# CV OF DR. T. SIVAKUMAR

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- 29 years of **Teaching and Research Experience** at Anna University and 2 years as Research Fellow at **FIPPAT**.
- Published more than 100 research papers in various journals. Authored 2 book chapters, Filed a Patent
- Presented the research findings in several national and international conferences.
- Recipient of Young Scientist award from Indian Council of Chemists.
- **Recipient of Dupont award** by Indian Thermal Analytical Society.
- Recipient of UNESCO fellowship to conduct research at Tokyo Institute of Technology, Japan during Oct 2000 to Sep 2001.
- Recipient of Brainpool award by Government of South Korea.
- Recipient of Active Researcher Award-2012 by CTDT, Anna University, Chennai.
- Biography has been included in Marqui's Who is Who book.
- Handling theory and practical classes for UG and PG programmes of the Department since1989.
- Consultancy and testing services for more than Rs. 10 Lakhs have been done to various institutions and industries.
- Completed several research projects funded by UGC, DST, DRDO, CPRI, MOEF, DARL and generated about **Rupees 2.85 crores + US\$ 37000** to Anna University.



## **CURRICULUM VITAE**

## I. Personal Data

Name	:	T. SIVAKUMAR
Date of Birth & Age	:	02-05-1965, 53 Years

## II. Academic Qualification

Year	Name of the Academic degree	Name of the University	Place, Country	Subject	Grade
1982 -85	B.Sc	University Of Madras	Chennai, India	Chemistry	First Class
1985-87	M.Sc	University Of Madras	Chennai, India	Analytical Chemistry	First Class

## III. Doctorate degree

Year	Name of the academic degree	Name of the University	Place, Country	Subject
1991 -96	Ph.D	Anna University	Chennai, India	Chemistry ( Catalysis)

## **IV.** Post-Doctoral Research:

Carried out research as UNESCO Post-Doctoral Fellow at Tokyo Institute of Technology, Tokyo, Japan from October 2000 to September 2001. *I was the only one selected from INDIA out of the 14 selected worldwide.* 

# IV. Professional Background: Total Experience : 31 years ( 29 years at AU+2 years at FIPPAT)

Period	Position	Nature of Duty	Name and Place
19.10.87 to	Research Fellow/	Decearab	FIPPAT (Fredrick Inst. Of Plant Protection and
1.10.89	Scientist	Research	toxicology), India
4.10.89 to 01.08.2006	Instruments In charge/Lecturer	Technical/Teaching and Research	Dept. of Chemical Engineering, Anna University, Chennai, India
01.08.06 to	Sr. Aget Drofessor	Teaching and	Dept. of Chemical Engineering,
25.06.12	SI. ASSI. FIOLESSOL	Research	Anna University, Chennai, India
25.06.12 to	Associate	Teaching and	Dept. of Applied Science & Technology,
24.06.2015	Professor	Research	Anna University, Chennai, India
25.06.2015 to	Professor	Teaching and	Dept. of Applied Science & Technology,
till date	FIOLESSOL	Research	Anna University, Chennai, India

## Areas of Research:

- \* Heterogeneous catalysis
- \* Biofuels
- \* Visible light driven catalysts
- Photocatalysts for detoxification processes
- \* Photocatalytic membranes
- **\*** Contact membrane reactor
- \* Carbon Nano materials
- \* Photocatalytic water splitting
- ✤ Graphene research

#### **MEMBERSHIP**

- 4 Life Member in Indian Institute of Chemical Engineers
- **4** Member in Indian Thermal Analytical Society
- 4 Life Member in Indian Society of Analytical Scientists
- **4** Member in Indian Council of Chemists
- **4** Member in Indian Science Congress
- ♣ Member in Catalysis society of India
- **4** Member in Indian Institute of Chemical Engineers.

## AWARDS RECEIVED

- **UPONT AWARD** was given by Indian Thermal analytical Society (ITAS) during THERMANS International conference held at DMSRDE, Kanpur, during 20 –21<sup>st</sup> Dec 1995.
- **4** YOUNG SCIENTIST AWARD for the year 1998 was given by Indian Council of chemists during 17th conference of Indian Council of Chemists held at University of Madras during 26 –28<sup>th</sup> Nov 1998.
- **UNESCO AWARD**: One among the 14 persons selected worldwide to undergo Advanced Research in Chemistry and Chemical Engg., at Tokyo Institute of Technology, Japan during Oct 2000 to Sep 2001.
- **4** Biography has been included in both Marqui's Who's Who in the world and Marqui's Who's Who in Science and engineering.
- **4** Selected as **BRAINPOOL FELLOW** by South Korean Government to carry out research at Korean Research Institute of Technology, Daejon for the period of one year 2009 and 2010
- **4** ACTIVE RESEARCHER AWARD 2012 Centre for Technology Development and Transfer (CTDT), Anna University, Chennai

Country Visited	Period of Visit	Purpose of Vi
		One among the 14 candidates selecte

## **TRAVEL OR STUDY ABROAD**

Visited	Period of Visit	Purpose of Visit
JAPAN	October 2000 to September 2001	One among the 14 candidates selected worldwide to carry out advance research in the area of Chemistry and Chemical Engg in one of the Premier institutes of Japan ( <b>Tokyo Institute of Technology, Japan</b> )

## **PROJECT DETAILS**

S.No	Title of the Project	Funding Agency	Amount (In Lakhs)	Status	
1	Intercalated Nano sized noble metal catalyst for selective hydrogenation of Furfural to Furfuryl alcohol for Defense and Space research Application	DRDO	24.94	Completed (2007)	
2	Noble metal capped semiconductor nanoparticles in the photocatalytic treatment of textile waste water.	MOEF	10.71	Completed (2007 – 10)	
3	Biofuel production by catalytic cracking of jatropha oils over intelligent catalysts	DARL	9.996	Completed (2008 - 10)	
4	Identification of the best organic reductants for the synthesis of noble metal nano particle catalysis for the generation of hydrogen fuel by splitting of water	DRDO SSER	4.34	Completed (2009 – 10)	
5	Novel route for the production of liquid hydrocarbons fuels from non-edible oils by using composite catalysts	DRDO Project	27.212	Completed (2010 – 13)	
6	Development of heterogeneous catalysts for the valorization of glycerol, a biodiesel by-product, into fuels, fuel additives and commodity chemicals	DRDO - LSRB	44.28	Completed (2014 – 16)	
7	Hydrogen fuel generation by splitting of water using nano- sized metal doped layered titanates for fuel cell applications	CPRI	30.390	Completed (2015 – 17)	
8	Development of fluorine doped graphene based titania photocatalytic membranes for water treatment applications	DST -TDP	64.2948	Ongoing (2017-2020)	
9	"Development of RuO <sub>2</sub> -MnO <sub>2</sub> /N-Dopped Graphene Hybrid nano supercapacitors as energy storage devices for electric vehicles	RUSA 2.0		Ongoing (2020-2022)	
	Total: Rs 216.1628/-Lakhs				
As Co PI	Increasing the yield of Cyclohexanone – an Industrially				
1	important raw Material by catalytic conversion using Perovskite and Perovskite related oxides	UGC	3.51	Completed	
2	Regio Selective alkylation and acylation Reactions of some aromatic compounds using Mesoporous aluminosilicate supported heteropolyacids	DST	9.61	Completed	
3	Synthesis of value added products for Defence Research applications via eco-friendly catalytic oxidative process.	DRDO	14.97	Completed	
4	Recovery of hydrogen and elemental sulfur from hydrogen sulphide by indirect hydrolysis (Petroleum Inst.Abudhabi)	UAE	US \$ 37000	Ongoing	
5	Functionalized Polymer /Ceramic Matrix Hybrid Composite (P/C- MHC) Membranes for Environmental Applications	DST- Indo- Korea	41.07	Ongoing (2018-2021)	
Total: Rs 69.16/-Lakhs + US \$ 37,000					
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## **PH.D STUDENTS:**

GUIDED	:	15
GUIDING	:	6

S No	Title of the Theorie	Name of the	Year of
5.110.	The of the Thesis	Scholar	Completion
1	Selective Hydrogenation of $\alpha,\beta$ unsaturated aldehydes over	D Manikandan	2008
	nano sized noble metal intercalated clay catalysts.	D. Mainkundun	2000
2	Noble metal intercalated / Impregnated clay catalysts for	D Divakar	2008
	selective hydrogenation of $\alpha$ , $\beta$ unsaturated aldehydes	DiDivala	2000
3	Synthesis, Characterisation and ca alytic activities of nano	M. Esther Leena	2008
	sized Fe loaded Al-MCM-41 catalysts	Preethi	2000
4	Synthesis, characterization of TPA impregnated mesoporous		
	materials and their catalytic activity towards some	S. Revathi	2008
	industrially important reactions		
5	Noble metal (Ag,Au,Pt) deposited Titania for the	A. Valentine	2009
	photocatalytic degradation of textile dyes	Rupa	,
6	Synthesis And Characterization Of Transition Metal Oxide	K. Shanmugha	
	Functionalized Mesoporous Carbon With Tunable Pore Size	Prasad	2013
	For Energy Storage		
7	Enhanced Photocatalytic Activities Of Metal Doped Titania		
	Catalysts In The Degradation Of Some Textile	R. Vaidhyanathan	2013
	Reactive Azo Dyes		
8	Biofuel production from non-edible vegetable oil through		
	catalytic cracking technology using microporous,	G. Ramya	2014
	mesoporous and composite catalysts.		
9	Photo degradation of textile and leather dyes using	J. Amala Infant	2015
	semiconductor oxide catalysts.	Joice	

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10	Valorization of different biomasses by metal impregnated		Thesis
	mesoporous catalysts	R. Ramakrishnan	submitted
			2018
11	Synthesis, characterization and catalytic degradation activity		Thesis
	of visible active composite photocatalysts	K. Thamaraiselvi	submitted
			2018
12	Non metals doped photocatalysts supported over graphene:		Thesis
	synthesis, characterization and catalytic activity	A. Brindha	submitted
			2018
13	Fabrication of hybride metal-metal oxide nanostructured	P Sahaya	Thesis
	catalysts for electrochemical application	T. Sanaya	submitted
		murphin kumar	2018
14	Catalytic cracking of non-edible vegetable oils to biofuel		Synopsis
	over nanosized microporous and composite catalysts	R.Sudhakar	submitted
			2018
15	Catalytic conversion of glycerol into value-added chemicals		Synopsis
	using heterogeneous solid catalysts	D. Arulselvan	Submitted
			2018

# LIST OF CURRENT RESEARCH SCHOLARS

S.No.	Name	Full time/	Research topic	
		Part time		
2	K. Sakthivel	Full time	Development of Heterogeneous catalyst to convert Lignocellulose to clean fuels.	
3	E. Elangovan	Full Time	Nano particle synthesis, characterization and its application in drug delivery.	
4	Thanigaivel.V	Full Time	Removal of Organic Pollutants by using Photocatalytic Membranes.	
6	Maruthathurai. K	Full Time	Photocatalytic Degradation of Dyes, Agro Chemicals, Pharmaceutical waste and Health care products using Titania based Catalysts	

## INSTRUMENTS FACILITIES DEVELOPED

S.No.	Generic Name of Equipment	Model & Make
1	UV – Vis spectrophotometer (2) (Rs. 4 Lakhs)	AU 1071 & Elico
		Micromeritics Pulse Chemisorb
2	BET Surface area analyzer	(2701) & Micromeritics pulse
		desorb.
3	H.P Hydrogenation reactor	Technomic Autoclaves
4	Multi-lamp Photocatalytic Reactor (Rs.1.5 Lakhs)	HEBER
5	Gas chromatograph:	Shimaday Japan
5	GC - 9A – 3 units.	Sinnadzu, Japan
6	GC - 17A – 1 unit (Rs.13Lakhs)	Shimadzu, Japan
7	UV DPS spectrophotometer (Ps 0.001 akbs)	Jasco(V650) UV-Vis/DRS, Japan
/	UV – DKS spectrophotometer (Ks.3.39Lakits)	(2011)
0	Microprocessor based fixed bed reactor assembly	Amor (2012)
0	(Rs.15Lakhs)	Amai (2013)
0	Multi-lamp Photocatalytic Water Splitting Reactor	Lalasil Innovativa Systems (2015)
9	(Rs.4.5Lakhs)	Letesh hinovative Systems (2013)
10	Membrane Casting and Testing Equipment (Rs. 7 Lakhs)	Tech Inc(2018)
11	TOC analyzer (Rs. 10 Lakhs)	Shimadzu, Japan ( 2018)
12	Contact angle Analyzer (Rs. 2 Lakhs)	Tech Inc ( 2018)

## **PATENTS FILED**

	Patent status		
Patent Details	<b>Published/Filed</b>	Patent Number	Date of Filing
Mixed Matrix polymeric membrane catalytic reactor for carbohydrate valorization and separation therof	FILED	Application No: 201841027725 A	27/07/2018

#### LIST OF PUBLICATIONS

#### **Total no. of Publications -115**

- Elangovan E, Sivakumar T,Ramakrishnan R, Mani D, Sakthivel K, Thanigaivel V and Noel Jacob K,2021, Fabrication of mesoporous TiO<sub>2</sub>/PVDF photocatalytic membranes for efficient photocatalytic degradation of synthetic dyes Journal of Environmental chemical engineering (Under review)
- Sakthivel, K, Mani, D, Arivanandhan, M, Krishnakumar, B \* and Sivakumar, T \*,2021, PTA supported mesoporous Al-SBA-15 as an efficient solid acid catalysts for esterification of velaric acid, Journal of Porous Materials (Under review)
- **3.** Sakthivel K, **Sivakumar T**, Elangovan E, Mani D and Thanigaivel V, 2021, 'Ru/TiO<sub>2</sub> nanostructured catalysts: synthesis, characterization and catalytic activity towards hydrogenation of ethyl levulinate ', Journal of Nanoscience and nanotechnology (**Under review**)
- 4. Sakthivel K, Sivakumar T, Elangovan E, Mani D and Thanigaivel V, 2021, 'Ru nanoparticles supported Sn-SBA-15 catalysts for selective hydrogenation of biomass-derived levulinic acid to γ-valerolactone', waste and biomass valorization (Under review)
- Maruthathurai, K, Sivakumar, T, Aishwarya, S, 2021. Fabrication of 3D/2D Bi<sub>2</sub>MoO<sub>6</sub>/g-C <sub>3</sub>N<sub>4</sub> heterostructure with enhanced photocatalytic behavior in the degradation of harmful organics. Emergent Materials, pp.1-14.
- Sakthivel K, Sivakumar, T & Elangovan, E, 2021, 'WO<sub>3</sub>/Al-HZSM-5 catalysts for effective catalytic conversion of biomass-derived levulinic acid to angelica lactones', Emergent Materials, pp. 1-12.
- Sakthivel K, Sivakumar, T, Thanigaivel, V, Elangovan, E, Mathivanan, D, Thamaraiselvi, S & Mani D, 2021, 'Fabrication of mesoporous WO3-SBA-15 catalysts and enhanced photocatalytic degradation of harmful dye', Optik, Vol 235, pp.166599, ISSN: 0030-4026. (Impact factor- 2.187)
- Thanigaivel V, Sivakumar T, Thamaraiselvi S, Elangovan E and Sakthivel K, Maruthaturai K & Aishwarya S, 2020, "Degradation of harmful organics using visible light driven N-TiO2/rGO nanocomposite" Journal of Nanoscience and Nanotechnology, 21(5), pp.3081-3091 (Impact Factor : 1.35)

- 9. Elangovan Erusappan, Guan-Ting Pan, Hsiu-Ying Chung, Siewhui Chong, Sivakumar Thiripuranthagan, Thomas Chung-Kuang Yang, and Chao-Ming Huang, 2020 "Hierarchical nickel–cobalt oxide and glucose-based carbon electrodes for asymmetric supercapacitor with high energy density." Journal of the Taiwan Institute of Chemical Engineers, 112, pp.330-336. (Impact factor 4.79)
- 10. Maruthathurai, K, Sivakumar, T, Aishwarya, S, 2020, "Fabrication of sphere like Bi<sub>2</sub>MoO<sub>6</sub>/ZnO composite catalyst with strong photocatalytic behavior for the detoxification of harmful organic dyes" Optical materials, 109, p.110218. (Impact Factor: 2.72)
- 11. Mani, D, Mathivanan, D, Chang, H, Sakthivel, K, Elangovan, E, Sivakumar, T, Arivanandhan, M and Jayavel, R, 2020, "A facile synthesis of novel ε-Fe 2 O 3 grafted 2D h-BN nanostructures for enhanced visible active photocatalytic applications" New Journal of Chemistry, 44 (28), pp.12289-12298. (Impact factor :3.288)
- 12. Maruthathurai Kasinathan, Sivakumar Thiripuranthagan, and Aishwarya Sivakumar,2020
   "Fabrication of metal-free 2D/2D g-C3N4/rGO composite towards the degradation of harmful organics." Optik, 165023.(Impact Factor: 1.91)
- 13. Elangovan E, Sivakumar T, Mani D, Sakthivel K, and Thanigaivel V. "Photocatalytic performance of visible active boron nitride supported ZnFe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub> (ZnFe<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub>/BN) nanocomposites for the removal of aqueous organic pollutants." New Journal of Chemistry 44, no. 19 (2020): 7758-7770 (Impact factor :3.288)
- 14. Maruthathurai K, Sivakumar T, and Aishwarya, 2020, "A facile fabrication of Br-modified g-C<sub>3</sub>N<sub>4</sub>/rGO composite catalyst for enhanced visible photocatalytic activity towards the degradation of harmful dyes." Materials Research Bulletin, 110870 (Impact factor: 4.01)
- 15. Sakthivel K, Sivakumar T, Mani D, Elangovan E, and Thanigaivel V. "Catalytic transfer hydrogenation of biomass-derived levulinic acid to γ-valerolactone over Sn/Al-SBA-15 catalysts." New Journal of Chemistry (2020), 44, pg.no:8209-8222 (Impact factor: 3.288)
- 16. Sakthivel K, Sivakumar T, Elangovan E, Mani D, Thanigaivel V, and Mathivanan D. "Catalytic conversion of levulinic acid under noncorrosive conditions using Ru/Zr/Al-SBA-15 catalysts." Microporous and Mesoporous Materials (2020) 110298, pg.no: 1387-1811,(Impact factor: 4.582)
- 17. Maruthathurai K, Sivakumar T, Aishwarya S, Sudhakar R, Thanigaivel V, Sakthivel K, and Elangovan E. "Fabrication of novel Bi2MoO6/N-rGO catalyst for the efficient photocatalytic degradation of harmful dyes." Materials Research Bulletin (2020): 110782. (Impact factor: 4.05)

- 18. Brindha Appavu, Sivakumar Thiripuranthagan, Thamaraiselvi Sureshkumar, (2019), "Novel band gap engineered Bi5Nb3O15/N-rGOcomposite catalyst for photo degradation of reactive dyes" J. Materials Science and Engineering: B. 2020 Feb 1;252:114472, (Impact Factor : 3.507)
- 19. Ramya Ganesan, Sivakumar Thiripuranthagan and Shanthi Subba (2019) Synthesis and Characterization of Core-Shell Modeled AlMCM-48/HZSM-5 Composite Catalyst and Studies on Its Catalytic Activity in Cracking of Pongamia Oil into Bio Liquid Products. BioEnergy Research (2019) 12:388–399
- 20. Paskalis Sahaya Murphin Kumar, Vinoth Kumar Ponnusamy, Deepthi Koolath Ramakrishnan,Gopalakrishnan kumar, Arivalagan Pugazhendhi, Hideki Abe, Sivakumar Thiripuranthagan, Umapada pal and Siva Kumar Krishnan (2018) "Controlled synthesis of Pt nanoparticle supported TiO2 nanorods as efficient and stable electrocatalyst for oxygen reduction reaction", J. Mater. Chem. A, 2018,6, 23435-23444 (Impact Factor: 9.931)
- M. Esther Leena Preethi, A. Umasankari, C.H.Rekha, M. Palanichamy, T. Sivakumar, A. Pandurangan (2018), "Selective Oxidation of Cyclohexane to KA Oil Over Ce-Alpo-18 Molecular Sieves" International Journal of Engineering & Technology, 7 (4.5) (2018) 352-354
- 22. V. Sivasankar, E. Senthilkumar, R. Vivekananth, R. A. Kalaivani and T.Sivakumar, (2018) "Electrochemically exfoliated Graphene for Nanosensor Applications" Journal of Nanoscience and nanotechnology 19(11), pp.7097-7104.
- 23. Sudhakar R, Sivakumar T,(2018) "Synthesis of nanosized ZSM-5/AlKIT-6 composite catalysts for biofuel production from non-edible Jatropha Curcas oil" Journal of Nanoscience and nanotechnology 19, 4228–4236 (2019)
- **24.** Amala Infant Joice J, Aishwarya S, **Sivakumar T**,(2019) "Nano structured Ni and Ru impregnated TiO<sub>2</sub> photocatalysts: Synthesis, characterization and photocatalytic degradation

of neonicotinoid insecticides, Journal of Nanoscience and nanotechnology Volume 19, Number 5, May 2019, pp. 2575-2589(15)

- 25. E. Elangovan, T. Sivakumar, A. Brindha, K. Thamaraiselvi, K. Sakthivel, K. Kathiravan and S. Aishwarya,(2018) "Visible active N-Doped TiO<sub>2</sub>/WS<sub>2</sub> heterojunction nano rods: synthesis, characterization and photocatalytic activity. Journal of Nanoscience and nanotechnology 19(8), pp.4429-4437.
- 26. Sakthivel Kumaravel, Sivakumar Thiripuranthagan, Ramakrishnan Radhakrishnan, Elangovan Erusappan, Arulselvan Devarajan<sup>a</sup>, Mani Durai and Arivanandhan Mukannan, (2018) "Liquid phase esterification of levulinic acid into ethyl levulinate over sulphobenzylated nanoporous SBA-15 catalyst" Journal of Nanoscience and nanotechnology 19(11), pp.6965-6977.
- 27. Ramya R, Santhana Krishnan P, Neelaveni M, Gurulakshmi M, Sivakumar T, Shanthi K,(2018) "Enhanced visible light activty of Pr-TiO2 nanocatalyst in the degradation of dyes: Effect of Pr doping and TiO2 morphology" Journal of Nanoscience and NanoTechnology 19(7), pp.3971-3981.
- 28. Paskalis Sahaya Murphin Kumar, Thiripuranthagan Sivakumar, Takeshi Fujita, Ramasamy Jayavel and Hideki Abe, (2017) Synthesis of Metastable Au-Fe Alloy Using Ordered Nanoporous Silica as a Hard Template, METALS 8(1), 17 (Impact factor 1.984)
- 29. Thamaraiselvi, S, Sivakumar, T, Sahaya Murphin Kumar, P & Sakthivel, K 2018, 'Synthesis, characterization and photodegradation activity of graphitic C<sub>3</sub>N<sub>4</sub>-SrTiO<sub>3</sub> nanocomposites', Journal of Photochemistry and Photobiology A:Chemistry, (DOI No: 10.1016/j.jphotochem.2018.01.027). <u>Volume 356</u>, 1 April 2018, Pages 425–439 (Impact factor-2.625)
- 30. Brindha, A, Sivakumar. T, Thamaraiselvi, K, Sakthivel, K & Elangovan, E,(2018) 'Facile synthesis, characterization and outstanding photocatalytic activities of NiWO<sub>4</sub>/nitrogen doped reduced graphene oxide nanocomposites', Journal of NanoScience and Nano

technology, Volume 19, Number 5, May 2019, pp. 2664-2670(7) (Annexure I, Impact Factor: 1.556)

- 31. Brindha, A, Sivakumar, T, Sudhakar, R, Elangovan, E & Kathiravan, K, (2018) 'BiVO4 /N-rGO nano composites as highly efficient visible active photocatalyst for the degradation of dyes and antibiotics in eco system', EES-S-17-01788, Journal of Ecotoxicology and Environmental Safety, 151, 118–126, (Impact Factor: 3.743)
- 32. Brindha, A, T.Sivakumar, T, Priyanka, Suresh & Pavitra, S,(2017) 'Novel band gap engineered Bi<sub>5</sub>Nb<sub>3</sub>O<sub>15</sub> / N-rGO composite catalyst for photo degradation of reactive dyes', MSB-S-17-02114, Materials Science and Engineering: B, Under revision. (Impact Factor: 2.552)
- 33. Thamaraiselvi, K, Sivakumar, T, Brindha, A & Elangovan, E 2019, 'Photocatalytic degradation of reactive dyes and optimization studies over titania nanoparticles and metal perovskites', Journal of Nanoscience and Nanotechnology, 19, 2087–2098 (2019) (Impact factor-1.483)
- 34. Paskalis Sahaya Murphin Kumar, Sivakumar Thiripuranthagan, Tsubasa Imai, Gopalakrishnan Kumar, Arivalagan Pugazhendhi, Sriram Kumar Vijayan, Rodrigo Esparza, Hideki Abe, and Siva Kumar Krishnan (2017), "Pt nanoparticles supported on Mesoporous CeO<sub>2</sub>Nanostructures obtained through green approach for Efficient Catalytic Performance towards Ethanol Electrooxidation" ACS Sustainable Chem. Eng., 5 (12), 11290-11299 (Impact factor 5.951)
- 35. Arulselvan Devarajan, Sivakumar Thiripuranthagan, Ramakrishnan Radhakrishnan and Sakthivel Kumaravel, (2018) "Solvent free transesterification of glycerol into glycerol carbonate over nano structured CaAl hydrotalcite catalyst" Journal of Nanoscience and Nanotechnology. 18, 4588–4599
- 36. Radhika N, Steplin Paul Selvin S, Amala Infant Joice J, Sivakumar T, Princy Merlin, Sharmila Lydia, (2018) "Fluorescent Biomolecules capped ZnSe Quantum Dots and their photocatalytic Activities" Journal of Nanoscience and Nanotechnology. 18(7),4634-4642

- 37. R.Ramakrishnan, T. Sivakumar, D. Arulselvan, K. Sakthivel, E. Elangovan, K. Kathiravan, (2017) "Oxidative esterification of furfural by Au Nanoparticles supported CMK-3 mesoporous catalysts" Applied Catalysis A, General vol. 545 pp. 33–43 (Impact factor 4.354)
- 38. Thamaraiselvi Kanagaraj, Thiripuranthagan Sivakumar, Sahaya Murphin Kumar Paskalis, Hideki ABE, (2017) "Visible light photocatalytic activities of template free porous graphitic carbon nitride BiOBr composite catalysts towards the mineralization of reactive dyes" Applied Surface Science . vol. 426 pp. 1030–1045 (Impact factor 3.387)
- 39. Vaithiyanathan. R, Kathiravan.K, and Sivakumar.T, (2018) "Photocatalytic Degradation of Textile Reactive Dyes - A Comparative Study Using Nano Silver Decorated Titania-Silica Composite Photocatalysts" Journal of Nanoscience and Nanotechnology. 18(4),2921-2930
- **40.** Amala Infant Joice Joseph and **Sivakumar Thiripuranthagan**, (2018) "Non-metal doped titania photocatalysts for the degradation of neonicotinoid insecticides under visible irradiation" Journal of Nanoscience and Nanotechnology. 18 (5), 3158–3164
- 41. Brindha Appavu and Sivakumar Thiripuranthagan, (2017) "Visible active N, S co-doped TiO<sub>2</sub> / graphene photocatalysts for the degradation of hazardous dyes" Journal of Photochemistry and Photobiology A: Chemistry. Vol 340, pp. 146-156. (Impact factor 2.625)
- 42. Thamarai Selvi and T. Sivakumar, (2017) "Photocatalytic reduction of carbon dioxide by UV light using bare and copperoxide impregnated nano titania catalysts" Journal of Nano Science and Nanotechnology, Journal of Nanoscience and Nanotechnology, Volume 17, Number 1, pp. 313-322(10)
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- **45.** Brindha Appavu, Kathiravan Kannan, **Sivakumar Thiripuranthagan**, (2016) "Enhanced visible light photocatalytic activities of template free mesoporous nitrogen doped reduced graphene oxide/titania composite catalysts" Journal of Industrial and Engineering Chemistry, Volume 36, pp. 184–193.
- 46. R. Vaidhyanathan, K. Kathiravan, Amala Infant Joice, Thamarai selvi, and T. Sivakumar, (2016) "Photocatalytic degradation of acid orange dye using silver impregnated TiO<sub>2</sub>/SiO<sub>2</sub> composite catalysts" Journal of Nano Science and Nanotechnology, Volume 16, Number 9, pp. 9980-9986(7).
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