## **Curriculum Vitae**

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# **Professional Appointments**

• Professor

Centre for Quantum Engineering, Research and Education (CQuERE), TCG CREST, Kolkata, April 2021– Present

- Visiting Fellow
  - **S. N. Bose National Centre for Basic Sciences, Kolkata, January March 2021** (Was offered the Raja Ramanna Fellowship of the Department of Atomic Energy. However, I accepted the TCG CREST position.)
- Visiting Professor at the Department of Physics & School of Nano Science and Technology Indian Institute of Technology Kharagpur, 2017–2020
- Senior Professor at the Department of Materials Science
  Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science, Kolkata, 2006–2017
- Professor (2004-2006), Associate Professor (1998-2004), Assistant Professor (1992-1998),
  Senior Lecturer (1988-1992)

Institute of Physics, Bhubaneswar, 1988-2006

- Guest Scientist at Hamburg Synchrotron Radiation Laboratory (HASYLAB)
  HASYLAB at DESY, Hamburg, 1985–1988
- Teaching Assistant and Research Assistant at the Department of Physics
  State University of New York at Albany, Albany, New York, 1980-1985
- Senior Scientific Assistant
  Tata Institute of Fundamental Research (TIFR), Mumbai, 1978-1980

## **Education**

• 1985 Ph.D. in Physics

The Department of Physics

State University of New York at Albany, Albany, New York

Presidential Distinguished Doctoral Dissertation Award

Thesis title: "Structural studies of chemisorption on silicon surfaces"

Thesis supervisors: Professor Walter M. Gibson & Professor Tara Prasad Das

- 1978 Post-M.Sc. Diploma in Solid State Physics, Associate of Saha Institute of Nuclear Physics Saha Institute of Nuclear Physics, Kolkata
- 1977 M.Sc. in Physics

The Department of Physics

Rajshahi University, Rajshahi

1975 B. Sc. in Physics (Honours)
 The Department of Physics
 Rajshahi University, Rajshahi

## **Research Interests/Experience:**

- Ion-solid interactions, ion scattering and ion implantation
- Developed ion scattering (Rutherford backscattering & channeling), ion implantation, ion microbeam facilities for research in condensed matter physics, surface science and materials science using a 3 MV pelletron accelerator at Institute of Physics, Bhubaneswar
- X-ray physics. Developed the X-ray reflectivity & X-ray standing wave experimental facilities both the facilities were the first in India.
- Surface physics and high quality materials growth. Designed a molecular beam epitaxy (MBE) system. Using this MBE system combined with a scanning tunnelling microscope (STM), we provided the first results from India on self-organized epitaxial nanostructures and atomic resolution microscopy of single crystal surfaces, where individual surface atoms on silicon surfaces were observed.
- Quantum structures and devices. An equipment combining MBE-STM-PEEM (photoemission electron microscopy) was set up for this research. This was the first PEEM facility in India.
- Magnetism and superconductivity. We discovered a nonmagnetic state of cobalt and superconductivity in cobalt.
- Theories of various kinds as required for understanding new experimental results. We developed the theory of X-ray interactions with multilayer thin films and the electronic structures for nanoscale structures in the dimensional crossover regimes.
- Most current interest: Setting up a superconducting quantum computing facility.
  Superconducting quantum circuits. Research on materials for superior qubits and fabrication of superconducting qubits.

## **Awards and Honours**

1985 Presidential Distinguished Doctoral Dissertation Award,

State University of New York at Albany. N.Y., U.S.A.

2003 MRSI Medal of Materials Research Society of India

2005 Marie Curie International Incoming Fellow of European Union

2005 Elected Fellow of the Indian Academy of Sciences

2007 Elected Fellow of the West Bengal Academy of Science and Technology

2009 DAE-Raja Ramanna Prize in Physics of Jawaharlal Nehru Centre for Advanced

Scientific Research

2010 International Alumni Award for Exceptional Achievement

State University of New York at Albany. New York, U.S.A.

2011 Elected Fellow of the National Academy of Sciences, India

2012 S. P. Sengupta Memorial Lecture of Materials Research Society of India, Kolkata Chapter.

2015 MRSI Distinguished Lectureship Award, Materials Research Society of India

2015 Anil Kumar Memorial Lecture, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, India

2021 Raja Ramanna Fellowship of the Department of Atomic Energy, India

- Member of the Program Advisory Committee on Condensed Matter Physics and Materials Science, Department of Science and Technology (DST), Government of India. (1997 - 2000)
- Member of the Accelerator Users' Committee of Nuclear Science Centre, New Delhi (An Inter University Centre of UGC), (2002 2004).
- Member of the National Committee for Utilization of Indus Rings (NCUIR), (2004 2008).
- Member of the Expert Committee on Nano Science and Technology Initiative (NSTI) of Department of Science and Technology (DST), Govt. of India (2004-2007).
- Member of the Expert Committee on Review of Accelerators, Department of Science and Technology, Government of India (2009 - 2016)
- Member of the International Scientific Committee of the International Conference on Atomic Collisions in Solids (ICACS) (Elected for the period: 2010 - 2022)
- Member of University Grants Commission SAP Advisory Committee, Tezpur University (2012- 2015)
- Member of the Board of Professional Studies in Nanotechnology, North-Eastern Hill University, Shillong (2013 – 2016)
- Member of the Scientific Advisory Committee, UGC-DAE Consortium for Scientific Research, Indore (2015 – 2018)
- Member of the Programme Advisory Committee on Physics and Astrophysics, Department of Science and Technology, Govt. of India (2016 – 2019)
- Chairman, Subject Group Thin Films, Surfaces and Interfaces, Materials Research Society of India (2016 present)
- Member of the Programme Advisory Committee (Condensed Matter Physics and Materials Science I), Science and Engineering Research Board, Department of Science and Technology, Govt. of India (2018 - 2020).
- Member of the Advisory cum Review Committee of UGC CAS VI Programme at the Department of Physics, IISc Bangalore (2018 – 2023).

## **Grants:**

- Department of Atomic Energy internal grant for various projects: (About \$1,300,000)
  1989-2005 (Institute of Physics, where I worked during this period, is a DAE institute).
- Institute grant from the Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science: "Setting up an advanced laboratory for surface and nanoscale science" (About \$600,000) 2008
- Department of Atomic Energy grant: "Quantum structures and devices"
  (About \$1,600,000) 2009-2017

Smaller projects for international collaborations (as principal investigator):

- Indo-German bilateral collaboration with Hamburg Synchrotron Radiation Laboratory (HASYLAB) at DESY, Hamburg, Germany (Physics-25). (1990-2002).
- Indo-US collaboration with State University of New York at Albany, New York, U.S.A.
  Grantee: Office of Naval Research, U.S.A. Grant No. N00014-95-1-0130 (1995-2006)
- Indo-Japan (DST-JST) collaborative research programme with Osaka Electro-Communication University (2009- 2012)

## **Conferences Attended/Talks Delivered**

(Only Invited talks including Plenary and Keynote lectures are listed here)

#### Invited Talks in International Conferences, Workshops and Schools:

- [1] X-ray standing waves in noncentrosymmetric crystals and the phase problem in crystallography, International Conference on Anomalous Scattering , August 17 21,1992, Malente/Hamburg, Germany.
- [2] X-ray standing waves as a tool to study periodic structures, Third InternationalSchool and Symposium on Synchrotron Radiation in Natural Science, May 31 -June 8, 1996, Jaszowiec, Poland.
- [3] Structural and phase transition studies of layered materials by X-ray standing waves, 17th International Conference on X-ray and Inner-Shell Processes, September 9 -13, 1996, Hamburg, Germany.
- [4] Coherent beam and the resonant enhancement of x-rays in thin films, International Workshop on X-ray Free Electron Laser Applications, September 16-17, 1996, Hamburg, Germany.
- [5] X-ray standing wave studies on crystalline materials using synchrotron radiation, International School on Powder Diffraction, October 7-10, 1998, Calcutta, India.
- [6] Surface modification in ion-solid interactions, The 5th IUMRS International Conference in Asia, October 13-16, 1998, Bangalore, India,.
- [7] High resolution X-ray diffraction and X-ray standing waves, India-Italy Workshop on Utilization of ELETTRA Synchrotron, November 10-13, 1998, Calcutta, India.

- [8] Materials modifications in heavy ion interactions with single crystals and their ion beam characterization, International Conference on Swift Heavy Ions in Materials Engineering and Characterization, October 19-22, 1998, New Delhi, India.
- [9] High resolution X-ray diffraction and X-ray standing waves in condensed matter physics, International Workshop on Recent Advances in Scattering Studies in Condensed Matter Physics, Nov. 28-Dec. 4, 1999, Coorg, India.
- [10] Characterization of microstructures formed on MeV ion irradiated Ag films on Si(111) surfaces, 7th International Conference on Nuclear Microprobe Technology and Applications, 10-15 September, 2000, Bordeaux, France.
- [11] Interface modification and characterization by ion beams and synchrotron radiation, The Third International Conference on Synchrotron Radiation in Materials Science, January 21-24, 2002, Singapore.
- [12] Layered synthetic microstructures: Importance of a combined X-ray standing wave and X-ray reflectrometric analysis, International Conference on Physics at Surfaces and Interfaces, March 4-8, 2002, Puri, India.
- [13] Ion beam analysis of surfaces, interfaces and epilayers, 20th International Conference on Atomic Collisions in Solids, January 19-24, 2003, Puri, India.
- [14] Synchrotron X-radiation in studies of layered and self-assembled structures, Indo-US Workshop on Radiation Physics with Synchrotron and Other New Sources, May 14-16, 2003, Argonne National Lab., USA.
- [15] Novel growth of Ag islands on Si(111) by molecular beam epitaxy: Plateaus with atomic-scale preferred heights, Indo-US Workshop on Nanoscale Materials: From Science to Technology, April 5-8, 2004, Puri, India.
- [16] Nanoscale self-affine surface smoothing by ion bombardment and the morphology of nanostructures grown on ion-bombarded surfaces, 21st International Conference on Atomic Collisions in Solids (ICACS21), July 4-9, 2004, Genoa, Italy.
- [17] Epitaxial self-assembled nanostructures on silicon, International Conference on Nanomaterials: Synthesis, Characterization and Application, November 4-6, 2004, Kolkata, India.
- [18] Epitaxial quantum dot structures on silicon and single-electron tunneling effects, Indo-US Workshop on Collaborations and Networking, December 19-21, 2004, NCL Pune, India.
- [19] Nonmagnetic to magnetic nanostructures via ion irradiation, 31st International Conference on Micro- and Nano-Engineering, Vienna, Austria, 19-22 September, 2005.
- [20] Nanoscience: Experiences of a Marie Curie Researcher in India, US and Europe, (Plenary Talk) in "European Marie Curie Conference 2005", Tuscany (Pisa/Livorno), Italy, 28-30 September, 2005.

- [21] Marie Curie Incoming International Fellowship: Experiences and views of a Fellow, (Invited Panelist) in "The international dimension of the 'Europe of knowledge': A common interest of Europe and to the world", Brussels, Belgium, 5-7 October, 2005.
- [22] Detecting atomic migration with sub-nanometer precision and understanding magnetism in a multilayer, 10<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Advanced Materials (IUMRS-ICAM 2007), Bangalore, India, October 8 13, 2007
- [23] Transforming a nonmagnetic system into a ferromagnetic system and vice versa by ion irradiation, 3<sup>rd</sup> Indo-Japan Conference on Ferroics and Multiferroics, Kolkata, India, February 4–6, 2008.
- [24] Magnetic transformations due to ion beam induced defects and atomic migration, Plenary talk at the 23<sup>rd</sup> International Conference on Atomic Collisions in Solids (ICACS23), Hans Merensky Estate, Phalaborwa, South Africa, August 17-22, 2008.
- [25] Ion-beam induced surface topography, Tutorial talk at the 23<sup>rd</sup> International Conference on Atomic Collisions in Solids (ICACS23), Hans Merensky Estate, Phalaborwa, South Africa, August 17-22, 2008.
- [26] Cross-over behaviour in electrical response in swift heavy ion irradiated copper-oxide/copper thin film systems, 16<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Ion Beam Modification of Materials, Dresden, Germany, August 31 September 05, 2008.
- [27] Modification and patterning of nanostructures by ion beam,
- In AsiaNANO 2008 (The 2008 Asian Conference on Nanoscoence and Nanotechnology), Biopolis, Singapore, November 3-7, 2008
- [29] Magnetic exchange bias and its ion beam induced enhancement in a Nanoscale Si/Co/Si system. Plenary Talk in the 19<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Ion-Surface Interactions, Zvenigorod, Russia, August 21-25, 2009
- [30] Magnetic exchange bias modification by ion irradiation, 6<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Magnetism, Superconductivity and Phase Transitions in Novel and Complex Materials, Kolkata, India, November 11-14, 2009.
- [31] Application of X-ray standing waves and photoemission electron microscopy in condensed matter systems, Indo-Italian Workshop on Applications of Synchrotron Radiation to Condensed Matter Problems: Basic and Applied Research, Bangalore, India, 23-25 November, 2009.
- [32] Ion irradiation induced evolution of magnetic behaviour in nanoscale layered systems, International Conference on Advanced Nanomaterials and Nanotechnology, Guwahati, India, December 9-11, 2009.
- [33] Diffusion in nanoscale doped semiconductors, Fifteenth International Workshop on Physics of Semiconductor Devices, New Delhi, India, December 15-19, 2009.

- [34] Lateral straggling and its influence on lateral diffusion in implantation with a focused ion beam, 24th International Conference on Atomic Collisions in Solids, Krakow, Poland, July 18-23, 2010.
- [35] Lateral diffusion in nanostructures fabricated by focused ion beams, 21st International Conference on the Application of Accelerators in Research and Industry, Fort Worth, USA, August 8-13, 2010.
- [35] Epitaxial nanostructures on surfaces: Electronic and magnetic behaviour, International Conference on Fundamental and Applications of Nanoscience & Technology, Kolkata, India, December 9-11, 2010.
- [36] Nanoscale doping of semiconductors and the role of lateral dopant diffusion, International Symposium on Advances in Nanomaterials, Kolkata, India, December 6-7, 2010.
- [37] Quantum size effects in electronic and magnetic behaviour in epitaxial nanostructures, 8th International Symposium on Atomic Level Characterizations for New Materials and Devices, Seoul, Republic of Korea, May 22-27, 2011.
- [38] Electronic density of states at Fermi level in the extreme two dimensional limit, International Symposium on Clusters, Cluster Assemblies and Nano-scale Materials, Harish-Chandra Research Institute, Allahabad, Nov. 28- Dec. 01, 2011
- [39] Physical phenomena in atomic scale thin films, International Conference on Theoretical and Applied Physics (ICTAP), IIT Kharagpur, 1-3 December, 2011
- [40] Magnetic domains in thin Co films on Si with a buffer layer: A spin polarized low energy electron microscopy investigation, International Workshop on "Novel Development of Magnetic Microscopy and Smart Spintronics Materials", Osaka, Japan, 17-18 January, 2012
- [41] Electronic structure and transport in ultrathin films near the two-dimensional limit, International Conference on Thin Films and Applications, SASTRA University, Thanjavur, 15-17 March, 2012
- [42] X-ray standing wave analysis of ion irradiated multilayers: correlation between nanostructure and properties, 12<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Surface X-ray and Neutron Scattering, Kolkata, India, 25-28 July, 2012
- [43] Electronic structure and transport in ultrathin films near the two dimensional limit, Kolkata-Moscow Symposium, Kolkata (22-23 January, 2013)
- [44] Spontaneous formation of quantum wires via shape transition in epitaxial and endotaxial growth, 6<sup>th</sup> India Singapore Joint Physics Symposium on Physics of Advanced Materials 2013, 25-27 February, 2013, IIT Kharagpur
- [45] Photoemission electron microscopy and other low energy electron microscopies for surface and near- surface investigations. International Conference on Electron Microscopy, EMSI 2013, Kolkata, India 03 05 July, 2013

- [46] Ion irradiation and implantation effects in multilayer and multistripe systems. 21<sup>st</sup> International Conference on Ion-Surface Interactions (ISI-2013), Yaroslavl, Russia. 22 26 August, 2013
- [47] Evolution of electronic structure and transport properties of ultrathin films near the 2-D limit. ACCMS-VO8, Tohoku University, Sendai and Matsushima, Japan, 7-9 November, 2013
- [48] Electronic structure and transport in atomic layer thin films in the 2D to 3D crossover regime, 9<sup>th</sup> International Symposium on Atomic Level Characterization for New Materials and Devices '13 (ALC'13), The Big Island, Hawaii, USA, 02-06 December, 2013
- [49] Self-organized epitaxial nanostructures on silicon surfaces, International Conference in Asia (IUMRS-ICA2013), Bangalore, 16-20 December, 2013
- [50] Surface science: An introduction (Tutorial), The 3<sup>rd</sup> International Conference on Physics at Surfaces and Interfaces (PSI 2014), Puri, India, 24-28 February, 2014
- [51] Towards tunable properties via structures in the lower dimensional crossover regimes. The 3<sup>rd</sup> International Conference on Physics at Surfaces and Interfaces (PSI 2014), Puri, India, 24-28 February, 2014
- [52] A spin-polarized low energy electron microscopic investigation of magnetic domains in thin Co films on Si with a buffer layer, International Conference on Spin Physics and Nanomagnetism, Max-Planck Institute of Microstructure Physics, Halle, Germany, 10-13 July, 2014
- [53] Engineering quantum structures at surfaces, International Conference on Emerging Materials: Characterization and Application, Kolkata, India, 4 6 December, 2014 (Plenary lecture)
- [54] Electronic structure and transport in low dimensional structures in the dimensional crossover regimes, 8<sup>th</sup> India-Singapore Symposium in Condensed Matter Physics, IIT Kanpur, 25-27 February, 2015
- [55] Quantum phenomena in nanostructures, International Conference on Advances in Physics, Rajshahi, Bangladesh, 18-19 April, 2015 (Plenary lecture)
- [56] Surfactant role of Ag in an effort to grow germanene on a Si(111)/Ge(V3xV3)-Ag substrate, International Conference on Applied Surface Science, Shanghai, China, 27-30 July, 2015
- [57] Phenomena in self-organized epitaxial nanostructure growth and structures in the dimensional crossover regimes, EMN (Energy Materials Nanotechnology) Meeting, Hong Kong, 09-12 December, 2015
- [58] Growth of epitaxial nanowires using substrate symmetry as well as by symmetry breaking, EMN Meeting on Nanowires (Energy, Materials, Nanotechnology), Amsterdam, Netherlands, 16-19 May, 2016
- [59] Self-organized epitaxial quantum dots on Si, single electron tunneling and quantum capacitance, International Frontier Forum on Quantum Information 2016, Chengdu, China, 17 19 June, 2016
- [60] Ion fluence dependent oscillatory amorphization and recrystallization, 27<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Atomic Collisions in Solids, Lanzhou, China, 24 29 July, 2016

- [61] Epitaxial, endotaxial and polycrystalline transition metal silicide nanostructures on silicon, Third International Conference on Emerging Electronics (ICEE 2016), IIT Bombay, India, 27 30 December, 2016
- [62] Self-organized epitaxial metal silicide nanostructures on silicon surfaces, The 3<sup>rd</sup> International Conference on Surface and Interface of Materials (SIM2017), Bangkok, Thailand, 3 5 January, 2017
- [63] Nanoscale transition metal silicides in nanoelectronics, International Conference on Advances in Functional Materials (ICAFM2017), Chennai, India, 6-8 January, 2017
- [64] Emerging materials and novel phenomena in thin films, The 2<sup>nd</sup> International Conference on Emerging Materials: Charatization and Application (EMCA 2017), NIT Durgapur, India, 15-17 March, 2017
- [65] Materials and issues in miniaturization in silicon technology towards quantum computers, 1<sup>st</sup> International Conference on Electronics, Materials Engineering and Nanotechnology (IEMENTech 2017), Kolkata, India, 28 -29 April, 2017
- [66] Superdense nonmagnetic cobalt, The 9<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Materials for Advanced Technologies (ICMAT 2017), Singapore, 18 23 June, 2017
- [67] Electronic structure of atomic- and nanoscale structures in the dimensional crossover regimes, BIT's 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Conference of Quantum World 2017 (CQW 2017), Changsha, China, 16 18 October, 2017
- [68] Superconductivity in cobalt thin films, 17<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Thin Films 2017 (ICTF 2017), Delhi, India, 14 -17 November 2017
- [69] Endotaxial silicide nanostructures on silicon and growth induced surface reconstruction, Indo-US Discussion Meeting on Surfaces and Interfaces, Kolkata, India, 02 – 04 January, 2018
- [70] Superconducting cobalt in nanoscale cobalt thin films (Keynote lecture), 24<sup>th</sup> World Congress on Nanomaterials and Nanotechnology, Bangkok, Thailand, 12-13 July, 2018
- [71] Scanning tunneling microscopy and photoemission electron microscopy,
- International Conference on Microscopy and XXXIX Annual Meeting of Electron Microscope Society of India, Bhubaneswar, 18-20 July 2018 (Pre-conference Workshop)
- [72] Vital role of transmission electron microscopy in exploring thin films and low dimensional structures, International Conference on Microscopy and XXXIX Annual Meeting of Electron Microscope Society of India, Bhubaneswar, India, 18-20 July 2018
- [73] Superconductivity of cobalt in nanoscale cobalt thin films, The 5<sup>th</sup> Conference on New Advances in Condensed Matter Physics, Kunming, China, 21- 23 August, 2018
- [74] Handshake between electronic structure theory and experiment in surface science and nanoscale science (Plenary Lecture), International Workshop on Evolution of Electronic Structure theory & Experimental Realization (FESTER-2018), Chennai, India, 11 -15 September, 2018

- [75] Loss of magnetism and emergence of superconductivity in cobalt in a self-organized superconductor-ferromagnet hybrid structure, 20th International Union of Materials Research Societies International Conference in Asia (IUMRS-ICA 2019), Perth, Australia, 22-26 September 2019.
- [76] Early stage of growth of epitaxial  $FeSi_2$  nanowires on Si(110) surface, The  $20^{th}$  International Workshop on the Physics of Semiconductor Devices (IWPSD 2019), Kolkata, India, 17 20 December, 2019.
- [77] Epitaxial thin films and their impact on fundamental discoveries and advanced technologies, IEMENTech 2020, Kolkata, 02 04 October, 2020 (Keynote Lecture) (online)
- [78] Inhomogeneous superconductivity in thin films of cobalt (Plenary talk), 2nd International Conference on Materials Science and Engineering, Bangkok, 15-16 November 2021.
- [79] Quantum Technology: A glimpse into the development, International Conference on Accelerated Particles in Physics, Hyderabad, 02-04 January 2022.
- [80] On the formation of X-ray waveguide structures in thin films via ion irradiation, 29<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Atomic Collisions in Solids & 11<sup>th</sup> International Symposium on Swift Heavy Ions in Matter (ICACS29-SHIM11), Helsinki, 19-22 June 2022.
- [81] Superconductors in quantum computers and the various novel aspects of a new elemental superconductor, Pacific Rim International Conference on Superconducting Materials: Fundamentals and Applications (PRISM2022), Sendai, 22-23 September 2022.
- [82] Superconductor-ferromagnet hybrids (SFH) and the growth of epitaxial/endotaxial SFH nanostructures on silicon, 14th International Symposium on Atomic Level Characterizations for New Materials and Devices '22, Okinawa, 16-21 October 2022
- [83] Why do we need a very low temperature for a superconducting quantum computer, International Workshop on Integration Challenges in Quantum Communication and Quantum Computing, CDAC Pune, 21-22 March 2024
- [84] The rise of quantum computing: Challenges and opportunities, International Conference on 60 Years of DFT: Advancements in Theory and Computations, IIT Mandi, 21-26 July 2024
- [85] Two superconducting thin film systems with potential integration of different quantum functionalities (Keynote Lecture), MRS Thailand 2025, The 5<sup>th</sup> Materials Research Society of Thailand International Conference, Bangkok, 14-16 May 2025

## Invited talks in national conferences/symposia/workshops:

- [1] Application of X-ray standing waves to the structural determination of the adsorbate covered crystal surfaces, Solid State Physics Symposium of DAE (India), Dec. 27-30, 1985, Nagpur, India.
- [2] Structure-property relation in surfaces and interfaces, XXI National Seminar on Crystallography, Dec. 27-29, 1989, Bombay, India .

- [3] Structural investigations of epitaxial interfaces, DAE Solid State Physics Symposium, Dec. 21-24, 1991, Varanasi, India.
- [4] Surface and interface studies with X-ray standing waves, National Conference on Science and Technology of Surfaces and Interfaces, Dec. 16-18, 1996, Kharagpur, India.
- [5] Strain relaxation, self-organization and defects in epitaxial growth, DAE Solid State Physics Symposium, December 27 -31, 1997, Cochin, India.
- [6] Institute of Physics 3 MV 9SDH-2 Pelletron: Present status, Conference on Physics and Technology of Accelerators, February 10-13, 1998, Calcutta, India.
- [7] Multilayers characterization by X-ray standing waves, Workshop on Interface Engineering by Energetic Heavy Ions, April 3-4, 2000, IIT, Kanpur.
- [8] Multidisciplinary research at the 3 MV ion accelerator centre at IOP, DAE Solid State Physics Symposium, December 27 31, 2000, Bilashpur.
- [9] The ion microbeam facility in Bhubaneswar, Conference on Accelerator based research in basic and applied sciences, February 25-27, 2001, New Delhi.
- [10] Nanostructured multilayers microstructures and ion beam induced effects, Symposium on New Developments in Materials: Nanomaterials and Manganites, March 2-3, 2001, New Delhi.
- [11] Ion beam characterization of thin films, Indian Vacuum Society Symposium, September 5-7, 2001, Bangalore.
- [12] Surface and interface phenomena and self-assembled nanostructures.
- (2003 MRSI Medal Lecture) 14th Annual General Meeting of Materials Research Society of India, 11-13 February, 2003, BARC, Mumbai.
- [13] Ion beam analysis and modifications of surfaces, interfaces and layered materials. Workshop on Utilization of Energetic Ion Beams for Materials Research, July 29-31, 2003, Kalpakkam.
- [14] Growth of self-assembled nanostructures by molecular beam epitaxy and their characterizations by scanning tunneling microscopy and spectroscopy.
- INAE conference on Nanotechnology (ICON-2003), December 22-23, 2003, Chandigarh. ( with a large international participation)
- [15] MBE-grown self-assembled nanostructures and single-electron tunneling, MRSI Symposium on Nano and Biotechnology, August 7, 2004, Kharagpur.
- [16] Self-assembled nanostructures on silicon: Growth and quantum phenomena, National Conference on Current Trends in Condensed Matter Research, September 20-22, 2004. Kakatiya University, Warangal.
- [17] Epitaxial structures on single crystal surfaces, 54<sup>th</sup> DAE Solid State Physics Symposium, Vadodara, December 14-18, 2009.

- [18] Morphology and electronic structure of surface-based epitaxial nanostructures, Condensed Matter Days: Symposium on Condensed Matter Physics, Kalyani, August 25-27, 2010.
- [19] Quantum size effect in electronic and magnetic behaviour in epitaxial nanostructures, Current Trends in Condensed Matter Physics, Bhubaneswar, December 15-19, 2010.
- [20] Science at the atomic scale, National Conference on Recent Advances in Condensed Matter Physics, Aligarh, March 14-15, 2011.
- [21] Nanoscale structures towards future information and communication technologies.mDST TIFAC Meeting Vision 2035, Bose Institute, Kolkata, 6 June, 2011
- [22] Ion beams a versatile tool for materials modification, Recent Advances in Mechanics and their Application in Nano Engineering and Technology, Itanagar, 1-12 August, 2011
- [23] Magnetism in ultrathin layers and ion beam induced effects, National School cum Workshop on Magnetic Phase Transitions and Transformations, UGC-DAE CSR and Jadavpur University, Kolkata, 3-9 August, 2011
- [24] Ordered self-organization and fabrication of nanostructures by ion beams. DAE-BRNS Theme Meeting on Emerging Trends in Applications of Lasers and Accelerators in Nanomaterials, BARC, Mumbai, 20-21 October, 2011
- [25] Growth of epitaxially oriented nanoscale Ag islands on oxidized Si substrates: Influence of short range order on the oxide surface. Indian Vacuum Society Symposium on Thin Films: Science and Technology, BARC, Mumbai, 9-12 November, 2011
- [26] Scanning tunneling microscopy, photoemission electron microscopy and spin polarized low energy electron microscopy, Workshop on Electron Microscopy, Institute of Physics, Bhubaneswar, 22-25 November, 2011
- [27] Pattern formation and electronic structure in atomic scale thin films, Conference on "Advanced Functional Materials", S. N. Bose Centre, Kolkata, 1-2 March, 2012
- [28] How does the electronic structure change as a material is thinned down to one atomic layer? First National Seminar on Recent Trends in Condensed Matter Physics Including Laser Applications, Burdwan University, 6-7 March, 2012
- [29] Standing waves of X-rays and their diverse applications in condensed matter physics and materials science, S. P. Sengupta Memorial Lecture of Material Society of India, Kolkata Chapter. 08 June, 2012
- [30] Wonders in the ultrathin materials world, In the C.V. Raman Session on Materials Science, 100<sup>th</sup> Indian Science Congress, 03-07 January, 2013)
- [31] Radiations in modification and analysis of materials, National Workshop on Applications of Radiation in Physical, Chemical and Life Sciences, 04 06 September, 2013
- [32] Probing Materials with ion beams, National Short Term Course on Modern Methods in Materials Processing and Characterization, NIT Durgapur, 17 -19 September, 2013

- [33] Quantum structures and phenomena An emerging perspective, Special invited lecture in Multiscale Modeling of Materials and Devices (MMMD-2014), BARC, Mumbai, 30 Oct. 02 Nov., 2014
- [34] Novel structures on surfaces in the dimensional crossover regimes, National Conference on Current Trends in Advanced Materials (CTMat-2014), VECC, Kolkata, 19-21 November, 2014
- [35] Induced substrate strain in heteroepitaxial growth, Advances in Nanomaterials using Synchrotron Techniques (ANST-2014), Kolkata, 11-13 December, 2014
- [36] Quantum structures and phenomena an emerging perspective, 26<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting, Materials Research Society of India, Jaipur, 9-11 February, 2015
- [37] Quantum nanoelectronics, Keynote lecture in National Conference on Micro and Nano Electronic Systems and Devices (MINO-III), Jaipur, 20-21 March, 2015
- [38] Slimming single crystals to fitness: Making them active, functional and beautiful, SERC School on "Single Crystals of Functional Materials and their Applications", SSN College of Engineering, Chennai, 02-22 September, 2015
- [39] Playing with atoms for future technology, West Bengal State Level Student Youth Science Fair, Kolkata, 05 October, 2015
- [40] Multilayered structures in space research and the effect of their exposure to energetic ions in space, Discussion Meeting on Materials Science Related to Nuclear and Space Research and Industry, SINP, Kolkata, 06-07 October, 2015
- [41] Applications of energetic Ion beams in condensed matter physics and materials science, Workshop on the Use of Low Energy Ion Beams, Institute of Physics, Bhubaneswar, 07-09 November, 2015
- [42] Standing waves of X-rays and their diverse applications in condense matter physics, Conference on "Synchrotron Radiation: Application to Condensed Matter Physics", IISER, Kolkata, 09 January 2016
- [43] Quantum structures and phenomena An emerging perspective, Solid State Physics Day, IACS, Kolkata, 12 January, 2016
- [44] Self-organized quantum structures: Growth, electronic structure and transport, Discussion Meeting on Nano-scale and Atomic-scale Quantum Structures and Devices, IACS, Kolkata, 16-17 February, 2016
- [45] Demise of Moore's law and the beginning of the quantum era (Keynote Lecture), National Conference on Advancement in Frontier Physics: From 20th Century to the Present, Bhairab Ganguly College, Kolkata, 26-27 February, 2016
- [46] Growth of self-organized quantum structures by molecular beam epitaxy and reactive deposition epitaxy, Conference on Emerging Materials (CEMAT 2016), Bengaluru, 18 19 July, 2016

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