

Curriculum Vitae

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Education

PhD, Chemistry (2002) Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, USA
Dissertation: “*Electronic Delocalization and Charge Transfer Properties of Chemical and Biological Systems as Measured by Stark Spectroscopy*”
MSc, Chemistry (1997) Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) Kanpur, India
BSc, Chemistry (1995) Ramakrishna Mission College Narendrapur, University of Calcutta, India

Professional Experience

2018- Professor of Chemistry, IIT Bombay, Mumbai, India
2012-2018 Associate Professor of Chemistry, IIT Bombay, Mumbai, India
2007-2012 Assistant Professor of Chemistry, IIT Bombay, Mumbai, India
2006-2007 Assistant Professor (Contract), Department of Chemistry, IIT Bombay, Mumbai, India
2005-2006 Post-doctoral Research Scientist, Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biophysics, Columbia University Medical Center, New York, USA
2003-2004 Post-doctoral Research Fellow, Department of Chemistry, Columbia University, New York, USA
1997-2000 Teaching Assistant, Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, USA

Awards and Honors

- Department best teacher award (2018), IIT Bombay
- Legacy Graduate Fellowship, Carnegie Mellon University 2001
- CSIR-NET Junior Research Fellowship, Govt. of India 1997

Research Interests

- *Decipher and quantify heterogeneity of physical parameters in space and time*
- *Imaging, spectroscopy & dynamics of single emitters (fluorescent molecules/nanocrystals)*
- *Develop spectrally-/polarization-resolved fluorescence microscopy techniques to probe fundamental processes and heterogeneity in soft and hard materials and biological systems*
- Photo-/Electro-luminescence micro-spectroscopy of quantum-well based solid-state light emitting devices (ss-LEDs)
- Carrier dynamics of individual semiconductor nanocrystals
- Inhomogeneities in soft materials using super-resolved single-molecule diffusion dynamics
- Blinking, spectral diffusion and carrier dynamics in perovskites nano-/micro-crystals used for solar PV/LED applications
- Develop methods for detection of analytes in heterogeneous media
- Long-range (>100 nm) excitation energy transport in self-assembled soft-materials and perovskites

Mentoring and Teaching

- Current research group of 6 PhD and 2 MSc student(s) in addition to 1 post-doctoral fellow
- Mentored 24 MSc Chemistry students for their Masters' Thesis Projects
- Hosted several summer students from 2007-2018, and one IITB student for UROP (2009)
- Mentored six external undergraduate students for MS/MTech thesis (6-12 month duration)

PhD Guidance

1. Dr. Suman De. **2007-2012**; *Dissertation*: Insight on energetic and radiative recombination dynamics within individual carrier localization centers formed in InGaN/GaN Quantum-Well LEDs using spectrally resolved photoluminescence microscopy. [University of Sheffield Neuroscience Institute, UK]
2. Dr. Arunasish Layek. **2007-2012**; *Dissertation*: Synthesis, carrier dynamics, and spectrally resolved photoluminescence imaging of individual quantum-confined semiconductor nanostructures. [Adamas University, WB, India]
3. Dr. Sukanya Bhattacharyya, **2009-2014**; *Dissertation*: Heterogeneity during plasticization of poly (vinylpyrrolidone) thin films: Insights from single-molecule fluorescence dynamics [post-doc at IACS, Kolkata, India]
4. Dr. Dharmender Kumar Sharma, **2009-2014**. *Dissertation*: Probing heterogeneous systems using spectrally-resolved microscopy and single-molecule diffusion dynamics. [MANIT, Bhopal, India]
5. Dr. Ramya Chullyil, **2011-2017**. *Dissertation*: Spatiotemporally-resolved photoluminescence spectroscopy of semiconductor and perovskite nano-/micro-crystals [UG college at Pune University, India]
6. Dr. Amitrajit Mukherjee, **2013-2020**. *Dissertation*: Methodologies for photoluminescence intermittency analyses: Understanding of various carrier recombination processes in single nanocrystals. [post-doc at KU, Leuven, Belgium]
7. Dr. Jaladhar Mahato, **2014-2021**. *Dissertation*: Probing molecular interactions and orientations using spectrally and polarization-resolved fluorescence microscopy. [post-doc at Iowa State University]
8. Dr. Karishma B. Cotta, **2014-2020**. *Dissertation*: A study of nanoparticle and peptide nucleic acid based anti-TB therapeutic approaches to target extracellular and intra-macrophage mycobacteria
9. Dr. Nithin Pathoor, **2015-2021**. *Dissertation*: Spatially synchronous photoluminescence blinking of individual perovskite micro-crystals [post-doc at NUS, Singapore]
10. Ms. Rohita Roy, **2017-2023** *Thesis Topic*: Estimating aromatic pollutants using fluorescence imaging of whole-cell biosensors
11. Mr. Tejmani Behera, **2017-2023**. *Thesis Topic*: Electroluminescence microscopy, and polarization-resolved micro-spectroscopy of individual hybrid-perovskite micro-crystals
12. Mr. Rajat Mukherjee, **2019-**. *Thesis Topic*: Understanding the dynamics of polymer Cavities near glass transition using single-molecule rotational dynamics and molecular-dynamics simulations.
13. Ms. Mansi Kothari, **2021-**. *Thesis topic*: Chiro-optical imaging – fluorescence detected circular dichroism and circularly polarized luminescence microscopy
14. Ms. Shruti Singh, **2022-**. *Thesis topic*: Electroluminescence and photoluminescence hyper-spectral imaging of individual perovskite crystals

Administrative and other Academic Activities

- Vice Chairperson of GATE-JAM Examinations 2022 at IIT Bombay
- Member of the Advisory Board, Chemical Communications (RSC), 2020-
- Member, Academic Rehabilitation Program Committee (ARPC), 2018-21
- Faculty Advisor and Coordinator, SC/ST (Affirmative Action) Students Cell at IIT Bombay (2015-21)
- Member, Undergraduate Academic Performance Evaluation Committee (UGAPEC) (2015-21)

- Member, Postgraduate Academic Performance Evaluation Committee (PGAPEC) (2015-21)
- Member, Scholarship Committee of IIT Bombay (2015-21)
- Member, Department Policy Committee (DPC), Department of Chemistry (2014-17)
- Secretary, Institute Faculty Meeting (IFM), IIT Bombay (2013-15)
- Secretary, Faculty Search Committee (FSC), Department of Chemistry (2012-14)
- Member of the Departmental Post-Graduate Committee (DPGC), IIT Bombay (2009-12)
- Faculty Coordinator, Departmental Academic Mentorship Program (DAMP), IIT Bombay (2009-18)
- In charge, Redesign and developed of the MSc physical chemistry laboratory at IIT Bombay
- Member, Course restructuring committee in Chemistry Department, IIT Bombay, 2007 and 2011

Peer-reviewed Journal Publications, Book Chapters and Patents

(In previous five years)

1. “Probing diffusion of charge carriers beyond grain boundaries during self-assembly of CsPbBr₃ micro-crystals to thin films” Arora, D; Mukherjee, A; Dhepe, A; **Chowdhury, A***; *manuscript in preparation*.
2. “Emissivity resolved correlation study of multiple blinking parameters: Unifying defect-mediated carrier recombination mechanisms in semiconductor nanocrystals” Mukherjee, A*; Phadnis, C; **Chowdhury, A***; *Submitted*.
3. “What determines spatiotemporal synchronicity of photoluminescence blinking in organo-lead halide perovskite micro-rods/-wires?” Behera, T and **Chowdhury, A***; *Submitted*
4. “Mapping Nanoscale Surface Polarity of α -Synuclein Amyloid Fibrils” Mahato, J; Mukherjee, R; Bose, A; Mehra, S; Kumar, R; Maji, S.K*; **Chowdhury, A***; (2023) *Submitted*.
5. “Microscopic Perspective of Synergy between Localized Surface Plasmon Resonance and Disruption of Dye Aggregates in Metal Nanoparticle-Enhanced Fluorescence”, Prakash, S; Behera, T; **Chowdhury, A**; Datta, A*; ***ACS Applied Nano Materials* (2023), accepted.**
6. “Buried Interface Passivation of Perovskite Solar Cells by ALD Al₂O₃” Ghosh, S; Pariari, D; Behera, T; Boix, P; Ganesh, N; Basak, S; Vidhan, A; Sarda, N; Mora-Sero, I; **Chowdhury, A**; Narayan, K; Sarma, D. D.; Sarkar, S. K.*; ***ACS Energy Letters* (2023) 8, 2058-2065.**
7. “Photonicallly cured solution processed SnO₂ thin films for high efficiency and stable perovskite solar cells and mini-modules” Sarda, N; Vidhan, A; Basak, S; Hazra, P; Behera, T; Ghosh, S; Choudhary, R; **Chowdhury, A**; Sarkar, S. K.*; ***ACS Applied Energy Materials* (2023), 6, 7, 3996–4006.**
8. “Edge vs. Interior Mn²⁺ doping in 2D Layered Butyl Ammonium Lead Bromide Perovskite Single Crystal” Dutta, T; Kashid, S; Hooda, R; Sheikh, T; **Chowdhury, A**; Nag, A*; ***The Journal of Physical Chemistry C* (2022), 126, 21109-21116.**
9. “Deciphering effective modes of communication between spatially-segregated photo-carriers leading to emission intermittency of entire micro-crystals” Pathoor, N*; **Chowdhury, A***; ***ACS Photonics* (2022), 10, 49-57.**
10. “Unraveling the dual emission in single quantum-dots by single particle spectroscopy” Layek, A*; Arora, V; Sapra, S; Chowdhury, A; ***Journal of Physics Conference Series* (2022), 2349, 012026; DOI:10.1088/1742-6596/2349/1/012026.**

11. “Insights on anisotropic emission of (diffused) photo-carriers in hybrid perovskite micro-rods” Behera, T*; Chowdhury, A*; *The Journal of Physical Chemistry C* (2022), 126, 15819–15828.
12. “Deciphering modes of long-range energy transfer in perovskite crystals using confocal excitation and wide-field fluorescence spectral imaging” Behera, T; Pathoor, N; Mukherjee, R; Chowdhury, A*; *Methods and Applications in Fluorescence* (2022), 10, 044013-044125. [*Special issue on Fluorescence Research in India*]
13. “Spectrally-resolved FRET microscopy of α -synuclein phase-separated liquid droplets” Mahato, J; Ray, S; Maji, S.K; and Chowdhury, A*; *Methods in Molecular Biology Series: Protein Aggregation* (2022), Vol 2551, Chapter 27; Springer-Verlag (New York) ISBN 1071625969.
14. “Investigating spatiotemporal correlation of multi-state photoluminescence intermittency in organo-lead bromide microcrystal films” Pathoor, N; Mukherjee, A; Chowdhury, A*; *The Journal of Physical Chemistry C* (2022), 126, 5991-5999.
15. “Investigation of structural heterogeneity in individual amyloid fibrils using polarization-resolved microscopy”, Mahato, J*; Ray, K.K*; Das, S; Kadu, P; Maji, S.K; Chowdhury, A*; *The Journal of Physical Chemistry B* (2021), 125, 13406–13414. [*Kankan Bhattacharya Festschrift*]
16. “Automated detection and multi-level photoluminescence intermittency (blinking) analyses of semiconductor quantum dots” Mukherjee, A; Chowdhury, A; *Patent application filed* (2021). Patent No.: PAT/CH/134033010-1/20-21.
17. “Influence of atmospheric constituents on spectral instability and defect-mediated carrier recombination in hybrid perovskite nanoplatelets” Mukherjee, A; Roy, M; Pathoor, N; Aslam, M*; Chowdhury, A*; *The Journal of Physical Chemistry C* (2021), 125, 17133-17143. [*D.D Sarma Festschrift*]
18. “Tunable multiplexed whole-cell biosensors as environment diagnostics for ppb-level detection of aromatic pollutants” Roy, R; Ray, S; Chowdhury, A*; Anand, R*; *ACS Sensors* (2021) 6(5), 1933–1939.
19. “Polarization-resolved single-molecule tracking reveals strange dynamics of fluorescent tracers through a deep rubbery polymer network”, Mahato, J; Bhattacharya, S; Sharma, D.K; Chowdhury, A*; *Physical Chemistry Chemical Physics* (2021), 23, 10835–10840.
20. “Self-assembly of nicotinic acid-conjugated selenopeptides into stiff mesotubes”, Gokula, R.P; Mahato, J; Singh, H.B*; Chowdhury, A*; *ACS Applied Biomaterials* (2021), 4, 1912–1919.
21. “Cooperative supramolecular block copolymerization for the synthesis of functional axial organic heterostructures”, Sarkar, A; Behera, T; Samal, R; Capelli, R; Empereur-mot, C; Mahato, J; Agasti, S.S*; Pavan, G.M*; Chowdhury, A*; George, S.J*; *Journal of the American Chemical Society* (2020), 142, 11528-11539.
22. “ α -Synuclein aggregation nucleates through liquid-liquid phase separation”, Ray, S; Singh, N; Pandey, S; Kumar, R; Gadhe, L; Datta, D; Patel, K; Mahato, J; Navalkar, A; Panigrahi, R; Chatterjee, D; Maiti, S; Bhatia, S; Mehra, S; Singh, A; Gerez, J; Chowdhury, A; Kumar, A; Padinhateeri, R; Riek, R; Krishnamoorthy, G; Maji, S.K*; *Nature Chemistry* (2020), 12, 705–716.
23. “Molecular intercalation and electronic two dimensionality in layered hybrid perovskites”, Sheikh, T; Nawale, V; Pathoor, N; Phadnis, C; Chowdhury, A; Nag, A*; *Angewandte Chemie, International Edition* (2020), 59, 2-9.
24. “Spatially correlated photoluminescence blinking and flickering of hybrid-halide perovskite micro-rods”, Behera, T; Pathoor, N; Phadnis, C; Buragohain, S; Chowdhury, A*; *Journal of Luminescence* (2020), 223, 117202-117211. [*special issue on perovskite luminescence*]
25. “Non-Gaussian subdiffusion of single-molecule tracers in a hydrated polymer network”, Singh, R.K; Mahato, J; Chowdhury, A; Sain, A; Nandi, A*; *The Journal of Chemical Physics* (2020), 152, 024903.

26. “Insights on heterogeneity in blinking mechanisms and non-ergodicity using sub-ensemble statistical analysis of single quantum-dots” Mukherjee, A; Ray, K.K; Phadnis, C; Layek, A; Bera, S; **Chowdhury, A***; *The Journal of Chemical Physics* (2019), 151, 084701.
27. “Critical role of processing on mechanical properties of cross-linked highly loaded nanocomposites”, Suresh, K; **Chowdhury, A**; Kumar, S.K; Kumaraswamy, G*; *Macromolecules* (2019), 52, 5955-5962.
28. “Reversible dimensionality tuning of hybrid perovskites with humidity: visualization and application to stable solar cells” Sharma, S.K; Phadnis, C; Das. T.K; Kumar, A; Kavaipatti, B; **Chowdhury, A**; Yella, A*; *Chemistry of Materials* (2019) 31, 3111-3117.
29. “Self-assembly of penta-selenopeptides into amyloid fibrils” Gokula, R.P; Mahato, J; Singh, H.B*; **Chowdhury, A***; *Chemical Communications* (2018), 54, 11697-11700.
30. “Fluorescence blinking beyond nano-confinement: Spatially synchronous intermittency of entire perovskite micro-crystals”, Pathoor, N; Halder, A; Mukherjee, A; Mahato, J; Sarkar, S.K*; **Chowdhury, A***; *Angewandte Chemie, International Edition* (2018), 57, 11603–11607.

Conferences and Symposia (updated till 2017)

Oral Presentations

1. “An Approach to Estimate Spatial Distribution of Analyte within Cells”, ***National Fluorescence Workshop and Conference (FCS 2017)***, IIT Guwahati, India 2017.
2. “Spatiotemporal Heterogeneity in Optoelectronic Behaviors of Perovskite Micro-/Nano-Crystals”, ***International Conference on Photochemistry and its Applications (ICPA)***, Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, Kerala, India 2017.
3. “Can Semiconductor Micro-Crystals Blink Like Their Nano-Siblings?”, ***Kaleidoscope 4***, International Centre Goa, Goa, India 2017.
4. “Spatiotemporal Heterogeneity in Photoluminescence of Perovskite Micro-/Nano-Crystals”, ***National Conference on Luminescence and its Applications (NCLA 2017)***, CSIR- Indian Institute of Chemical Technology, Hyderabad, India 2017.
5. “Spatiotemporal Heterogeneity in Optoelectronic Behaviors of Perovskite Micro-/Nano-Crystals”, ***Chemistry Interfacing with Biology and Physics***, IISER Kolkata, Mohanpur, India 2017.
6. “Tracer Navigation Dynamics in Heterogeneous Media”, ***Optics Within Life Sciences (OWLS)***, Tata Institute of Fundamental Research, Mumbai, India 2016.
7. “Probing Spatiotemporal Heterogeneity in Optoelectronic Behaviors of Perovskite Micro-/Nano-Crystals”, ***International Conference on Nanoscience and Technology (ICONSAT 16)***, IISER Pune, India 2016.
8. “Can we use spectrally resolved microscopy to probe surface charge/polarity of amyloid fibers?”, ***Biophysics Pashchim Seminar Series***, IIT Bombay, Mumbai, India 2015.
9. “Single-Nanocrystal PL Spectroscopy and Dynamics to Probe Inhomogeneity in Complex Systems”, ***Mumbai Pune Semiconductor Meeting***, IIT Bombay, Mumbai, India 2015.
10. “Single-Molecule Fluorescence Spectroscopy: Understanding Heterogeneity in Materials by Interrogating One Molecule at a Time”, ***National Conference on Sustainable Chemistry***, Sant Gadge Baba Amravati University, Amravati, India 2015.
11. “Single-Molecule Fluorescence Spectroscopy and Dynamics: Overview and Challenges”, ***Kaleidoscope 1***, International Center, Goa, 2014

12. "Spatial Distribution of Analytes within Cells: Can Spectrally-Resolved Fluorescence Microscopy Help?", ***Advances in Spectroscopy and Ultrafast Dynamics (ASUD)***, Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science (IACS), Kolkata, India **2014**.
13. "Probing Individual Nano-Aggregates of a White-Light Emissive Europium Chelate using Spectrally-Resolved Photoluminescence Microscopy" ***8th Asian Photochemistry Conference (APC-2014)***, Trivandram, Kerala, India **2014**.
14. "Insight on Carrier Localization Mechanisms in (In,Ga)N Quantum-Well based LEDs using Spectrally Resolved Luminescence Microscopy", ***Indo-French Physics Conference*** (organized by CEFIPRA), Indian Institute of Science (IISc), Bangalore, India **2014**.
15. "Energetics in Doped Nanocrystals: Insights from Single-Particle Luminescence spectroscopy", ***National Conference on Energy and Environment (NC2E)***, Pune University, Pune, India **2014**.
16. "Energetic Inhomogeneity in Nanocrystals: Insights from Single-Emitter Spectroscopy" ***16th National Symposium in Chemistry (NSC-16)***, Chemical Research Society of India (CRSI), IIT Bombay, Mumbai, India **2014**.
17. "Probing Energetic Inhomogeneity in Semiconductor Nanocrystals using Single-Particle Spectroscopy" ***Trombay Symposium of Radiation and Photochemistry (TSRP)***, Bhaba Atomic Research Center (BARC), Mumbai, India **2014**.
18. "Plasticization of Polymer Thin-Films: Insights on Heterogeneity from Single Molecule Diffusion Dynamics", ***National Conference on Photosciences: Contemporary Challenges and Future Perspectives***, Jadavpur University, Kolkata, India **2013**.
19. "Plasticization of Polymer Thin-Films: Insights from Single-Molecule Tracer Diffusion Dynamics", ***Polymer Processing Society (PPS) Asia/Australia Conference***, Mumbai, India **2013**.
20. "Insight on Carrier Localization Mechanisms in (In,Ga)N Quantum-Well LEDs using Spectrally- and Time-resolved Photoluminescence Microscopy", ***ISRAPs Discussion Meeting on Advanced Techniques in Radiation and Photochemistry***, Indian Institute of Science Education and Research (IISER), Pune, India, **2013**.
21. "Understanding Energetic Inhomogeneity in Semiconductor Nanocrystals using Single-Particle Fluorescence Spectroscopy", ***New Directions in Chemical Sciences (NDCS)***, Indian Institute of Technology Delhi, New Delhi, India **2012**.
22. "Single-Emitter Spectroscopy to Probe Inhomogeneity in Complex Systems", ***National Fluorescence Workshop and Conference (FCS 2012)***, Saha Institute of Nuclear Physics, Kolkata, India **2012**.
23. "Insight on Carrier Localization Mechanisms in (In,Ga)N Alloy based Quantum-Well LEDs using Spectrally-Resolved Microscopy", ***Chemistry of Functional Materials (CFM)***, Goa, India **2012**.
24. "Insight on Carrier Localization Mechanisms in InGa_N Alloy Based Multiple Quantum-Well LEDs", ***International Conference on Pure and Applied Chemistry (ICPAC)***, Mauritius **2012**.
25. "Insight on Carrier Localization Mechanisms in (In,Ga)N Quantum-Well LEDs using Spectrally- and Time-resolved Photoluminescence Microscopy", ***Mini-Symposium on Spectroscopy and Dynamics***, Indian Institute of Science and Education Research (IISER) Pune, India **2012**.
26. "Insight on Carrier Localization Processes in (In,Ga)N Alloy based Quantum-Well LEDs", ***Spectroscopy and Dynamics of Molecules and Clusters (SDMC-IX)***, Bangalore, India **2012**.
27. "Photoluminescence Intermittency of Highly Localized Emission Centers within InGa_N/Ga_N Quantum-Well (QW) LEDs", ***International Conference on Luminescence (ICL2011)***, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI, USA **2011**.
28. "On the Origins of Highly Radiative Traps Spontaneously Formed within InGa_N/Ga_N Multiple Quantum-Well based Light Emitting Devices" ***Fluorescence 2009***, Tata Institute of Fundamental Research, Mumbai, India **2009**.

29. “Visualizing the Dynamics of Individual DNA-Mismatch-Repair Proteins in Action”, **ISRAPS Discussion Meeting on Advanced Techniques in Radiation and Photochemistry**, Bhaba Atomic Research Center (BARC), Mumbai, India. September 2008.

Poster Presentations

1. “Can polarization-resolved super-resolution imaging of single-molecules provide insights on tracer navigation mechanisms in heterogeneous media?”, **Gordon Conference on Image Science**, Stonehill College, Boston, MA, USA, 2016.
2. “Can polarization-resolved super-resolution imaging of single-molecules provide insights on tracer navigation mechanisms in heterogeneous media?”, **Soft Matter Young Investigators Meet (SM-YIM)**, Pondicherry, India 2015
3. “Single-molecule tracer diffusion dynamics in crowded heterogeneous systems: Hop, stop and jump?”, **Faraday Discussions on Single Molecule Spectroscopy**, London, UK 2015.
4. “Spatially-Resolved Single-Emitter Spectroscopy: Rare Events and Unexpected Phenomenon”, **Kaleidoscope 2**, International Centre, Goa, India 2015
5. “Insights on Heterogeneity from Single-Emitter Measurements: Some Ideas and Challenges”, **Kaleidoscope 1**, International Centre, Goa, India 2014
6. “Probing Tracer Diffusion Disordered Media using Single-Molecule Fluorescence Dynamics”, **Young Investigator’s Meeting (YIM)**, Trivandram, Kerala, India 2009.

Research Seminars and Invited Talks (updated till 2016)

- Department of Chemistry, **Carnegie Mellon University**, Pittsburgh, PA, USA. July 2016
- Department of Chemical Sciences, **Tata Institute of Fundamental Research (TIFR)**, Mumbai, India. November 2014
- Department of Chemistry, **Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur**, India, September 2014
- **Ramakrishna Mission Residential College**, Narendrapur, WB, India. July 2014
- **Mashelkar Endowment Lecture**, National Chemical Laboratories (NCL), Pune, India. March 2014
- **Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science**, Jadavpur, Kolkata, India. December 2013
- National Center for Photovoltaic Research and Education (NCPRE) **IIT Bombay**, Mumbai, India. March 2012
- **Paul Drude Institute (PDI)** for Semiconductor Physics, Berlin, Germany. June, 2011
- Institute for Structural Biology and Biophysics, **Research Center Juelich**, Aachen, Germany. June 2010
- **National Center for Biological Sciences (NCBS)**, Bengaluru, India. October 2008
- **National Chemical Laboratories (NCL)**, Pune, India. August, 2008
- Department of Chemical Sciences, **Tata Institute of Fundamental Research (TIFR)**, Mumbai, India. September 2007
- School of Biosciences and Bioengineering, **IIT Bombay**, Mumbai, India. March 2007
- Department of Chemistry, **Carnegie Mellon University**, Pittsburgh, PA, USA. December 2006
- Department of Chemistry, **Presidency College**, Calcutta, India. November 2006
- Department of Chemistry, **Vishwabharati University**, Shantiniketan, India. November 2006
- Nanoscience Symposium, **IIT Bombay**, Mumbai, India. October 2006

General Scientific and Educational Lectures for Outreach

- “**Atomic Structure and Chemical Bonding**”, Brijlal Biyani Science College, Amravati University, December 2016

- “**Electronic Structure of Atoms and Molecules**”, Vaze College of Arts, Science and Commerce, Mumbai University, February 2016
- “**Nobel Prize in Chemistry 2014**”, Annual Public Lecture Series, IIT Bombay, November 2014
- “**Visualizing the Dynamics of DNA Repair Proteins in Action**”, Sephia College, Mumbai University, part of The Royal Society of Chemistry (RSC), West India Chapter International Year of Chemistry (IYC) *Legacy Symposia*, July 2013.
- “**Electronic Structure of Atoms**”, Kendriya Vidyalaya Bhandup, Mumbai, December 2012.
- “**Single-Molecule and Single-Nanocrystal Fluorescence Spectroscopy**”, Nagpur University, The Royal Society of Chemistry (RSC), West India Chapter International Year of Chemistry (IYC) *Challenge Symposia*, September 2012.
- “**Visualizing Single DNA Molecules**” as a part of *Exciting Science Series* (for high-school students), National Chemical Laboratory (NCL), Pune, India. May 2010.
- “**Quantum Perspectives of Nanoscience**”, Ruia College, Mumbai University, lecture series organized by *The Royal Society of Chemistry, West India Chapter*. September 2009.
- “**Have you seen your DNA?**”, *Bombay Science Fair*, Nehru Science Center, Mumbai. January 2008.