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10. "Stimuli-responsive small molecule persulfidating agents" Prerona Bora **2022**
11. "Development of Iodonium-Based Gram-negative Antibacterial Compounds and Target Identification using a Chemoproteomics Approach" Pooja Kumari, **2022**
12. "Design, Synthesis and Evaluation of Bioreductively-activated Fluoroquinolone Prodrugs" T. Anand Kumar **2023**
13. "Enhancing Cellular Persulfides through Artificial Substrate of 3-mercaptopyruvate sulfuryltransferase (3-MST)" Suman Manna **2023**
14. "Synthesis and Evaluation of Enzyme Activated Nitroxyl (HNO) Generators" Laxman R Sawase **2023**

MASTERS THESES

1. "Design, Synthesis and Evaluation of Scaffolds for Thiol-Mediated Tunable Drug Release" Rohan S. Kumbhare, **2013**
2. "Design, Synthesis and Evaluation of Nitroreductase Activated Hydrogen Sulfide Donors" Mallojjala Sharath Chandra, **2015**
3. "Design, Synthesis and Evaluation of a Scaffold for Mitochondria-Targeted Drug Delivery" Bandana Kumari, **2016**
4. "Synthesis and Evaluation of Small Molecule Hydrogen Sulfide Donors" Sushma Tejasri, **2017**
5. "Green light activated BODIPY based Hydrogen sulfide donor" Aswin P. K. **2018**
6. "Oxidative Stress Triggered Tunable Hydrogen Sulfide Donors" Swetha Jos **2018**
7. "Mechanistic Investigation of Novel Unnatural Substrates for Enzymatic Production of Hydrogen sulfide in Bacteria" Mrutyunjay Nair **2019** (Supervisor; Co-Supervisor: Dr Amrita B. Hazra)
8. "Synthesis and Evaluation of Hypervalent Iodine Compounds as Antibacterial" Suraj Sharma **2019**
9. "An Esterase Activated Persulfide Donor with a Fluorescence Reporter" Amal S. Kumar **2020**
10. "Mechanistic investigation of bacterial 3-mercaptopyruvate sulfurtransferase (3MST) using unnatural substrates" Saswata Nayak **2020** (Co-Supervisor; Supervisor: Dr Amrita B. Hazra)
11. "Design and Development of Enzyme-Triggered Persulfide Donors" Manjima B.S. **2021**
12. "Design and Synthesis of Esterase Activated Nitroxyl (HNO) Donor" Jishnu C.V. **2021**.
13. Vruta Gupte (Co-Supervisor; Supervisor: Dr Amrita B. Hazra) **2022**
14. "Small Molecule Modulators of Sulfur/Selenium Transfer" Mahima Rana, **2024**
15. "Design and Synthesis of Nitroreductase activated HNO Donor" Shayandeep Bhaumik, **2024**.

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RESEARCH FUNDING

1. "Organic Sources of Gaseous Entities with Physiological Relevance", Department of Science & Technology (DST). Funding: Rs. 26,00,000 (**2011-2014**).
2. "Hypoxia-Activated Prodrugs of Nitric Oxide" Department of Biotechnology (DBT), Rs. 41,00,000 (**2012-2015**). Early Career Scientist, **2012**; Royal Society of Chemistry-West India
3. "Redox-Directed Mycobacterial Therapeutics" Department of Biotechnology (DBT), Rs. 56,00,000 (**2012-2015**).
4. "Small Molecule Donors of Reactive Sulfur Species" Science and Engineering Board, Department of Science & Technology (DST). Funding: Rs. 55,90,000 (**2015-2018**).
5. "Small Molecule Inducers of Redox Stress Targeting Antibiotic Resistance" Department of Biotechnology (DBT), Rs. 98,46,000; with Dr. Sidharth Chopra, CSIR-CDRI Lucknow (Co-PI). (**2016-2020**)
6. "Investigating Mycobacterial Responses to Endogenous Peroxynitrite" Department of Biotechnology (DBT), Rs. 81,04,800; with Dr. Amit Singh, IISc Bangalore (Co-PI) (**2018-present**)
7. "Design and Development of Organic Persulfide Donors" Science and Engineering Research Board, Department of Science & Technology (DST). Funding: Rs. 75,54,888 (**2019-2023**).
8. "Mechanism-Based Inhibitors of 3-Mercaptopyruvate Sulfurtransferase (3-MST)" Department of Biotechnology (DBT), Rs 17,00,000 (**2021-2024**)
9. "Targeting non-replicating drug tolerant M. tuberculosis through a pro-drug strategy" Ignite Life Sciences. Co-PI, with Amit Singh, IISc as PI
10. "Synthesis and Evaluation of Organic Modulators of Cellular Sulfane Sulfur" Science and Engineering Research Board, Department of Science & Technology (DST). Funding: Rs. 73,07,525 (**2024-present**).
11. "Comprehensive analysis of homocysteine induced neutrophil extracellular traps: Implications in pathogenesis of sepsis" as Co-PI with Manjunath B Joshi, Manipal Academy of Higher Education as PI, Centre Franco-Indien pour la Promotion de la Recherche Avancée-CEFIPRA (**2024-present**)

RESEARCH TALKS

1. "Current Trends in Chemical Biology" Symposium held at Ahmednagar College, Ahmednagar Maharashtra on Feb. 13, **2010**.
2. ACTREC-IISER Meet, Dec **2010** at IISER Pune
3. "RSC-West India Challenge Symposium 2012" held at Institute of Science, Nagpur on Aug 31, **2012**
4. "Advances in Synthetic and Applied Chemistry" held at Sangamner College, Sangamner Maharashtra on Sep. 7, **2012**
5. "Indian Lab Automation: Drug Discovery & Development 2012" held at Mumbai, Oct 30-31, **2012**
6. Chemical Biology Laboratory, National Cancer Institute at Frederick, USA Nov 27, **2012**
7. "International conference on Physics, Mathematics and Engineering Sciences" Pune, March 18, **2013**
8. "MDR/XDR Tuberculosis: A healthcare menace to developing countries" Sinhgad College of Pharmacy, Pune, March 22, **2013**
9. Department of Chemistry, Keele University, United Kingdom, Oct 15, **2013**
10. "The New Perspectives of Inculcating the Different Aspects of Chemistry" Department of Chemistry, University of Pune, Nov 18, **2013**
11. "Kaleidoscope: a Discussion Meeting in Chemistry" International Centre, Goa, July 3-6, **2014**
12. "Recent Approaches in Drug Design" SMBT College of Pharmacy, Igatpuri, Maharashtra, Nov 20-22, **2014**
13. "New Directions in Chemical Synthesis-I" Department of Chemistry, Indian Institute of Technology Bombay, Dec 8-9, **2014**
14. "International Symposium on Bioorganic Chemistry (ISBOC-10)", IISER Pune, Jan 11-15, **2015**
15. "Emerging Trends in Chemical Sciences" Padamshri Vikhe Patil College, Pravaranagar, Jan 21, **2015**
16. Department of Chemical Sciences, Tata Institute of Fundamental Research (TIFR), Seminar July 6, **2015**
17. "Chemical Frontiers, 2015" Majorda Beach Resort, South Goa, August 15-18, 2015 (Selected for Young Scientist Award)
18. "Complex Chemical Systems" Indian Institute of Technology Kanpur, Nov 2-3, **2015**
19. "Inter-IISER Chemistry Meet" IISER Thiruvananthapuram, Dec 11-13, **2015**
20. "5th INDIGO Research Conference" Lucknow, Feb 21-24, **2016**
21. "Optics Within Life Sciences OWLS 2016" Mumbai, March 16-19, **2016**
22. "Kaleidoscope: a Discussion Meeting in Chemistry" International Centre, Goa, July 13-17, **2016**
23. "Chemsymphoria 2016" IISER Pune, July 21-22, **2016**.
24. 6th Indo Japanese International Symposium on "Overcoming Intractable Diseases Prevalent in Asian Countries" The Maquinez Palace, Goa, Sep 23-24, **2016**.

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25. National Conference on Chemistry of Light and Medicine, IIT Gandhinagar, Dec 8-9, **2016**
26. International Conference on Organic Synthesis (ICOS 21), IIT Bombay, Mumbai Dec 11-16, **2016**
27. National Centre for Biological Sciences (NCBS), Bangalore Life Science Cluster - iCeMS meeting, Jan 23, **2017**
28. Chemistry Interfacing with Biology and Physics, IISER Kolkata, Jan 27-28, **2017**
29. 1st BASF Innovation Campus Science Symposium, May 30, **2017**
30. "Kaleidoscope: a Discussion Meeting in Chemistry" International Centre, Goa, July 5-8, **2017**
31. 86th Conference of Society of Biological Chemists at JNU, New Delhi, Nov 16-19, **2017**
32. Newton Bhabha Fund Antimicrobial Resistance Workshop, Bengaluru, Dec 14-18, **2017**
33. IISER-WIS Conference on Chemical Biology, Pune, Jan 17-19, **2018**
34. National Conference on Chemical Science: An Interdisciplinary Approach, Modern College, Pune Jan 18, **2018**
35. "Kaleidoscope: a Discussion Meeting in Chemistry" International Centre, Goa, July 5-8, **2018**
36. "Chemical Frontiers, 2018" Goa, August 19-22, **2018**
37. "Indo-German Chemistry Meeting" INST Mohali, Punjab and Kasauli, Himachal Pradesh. Oct 4-7, **2018**
38. Chemistry and Physics of Advanced Materials – III" IISER Pune-Temple University Meeting, Oct 8-9, **2018**
39. 2nd American Gasotransmitter Symposium, University of Oregon, USA, May 18-19, **2019**
40. "Kaleidoscope: a Discussion Meeting in Chemistry" International Centre, Goa, July 4-7, **2019**
41. Chemical Biology and Precision Synthesis, University of Glasgow, Scotland, UK July 26-31, **2019**
42. "Advances in Chemical Sciences and Technologies" NIT Warangal, Sep 23-25, **2019**
43. Ecole Normale Supérieure de Lyon, France, Oct 16, **2019**
44. Institute of Mathematical Sciences, Chennai, Oct 28, **2019**
45. Nanyang Technological University, Singapore, Nov 11-12, **2019**
46. Department of Chemistry, IIT Madras, Dec 27, **2019**
47. American Chemical Society (ACS) Science Talk Series, May 29, **2020** (Webinar)
48. Department Seminar, Birla Institute of Technology and Science (BITS) Pilani, Hyderabad Campus, Aug 14, **2020** (Webinar)
49. "**Vaishwik Bharatiya Vaigyanik**" (VAIBHAV) Summit, Theme: Pharmaceuticals and Biotechnology; Sub-theme: Drug Discovery, Repurposing and Drug Delivery, Sep 19, **2020** (Webinar)
50. Department Seminar, Birla Institute of Technology and Science (BITS) Pilani, Goa Campus, Oct 31, **2020** (Webinar)
51. "Current Trends in Medicinal Chemistry", ASP College, Devrukh, March 24, **2021** (Webinar)
52. "Advances in Synthetic Organic Chemistry and Their Applications in Modern Medicinal Chemistry (ASOCAMMC21)" National Institute of Technology, Calicut Aug 26, **2021** (Webinar)
53. Chemical Research Society of India (CRSI) Meeting, Kolkata, Sep 26-30, **2021**
54. "Kaleidoscope: a Discussion Meeting in Chemistry" Wabi-Sabi, Nashik, Oct 8-10, **2021**
55. XXI National Organic Symposium Trust-Organic Chemistry Conference, Chennai, Nov 25-28, **2021**.
56. Indian Institute of Technology, Patna Department Seminar, June 7, **2022**
57. "Kaleidoscope: a Discussion Meeting in Chemistry" Udaipur, Nashik, July 28-31, **2022**
58. Asian Chemical Biology Initiative (ACBI) Goa, September 15-18, **2022**.
59. Royal Society of Chemistry-Contemporary Facets in Organic Synthesis, Department of Chemistry, Indian Institute of Technology, Roorkee December 1-4, **2022**
60. InAdvanCS, Annual Symposium of the Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science, Kolkata, Jan 5-7, **2023**
61. School of Physical and Chemical Sciences, Queen Mary University of London, UK Jan 19-20, **2023**
62. Redox Chemical Biology of Health and Disease, April 7-8, 2023, IISER Pune
63. Department of Chemistry, Doon University Seminar May 11, **2023**.
64. "Kaleidoscope: a Discussion Meeting in Chemistry" Udaipur, July 6-9, **2023**
65. FORCE IICS, Kathmandu, Nepal, September 28- October 01, **2023**.
66. Contemporary Challenges in Chemical Science (C3S) IIT Bombay, Dec 6-8, **2023**
67. Chemsymphoria, Department of Chemistry, IISER Pune, Dec 18-20, **2023**
68. International Research Network on infectious diseases and antibiotic resistance (IRN MIRA), IISc Bangalore, March 5-6, **2024**
69. Chemical Biology of Bacterial Cell Components, IIT Bombay, Powai June 25-26, **2024**.
70. General Seminar, Department of Chemistry, IIT Kanpur, Aug 23, **2024**
71. FORCE IICS, Alappuzha, Kerala, Oct 3-Oct 6, **2024**.
72. Indo-German Meeting, Amritsar, Punjab, Nov 13-16, **2024**.
73. Chem24, Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science, Kolkata, Dec 26-28, **2024**.

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SCIENCE EDUCATION AND OUTREACH PROJECTS

1. Training Programmes Enabling Effective Science Communication, Department of Science and Technology, **2018-2021**
2. STEP for STEM, TATA Technologies **2019-2021**
3. India Innovation Competency Enhancement Programme, Funded by a Consortium of Department of Science and Technology (DST), TATA Technologies, Royal Society of Chemistry, British Council of India, **2020-2025** (Co-Investigator, Dr Sourabh Dube, and Dr Chandrasheel Bhagwat IISER Pune)
4. Transforming Higher Education Landscape through continuous Professional Development of Teachers in Higher Education Institutes of Maharashtra, Maharashtra State Faculty Development Academy, **2021-2025** (Co-Investigator, Dr Sourabh Dube, and Dr Chandrasheel Bhagwat, IISER Pune)
5. Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Programme, Ministry of Education, **2023-present**

POPULAR SCIENCE TALKS, OUTREACH AND TEACHING RESOURCES

1. Kishore Vaigyanik Protsahan Yojana (KVPY) Summer Camp, **2010, 2011 & 2012**.
2. Rishi Valley School, July 4-5, **2010**
3. Royal College, Mumbai on Sep 24, **2011**
4. International Year of Chemistry Programme, Nov **2011**
5. S. P. College, Pune, Mar **2016**
6. Modern College, Pune, Oct **2016**.
7. DST-INSPIRE Camp, Pune Dec **2017**.
8. Simply Science lecture series, British Council, Pune, Aug 8, **2018**.
9. Alard College of Pharmacy, Jan **2019**
10. Science at the Sabha, Institute of Mathematical Sciences, Feb 15, **2020**
11. Tamil Nadu Science Forum, Aug 8, **2020** (webinar)
12. Delhi Public School Society, HRD Centre, June 24, **2021** (webinar)
13. INSPIRE Camp, Prabhudesai Charitable Trust, Pune Dec 9, **2021** (webinar)
14. Sagar Public School, Bhopal-Madhya Pradesh, April 26, **2022** (webinar)
15. UK-India Coming Together - Higher Education Collaboration: Strategies for Success: Industry-Academia Partnerships making it work for Employability and Research, June 8, **2022**
16. "Fostering academia-industry-society linkages through STEM research and innovation programmes" International Conference on Higher Education, Research and Innovation 2022 (ICHERI 22), July 28-30, **2022** (webinar)
17. RSC Thought-Leadership Roundtable on Tackling AMR in India, University of Bristol, UK Sep 14, **2023**
18. Royal Society of Chemistry's Select Committee on Chemical Sciences Education Strategy, Sep 9, **2024**, Bengaluru
19. Royal Society of Chemistry's Select Committee on Open Science Strategy, Sep 10, **2024**, Bengaluru
20. Early Career Researcher Workshop, IISER Pune, Oct 16, **2024**
21. Chemical Research Society of India, Mini-symposium/ Outreach Initiative, Jan 15, **2025**.
22. Royal Society of Chemistry's Roundtable on "From Lab to Market: The Journey of Scientific Entrepreneurship" Feb 4, **2025**, Mumbai

MAJOR ADMINISTRATIVE POSITIONS

1. Dean, International Relations and Outreach, Jan **2019**-Jan **2022**.
2. Convenor, COVID-19 Task Force, May **2020**-Jan **2022**.
3. Faculty-in-Charge, Science Media Centre, IISER Pune. Nov **2015**-April **2019**

NATIONAL-LEVEL COMMITTEES

1. Member (Co-opted), Expert Committee of Start-up Research Grant, National Post-Doctoral Fellowship and Early Career Research Award Schemes, Chemical Sciences (**2021-2024**)
2. Member, Technical Expert Committee (TEC) for Vaccine Research and Development and New Drug Development, Department of Biotechnology (**2022-present**)
3. Member, Council of the Chemical Research Society of India (CRSI) (April 1, **2023**-March 31, **2026**)
4. Member, Area Review Panel, Drugs (including Drug Delivery), Biosimilar and Stem Cells (including

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Regenerative Medicines) & Vaccines and Clinical Trials, Biotechnology Industry Research Assistance Council (BIRAC) (Jun **2023-2026**)

5. Member, Domain Expert Group, CSIR Mission on Anti-microbial resistance, Feb **2024**-present

AWARDS AND HONOURS

1. Innovative Young Biotechnologist Award, **2011**; Department of Biotechnology India
2. Early Career Scientist, **2012**; Royal Society of Chemistry-West India
3. Young Scientist Award, **2015**; Chemical Research Society of India (CRSI)
4. Young Scientist Award, **2015**; Pune Municipal Corporation, Pune India.
5. Scientist Award, **2015**, Rotary Club of Pune
6. Chemical Research Society of India Bronze Medal, **2021**.
7. S Ramachandran National Bioscience Award for Career Development, **2021**, Department of Biotechnology, India
8. Editorial Board Member, Scientific Reports, Nature Publishing Group (**2017-2021**).
9. Convenor, Junior National Organic Symposium Trust (J-NOST) Meeting for Research Scholars, Oct 10-12, **2023** at IISER Pune

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