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# **Education and Training**

# **Ph.D. (Physics)** 2007-2013

Mangalore University, Department of Physics, Karnataka, India

• Crystal Structure and Nonlinear Optical Properties of Solution Grown OrganicMaterials.

**M.Sc. (Physics)** 2005-2007 Mangalore University, Department of Physics, Karnataka, India

# B.Sc. (Physics, Mathematics & Chemistry) 2002-2005

Mangalore University, Karnataka, India

# **Professional Experience**

Mangalore University, India. Sep 2007-Sep2010, Department of Physics, India

- Successfully completed the Department of Science and Technology, Government of India funded research project, in the Department of Physics, Mangalore University.
- Involved in teaching and training Masters level courses in Physics.
- Synthesized chalcone crystals, subjected to different characterization techniques to explore linear and non-linear optical properties

# Sahyadri College of Engineering and Management, India Jan 2011-Jun2011, Department of *Physics*

• Involved in teaching engineering students.

**St. Philomena College**, Puttur, Karnataka, Department of Physics, Center for PG Studies and Research (July2012-June2023)

- Served as coordinator of the Department since its inception in the year 2012
- Involved in establishing laboratories for first year PG course and also for second year Nuclear, Electronics and Condensed Matter Specializations
- Guided the students in their research projects/internships
- Established 'Light and Matter Physics Research Laboratory' from the grant received from VGST

St Aloysius College, Mangaluru, Karnataka, Department of Physics (PG) (July2023-onwards)

• Assistant Professor, grade-II

## Workshops and Seminars Organized

- 1. Convener of one-day National Level Workshop on, "Digital Communication and PCB Fabrication", 1<sup>st</sup> April 2014, **sponsored by KSCST**.
- 2. Co-convener of **UGC sponsored** two days National Seminar on "Radiation and Environment", 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> February, 2015
- 3. Convener of one day National level Seminar on "Theoretical Aspects of Particle and High energy Physics", 4<sup>th</sup> April 2015 (**KSCST and KSTA sponsored**)
- 4. Convener of two-day national level Seminar on "Quantum Mechanics and Applications", 20<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> October 2015 (**BRNS, UGC, KSTA and KSCST sponsored**)
- Convener of One day national workshop "Observational Astronomy and Data Analysis Technique", 5<sup>TH</sup> November 2016 (ISRO, INSA sponsored)
- 6. Convener of one day national workshop "Quantum Field Theory and Applications", 28<sup>th</sup> March 2017 (**SERB and CSIR sponsored**)
- 7. Convener of Two-day national seminar on "Mathematical Physics", 23<sup>rd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup> October 2017 (**NBHM Sponsored**)
- Co-convener of One-day national workshop on "Science writings and Communication", on 6<sup>th</sup> September 2018
- Co-convener of one day workshop on Astronomy, "Wonders of Universe"; held on 13<sup>th</sup> December 2019 (Sponsored by Pililkula Regional Science Centre, Mangaluru)
- 10. Co-ordinator of the webinar, "Stellar Evolution and Structure of Galaxies", organized on June 8, 2020
- Co-Ordinator of the webinar series which included five lectures on different topics of Physics and Science; held from 18-1-2021 to 22-1-2021(Sponsored by Pililkula Regional Science Centre, Mangaluru).
- Co-Ordinator of the webinar series which included five lectures on different topics of Physics and Science; held from 28-11-2021 to 06-12-2021(Sponsored by Pililkula Regional Science Centre, Mangaluru).
- 13. Co-convener of two-day workshop on "Nuclear Radiation: Experiments and Instrumentation", on 19th and 20th May, 2022 (**KSTA Sponsored**)

## **Book Authored**

- Book Authored, "Linear and Nonlinear Optical Properties of Novel Organic Crystals", Lambert Academic Publishing, Germany: 01/09/2015, ISBN 978-3-659-66692-6
- 2. Book Chapter, "Probing strongly correlated electron systems: Crystal growth dynamics, anisotropic studies and emergence of topological semimetals", In: Decadal odyssey in Physics: A chronicle of the PPK endowment lecture series, St Aloysius Prakashana. ISBN: 978-81-963171-9-5.

#### **Research Papers**

 Harshal Jason D. Souza, E Deepak D Silva, Naveen D. Souza N, Sahana Nagappa Moger, V.K. Ashith. Aluminium doped magnesium oxide thin films: A possible contender for transparent conducting oxides. *Optical Materials* (2024), Volume 154, August 2024, 115651

https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S0925346724008346?dgcid=coauthor

- Ashith V K, E Deepak D'Silva\*, Dipanjan Banerjee, S. Venugopal Rao. Characterization of Sol gel derived Spin Coated Copper Incorporation of CdS films for Nonlinear Optical Applications, *Journal of Current Applied Physics* (2024), Volume 57, Pages 93-104 (\*Corresponding Author)
- Naveen D Souza N, Harshal Jason D Souza, Ashith V K, E. Deepak D'Silva\*. Influence of Preparation Time on Chemical Bath Deposited Alumina (Al2O3) Thin Films. *Materials today: Proceedings* (2023), (\*Corresponding Author)
- V. K. Ashith & E. Deepak D'Silva<sup>\*</sup>. Influence of concentration and annealing temperature on spin-coated metal oxide thin films for optoelectronic devices. *Journal of Materials Science: Materials in Electronics* (2021) <u>https://doi.org/10.1007/s10854-021-05662-7</u>

(\*Corresponding author)

- E. Deepak D'Silva<sup>\*</sup>, Ismayil, Anshu Gaur, S. Venugopal Rao. Dopant induced modifications in the microstructure and nonlinear optical properties of 4N4MSP chalcone doped PVA films. *Optical Materials* (2020), Volume 101, 109708 (\**Corresponding author*)
- A. P. Monteiro, Vipin Naik, K. B. Vijaya Kumar, Praveen P. D'souza, E. Deepak D'silva. Hadronic Loop Effects in Ds Meson Mass Spectrum. *Proceedings of the DAE Symp. on Nucl. Phys.* 63 (2018)
- Mass Spectrum of Ds Meson in a Non-Relativistic Quark Model with Hulthen Potential. E Deepak D'Silva, A. P. Monteiro, Praveen P. D'Souza, Vipin Naik N. S., K. B. Vijaya Kumar. Proceedings of the DAE Symp. on Nucl. Phys. 63 (2018)
- Amit Kumar, Rajesh Kumar, Archana Gupta, Poonam Tandon, E. Deepak D'silva. Molecular structure, nonlinear optical studies and spectroscopic analysis of chalcone derivative (2E)-3-[4-(methylsulfanyl)phenyl]-1-(3-bromophenyl)prop-2-en-1-one by DFT calculations. *Journal of Molecular Structure (2017)*, 1150 166-178.
- 9. **E.D. D'silva.** Structure report: (2E)-1-(3,4-dimethylphenyl)-3-(3-methylthiophen-2yl)prop-2-en-1-one. *PEARL* (2015), 1, 12-21.

- Amit Kumar, Vipin Deval, Poonam Tandon, Archana Gupta, E. Deepak D'silva. Experimental and theoretical (FT-IR, FT-Raman, UV-vis, NMR) spectroscopic analysis and first order hyperpolarizability studies of non-linear optical material: (2E)-3-[4-(methylsulfanyl)phenyl]-1-(4-nitrophenyl)prop-2-en-1-one using density functional theory. *Spectro chimica Acta Part A: Molecular and Biomolecular Spectroscopy* (2014), 130, 41-53.
- E.D. D'silva\*, S.M. Dharmaprakash. Electrical and optical characteristic of non-linear optical chalcone derivative. *Elixir Crystal Growth* (2013), 65, 19724-19730. (\*Corresponding author)
- E.D. D'silva\*, G.K. Podagatlapalli, S.V. Rao, S.M. Dharmaprakash. Study on third order nonlinear optical properties of 4-methylsulfanyl chalcone derivatives using picosecond pulses. *Materials Research Bulletin* (2012), 47, 3552-3557. (\*Corresponding author)
- E.D. D'silva\*, G.K. Podagatlapalli, S.V. Rao, S.M. Dharmaprakash. Structural, optical and electrical characteristics of a new NLO crystal. *Journal of Optics and Laser Technology* (2012), 44, 1687-1697. (\*Corresponding author)
- 14. E.D. D'silva\*, G.K. Podagatlapalli, S.V. Rao, D.N. Rao and S.M. Dharmaprakash. New, high efficiency nonlinear optical chalcone co-crystal and structure-property relationship. *Journal of Crystal Growth and Design* (2011), 11, 5362-5369. (\**Correspondingauthor*)
- 15. E.D. D'silva\*, D.N. Rao, R. Philip., R.J. Butcher, Rajnikant, S.M. Dharmaprakash. Second harmonic chalcone crystal: Synthesis, growth and characterization. *Physica B: Condensed Matter* (2011), 406, 2206–2210. (\**Corresponding author*)
- E.D. D'silva\*, D.N. Rao, R. Philip, R.J. Butcher, Rajnikant, S.M. Dharmaprakash. Synthesis, growth and characterization of novel second harmonic nonlinear chalcone crystal. *Journal of Physics and Chemistry of Solids* (2011), 72, 824–830. (\*Correspondingauthor)
- 17. **E.D. D'silva** and S.M. Dharmaprakash. Growth and Characterization Of Organic NLO Crystals of 4-SCH3-4'-Chlorochalcone. *AIP Conf. Proc.* (2011) 1349, 1241-1242
- 18. H.K. Fun, R. Kia, **E.D. D'silva**, P.S. Patil, S.M. Dharmaprakash. 3-hydroxy 4-methoxy benzaldehyde thiosemicarbazone hemihydrates. *Acta crystallographica Section E* (2008), E64, o2274.
- 19. H.K. Fun, S. Chantrapromma, **E.D. D'silva**, P.S. Patil, S.M. Dharmaprakash. 2,5dimethoxy benzaldehyde thiosemicarbazone. *Acta crystallographica Section E* (2008), E64, 0935.

- H.K. Fun, S. Chantrapromma, E.D. D'silva, P.S. Patil, S.M. Dharmaprakash. S-benzyl thiouronium 4- anilinobenzenesulfonate. *Acta crystallographica Section E* (2008), E64, 1858.
- H.K. Fun, S. Chantrapromma, P.S. Patil, E.D. D'silva, S.M. Dharmaprakash. (E)-3-(4-methyl phenyl)-1-(4-nitro phenyl) prop-2-en-one. *Acta crystallographica Section E* (2008), E64, o954-o955.
- H.K. Fun, S.R. Jebas, I.A. Razak, P.S. Patil, S.M. Dharmaprakash, E.D. D'silva. (E)-3-(2-Chloro phenyl)-1-(4-chlorophenyl)prop-2-en-one. *Acta crystallographica Section E*(2008), E64, o954-o1177.
- 23. H.K. Fun, S.R. Jebas, I.A. Razak, **E.D. D'silva**, P.S. Patil, S.M. Dharmaprakash. Sbenzylthiouronium3-nitrobenzene sulfonate. *Acta crystallographica Section E* (2008), E64, 01195-01196.
- H.K. Fun, S.R. Jebas, P.S. Patil, E.D. D'silva, S.M. Dharmaprakash. (E)-1-(4-fluorophenyl)-3-(4-methyl phenyl)prop-2-en-one. *Acta crystallographica Section E* (2008), E64, 0935.

#### **Presentations**

- A. Anagha, Akash Arjun Bag, Sandra Sajeevan, E Deepak D'Silva, Characterization of copper incorporated CdS spin coated thin films derived from sol gel method. National conference on physical sciences, 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2024
- 2. Ashith V K and E. Deepak D'Silva, Characterization of Spin Coated Cu Incorporated ZnS Thin films for Photovoltaic Applications, Conference Proceedings: ICEMA -2022
- 3. Ashith V K and **E. Deepak D'Silva**, Effect of concentration on Structural and Optical Properties of Metal Oxide Thin Films by Spin Coating Technique, Proceedings on International Conference on Nanoscience and Nanotechnology (ICONN 2021)
- K. B. Vijaya Kumar, Praveen P. D'souza, Vipin Naik N. S., A. P. Monteiro, and E. Deepak DSilva. Decay constants of Pseudoscalar and Vector D, Ds, B and Bs Mesons. Proceedings of the DAE Symp. on Nucl. Phys. 64 (2019). http://sympnp.org/proceedings/64/D33.pdf
- A.P. Monteiro, Vipin Naik, K. B. Vijaya Kumar, Praveen P. D'souza, E. Deepak D'silva. Hadronic Loop Effects in Ds Meson Mass Spectrum. Proceedings of the DAE Symp. on Nucl. Phys. 63 (2018) <u>https://inspirehep.net/files/4893f17b0d5934a46d04647f41052c95</u>

- 6. Mass Spectrum of Ds Meson in a Non-Relativistic Quark Model with Hulthen Potential. E Deepak D'Silva, A. P. Monteiro, Praveen P. D'Souza, Vipin Naik N. S., K. B. Vijaya Kumar. Proceedings of the DAE Symp. on Nucl. Phys. 63 (2018) <u>https://inspirehep.net/files/60bc82ad301028a2df3be53c45254f6a</u>
- 7. **E.D. D'silva**, S. Raghavendra and S.M. Dharmaprakash. New chalcone crystal 4Br4MSP for nonlinear optical investigations. National Conference on Smart Materials and Technologies for Emerging Electronics. Badaga Mijar, Moodabidri, Karnataka, India, March 8 and 9, 2013.
- E.D. D'silva and S.M. Dharmaprakash. Efficient noncentrosymmetric novel crystal 4-SCH3-4'-nitrorochalcone. *Modern Trends in Science and Technology*, MTST-11, Dr. M.V. Shetty Institute of Technology, Moodbidri, Mangalore, October 14 and 15, 2011.
- E.D. D'silva and S.M. Dharmaprakash. Synthesis, Growth and Characterization Of Organic NLO Crystals of 4-SCH<sub>3</sub>-4'-Chlorochalcone. *Solid State Physics, Proceedings of the 55<sup>th</sup> DAE Solid State Physics Symposium 2010*, AIP Conf. Proc. (2011) 1349, 1241-1242, Manipal University, Manipal, December 26-30, 2010.
- E.D. D'silva, P.S. Patil, S.M. Dharmaprakash. Synthesis and crystal structure of second ordered non-linear optical material: S-benzylthiouronium 3-nitro benzene sulfonate. 38<sup>th</sup> National Seminar on Crystallography, Mysore University, February 11-13, 2009.
- 11. E.D. D'silva, R. Philip, R.J. Butcher and S.M. Dharmaprakash. Non-linear absorption studies of newly synthesized chalcone derivatives. *14th National Seminar on Crystal Growth, NSCG-XIV*, VIT University, Vellore, March 10-12, 2010.

#### Honors and Awards

- 1. Received the Department of Science and Technology (DST) Research Fellowship (2007-2010).
- Journal of Optics and Laser Technology, Most downloaded Paper Award 2012 for the manuscript: E.D. D'silva\*, G.K. Podagatlapalli, S.V. Rao, S.M. Dharmaprakash. Structural, optical and electrical characteristics of a new NLO crystal. *Journal of Optics and Laser Technology* (2012), 44, 1687-1697 (\*corresponding author).

#### **Research Grant**

Awarded 5 lakh funding for the project "Synthesis of novel organic crystal for nonlinear optical studies" by the Vison Group on science and technology, Government of Karnataka (VGST Scheme:2017-18).

## **Participation in Workshop/Faculty Development Programme**

1. Participated in Intellectual Property Awareness Training Program organized by Government of India, Ministry of Commerce and Industry on October 20, 2023.

- 2. Participated in 5-day faculty development program on "Advanced Materials for Energy and Environment", organized by Department of Physics, School of Applied Sciences, REVA University, from 5<sup>th</sup> to 9<sup>th</sup> September 2023.
- 3. Participated in 7 days national level faculty development programme on "ICT Tools-The emerging trends of teaching" organized by Besant women's college, Mangaluru on August 24-30, 2021.
- 4. Participated in 7 days national level faculty development programme on "Academic empowerment and research culture" organized by Sri Venkataramana Swamy College, Bantwal, on 13th-20th September, 2021.
- 5. Participated in 7 days national level faculty development programme on "Adavaned materials for future science" organized by Jeppiaar Engineering College, Chennai from 6<sup>th</sup> -13<sup>th</sup>, September, 2021.
- 6. Participated in the NPTL Swayam 8 week online course on "Numerical Methods and Simulation Techniques for Scientists and Engineers" and successfully completed the course with the certificate; during August to October 2019.
- 7. Participated in four-day teacher training workshop on "Research Based Pedagogical Tools", held at Sacred Heart College, Kochi, Kerala during 11-14 October, 2017. The workshop was jointly sponsored by the Department of Biotechnology (DBT), Government of India; Newton Bhabha Fund of the British Council; Center of Excellence in Science and Mathematics Education, IISER Pune. It was conducted by a team of experts from the center for Science Education, Sheffield Hallam University, UK.
- 8. Participated in "National Seminar on Saga of Light", held at St Aloysius College, Mangalura, on 15<sup>th</sup> of December, 2015.
- Participated in the conference on "Science and Technology New Horizons: Opportunities and Challenges", jointly organized by Karnataka Science and Technology Academy (KSTA) and Mangalore University held at Mangalore University; during January 28 to 29, 2012.
- 10. Participated in awareness workshop on, "The facilities of UGC-DAE consortium for scientific research", held at MIT, Manipal on September 6 to 7, 2010.
- 11. Participated in "National Workshop on Nonlinear Optics", organized by Department of Science and Humanities, NIT Calicut on January 4 to 5 2008.
- 12. Participated in "Workshop on Electron Microscopy", held at NITK, Surathkal on 8 to 10 March, 2008.

#### **Professional Activities**

- 1. Ad-hoc Reviewer for manuscripts to be considered for publication in Journal of Molecular Structure, Journal of Materials Science, RSC Advances and Journal of Optics and Laser Technology etc.
- 2. Served as Associate Editor of PEARL Multidisciplinary, Bi-Annual Research Journal Published by St Philomena College, Puttur
- 3. Served as Internal Examiner for Mangalore University P.G. Physics Practical Examination
- 4. Guided two students for their research internship.

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