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EDUCATION

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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Professor, Indian Institute of Science Education and Research, Pune. May **2020** – present.
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Assistant Professor, Indian Institute of Science Education and Research, Pune. Jul. **2009**-Jul. **2015**.
Postdoctoral Visiting Fellow, National Cancer Institute, Frederick, Maryland, USA, Sep. **2006**-Jul. **2009**.
Postdoctoral Research Associate, Wake Forest University, North Carolina, USA, Jan. **2006**-Aug. **2006**.

PUBLICATIONS

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9. Bora, P.; Chauhan, P.; Manna, S.; **Chakrapani, H.** "A Vinyl-Boronate Ester-Based Persulfide Donor Controllable by Hydrogen Peroxide, a Reactive Oxygen Species (ROS)" *Organic Letters*, **2018**, *20*, 7916-7920.
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 16. Ravikumar, G.; Bagheri, M.; Saini, D. K.; **Chakrapani, H.** "FLUORO/NO, a Nitric Oxide Donor with a Fluorescence Reporter" *ChemBioChem*, **2017**, *18*, 1529–1534
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REVIEWS AND BOOK CHAPTERS

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62. Kulkarni, A.; Sharma, A. K.; **Chakrapani, H.** "Redox-Guided Small Molecule Antimycobacterials" *IUBMB Life* **2018**, *70*, 826-835 (Invited Review, Special Issue on New Advances in Tuberculosis Drug Discovery and Therapy).
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64. Soni I.; **Chakrapani H.**; Chopra S. "Draft Genome Sequence of Methicillin-Sensitive *Staphylococcus aureus* ATCC 29213" *Genome Announcement* **2015** Sep 24;3(5).
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DOCTORAL THESES

1. "Synthesis and Evaluation of Organic Sources of Reactive Sulfur Species" Satish R. Malwal, **2014**
2. "Synthesis and Evaluation of Small Molecule Based Reactive Oxygen Species (ROS) Generators" A. T. Dharmaraja, **2014**
3. "Synthesis and Evaluation of Bioactivable Nitric Oxide (NO) Donors" Kavita Sharma, **2015**
4. "Synthesis and Evaluation of Small Molecule Generators of Redox-active Reactive Species" Vinayak Khodade **2016**
5. "Design, Synthesis and Evaluation of Bioactivable Organic Donors of Sulfur Dioxide (SO₂)" Kundansingh A. Pardeshi **2018**
6. "Real-Time Monitoring of Nitric Oxide Release" Govindan Ravikumar **2018**
7. "Synthesis and Evaluation of Light Triggerable Redox-Active Species Generators" Ajay Kumar Sharma, **2019**
8. "Towards Targeted and Tunable Release of Hydrogen Sulfide" Preeti Chauhan, **2019**
9. "Design, Synthesis and Evaluation of Small Molecules for Profiling Thiol Proteome of Microbes" Amogh Kulkarni **2019**

MASTERS THESES

1. "Design, Synthesis and Evaluation of Scaffolds for Thiol-Mediated Tunable Drug Release" Rohan S. Kumbhare, **2013**
2. "Design, Synthesis and Evaluation of Nitroreductase Activated Hydrogen Sulfide Donors" Mallojjala Sharath Chandra, **2015**
3. "Design, Synthesis and Evaluation of a Scaffold for Mitochondria-Targeted Drug Delivery" Bandana Kumari, **2016**
4. "Synthesis and Evaluation of Small Molecule Hydrogen Sulfide Donors" Sushma Tejasri, **2017**
5. "Green light activated BODIPY based Hydrogen sulfide donor" Aswin P. K. **2018**
6. "Oxidative Stress Triggered Tunable Hydrogen Sulfide Donors" Swetha Jos **2018**
7. "Mechanistic Investigation of Novel Unnatural Substrates for Enzymatic Production of Hydrogen sulfide in Bacteria" Mrutyunjay Nair **2019** (Supervisor; Co-Supervisor: Dr Amrita B. Hazra)
8. "Synthesis and Evaluation of Hypervalent Iodine Compounds as Antibacterial" Suraj Sharma **2019**
9. "An Esterase Activated Persulfide Donor with a Fluorescence Reporter" Amal S. Kumar **2020**
10. "Mechanistic investigation of bacterial 3-mercaptopyruvate sulfurtransferase (3MST) using unnatural substrates" Saswata Nayak **2020** (Co-Supervisor; Supervisor: Dr Amrita B. Hazra)

RESEARCH TALKS

1. "Current Trends in Chemical Biology" Symposium held at Ahmednagar College, Ahmednagar Maharashtra on Feb. 13, 2010.
2. ACTREC-IISER Meet, Dec 2010 at IISER Pune
3. "RSC-West India Challenge Symposium 2012" held at Institute of Science, Nagpur on Aug 31, 2012
4. "Advances in Synthetic and Applied Chemistry" held at Sangamner College, Sangamner Maharashtra on Sep. 7, 2012.
5. "Indian Lab Automation: Drug Discovery & Development 2012" held at Mumbai, Oct 30-31, 2012
6. Chemical Biology Laboratory, National Cancer Institute at Frederick, USA Nov 27, 2012.
7. "International conference on Physics, Mathematics and Engineering Sciences" Pune, March 18, 2013
8. "MDR/XDR Tuberculosis: A healthcare menace to developing countries" Sinhgad College of Pharmacy, Pune, March 22, 2013

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9. Department of Chemistry, Keele University, United Kingdom, Oct 15, 2013
10. "The New Perspectives of Inculcating the Different Aspects of Chemistry" Department of Chemistry, University of Pune, Nov 18, 2013
11. "Kaleidoscope: a Discussion Meeting in Chemistry" International Centre, Goa, July 3-6, 2014
12. "Recent Approaches in Drug Design" SMBT College of Pharmacy, Igatpuri, Maharashtra, Nov 20-22, 2014
13. "New Directions in Chemical Synthesis-I" Department of Chemistry, Indian Institute of Technology Bombay, Dec 8-9, 2014
14. "International Symposium on Bioorganic Chemistry (ISBOC-10)", IISER Pune, Jan 11-15, 2015
15. "Emerging Trends in Chemical Sciences" Padamshri Vikhe Patil College, Pravaranagar, Jan 21, 2015
16. Department of Chemical Sciences, Tata Institute of Fundamental Research (TIFR), Seminar July 6, 2015
17. "Chemical Frontiers, 2015" Majorda Beach Resort, South Goa, August 15-18, 2015 (Selected for Young Scientist Award)
18. "Complex Chemical Systems" Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur, Nov 2-3, 2015
19. "Inter-IISER Chemistry Meet" IISER Thiruvananthapuram, Dec 11-13, 2015
20. "5th INDIGO Research Conference" Lucknow, Feb 21-24, 2016
21. "Optics Within Life Sciences OWLS 2016" Mumbai, March 16-19, 2016
22. "Kaleidoscope: a Discussion Meeting in Chemistry" International Centre, Goa, July 13-17, 2016
23. "Chemsymphoria 2016" IISER Pune, July 21-22
24. 6th Indo Japanese International Symposium on "Overcoming Intractable Diseases Prevalent in Asian Countries" The Maquinez Palace, Goa, Sep 23-24, 2016.
25. National Conference on Chemistry of Light and Medicine, IIT Gandhinagar, Dec 8-9, 2016
26. International Conference on Organic Synthesis (ICOS 21), IIT Bombay, Mumbai Dec 11-16, 2016
27. National Centre for Biological Sciences (NCBS), Bangalore Life Science Cluster - iCeMS meeting, Jan 23, 2017
28. Chemistry Interfacing with Biology and Physics, IISER Kolkata, Jan 27-28, 2017
29. 1st BASF Innovation Campus Science Symposium, May 30, 2017
30. "Kaleidoscope: a Discussion Meeting in Chemistry" International Centre, Goa, July 5-8, 2017
31. 86th Conference of Society of Biological Chemists at JNU, New Delhi, Nov 16-19, 2017
32. Newton Bhabha Fund Antimicrobial Resistance Workshop, Bengaluru, Dec 14-18, 2017
33. IISER-WIS Conference on Chemical Biology, Pune, Jan 17-19, 2018
34. National Conference on Chemical Science: An Interdisciplinary Approach, Modern College, Pune Jan 18, 2018
35. "Kaleidoscope: a Discussion Meeting in Chemistry" International Centre, Goa, July 5-8, 2018
36. "Chemical Frontiers, 2018" Goa, August 19-22, 2018
37. "Indo-German Chemistry Meeting" INST Mohali, Punjab and Kasauli, Himachal Pradesh. Oct 4-7, 2018
38. "Chemistry and Physics of Advanced Materials – III" IISER Pune-Temple University Meeting, Oct 8-9, 2018
39. 2nd American Gasotransmitter Symposium, University of Oregon, USA, May 18-19, 2019
40. "Kaleidoscope: a Discussion Meeting in Chemistry" International Centre, Goa, July 4-7, 2019
41. Chemical Biology and Precision Synthesis, University of Glasgow, Scotland, UK July 26-31, 2019
42. "Advances in Chemical Sciences and Technologies" NIT Warangal, Sep 23-25, 2019
43. Ecole Normale Supérieure de Lyon, France, Oct 16, 2019
44. Institute of Mathematical Sciences, Chennai, Oct 28, 2019
45. Nanyang Technological University, Singapore, Nov 11-12, 2019
46. Department of Chemistry, IIT Madras, Dec 27, 2019
47. American Chemical Society (ACS) Science Talk Series, May 29, 2020 (Webinar)
48. Department Seminar, Birla Institute of Technology and Science (BITS) Pilani, Hyderabad Campus, Aug 14, 2020 (Webinar)
49. "Vaiishwik Bharatiya Vaigyanik" (VAIBHAV) Summit, Theme: Pharmaceuticals and Biotechnology; Sub-theme: Drug Discovery, Repurposing and Drug Delivery, Sep 19, 2020 (Webinar)
50. Department Seminar, Birla Institute of Technology and Science (BITS) Pilani, Goa Campus, Oct 31, 2020 (Webinar)
51. "Current Trends in Medicinal Chemistry", ASP College, Devrukh, March 24, 2021 (Webinar)
52. "Advances in Synthetic Organic Chemistry and Their Applications in Modern Medicinal Chemistry (ASOCAMMC21)" National Institute of Technology, Calicut Aug 26, 2021 (Webinar)
53. Chemical Research Society of India (CRSI) Meeting, Kolkata, Sep 26-30, 2021
54. "Kaleidoscope: a Discussion Meeting in Chemistry" Wabi-Sabi, Nashik, Oct 8-10, 2021

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SCIENCE POPULARIZATION

1. Kishore Vaigyanik Protsahan Yojana (KVPY) Summer Camp, 2010, 2011 & 2012.
2. Rishi Valley School, July 4-5, 2010
3. Royal College, Mumbai on Sep 24, 2011
5. International Year of Chemistry Programme, Nov 2011
6. S. P. College, Pune, Mar 2016
7. Modern College, Pune, Oct 2016.
8. DST-INSPIRE Camp, Pune Dec 2017.
9. Simply Science lecture series, British Council, Pune, Aug 8, 2018.
10. Alard College of Pharmacy, Jan 2019
11. Science at the Sabha, Institute of Mathematical Sciences, Feb 15, 2020
12. Tamil Nadu Science Forum, Aug 8, 2020 (webinar)

HONOURS AND AWARDS

1. Innovative Young Biotechnologist Award, **2011**; Department of Biotechnology India
2. Early Career Scientist, **2012**; Royal Society of Chemistry-West India
3. Young Scientist Award, **2015**; Chemical Research Society of India (CRSI)
4. Young Scientist Award, **2015**; Pune Municipal Corporation, Pune India.
5. Chemical Research Society of India Bronze Medal, **2021**.
6. S Ramachandran National Bioscience Award for Career Development, **2021**, Department of Biotechnology, India

RESEARCH FUNDING

1. "Organic Sources of Gaseous Entities with Physiological Relevance", Department of Science & Technology (DST). Funding: Rs. 26,00,000 (**2011-2014**).
2. "Hypoxia-Activated Prodrugs of Nitric Oxide" Department of Biotechnology (DBT), Rs. 41,00,000 (**2012-2015**).
3. "Redox-Directed Mycobacterial Therapeutics" Department of Biotechnology (DBT), Rs. 56,00,000 (**2012-2015**).
4. "Small Molecule Donors of Reactive Sulfur Species" Science and Engineering Board, Department of Science & Technology (DST). Funding: Rs. 55,90,000 (**2015-2018**).
5. "Small Molecule Inducers of Redox Stress Targeting Antibiotic Resistance" Department of Biotechnology (DBT), Rs. 98,46,000; with Dr. Sidharth Chopra, CSIR-CDRI Lucknow (Co-PI). (**2016-2020**)
6. "Investigating Mycobacterial Responses to Endogenous Peroxynitrite" Department of Biotechnology (DBT), Rs. 81,04,800 (**2018-2021**); with Dr. Amit Singh, IISc Bangalore (Co-PI). (2018-present)
7. "Design and Development of Organic Persulfide Donors" Science and Engineering Board, Department of Science & Technology (DST). Funding: Rs. 75,54,888 (**2019**-present).

OTHERS

Dean, International Relations and Outreach, Jan **2019**-present
Faculty-in-Charge, Science Media Centre, IISER Pune. Nov **2015**-April **2019**
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Editorial Board Member, Scientific Reports, Nature Publishing Group (**2017-2021**).