysis, 8. Journal of Hazardous Materials, 9. Biotechnology and Bioengineering, 10. Material Science and Engineering B, 11. Journal of Membrane Science, 12. Chemical Engineering Journal, 13. Medical Engineering and Physics, 14. RSC Advances, 15. Carbon Letters, 16. Green Chemistry, 17. Korean Journal of Chemical Engineering, 18. Advanced Material Interfaces 19. Fibers and Polymers, 20. ACS Sus Chem& Eng

## Fellowships and Grants/Professional Memberships

- Fellow of Royal Society of Chemistry- Chemical Science: FRSC-Membership No: 515825
- Talent Attraction Program Fellowship, Institute IMDEA-Water, Spain (2018)
- 4<sup>th</sup> JU-AWARD for Research Achievements
- DST-INSPIRE Faculty Award (2013-2018)
- Member of American Chemical Society: Membership No: 31122994
- Postdoctoral Research Fellowship: Qatar National Research Fund [QNRF]
- Member: American Physics Society [APS]
- Member: Material Research Society [MRS]
- Grant from Global Partnership Program [GPP]
- Brain Korea Program [BK 21]
- Project Assistant Fellowship 2004–2007 (Funded by UGC, New Delhi, India).
- Member of the Society for Polymer Science, Dharwad Chapter
- AMAOUT II Fellowship, IMDEA Water Institute, Spain

# **NATURE India Research Highlights**

- [1] OUTLOOK-Magazine Research Highlight WEBSITE: 09 AUGUST 2017 "Indian Scientists Turn Sugar Industry Waste Into Next-Gen Battery Material": Link:
  - https://www.outlookindia.com/website/story/indian-scientists-turn-sugar-industry- waste-into-next-gen-battery-material/300202
- [2] **Nature India Highlight:** Green material for making superecapacitors: Link: http://www.natureasia.com/en/nindia/article/10.1038/nindia.2017.112
- [3] Seaweed used to make dye-degrading photocatalyst: doi:10.1038/nindia.2016.87 Published online 13 July 2016; Link: http://www.natureasia.com/en/nindia/article/10.1038/nindia.2016.87; work: Chaudhary, J. P. *et al.* Fabrication of carbon and sulphur-doped nanocomposites withseaweed polymer carrageenan as efficient catalyst for rapid degradation of dye pollutants using solar concentrator. *RSC Adv.* 6, 61716–61724 (2016).
- [4] Green process for purifying protein, DNA. 29 October 2015; | doi:10.1038/nindia.2015.144: Nature India link: http://www.natureasia.com/en/nindia/article/10.1038/nindia.2015.150 Work: Mondal,

- D. *et al.* Deep eutectic solvents as new class of draw agent to enrich low abundant DNA and proteins using forward osmosis. *RSC Adv.* **5**, 89539–89544 (2015).
- [5]Seaweed polymer helps make ecofriendly membrane. 16 November 2015;|doi:10.1038/nindia.2015.150; Nature India link: <a href="http://pubs.acs.org/doi/abs/10.1021/acsami.5b08705">http://pubs.acs.org/doi/abs/10.1021/acsami.5b08705</a>; Work: Chaudhary, J. P. et
  - al. Chitosan-based aerogel membrane for robust oil-in-water emulsion separation. ACSAppl. Mater. Interfaces 7, 24957–24962 (2015)
- [6] A. Mahto, A. Kumar, M. Bhatt, J. P. Chaudhary, A. K. Sharma, P. Paul, <u>S.K.</u> <u>Nataraj,\*</u> and
  - R. Meena\* Solvent-free production of nano-FeS anchored Graphene from Ulva fasciata: A Scalable synthesis of super-adsorbent for lead, chromium and dyes, Journal of Hazardous Materials, *Journal of Hazardous Materials*, *353,5 July 2018, 190-203*.
    - 1) <u>https://www.thehindubusinessline.com/news/science/nanomaterial-drawn-from-seaweed-can-clean-toxic-</u>

water/article23456953.ece

- 2) https://paperdabba.com/2018/04/06/nanomaterial-drawn-from-seaweed-can-clean-toxic-water/
- 3) <a href="http://www.easternmirrornagaland.com/nanomaterial-drawn-from-seaweed-can-clean-toxic-water/">http://www.easternmirrornagaland.com/nanomaterial-drawn-from-seaweed-can-clean-toxic-water/</a>
- 4) <a href="http://www.indianews-today.com/news/nanomaterial-drawn-from-seaweed-can-clean-toxic-water">http://www.indianews-today.com/news/nanomaterial-drawn-from-seaweed-can-clean-toxic-water</a>
- 5) <a href="http://www.thehindu.com/sci-tech/science/csmcri-uses-seaweed-to-remove-lead-chromium-and-dyes-from-">http://www.thehindu.com/sci-tech/science/csmcri-uses-seaweed-to-remove-lead-chromium-and-dyes-from-</a>

wastewater/article23458746.ece?utm

- 6) https://www.researchstash.com/2018/04/06/seaweed-nanoparticles-can-clean-toxic-water/
- 7) <u>http://www.downtoearth.org.in/news/nanomaterial-drawn-from-</u>seaweed-can-clean-toxic-water-60113

## **FIRST TIME**

- 1. Forward Osmosis: Granted 2 patents on potential platform technology based on Forward Osmosis process indigenous membranes.
- 2. Filed a patent on Bio-based Fluoride, Chromium and colour removal nanocomposite ineasy to used Tea Bag and filter cake design, which can take up F > 150 mg/g.
- 3. First time we created stock of Aerogels for multi-contaminants removal.
- 4. First time we adopted natural fibres as an effective media for treating various contaminated water.
- 5. Patented (filed) process of converting Fresh Seaweed to scalable graphene

- oxide andreduced Graphene oxide for Fuel Cell and Energy storage applications.
- 6. Successfully prepared seaweed based membranes and tested for Oil-Water (wastewater)separation (Patented) and in Direct Methanol Fuel Cells.

  Books Authored

1. Title: Advances in Emerging Pollutant Treatment

Author: S. K. Nataraj

Publisher: CRC PRESS/TAYLOR & FRANCIS

2. Title: Advanced Materials and Methods for Water Treatment

Author: S. K. Nataraj

Publisher: I K INTERNATIONAL PVT LTD

### **Books Edited**

3. Title: Advanced Polymeric Functional Materials for Energy and Environment

Author: K. S. Nithin, S. K. Nataraj, S. Siddaramaih

Publisher:

# **SpringerBOOK**

SI No	Authors	Book Series	Book Chapter	Publisher
CHA	PTERS	Book Series	Book Chapter	2009 Nova
1	S. K. Nataraj, B. H.			Science
	Kim & K. S. Yang,			Publishers,
	A Summitted of Vision and Schooling Science		Chapter-5:Carbon Nano-	Inc., New
	Nanofibers Fabrication, Performance,	Nanofibers: Fabrication,		York, USA.
	W.N. Chang	Performance, and Applications		ISBN 978-1-
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	S.K.Nataraj			
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	OPTOELECTRONIC AND ENERGY APPLICATIONS	Functional Composites for	Composites for Opto-	Elsevier
		Optoelectronic and Energy	electronics and Energy	Publishing
		Applications	Applications	House
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		Polymer-Based Functional	Characterization of	1.
		Materials for Biomedical	Biomedically Important	IGI Global
	Satisha & SKN	Applications	Hydrogels using High Energy	Publisher
			Radiation	

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#### **CONFERENCES AND PRESENTATIONS**

- 1. Manohara H.M., Supratim C., Kanakaraj A., Debasis Ghosh, Nripat Singh, Kamalesh Prasad, D. Kalpana, D. Mondal,\* and S. K. Nataraj\* Presented poster on the topic "Active microcleaner derived from green solvent for water purification and as potential carbocatalyst" in the International conference on Frontiers in materials from basic science to real-time applications (F2DM-2019) held at Jain University, Bangalore, on 13-16th March, 2019. (Awarded Best Poster Presentation)
- 2. Sachin M. Shet, Manohara H. M., Supratim Chakraborty, Debasis Ghosh, S. K. Nataraj\* and D. Mondal\* presented a poster entitled "Biopolymer based free standing membrane for water purification" in the International conference on Frontiers in materials from basic science to real-time applications (F2DM-2019) held at Jain University, Bangalore, on 13-16th

- March, 2019.
- 3. Radha N, Kanakaraj A, Manohar H. M, Nidhi M. R, D. Mondal, S. K. Nataraj\* and Debasis Ghosh\* presented poster on the topic "Constructing a High Performance Aqueous Zinc Ion Battery cathode with a Organo Vanadyl Hybrid material" in the International conference on Frontiers in materials from basic science to real-time applications (F2DM-2019) held at Jain University, Bangalore, on 13-16th March, 2019. (Awarded Best Oral Presentation)
- 4. Kanakaraj A., Nidhi M. R., Manohar H. M., Radha., Debasis Ghosh, D. Mondal,\* and S. K. Nataraj\* presented Poster on the topic "Biomass Derived Ultrahigh Surface Area Activated Carbon for Supercapacitor and Water Treatment Applications" in an International conference Frontiers in Materials from Basic Science to Real-time Applications (F2DM-2019), held at Bangalore on 13-16,March 2019.
- 5. T. Sarath Kumar, Sachin M. Shet, **S.K. Nataraj\***, D. Mondal\*, Satyapriya Bhandari\* presented a poster entitled "Review on optoelectronics derived from biobased quantum dots" in the International conference on Frontiers in materials from basic science to real-time applications (F2DM-2019) held at Jain University, Bangalore, on 13-16th March, 2019.
- 6. Supratim Chakraborty, Manohara H.M., Kanakaraj A., Nidhi M. R., Radha N., Debasis Ghosh,
  - **S. K. Nataraj\*** and D. Mondal\* (\*corresponding author) presented poster "An ecofriendly approach for DNA metallization in DES; a reusable nano bio catalyst for Suzuki coupling reaction" in the F2DM 2019, held on 13 16th March, in CNMS, Jain University, Bengaluru.
- 7. Radha N, Kanakaraj A, Manohar H. M, Nidhi M. R, D. Mondal, S. K. Nataraj\* and Debasis Ghosh\* presented poster on the topic "Boosting the Supercapacitive Performance of Polyaniline Using Nickel-iron Oxide as Adjuvant" in KSTA organized conference held at NMKRV college, Bangalore on 1-2nd February 2019.
  - 8. Manohara H.M., Kanakaraj A., Nidhi M. R., Radha N., Debasis Ghosh, **S. K. Nataraj\*** and D. Mondal\* (\*corresponding author) presented Poster on the topic "Active Micro-cleaner derived from Green Solvent for On-Demand Applications" in an KSTA organized conference held at NMKRV college, Bangalore on 1-2nd February 2019.
  - **9.** Kanakaraj Aruchamy, Manohar H.M., Radha., Nidhi M. R, Debasis Ghosh, D. Mondal,\* and **S.** 
    - **K.** Nataraj\* (\*corresponding author) presented Poster on the topic "Ultrafast Synthesis of Exfoliated Manganese Oxide in Deep Eutectic

- Solvents for Water Purification and Energy Storage" in an International conference KSTA 11th annual conference, held at Bangalore on 1-2,February 2019.
- 10.Nidhi M.R. A. Kanakaraj, D. Ghosh, D. Mondal\* and **S. K. Nataraj\*** (\*corresponding author) presented poster on the topic of "Antifouling properties of biopolymer-Ag interfaces with polysulfone Ultrafiltration membrane for wastewater Treatment" International conference on Nanoscience and Nanotechnology (ICONN 2019), on 28th to 30th January 2019 at SRM University Chennai.
- 11.Manohara H.M., Kanakaraj A., Nidhi M. R., Radha N., Debasis Ghosh, **S. K. Nataraj\*** and D. Mondal\* (\*corresponding author) presented Poster on the topic "One-pot Synthesis of Solvothermal Carbon from Eutectic Mixture as High-performance Micro/Nano-cleaner and Efficient Carbocatalyst" in an International conference 10th Bangalore India Nano, held at Bangalore on 5-7th December 2018.
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- **13.**Kanakaraj Aruchamy, Manohar H.M., Radha., Nidhi M. R, Debasis Ghosh, D. Mondal,\* and **S.** 
  - **K.** Nataraj\* (\*corresponding author) presented Poster on the topic "Green solvent mediated ecofriendly and Ultrafast Synthesis of Exfoliated Manganese Oxide in room temperature for dye removal and supercapacitor" in an International conference 10th Bangalore India Nano, held at Bangalore on 5-7th December 2018.
- 14.K. Aruchamy, R. N, Manohara H. M, Nidhi M. R, D. Mondal, D. Ghosh\* and S. K. Nataraj\* presented poster on the topic "One-step Green Route Synthesis of Spinel ZnMn2O4/MWCNT Nano-composites as a Novel Electrode Material for Supercapacitors" in International Conference on Green methods for, Separation and Purification and Nanomaterial Synthesis (GMSPNS), on 24th & 25th April 2018 at CNMS Jain University, Bangalore.
- 15. Kanakaraj Aruchamy, Meena Bisht, P. Venkatesu, Nidhi M. R, Debasis Ghosh, Dibyendu Mondal,\* and Sanna Kotrappanavar Nataraj\* presented oral presentation on the topic "Green Conversion of Biomass to Functionalized Helical Carbon as a Support for Cytochrome C" in

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- 17. Nidhi M. R., Kanakaraj Aruchamy, Vibha Sharma, D. Deepika, and Sanna Kotrappanavar Nataraj\* presented Poster on the topic "Functionalized Nanoclay as Antifouling and Flux Promoter in Nanofiltration and FO membrane" in an International conference GCNOC, held at Mangalore on 27-28<sup>th</sup> February 2017.
- 18.Manohara H.M., Kanakaraj A., Nidhi M. R., Radha N., Debasis Ghosh, Dibyendu Mondal,\* and Sanna Kotrappanavar Nataraj\* presented Poster on the topic "Bio nanocomposite-based magnetic aerogel membrane for selective separation and removal of emerging pollutants" in an International conference 9<sup>th</sup> Bangalore India Nano, held at Bangalore on 7-8<sup>th</sup> December 2017.
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- 30. **Vibha Sharma**, H.M. Manohara, A. Kanakaraj, M.R. Nidhi, D.Ghosh, D.Mondal, and S. K. Nataraj\*, presented Poster on the topic "Reusable magnetic aerogel membranes for selective separation and removal of emerging pollutants" in an National Conference on Recent Advances in Chemistry and Material Sciences (**RACMS-2018**) on 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2018 at **Jain University**, Bengaluru.
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- 34. A. Kanakaraj, M. Bisht, P. Venkatesu, Nidhi M. R, D. Ghosh, D. Mondal, and S. K. Nataraj a\* Conversion of Biomass to Bio-inspired Helical Carbon Composites, as a host for Cytochrome C for Facile Biocatalysis presented at Gujarat Science Congress on 4,5-February 2018, Bhavanagar, India.
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