## **Education, Teaching & Research Profile**

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## Education:

1995 – 1998	B.Sc. (Medical)	DAV College, Jalandhar, India.
1998 – 2000	M.Sc. Chemistry (IA)	Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar, India.
2001 – 2005	PhD Chemistry	Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar, India.

### Work Experience:

2005 – 2006	Visiting Research Fellow	Osaka City University, Osaka, Japan.	
2006 – 2008	Postdoc. Research Fellow	Yonsei University, Wonju, South Korea.	
2008 - 2009	Postdoc. Research Fellow	The Robert Gordon University, Aberdeen, Scotland (U.K.).	
July 2009 –TD	Assistant Professor	Indian Institute of Technology, Ropar, India.	
Oct 2011-March 2015	Coordinator, Deptt. of Chemistry, Indian Institute of Technology, Ropar, India.		

## **TEACHING:**

## > Courses Taught:

- 1. CYL101: Structure, Reactivity and Dynamics
- 2. CYP100: Chemistry Laboratory 1.
- 3. CYL603 Concepts of Inorganic Chemistry
- 4. CYL612: Molecular recognition
- 5. CYL250: Environmental Sci. & Engineering
- 6. CYL701: Molecular Spectroscopy
- 7. CYL703: Strategies in Supramolecular Chemistry
- 8. CH002: preparatory Chemistry II
- 9. CH012: Preparatory Chemistry Lab II

### **RESEARCH ACTIVETIES:**

### Thesis Supervised:

## PhD thesis of Ms. Kamalpreet Kaur (IIT Ropar):

Title of Thesis: Syntheses of podants and decoration of nanoparticles for chemosensor development.

PhD thesis of Ms. Preeti Saluja (Thesis submitted to IIT Ropar):

Title of Thesis: Synthesis and photophysical properties of benzimidazole/benzothiazole-based chemosensors.

### PhD thesis of Mr. Hemant Sharma (Thesis submitted to IIT Ropar):

Title of Thesis: Synthesis of organic-bsed nanomaterials receptors and their analytical studies.

M. Tech thesis of Ms. Nidhi Arora (Panjab University Chandigarh)

Title of Thesis: Determination of biological important analytes using organic nano-particles



### M. Tech thesis of Ms. Mary Candida Jacob (National Institute of Technology Karnataka)

Title of Thesis: Design and synthesis of organic receptors for nanoparticle synthesis and metal complexation: A search towards sensors and biological activities.

### M. Tech thesis of Ms. Anu Saini (Panjab University Chandigarh)

Title of Thesis: Synthesis and coupling of imine linked receptors on silver nanoparticles for cation/anion recognition studies.

### M. Tech thesis of Mr. Karan Narang (Panjab University Chandigarh)

Title of Thesis: Surface decoration of ZnO nanoparticles for chemosensor development.

M. Tech thesis of Ms. Vandana (Panjab University Chandigarh)

Title of Thesis: Design and synthesis of imine linked nanoparticles based chemosensors.

B.Tech students: 3 Students of SMMEE of IIT ropar

Title of Project: Synthesis and Studies of Biocompatible Lubricants

### > Thesis/Projects under Supervision (Guide/Co-Guide):

Mr. Amanpreet Singh (PhD Student): Completed course work

Mr. Pushap Raj (PhD Student): Doing course work

Ms. Beant Kaur (PhD Student): Doing course work ()

**Mr. Manoj Singla** (PhD Student): Surface Engineering to control Erosion-Corrosion of Steam Generating Plants by Nano-Particle Coatings.

**Dr. Tilak Raj:** Currently working as Postdoc Fellow on the research Project concerned with one pot organic synthesis of receptors for potential biological activeties.

#### Summer Training:

Trained following students during the summer vacation; the details of each student is as follow:

### Mr. Deepinder Singh (IISc Bangalore):

Title of project: Design and Synthesis of Dipodal Receptors

## Ms. Tanisha Sachdeva (Regd. No.CHES1354 of Summer Research Fellowship Programme jointly sponsored by the three national science Academies of the country)

Title of project: Synthesis of Benzimidazole and Benzothiazole based Chemosensors for Selective Recognition of Anions.

# Ms. Shailja Data (Regd. No.CHES1549 of Summer Research Fellowship Programme jointly sponsored by the three national science Academies of the country)

Title of project: Cobalt Complex of Benzimidazole and Benzothiazole based Chemosensors for Anion Detection

### Mr. Gagandeep Singh (IISc Bangalore):

Title of project: Design and Synthesis of Tripodal Receptors

## Mr. Ritesh Kumar (Regd. No. CHES221 of Summer Research Fellowship Programme jointly sponsored by the three national science Academies of the country)

Title of project: Chemosensor Development: Fluorescent Organic Nanoparticles and Organic-Inorganic Hybrid Nanoparticles

## > RA/Postdoc Fellow:

Successfully supervised/supervising the following:

**Dr. Vimal Bharadwaj:** Completed his training as SRF (ext.) and RA in CSIR Project on the research problem of "Design and Synthesis of New Ratiometric Fluorescent Chemo-sensors: Excited State Proton Transfer involving Keto-EnolTautomerism".

**Dr. Rajni Ratti:** Completed her training as SRF (ext.) in CSIR Project on the research problem of "Design and Syntheses of a new class of salen based metal complexes: A search for catalytic activity".

**Dr. Ajnesh Singh:** Worked as RA in the CSIR Project on the research problem of "Design and Synthesis of New Ratiometric Fluorescent Chemo-sensors: Excited State Proton Transfer involving Keto-EnolTautomerism".

**Dr. Jasminder Singh:** Worked as RA in the CSIR Project on the research problem of "Design and Synthesis of New Ratiometric Fluorescent Chemo-sensors: Excited State Proton Transfer involving Keto-EnolTautomerism".

## **Research Projects:**

S.	Name of Funding	Project Title	Role	Total Funding
No.	Agency			(Appro.)
1.	CSIR, India	Design and Synthesis of New Ratiometric Fluorescent Chemo-sensors: Excited State Proton Transfer involving Keto- EnolTautomerism. (Project completed)	PI	18 Lakh
2.	CSIR, India	Design and Syntheses of A New Class of Salen Based Metal Complexes: A Search for Catalytic Activity (Project completed)	Co-PI	18. Lakh
3.	India-Korean Joint Project (DST-ROK)	Design and Synthesis of Quantum Dot-Based Benzimidazole- Coupled Chemosensors (Project completed)	PI	Exchange Visits
4.	ISIRD Grant from IIT Ropar	Synthesis and Recognition Properties of New Tripodal and Tetrapodal Framework (Project completed)	PI	7.5 Lakh
5.	DST, India	Surface Engineering to control Erosion-Corrosion of Steam Generating Plants by Nano-Particle Coatings (Project completed)	Co-PI	42 Lakh
6.	India-Mexico Joint Project	Synthesis of Au(I) complexes luminescent based benzimidazole, pyridyl and amine: Gold nano-particles for sensor development.	PI	Exchange Visits
	(DST-CONACYT)	(Project completed)		

7.	CSIR, India	Synthesis of heterotripodal receptors, metal complexes and	PI	-
		nanohybrids for evaluation of antimicrobial activities		
		(Project Submitted)		
8.	DST, India	Design and Synthesis of 1,8-Naphthalimide-Based Receptors:	PI	-
		Chemosensor and Biosensor Development		
		(Project Submitted)		

## LIST OF PUBLICATIONS

### #2015#

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- Fluorescent organic nanoparticles (FONs) of imine-linked peptide for the detection of Cr<sup>3+</sup> in aqueous medium. Navneet Kaur, Simanpreet kaur, Richa Mehan, Carlos Alberto Huerta Aguilar, Pandiyan Thangarasu, Narinder Singh, Sensors and Actuators, B: Chemical, 2015, 206, 90-97.
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Umesh Pete, Suban K. Sahoo, **Narinder Singh**, Anupam Basu, Ratnamala Bendre and Anil Kuwar, **Photochemical and Photobiological Sciences**, 2015, 14, 439-443.

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- 14. Invited Lecture delivered at National Seminar "Chemistry for a better Tomorrow: Current trends and Challenges" organized by Mata Gujri College, Fatehgarh Sahib (08/03/2014).
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