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3. Area of Specialisation: Chalcogenide Phase Change Materials and Nanomaterials

### 4. Academic Qualifications:

- 1. Ph.D. in Physics (2006) from Department of Physics, P.U. Chandigarh.
- 2. UGC-CSIR, JRF qualified in Physical Sciences.
- 3. M.Sc. (Hons. School) Physics (1999), with 1<sup>st</sup> division from Department of Physics, Panjab University, Chandigarh.
- 4. B.Sc. (N.M.) (1997) with 1<sup>st</sup> division from H.P. University, Shimla.

## Additional Qualifications:

- 1. Course on "Writing in the Sciences" from Stanford University, U.S.A.
- 2. Course on "Introduction to Molecular Spectroscopy" from University of Manchester, U.K.
- 3. Course on "Foundations of Teaching for Learning: Introduction" from Commonwealth Education Trust.
- 4. Course on "Foundations of Teaching for Learning: Being a Teacher" from Commonwealth Education Trust.

## 5. Fellowships:

- i) **Post Doctorate Fellowship (PDF):** Worked as a Post Doctorate Fellow at Pohang Accelerator Laboratory (PAL), POSTECH, S. Korea from January 2010 to December 2011.
- **ii)** Senior Research Fellow (CSIR, New Delhi): Department of Physics, P.U. Chandigarh from July 2004 to June 2006.
- **iii)** Junior Research Fellow (CSIR, New Delhi): Department of Physics, P.U. Chandigarh from July 2002 to June 2004.

## 6. Details of Experience:

Working as an Associate Professor (Physics) in the Department of Basic and Applied Sciences, Punjabi University, Patiala, from 3<sup>rd</sup> July, 2018 to till date.

Worked as an Assistant Professor (Physics) in the Department of Basic and Applied Sciences, Punjabi University, Patiala from 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2006 to 2<sup>nd</sup> July, 2018.

## 7. Published Work:

- **1**. (a) Research Papers in International Journal: 110
  - (b) Research Papers published in conference/symposia proceedings: **10**
- 2. R & D Projects:

**Ongoing:** 

- I. A research project titled "Phase transition studies of Ga doped Ge<sub>2</sub>Sb<sub>2</sub>Te<sub>5</sub> thin films for data storage applications" worth of approx. Rs. 26,75,332/awarded for three years (2019-2022) by Department of Science and Technology (DST), N. Delhi to me as Principal Investigator.
- II. A research project titled "Luminescence studies of swift heavy ion irradiated rare earth doped MgO based nanophosphors" worth of Rs. 6,75,000/- awarded for three years (2018-2021) by IUAC, New Delhi to me as Principal Investigator and Dr. Ankush Vij as Co-PI, from Amity University Haryana, Gurgaon.

#### **Completed:**

- I. A research project titled "Phase Transition Studies of Ag doped Ge-Sb-Te Thin Films" worth of Rs. 26,77,408/- awarded to me as Principal Investigator for three years (2014-2017) by the Department of Science and Technology (DST), N. Delhi was implemented at Department of Basic and Applied Sciences, Punjabi University, Patiala.
- II. I was one of the co-investigator of the project titled "Preparation of Silicon Sheets by Capillary Action Shaping Technique (CAST) for solar cell Applications" sanctioned by Department of Science and Technology, N. Delhi worth Rs. 81,54,400/- for three years and successfully completed (Principal Investigators: Dr. S.M.D. Rao & Prof. R.C. Verma).

S. No.	Address of overseas	Dura	ation	Agency which	Purpose of visit
	institute/ Venue	From	То	sponsored the visit	
1	Quebec, Canada	June 17, 2018	June 21, 2018	DST, New Delhi	To present research work in ISNOG 2018.
2	ICTP, Italy	April 4, 2016	April 15, 2016	ICTP	To attend School on Synchrotron and Free- Electron-Laser.
3	ICTP, Italy	November 17, 2014	November 28, 2014	ICTP-IAEA	To attend ICTP-IAEA School
4	DESY, Germany	October 7, 2013	October 9, 2013	DST, New Delhi	To present research work in GISAXS-2013.
5	NSRRC, Hsinchu, Taiwan	October 7, 2011	October 13, 2011	PAL, POSTECH, S. Korea	To perform XAS and XPS experiments.
6	Ningbo University, China	June 13, 2010	June 18, 2010	PAL, POSTECH, S. Korea	To present the research work in ISNOG-2010.
7	PAL, POSTECH, S. Korea	January, 2010	December, 2011	PAL, POSTECH, S. Korea	Post Doctorate Fellowship (PDF).

#### 8. Overseas visits related to research:

## 9. Ph.D. Students guided/under guidance:

Completed: 03, Ongoing: 06

#### 10. Invited Talk/Expert Talk/Session Chair:

- 1. Delivered an invited talk in One Day Workshop on "Basics of Research Paper Writing" held on 8<sup>th</sup> June 2021, Sri Guru Gobind Singh College, Sector 26, Chandigarh.
- 2. Delivered series of invited talks in "Two days online National Workshop on Latex" held on March 1-2, 2021, Organized by Department of Physics, GSSDGS Khalsa College, Patiala, Punjab.
- Delivered an expert lectures on "Superconductivity." In Refresher Course in Engineering Physics during October 12-23, 2020 organized by Department of Applied Sciences, National Institute of Technical Teachers Training & Research, Sector-26, Chandigarh.
- 4. Delivered an expert lecture on "Demonstration on research writing using LaTeX." In STC on "Research Pedagogy and Technical Writing" scheduled from 21/09/2020 to 25/09/2020 organized by Department of Computer Science and Engineering, National Institute of Technical Teachers Training & Research, Sector-26, Chandigarh.
- 5. Delivered an invited talk on "Writing research paper using LaTeX." In 84<sup>th</sup> Refresher Course in Information Communication Technology (ICT), held on from August 10, 2020 to August 24, 2020 organized by UGC-Human Resource Development Center, Punjabi University, Patiala, Punjab.
- 6. Delivered an invited talk on "How to write an article using LaTeX?" in 44<sup>th</sup> Faculty Induction Programme, Organized by UGC-Human Resource Development Center, Punjabi University, Patiala, Punjab from August 10, 2020 to September 08, 2020.
- 7. Delivered an expert talk on "UV-Vis-NIR Spectroscopy: Analytical Tool for Optical Analysis" in the One Week Short Term Course, Department of Physics, Dr. B.R. Ambedkar National Institute of Technology, Jalandhar, from 30/12/19 to 03/01/2020.
- 8. Chaired a session in UGC Sponsored 10<sup>th</sup> National Conference on Recent Advances in Chemical and Environmental Sciences (RACES-2019), April 11-12, 2019, at Multani Mal Modi College, Patiala, Punjab, India.
- 9. Delivered an invited talk on "X-ray Diffraction and Rietveld Refinement" in the 2<sup>nd</sup> National Conference on 'Role of Mathematics and Computer Science in Advancement of Physics' Organized by Department of Physics, Govt. Degree College, Kathua (J & K) on 10<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> November 2017.
- 10.Delivered an expert talk on "Ge<sub>2</sub>Sb<sub>2</sub>Te<sub>5</sub> as Reversible NIR window" in National Conference on Recent Advances in Materials Science & Technology-2017 (RAMST-17) held on 21<sup>st</sup> April 2017, Amity University Haryana, Gurgaon.

- 11.Delivered an expert talk on "Brief introduction to Rietveld Refinement" in the short term course on "Recent advances in Nanostructured Materials" Department of Physics, Dr. B.R. Ambedkar National Institute of Technology, Jalandhar, from September 19-23, 2016.
- 12. Chaired a session in two days National Seminar on "New Frontiers in Physics" March 02-03, 2016, at Gandhi Memorial National Postgraduate College Ambala Cantt, Haryana, India.
- 13. Expert Lectures on Latex Software in Refresher Course in Mathematics held during July7-12, 2014, Chandigarh University, Gharuan, Punjab, India.

#### 11. Conference/Workshop Organized:

1. As a Secretary, organized a Three Days National Workshop on LATEX and Technical Writing in the Department of Basic and Applied Sciences, Punjabi University, Patiala during 23–25 November, 2018.

S. No.	Paper	Class
1.	Material Science	Ph.D. Course Work
2.	Material Science	M.Phil.
3.	Condensed Matter Physics	M.Sc.
4.	Ceramic Materials and their Characterisations	M.Tech.
5.	Nanoelectronics Devices Engineering	M.Tech.
6.	Applied Physics-I	B.Tech.
7.	Applied Physics-II	B.Tech.

#### 12. List of Papers/Courses taught at P.G. and U.G. Level

#### **13.** List of Papers Published in International Journals:

- A review on GeTe thin film based phase change materials
   K. Singh, S. Kumari, H. Singh, N. Bala, P. Singh, A. Kumar, Anup Thakur
   Applied Nanoscience (2021) Accepted for publication. (Impact Factor: 2.880)
- Probing the defects and trap distribution in MgAl<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub> nanocrystals through electron spin resonance and thermoluminescence Savita, Sahil Dani, Sanjay Kumar, Fouran Singh, Ankush Vij, Anup Thakur Journal of Physics D: Applied Physics (2021) Accepted for publication. (Impact Factor: 2.588)
- Unravelling trapping defects distribution using thermoluminescence in gamma irradiated SrZnO<sub>2</sub>:Dy nanophosphors Manju, M. Jain, A. Kumar, A. Vij, Anup Thakur Physica Status Solidi (a) - Applications and Materials Science (2021). (Impact Factor: 1.759)

- 4. Thermally induced cation ordering in ZnAl<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub>:Mg<sup>2+</sup>, Fe<sup>3+</sup> for sensing thermal history through photoluminescence
  M. Jain, Manju, M. Kumar, H. Lee, S. Won, K. Chae, G. Gupta, A. Vij, Anup Thakur
  Journal of Material Science 56(21) (2021) 1-10. (Impact Factor: 3.553)
- Modulation of radiative defects in MgAl<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub> nanocrystals probed using NMR, ESR, and PL spectroscopies
   Savita, M. Jain, Manju, A.K. Sinha, F. Singh, A. Vij, Anup Thakur
   Journal of Applied Physics 129 (2021) 125111. (Impact Factor: 2.286)
- Fluorescent boron carbide quantum dots synthesized with a low-temperature solvothermal approach for boron neutron capture therapy
   P. Singh, M. Kaur, K. Singh, R. Meena, M. Kumar, J. Yun, Anup Thakur, F. Nakagawa, M. Suzuki, H. Nakamura, A. Kumar

# Physica E: Low-dimensional Systems and Nanostructures 132 (2021) 111766. (Impact Factor: 3.570)

- 7. Temperature-Dependent Ultrafast Charge Carrier Dynamics in Amorphous and Fluorescent Crystalline Sb2Se3 Thin Films
  P. Singh, N. Ghorai, Anup Thakur, H. Ghosh
  The Journal of Physical Chemistry C 125 (2021) 5197-5206. (Impact Factor: 4.189)
- Low temperature carrier transport mechanism and photo-conductivity of WSe<sub>2</sub>
   M. Kaur, K. Singh, I. Chauhan, H. Singh, R.K. Sharma, A. Vij, Anup Thakur, A. Kumar
   Journal of Alloys and Compounds 797 (2019) 148-151. (Impact Factor: 4.175)
- Effect of ammonia gas on electrical properties of boron nitride/nickel oxide (BN80/NiO20) nanocomposite
   K. Singh, M. Kaur, I. Chauhan, H. Singh, A. Awasthi, M. Kumar, Anup Thakur, A. Kumar
   Journal of Materials Science: Materials in Electronics 32 (2021) 5556-5566. (Impact Factor: 2.195)
- Galvanostatic deposition of manganese oxide films for super capacitive application and their fractal analysis
   A. Singh, D. Singh, Anup Thakur, N. Gupta, V. Shinde, B. Singh, R. Kaur Ionics 27(49) (2021) 1-10. (Impact Factor: 2.394).
- Switchable cool and cold white emission from dysprosium doped SrZnO<sub>2</sub> Manju, M. Jain, P. Vashishtha, G. Gupta, A. Sharma, S. O. Won, A. Vij and Anup Thakur J. Phys.: Condens. Matter 33 (2021) 035703. (Impact Factor: 2.707)
- Photoconductivity of gold nanoparticles loaded boron nitride/nickel oxide nanocomposites
   K. Singh, G. Kaur, M. Kaur, I. Chauhan, M. Kumar, Anup Thakur, A. Kumar

#### Chemical Physics Letters 762 (2021) 138153. (Impact Factor: 2.029)

- 13. Modification of structural and optical properties of Ag doped Ge<sub>2</sub>Sb<sub>2</sub>Te<sub>5</sub> thin films using swift heavy ion irradiation
  N. Kanda, Anup Thakur, A.P. Singh
  AIP Conference Proceedings 2265 (2020) 030230.
- 14. Annealing evolution to physical properties of CdCl<sub>2</sub> activated CdTe:Cu films for absorber layer functioning
  Himanshu, S.L. Patel, D. Agrawal, S. Chander, Anup Thakur, M.S. Dhaka
  AIP Conference Proceedings 2265 (2020) 030330.
- Oxygen vacancies induced photoluminescence in SrZnO<sub>2</sub> nanophosphors probed by theoretical and experimental analysis
   Manju, M. Jain, S. Madas, P. Vashishtha, P. Rajput, G. Gupta, M.U. Kahaly, K. Ozdogan, A. Vij and Anup Thakur
   Sci. Rep. 10 Article number: 17364 (2020). (Impact Factor: 4.259)
- 16. Mechanistic insights into defect generation and tuning of optical properties in Zn<sub>1-x</sub>Fe<sub>x</sub>Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub> (0.01 ≤ x ≤ 0.40) nanocrystals
  M. Jain, Manju, P. Vashishtha, G. Gupta, A. K. Sinha, M. Gupta, A. Vij and Anup Thakur
  Acta Crystallographica Section B (2020) B76. (Impact Factor:2.048)
- 17. Enhanced performance of Fe-doped manganese oxide films as a supercapacitor electrode
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  Bulletin of Materials Science 43 (2020) Article No.: 165 (Impact Factor:1.392)
- Thickness dependent structural, morphological and optical properties of molybdenum oxide thin films
   S. Kumari, K. Singh, P. Singh, S. Kumar, Anup Thakur SN Applied Sciences 2 (2020) 1439.
- BN/NiO nanocomposites: Structural, defect chemistry and electrical properties in hydrogen gas atmosphere
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- Tailoring of Structural, Morphological and Optical Properties of Boron Nitride/Nickel Oxide (BN<sub>100-x</sub>/NiO<sub>x</sub>) Nanocomposites
   K. Singh, M. Kaur, I. Chauhan, R. Meena, J. Singh, Anup Thakur, A. Kumar Journal of Cluster Science (2020). (Impact Factor:2.125)
- Structural, morphological and temperature-dependent electrical properties of BN/NiO nanocomposites
   K. Singh, Anup Thakur, A. Awasthi, A. Kumar

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- 23. Temperature-Dependent Trap-Assisted Ultrafast Carrier Dynamics in Amorphous and Crystalline In<sub>2</sub>Se<sub>3</sub> Thin Films
  P. Singh, G. Kaur, N. Ghorai, T. Goswami, Anup Thakur, H. Ghosh
  Physical Review Applied 14 (2020) 014087. (Impact Factor: 4.194)
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  M. Jain, Manju, M. Kumar, H.W. Lee, S.O. Won, A. Vij and A. Thakur Dalton Tranctions 49 (2020) 9336-9348. (Impact Factor: 4.174)
- 25. Pure and Al-doped SnO<sub>2</sub> thin films: Structural, morphological and electrical properties
  K. Singh, A. Singh, M. Kumar, R. Bala, Anup Thakur, A. Kumar
  AIP Conference Proceedings 2220 (2020) 020104.
- 26. Towards MgCl<sub>2</sub> passivation to Cu doped CdTe films: Optimization of structural and optoelectrical properties Himanshu, S.L. Patel, R. Agarwal, S. Chander, Anup Thakur, M.S. Dhaka AIP Conference Proceedings 2220 (2020) 090027.
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- 30. Effect of ion irradiation on the optical properties of Ag-doped Ge<sub>2</sub>Sb<sub>2</sub>Te<sub>5</sub> (GST) thin films
   Neetu Kanda, Anup Thakur, Fouran Singh, Abhinav Pratap Singh

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   Manju, M. Jain, P. Vashishtha, S. Kumar, P. Rajput, G. Gupta, A. Vij and A. Thakur J. Mater. Chem. C 8 (2020) 3147-3155. (Impact Factor:6.641)
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   M. Jain, Manju, R. Kumar, S. O. Won, K. H. Chae, A. Vij and A. Thakur Scientific Reports 10 (2020) 385. (Impact Factor: 4.259)
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- 52. Effect of vacuum annealing on structural and optical properties of nanocrystalline ZnTe thin films
  H. Singh, N. Duklan, T. Singh, Anup Thakur, J. Sharma Journal of Materials Science: Materials in Electronics 29 (2018) 4992-4998. (Impact Factor: 2.195)
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  H. Singh, P. Singh, Anup Thakur, T. Singh, J. Sharma
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- 3. 9<sup>th</sup> National Conference on 'Recent advances in Chemical, Biological & Environmental Sciences (RACES-2018) held on February 09-10, 2018, Modi College, Patiala, Punjab, India.
- 4. National Conference on Recent Advances in Materials Science & Technology-2017 (RAMST-17) on 21<sup>st</sup> April 2017, Amity University Haryana, Gurgaon.
- 5. Short Term Course for Asstt. Prof. Grade III on "Quality Management in Higher Education" organized by the Human Resource Development Centre, Panjab University, Chandigarh w.e.f. 17-01-2017 to 23-01-2017.
- 6. 61<sup>st</sup> Accelerator Users Workshop held on December 16-18, 2016 at Inter-University Accelerator Centre, New Delhi.
- 7. One Day National Workshop on IPR awareness and Plagiarism Detection for India Languages, May 13, 2016 at Department of Computer Science, Punjabi University, Patiala, Punjab, India.
- 8. School on Synchrotron and Free-Electron-Laser Based Methods: Multidisciplinary Applications and Perspectives, 04-15 April, 2016 at ICTP, Trieste, Italy.
- 9. International conference on Recent Advances in Emerging Technologies (ICRAET-2016) from February 23-24, 2016 at Shri Guru Granth Sahib World University, Fatehgarh Sahib, Punjab.
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- 16. National Workshop on Latex, from 8-10 July, 2013 organized by School of Applied Sciences, Chitkara University, Punjab.
- 17. National Workshop on Nano Science and Technology (NST-2013) held at the NIT, Hamirpur, from 3-7 June 2013.
- 18. UGC-Sponsored Refresher Course from 6<sup>th</sup> May to 25<sup>th</sup> May 2013 at Academic Staff College, Panjabi University, Patiala.
- 19. International Conference on Recent Trends in Applied Physics & Material Science (RAM 2013), February 01-02, 2013, at Govt. College of Engineering & Technology, Bikaner.
- 20. International Conference on Emerging Trends in Physics for Environmental Monitoring & Management (ETPEMM-2012), 17-19, December 2012, at Department of Physics, Punjabi University, Patiala, Punjab, India.
- 21. International Conference on Materials Science and Technology (ICMST 2012), 10-14 June 2012, at St. Thomas College, Pala, Kerala, India.
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- 23. International Conference on Recent Trends in Physics (ICRTP 2012), 4–5 February 2012, School of Physics, Devi Ahilya University, Indore, India.
- 24. National Conference on Recent Advances in Material Science [NCRAMS-2012], 25–26 February 2012, Dyal Singh College, Karnal, Haryana, India.
- 25. The 24<sup>th</sup> Workshop on Nanoscale and Mesoscopic Systems "Topological Insulators: Recent Developments" November 24-25, 2011, at Posco International Center, POSTECH, Pohang, S. Korea.
- 26. Korean Physical Society Meeting, 19-21 October 2011, at Busan, South Korea.
- 27. 2011 International Forum on Functional Materials (IFFM2011) and the 2<sup>nd</sup> Special Symposium on Advances in Functional Materials (AFM-2), July 28-31, 2011, at Jeju Grand Hotel, Jeju, S. Korea.
- 28. Korean Physical Society Meeting, 13-15 April 2011, at Daejeon, South Korea.
- 29. 55<sup>th</sup> DAE Solid State Symposium, 26-30 December 2010 at Manipal, India.
- 30. Workshop for ab initio powder structure determination for chemists and material scientists & 3<sup>rd</sup> powder crystallography tutorial course at Postech, South Korea from 27-29 October 2010.
- 31. Korean Physical Society Meeting, 20-22 October 2010, at Pyongsong, South Korea.
- 32. 17<sup>th</sup> International Symposium on Non-Oxide and New Optical Glasses (ISNOG-2010), June 13<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup>, 2010 at Ningbo, China.
- 33. International Convention on Solar Photovoltaic Technologies, 5<sup>th</sup> October 2009, at Guru Gobind Singh Indraprastha University, New Delhi.
- 34. Workshop on Structural Characterization of Materials, 29<sup>th</sup> June to 17<sup>th</sup> July 2009, at Department of Materials Engineering, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, India.
- 35. UGC-Sponsored Orientation Program from 2<sup>nd</sup> December to 29<sup>th</sup> December 2008 at Academic Staff College, Panjab University, Chandigarh.
- 36. Contact meeting for popularizing the national Fusion Programme CMPNFP-08 (Northern Region) organized by the Department of Applied Science & Humanities in association with Board for Research in Fusion Science & Technology (BRFST) India, held at NIT Hamirpur (H.P.) on 29<sup>th</sup> November 2008.
- 37. National Seminar on Radiation and Materials (NSRM08) from 10-11, March, 2008 at Physics Department, Punjabi University, Patiala.

- 38. National Symposium on Nanomaterials Design, Bridging Nanolength scale (NSNMD-2007) held on 17<sup>th</sup> November 2007 at NIT Hamirpur, H.P. India.
- 39. Symposium on Radiation Sources, Detection and Applications (SRSDA07), held at Physics Department, Punjabi University, Patiala, during Feb. 5-6, 2007.
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- 42. DAE Solid State Physics Symposium from Dec. 26-30, 2004 at GNDU Amritsar, India.
- 43. 91<sup>st</sup> Indian Science Congress from January 3-7, 2004 at Panjab Univ., Chandigarh, India.
- 44. National Conference on Materials and their Applications (NCMA-2004) from March 11-13, 2004 at Department of Physics, Kurukshetra University, Kurukshetra, India.
- 45. 45<sup>th</sup> DAE Solid State Physics Symposium from Dec. 26-30, 2002 at Panjab University, Chandigarh, India.
- 46. Second National Conference on Thermo-Physical Properties from September 19-21, 2002 at Department of Physics, University of Rajasthan, Jaipur, India.
- 47. National Seminar on Materials and Devices (MD-2002) from March 9-10, 2002 at M.J.P. Rohilkhand University, Bareilly, India.
- 48. Seminar on "Computational Techniques in Physics" from March 6-7, 2002 at Panjab University, Chandigarh.

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