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Materials Science and Engineering

EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATION							
YEAR	DEGREE	UNIVERSITY/BOARD	INSTITUTE	CPI/%			
2022-2024	M. Tech (Materials Science and Eng.)	IIT Kanpur	IIT Kanpur	8.88/10			
2020-2022	M. Sc. (Applied Chemistry)	University of Calcutta	Ramkrishna Mission Vidyamandira	9.69/10			
2017-2020	B. Sc. (Chemistry)	University of Calcutta	Dinabandhu Andrews College	77%			
2015-2017	Class XII	WBCHSE	Mohar B.M. High School	84.4%			
2015	Class X	WBBSE	Mohar B.M. High School	86.71%			

#### **Publications**

- ❖ Das S\*, Mandal S, Mondal K. Valorisation of Leather Buffing Dust as corrosion inhibitor for mild steel in H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> acid. (Accepted at **Bioresource Technology Reports**).
- Mandal S, Das S, Gupta RK, Mondal K. Excellent corrosion inhibition efficiency of Catharanthus roseus (Nayantara or Sadabahar) leaf aqueous extract on mild steel in chloride-contaminated solutions at different pH. (Accepted at Sustainable Materials and Technologies).

KEY PROJECTS				
M. Tech Thesis	Valorization of leather buffing dust as an excellent green corrosion inhibitor for steel in H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub>			
IIT Kanpur	and HCl			
Supervisor: Dr. Kallol Mondal	Synthesis of Collagen (biopolymer) from Industrial waste (LBD) and characterization of the polymer			
[Jun'23-May'24]	by Mass spectroscopy, FTIR, and UV-vis.			
	Studies the inhibitor (Collagen) efficiency in H <sub>2</sub> SO <sub>4</sub> & HCl medium & performs the corrosion			
	experiments like Open Circuit Potential, Polarization, Electrochemically Impedance Spectroscopy			
	(EIS), Tafel. Post corrosion characterization using Scanning Electron Microscopy (SEM), Raman,			
	FTIR, Optical profilometry techniques.			
M. Sc Project	Reusable Fe <sub>3</sub> O <sub>4</sub> – Collagen Hybrid Magnetic Nanocomposite: Strategic Recovery of Collagen,			
Dept of Polymer Sc. & Tech. GCELT	Fabrication, and Cationic Dye Degradation			
Supervisor: Dr. Nayan Ranjan Singha	Recovered collagen from leather buffing dust, fabricated MNP@Collagen hybrid nanomaterials, and			
[Mar'22 – Jun'22]	utilized absorption techniques to remove organic dyes from wastewater using MNP@Collagen			
	materials.			
	Conducted time-dependent adsorption and degradation studies of Methylene Blue (MB) using UV-vis			
	spectroscopy.			
<b>Course Projects</b>	ourse Projects Machine Learning Assisted Design of High Entropy Alloy with Desired Hardness			
MSE643A	Designed 6-element HEAs (Al-Co-Cr-Cu-Fe-Ni) with desired hardness using Machine Learning,			
Instructor: Dr. Krishanu Biswas	achieving an R <sup>2</sup> value of 0.843 with linear regression.			
IIT Kanpur	Employed PCC matrix, pair plots, SVM, multiple linear regression, ridge regression, lasso regression,			
[Jan'23-May'23]	confusion matrix, and F1 score for model development and accuracy assessment			

# **CERTIFICATIONS**

# Polymeric Materials: Properties and Applications in Mechanical Engineering (Udemy):

- Covered polymer basics, polymerization processes, and classification
- Studied mechanical properties like tensile strength, modulus, and impact resistance
- Learned polymer testing methods (DSC, TGA, DMA, FTIR) and the importance of mechanical testing for applications

## **Fundamentals of Plastics and Polymers (udemy):**

- Explored the basics of plastics and polymer science, including polymer structures and properties
- Studied polymer types, processing methods, and material applications
- Covered key concepts in polymer behaviour, durability, and industrial uses

#### **RELEVANT COURSE**

Polymer Science and Technology | Physical Chemistry | Organic Chemistry | Analytical Chemistry | Thin film and Device fabrication | Structure and Characterization of Materials | Mathematics and Computation methods | Artificial intelligence and Machine learning in Materials Science and Engineering | Thermodynamics of Materials | Heat treatment and surface hardening | Transport Phenomena | Electrochemistry and its application.

#### SCHOLASTIC ACHIEVEMENTS

- Received best poster presentation award in the category of corrosion in NSRS-2024 organized by the department of MSE at IIT Kanpur
- Qualified GATE 2022 in Engineering Science (XE) with specialization Materials Science and Polymer Science
- Qualified GATE 2021 in Chemistry (CY).

# **TRAINING**

## Instrumentation Training | Ramkrishna Mission Vidyamandira, Belur Math.

[Dec'21-Feb'22]

• Hands on training and analysis on various instruments like XRD, UV-VIS, FTIR, PL Spectrofluorometer.

Energy Materials – Fundamentals to Device Fabrication | CSIR-Central Electrochemical Research Institute, Karaikudi. [Jun'21-Jun'21]

**TECHNICAL SKILLS** 

Programming Language: Python, SQL

Software skills: Origin, Excel

Machine Learning: Linear Regression, Polynomial Regression.

Tools: Pandas, Matplotlib, Power BI, NumPy.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENC	E

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<b>Materials Engineer</b>	HFCL Ltd	Jun 2024 To Present				
Domain	New Product Development					
Roles & Responsibilities	Analyzed and optimized acrylate coating properties for enhanced performance of optical fiber. Experienced in UV and laser					
	curing of acrylate resins to ensure efficient and fast curing. Performed various coating and mechanical tests to ensure fiber					
	and coating quality.					

# **POSITION OF RESPONSIBILITY**

# MANAGER, Academic Wing | PG Academic and Career Council-PG Anc, IIT Kanpur.

[May'23-Jul'24]

• Arranging Institute Research Symposium (IRS) events, conducting interviews for departmental student DPGC, Secretary of PG academic.

# Orientation Team Member (OTM) | Institute Counselling Service (ICS), IIT Kanpur.

[Jul'23]

Assisted in ID card making of new students, coordinated with the PG Core Team, and performed invigilation duty in EDT examination.

# Teaching Assistant for MSE628: Electronic Device and Characterization, IIT Kanpur.

[Aug'23-Present]

Managed, Supervised, and coordinated the class along with the smooth conduction of examinations and grading of course assignments.