

Curriculum Vitae

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HIGHLIGHTS OF CV

Ongoing Activity: Assigned as **Physics faculty for B.Sc/M.Sc. Students** Department of Physics & Electronics, Kamala Nehru Institute of Physical and Social Sciences (KNIPSS), Sultanpur, Uttar Pradesh- 228118, India. **Some research activities also going on.**

Work Experience: 1. Assistant Professor, , KNIPSS, Kanpur (2023.09 to till date)

2. Assistant Professor, , PSIT, Kanpur (2022.08 to 2023.07)

3. Postdoctoral Fellow, University of Porto, Portugal (2018.9 to 2019.05)

➤ **Post Ph.D. Experience:** Research: **2.7 year (Postdoctoral)** Teaching: **2 years (Assistant Professor)**

➤ **Publications:** 22 First/Corresponding author: 17 Patent: 0

High Impact Factor: 1. *Journal of Alloys and Compounds* 776 (2019) 207-214. **(I.F. 6.5).**

2. *Materials Research Bulletin* 112 (2018) 28-37 **(I.F. 5.5).**

➤ **Research Project:** 2

1. University of Porto, Portugal Project Postdoc Fellowship 2018-2019 (Completed)

2. China National Postdoc Fellowship Grant, 2019-2021 (Completed)

➤ **Advanced Instrument Training:** XPS, AFM, SEM, TEM and XRD Operation Training Course, University of Porto, Portugal, 2016.

➤ **Awards:** CSIR Diamond Jubilee Research Internship Award 2011, China Postdoc Award, Carbon Congress RCG 2017, U Porto, Best Oral Presentation Award

➤ **Foreign Visits:** With full Sponsorship from organizers of China & Portugal.

➤ **Invited Talk:** RASE 2016, IIT ISM Dhanbad, Carbon Congress U Porto Portugal 2017 etc.

➤ **Additional Responsibility:** Event Organiser in Jamia Physics Association 2008-2009, Science

Olympiad Foundation Subject Matter Expert for Physics, IIT ISM CSR Organization Karma Jyoti NGO Teacher in 2015.

Academic Qualification

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| 2012, 2014 | IIT-GATE | Physics | Qualified | Accredited by IIT |
| 2018 | PhD | Physics | Awarded | IIT ISM Dhanbad |
| <i>Title of thesis: UPCONVERSION LUMINESCENCE STUDIES IN Ho^{3+}/Yb^{3+} DOPED GADOLINIUM BASED OXIDE AND FLUORIDE PHOSPHORS AND THEIR APPLICATIONS</i> | | | | |
| 2009 | MSc | Physics(Spectroscopy specialization) | | Jamia Millia Islamia (Central University) New Delhi |
| 2007 | BSc | Physics, Mathematics, Chemistry | | Lucknow University, Lucknow |

Teaching Experience: 1 Years

1. Assistant Professor Department of Basic Sciences and Humanities, From 19.09.2022
Pranveer Singh Institute of Technology,
Kanpur, 209305, India
2. Assistant Professor Department of Physics & Electronics, Kamla
Nehru Institute of Physical and Social Sciences
(KNIPSS), Sultanpur, Uttar Pradesh- 228118,
India

Research Experience

| Course | Organization | Supervisor | Title of work | Duration | Output |
|---------------------|---|--|--|--|--------------------------------|
| Postdoctoral | East China Normal University, Shanghai, China | Prof. Dr. Shian Zhang | Upconversion Luminescence based nano particles for biomedical applications | 2/12/2019 to 1/12/2021 | 1 Minor Project & 2 SCI papers |
| Postdoctoral | University of Porto, Portugal | Prof. Joaquim C.G. Esteves da Silva | Upconversion nanoparticles attached carbon dots for glucose sensing applications | 2/09/ 2018 to 31/12/ 2018 & 1/03/2019 to 31/05/ 2019 | 2 Minor Project & 4 SCI papers |

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| Ph.D. | IIT ISM Dhanbad | Prof. Kaushal Kumar | Upconversion Luminescence Studies in $\text{Ho}^{3+}/\text{Yb}^{3+}$ doped Gadolinium Based Oxide and Fluoride Phosphors and Their Applications | 12/03/2014 to 04/06/2018 | 11 SCI papers |
| JRF/SRF- SERB Project | IIT ISM Dhanbad | Prof. Kaushal Kumar | Upconversion Nano phosphor based temperature sensor | 12/03/2014 to 11/03/2017 | |

Awards, Fellowship and Honors

1. Two years post-doc. fellowship under the supervision of **Prof. Dr. Shian Zhang** at East China Normal University, Shanghai, China from 02, December 2019 to 1, December 2021.
2. Four months post-doc. fellowship under the supervision of **Prof. Joaquim C.G. Esteves da Silva** at FCUP, University of Porto, Portugal from 01, September 2018 to 31, December 2018.
3. Three months post-doc. fellowship under the supervision of **Prof. Joaquim C.G. Esteves da Silva** at FCUP, University of Porto, Portugal from 01, March 2019 to 30, May 2019.
4. Erasmus-Mobile+ **doctoral credit mobility** fellowship for 10 months at the University of Porto, Portugal from 19, September 2016 to 18, July 2017.

Research Awards

1. Best Oral Presentation Award in First International Seminar about Carbon Dots, Carbon dot society, FCUP, University of Porto, Portugal, 2017-06-28.

Research Experience

1. Ph.D. in the field of Rare Earth doped upconversion nano-phosphor at Deptt. Of Applies Physics, Indian School of Mines, Dhanbad Jharkhand India-826004 12 March 2014- 4 June 2018.
2. Project fellow in DST-SERB New Delhi, India funded project on temperature sensing application of rare-earth-doped upconversion nanoparticles at Deptt. Of Applies Physics, Indian School of Mines, Dhanbad Jharkhand India-826004 12 March 2014- 31 October 2016
3. Research Intern (IJPAP): CSIR-National Institute of Science Communication and Information Resources, India-16 May 2011-30 April 2013.
4. One Year of project work in “Department of Electronics & Communication Engineering and Physics Department of Jamia Millia Islamia University, New Delhi” from June 2008- May 09.
5. “**Bibliometric Study of Research Output on String Theory from India & China**” at CSIR-NISCAIR for six months’ project work report from 17 May 2011-to 19 November 2011.

Refresher Course/Workshop/Training

1. A. Kumar, S.P. Tiwari, K. Kumar, and V. K. Rai, "Comparative Upconversion Emission Study on Gd_2O_3 : $\text{Ho}^{3+}/\text{Yb}^{3+}$ Nano-phosphor Synthesized by two Different Routes." DAE-BRNS National Laser Symposium (NLS)-23, December 03-06, 2014, Deptt. Of Physics Sri Venkateswara (SV) University, Tirupati, AP.
2. A. Kumar, S. P. Tiwari, K. Kumar, and V.K. Rai, "Characterization and Up-conversion study on $\text{Er}^{3+}/\text{Yb}^{3+}$ Co-doped NaGdF_4 Nano-Particles." International Conference on Frontiers in Spectroscopy (ICFS)-2015, January 10-12, 2015, Physics Department, Banaras Hindu University (BHU), Varanasi-221005 (Accepted for poster presentation).
3. A. Kumar, S. P. Tiwari, K. M. Krishna, and K. Kumar, "Structural and optical characterization of NaGdF_4 : $\text{Ho}^{3+}/\text{Yb}^{3+}$ upconversion nanoparticles for latent fingerprint detections". DAE-Solid State Physics Symposium (SSPS-60), December 21-25, 2015, Amity University, Noida, U.P. (Published in AIP conference proceedings).
4. A. Kumar, S. P. Tiwari, S. K. Maurya, K. M. Krishna, K. Kumar, and V.K. Rai, "Non-radiative emission study in LaF_3 : $\text{Tm}^{3+}/\text{Yb}^{3+}$ upconversion nanoparticles for photodynamic therapy application" [Oral Presentation].
5. A. Kumar, Joaquim C.G. Esteves da Silva, K. Kumar, "Upconversion phosphors/carbon dots nanostructure for glucose sensing" RGC congress Porto, Portugal, June 12-23, 2017. [Oral Presentation].
6. Attained summer school on "Development and characterization of Advanced Materials" at physics Department, BHU, Varanasi, India.
7. Attended AICTE-sponsored short-course on "Hybrid Inorganic-Organic Nanocomposites for Photonics, Energy, and Electronic Devices: Industrial Applications", September 01-12, 2014, Material Science Center, IIT Kharagpur, WB.
8. Attended Short Course on "Photonics" organized by Indian Laser Association (ILA), December 01-02, 2014, Deptt. Of Physics Sri Venkateshwara (SV) University, Tirupati, AP.
9. Attended Workshop on "Nano-Science and Life" under UGC networking program, February 26 – March 2, 2015, Dept. of Physics, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi.
10. Attended seminar on "Scanning Electron Microscopy-SEM, Low Vacuum and Environmental and SEM-ESEM/LVSEM, Low temperature Scanning Electron Microscopy-CryoSEM" on the 4th July 2017 organized by the Materials Center, CEMUP, University of Porto, Portugal.
11. Attended seminar on "X-Ray Microanalysis – EDS, Backscattered Electron Diffraction – EBSD" on the 26th May 2017 organized by the Materials Center, CEMUP, University of Porto,

Portugal.

12. Attended seminar on “Scanning Probe Microscopy – SPM: AFM/MFM/STM, Atomic Force Microscopy – AFM, Magnetic Force Microscopy – MFM, Scanning Tunneling Microscopy - STM” on the 11th July 2017 organized by the Materials Center, CEMUP, University of Porto, Portugal.
13. Attended seminar on “Surface Analysis by Electron Spectroscopy, X-Ray Photoelectron Spectroscopy - XPS” on the 26th April 2017 organized by the Materials Center, CEMUP, University of Porto, Portugal.
14. Attended seminar on “Data Processing and Analysis for X-Ray Photoelectron Spectroscopy - XPS” on the 28th April 2017 organized by the Materials Center, CEMUP, University of Porto, Portugal.
15. Attended 5 days international workshop on Quantum mechanical modeling of Materials by Quantum Espresso (IWQMMM-2023) by IEEE Nano-council PSIT Student Chapter (15th – 19th March 2023)

Scientific Membership

1. Member of India Laser Association (ILA)
2. Member of International Association of Engineers (IAENG)

Academic Responsibilities

1. Monitored one M. Sc. student, Mr. Arka Sardar, for his master thesis at IIT (ISM) Dhanbad, India.
2. Paid laboratory and class duties for B. Tech. and M.Sc. students at IIT (ISM) Dhanbad, India.
3. Paid laboratory and class duties for B. Tech. students at PSIT Kanpur, India.

Teaching Interest

1. Mathematical Physics; Electrodynamics; Classical/quantum mechanics; Condensed Matter Physics; Optics etc.

Social Responsibilities

1. Enrolled in the project Classes without Frontiers, integrated into the municipal educational program Porto de Futuro, in collaboration with the University of Porto, Portugal.
2. Educated school students through Karma Jyoti Non-Govt. Organization in Dhanbad, India.
3. Served as Subject Matter Expert in Science Olympiad Foundation Non-Govt. Organization, New Delhi, India.

Research Interest

Photonics materials; Nanomaterials; Upconversion luminescent materials; Photovoltaic, optical sensing, Security and forensic detection applications; crystallographic analysis; Structural refinement; etc.

Research Experience

1. Ph.D. in the field of Rare Earth doped upconversion nano-phosphor at Deptt. Of Applies Physics, Indian School of Mines, Dhanbad Jharkhand India-826004 12 March 2014- 4 June 2018.
2. Project fellow in DST-SERB New Delhi, India funded project on temperature sensing application of rare-earth-doped upconversion nanoparticles at Deptt. Of Applies Physics, Indian School of Mines, Dhanbad Jharkhand India-826004 12 March 2014- 31 October 2016.
3. Research Intern (IJPAP): CSIR-National Institute of Science Communication and Information Resources, India-16 May 2011-30 April 2013.
4. One Year of project work in “Department of Electronics & Communication Engineering and Physics Department of Jamia Millia Islamia University, New Delhi” from June 2008- May 09.
5. Bibliometric Study of Research Output on String Theory from India & China at CSIR-NISCAIR for six months project work report from 17 May 2011 to 19 November 2011.

Professional Competence

- Fabrication and photonic engineering of Ho/Yb doped Gadolinium based upconversion nanoparticles for various applications
- Researched and performed the innovative applications in field of biomedical, solar energy efficiency enhancement and other fields
- Determined the structural and surface properties of some thin films for better optical device fabrications.
- Profound efficiency in handling of hygroscopic, air sensitive reagents and reactions. Skilled in the use of TEM, XRD, UV, FTIR, and also MS Word, Excel, Power Point, Chemdraw and Chem 3D and expertise in the preparation of research reports, manuscripts.
- Considerable expertise and extensive knowledge of the scientific literature.
- Capable of carrying independent and collaborative research.
- An easy going and friendly interpersonal relationship.

Book Chapter

1. S. P. Tiwari, **A. Kumar**, and K. Kumar, “*Upconversion Phosphor Materials for Beginners: Synthesis and Applications*,” **Research Frontiers in Sciences** (2016), Bhumi Publication, India, ISBN:978-81-931247-1-0.
https://www.academia.edu/35744654/UPCONVERSION_PHOSPHOR_MATERIALS_FOR_BEGINNER

S. SYNTHESIS AND APPLICATIONS

2. S. P. Tiwari, R. S. Yadav, S. K. Maurya, A. Kumar, Vinod Kumar and H. C. Swart, “*Synthesis and potential application of rare earth doped fluoride based host matrices*”, CRC Press, Tylor & Francis Group. (2019) eISBN 9780429025334.
<https://www.taylorfrancis.com/chapters/edit/10.1201/9780429025334-13/synthesis-potential-application-rare-earth-doped-fluoride-based-host-matrices-tiwari-yadav-maurya-kumar-vinod-kumar-swart>

Patent (Utility Grant/Publication/Design) Publication**Under preparation for Patent application: 1****Research Publications****Google Scholar Citations: 349****h- index: 12****i10 index: 13****SJR Q1 Ranking publications: 10****SJR Q2 Ranking publications: 11**

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| [J21] | Abhishek Kumara, Lalit Kumar Dwivedi, Kaushal Kumar, Comparative upconversion emission studies in AF ₃ : Tm ³⁺ /Yb ³⁺ (A=La, Y and Gd) phosphor for latent fingerprints detection, <i>Optical Materials</i> 145 (2023) 114461. 09253467 https://doi.org/10.1016/j.optmat.2023.114461 IF : 4.2, SJR Ranking Q1 |
| [J20] | A. Kumar, Joaquim C.G. Esteves da Silva, Surface plasmonic resonance study in polymer composite film of NaYF ₄ :Er ³⁺ /Yb ³⁺ upconversion nanoparticles via AuNPs concentration variation, <i>J. Alloys. and Compounds</i> (2023) in press 171704 https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jallcom.2023.171704 IF : 6.5, SJR Ranking Q1 |
| [J19] | Abhishek Kumar, Diana M.A. Crista, Ara Núñez-Montenegro, Joaquim C.G. Esteves da Silva and Santosh Kumar Verma, Annealing assisted optimization in persistency of afterglow of SrAl ₂ O ₄ :Eu ²⁺ /Dy ³⁺ micro particles for forensic detections <i>RSC Advances</i> , 2023, 13 , 28676-28685 ISSN 2046-2069 IF : 3.4 SJR Ranking Q2 |
| [J18] | A Kumar, Surya Prakash Tiwari, Hendrik C. Swart, Joaquim Carlos Gomes Esteves da Silva, “Infrared interceded YF ₃ : Er ³⁺ /Yb ³⁺ upconversion phosphor for crime scene and anti-counterfeiting applications”, <i>Optical Materials</i> 92, 2019, 347-351.[Impact factor=2.5]0925- 3467 https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/abs/pii/S0925346719302800 IF : 3.754, SJR Ranking Q1 |
| [J17] | A. Kumar, H. Couto and Joaquim C. G. Esteves da Silva, Upconversion Emission Studies in Er ³⁺ /Yb ³⁺ |

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| | <p>Doped/Co-Doped NaGdF₄ Phosphor Particles for Intense Cathodoluminescence and Wide Temperature Sensing Applications, <i>Materials</i> 2022, 15, 6563, 1-13. 19961944</p> <p>https://www.mdpi.com/1996-1944/15/19/6563/html</p> <p>IF : 3.748, SJR Ranking Q2</p> |
| [J16] | <p>A. Kumar, S. P. Tiwari, K. Kumar, and Joaquim C. G. Esteves da Silva, “Multifunctional applications of NaGdF₄:Ho³⁺/Yb³⁺ upconversion phosphor synthesized via two different routes: a comparative study” <i>Mater. Res. Express</i> 6 (2019) 106201-106213. 20531591</p> <p>https://iopscience.iop.org/article/10.1088/2053-1591/ab399c</p> <p>IF : 2.025, SJR Ranking Q2</p> |
| [J15] | <p>Abhishek Kumar, Luís Pinto da Silva, Joaquim C.G.Esteves da Silva, Kaushal Kumar, “Molecular vibration-assisted triplet-triplet annihilation upconversion luminescence of fluorescein”, <i>Optical Materials</i>, 96, 2019, 109286-10290. [Impact factor=2.5] 09253467</p> <p>https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/abs/pii/S0925346719304963</p> <p>IF : 3.754, SJR Ranking Q1</p> |
| [J14] | <p>A. Kumar, Joaquim C.G. Esteves da Silva, K. Kumar, H. C. Swart, S. K Maurya, P. Kumar and S. P. Tiwari, “Improvement in upconversion/downshifting luminescence of Gd₂O₃:Ho³⁺/Yb³⁺ phosphor through Ca²⁺/Zn²⁺ incorporation and optical thermometry studies”, <i>Mat. Res. Bull.</i>,112(2018)28-37,255408</p> <p>https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/abs/pii/S0025540818317938</p> <p>IF : 5.5, SJR Ranking Q1</p> |
| [J13] | <p>A. Kumar, S. P. Tiwari, K. Kumar and Joaquim C.G. Esteves da Silva, “Magnetic tuning in upconversion emission enhanced through Ag⁺ ions co-doped in GdF₃: Ho³⁺/Yb³⁺ phosphor and a real-time temperature sensing demonstration”, <i>J. Alloys. and Compounds</i>, 776 (2019) 207-214, 09258388</p> <p>https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/abs/pii/S0925838818338301</p> <p>IF : 6.5, SJR Ranking Q1</p> |
| [J12] | <p>A Kumar, M. H. M. Couto, S. P. Tiwari, K. Kumar, and J. C.G. Esteves da Silva, “Effect of pH of precursor on up/downconversion and cathodoluminescence of Gd₂O₃:Ho³⁺/Yb³⁺ phosphor and magneto-optic studies”<i>ChemistrySelect</i> 3 (2018) 10566-10573. [Impact factor=1.5]23656549</p> <p>https://chemistry-europe.onlinelibrary.wiley.com/doi/10.1002/slct.201801556</p> <p>IF : 2.3707, SJR Ranking Q2</p> |
| [J11] | <p>A.Kumar, S. P. Tiwari, A. Sardar, K Kumar, J C G E da Silva, “Role of Ca²⁺ codopants on structural and optical properties of YF₃: Tm³⁺/Yb³⁺ upconversion phosphor for improved optical thermometry” <i>Sensors and Actuators A: Physical</i> 280 (2018) 179-187.9244247</p> <p>https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/abs/pii/S0924424718306447</p> <p>IF : 4.291, SJR Ranking Q1</p> |

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| [J10] | <p>A.Kumar, S. P. Tiwari, Joaquim C.G. Esteves da Silva and K. Kumar, “Security writing application of thermal decomposition assisted NaYF₄:Er³⁺/Yb³⁺ upconversion phosphor ”Laser Phys. Lett. 15(2018) 075901-075910.16122011</p> <p>https://iopscience.iop.org/article/10.1088/1612-202X/aab123</p> <p>IF : 1.7, SJR Ranking Q2</p> |
| [J9] | <p>A. Kumar, S. P. Tiwari, K. Kumar and V. K. Rai, “Structural and optical properties of thermal decomposition assisted Gd₂O₃: Ho³⁺/Yb³⁺ upconversion phosphor annealed at different temperature,” Spectrochim Acta A Spectroscopy, 167 (2016) 134-141.13861425</p> <p>https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/abs/pii/S1386142516302542</p> <p>IF : 4.831, SJR Ranking Q2</p> |
| [J8] | <p>A. Kumar, S. P. Tiwari, K. Kumar and A. K. Singh, “Synthesis of Gd₂O₃: Ho³⁺/Yb³⁺ upconversion nanoparticles for latent fingerprint detection on difficult surfaces” Appl. Phys. B, 122 (2016) 190-199. 9462171</p> <p>https://link.springer.com/article/10.1007/s00340-016-6468-y</p> <p>IF : 1.800, SJR Ranking Q2</p> |
| [J7] | <p>A. Kumar, S. P. Tiwari, and K. Kumar, “Synthesis and Upconversion of Er³⁺/Yb³⁺ Doped NaGdF₄ Phosphor for Security Applications”, Adv. Sci. Lett. 21 (2015) 2632, ISSN: 1936-6612.</p> <p>https://www.researchgate.net/signup.SignUp.html?ev=su_requestFulltext</p> <p>Impact factor: xx</p> |
| [J6] | <p>S. P. Tiwari, A. Kumar, S. Singh and K. Kumar, “Synthesis, characterization and optical study of CaYAl₃O₇: Eu³⁺ phosphors for lighting application” Vacuum 146 (2017) 537-540. 0042207X.</p> <p>https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/abs/pii/S0042207X17303895</p> <p>IF : 4.5, SJR Ranking Q1</p> |
| [J5] | <p>S.K. Maurya, S.P. Tiwari, A. Kumar and K. Kumar, “Plasmonic enhancement of upconversion emission of Ag@NaYF₄:Er³⁺/Yb³⁺ phosphor”, J. Rare Earths, 39 (2018) 903-910. 10020721</p> <p>https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/abs/pii/S1002072118302928</p> <p>IF : 4.632, SJR Ranking Q1</p> |
| [J4] | <p>S. Maurya, R Kushawaha, S Tiwari, A Kumar, K Kumar, Joaquim C.G. Esteves da Silva, “Thermal decomposition mediated Er³⁺/Yb³⁺ codoped NaGdF₄ upconversion phosphor for optical thermometry” Materials Research Express, 6 (2019) 086211-086220. 20531591</p> <p>https://iopscience.iop.org/article/10.1088/2053-1591/ab20b4</p> <p>IF : 2.025, SJR Ranking Q2</p> |
| [J3] | <p>K.M. Krishna, S.P. Tiwari, A Kumar, K Kumar, Up and downconversion emission studies in Er³⁺/Yb³⁺: Ca₃(PO₄)₂ phosphor for thermometry, Sensors and Actuators A: Physical 315 (2020) 112302.9244247</p> <p>https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/abs/pii/S0924424720310839</p> |

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| | IF : 4.291, SJR Ranking Q1 |
| [J2] | Xingqing Xie, Abhishek Kumar , Lian zhong Deng, Jianguo Wanga Dalong Qi, Tianqing Jia Zhenrong Suna, Jianrong Qiu, Shian Zhang, "Suppressing the visible luminescence in GdF ₃ :ErF ₃ nanoparticles with intermediate magnetic fields", Journal of Luminescence , 239, 2021,118353.00222313 https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/abs/pii/S0022231321004695 IF : 4.171, SJR Ranking Q2 |
| [J1] | S. P. Tiwari, A. Kumar, K. Kumar, M. R. Singh, G. P. Bharti, Alike Khare, H. C.Swart, S. K. Verma, LSPR mediated improved upconversion emission on randomly distributed gold nanoparticles arrays, New Journal of Chemistry (in Press 2020). 13699261.https://pubs.rsc.org/en/content/articlelanding/2020/nj/c9nj06471k IF : 4.291, SJR Ranking Q2 |
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Publication in Conference Proceedings

1. **A. Kumar**, S. P. Tiwari, K. M. Krishna, and K. Kumar, "Structural and optical characterization of NaGdF₄: Ho³⁺/Yb³⁺ upconversion nanoparticles for latent fingerprint detections," **AIP conference proceeding**,1731 (2016) 050135. <https://aip.scitation.org/doi/10.1063/1.4947789>
2. S. P. Tiwari, S. Singh, **A. Kumar**, and K. Kumar, "Upconversion study of singly activator ions doped La₂O₃ nanoparticle synthesized via optimized solvothermal method" **AIP Conference Proceedings** 1728 (2016) 020137. <https://aip.scitation.org/doi/10.1063/1.4946188>
3. S. K. Maurya, S. P. Tiwari, **A. Kumar**, and K. Kumar, "Synthesis and Photoluminescence Studies of Tm³⁺/Yb³⁺ Codoped Y₂O₃ Phosphors", **AIP Conference Proceedings** 1953,(2018)060040-060043. <https://aip.scitation.org/doi/10.1063/1.5032771>
4. S. K. Maurya, S. P. Tiwari, **A. Kumar**, and K. Kumar, "Latent Fingerprint Detection for NaYF₄:Er³⁺/Yb³⁺ Upconversion Phosphor Synthesized by Thermal Decomposition Route",**AIP Conference Proceedings** 1942(2018) 050051-050054. <https://aip.scitation.org/doi/abs/10.1063/1.5028682>

List of Review Articles

1. S. P. Tiwari, S. K. Maurya, R. S. Yadav, **A. Kumar**, V. Kumar and H. C. Swart "UC emission exploration in rare earth doped ions-based fluoride phosphors", **JVST B: Journal of Vacuum Science and Technology**36 (2018) 060801-060815.[Impact factor=0.85] <https://avs.scitation.org/doi/full/10.1116/1.5044596>

IF : 4.291, SJR Ranking Q2

List of Paper under Submission/Revision

1. Abhishek Kumar, Joaquim C.G. Esteves da Silva and Santosh K Varma, Comparative upconversion emission studies in $\text{AF}_3: \text{Tm}^{3+}/\text{Yb}^{3+}$ (A=La, Y and Gd) phosphor for latent fingerprints detection applications (**Under Revision**)
2. A Kumar, Joaquim C.G. Esteves da Silva, Santosh K Varma and Kaushal Kumar, Cooperation of Ca^{2+} and Zn^{2+} ion dopant in $\text{Ho}^{3+}/\text{Yb}^{3+}:\text{GdF}_3$ phosphors for alteration in upconversion luminescence. (**Under revision**)
3. A. Kumar, K Kumar, Santosh K Varma and M Malaidurai, Infrared and Uv assisted visible up/down-conversion in $\text{Gd}_2\text{O}_3:\text{Ho}^{3+}/\text{Yb}^{3+}$ micro-rods for high efficient photovoltaic performance of dye-sensitized solar cell (**Under revision**)
4. A Kumar, Joaquim C.G. Esteves da Silva and S K Varma, A critical review on Hydrogen energy storage systems (**Under preparation**)

International and National Conference Attended

1. A. Kumar, S.P. Tiwari, K. Kumar, and V. K. Rai, "Comparative Upconversion Emission Study on $\text{Gd}_2\text{O}_3: \text{Ho}^{3+}/\text{Yb}^{3+}$ Nano-phosphor Synthesized by two Different Routes." DAE-BRNS National Laser Symposium (NLS)-23, December 03-06, 2014, Deptt. Of Physics Sri Venkateswara (SV) University, Tirupati, AP.
2. A. Kumar, S. P. Tiwari, K. Kumar, and V.K. Rai, "Characterization and Up-conversion study on $\text{Er}^{3+}/\text{Yb}^{3+}$ Co-doped NaGdF_4 Nano-Particles." International Conference on Frontiers in Spectroscopy (ICFS)-2015, January 10-12, 2015, Physics Department, Banaras Hindu University (BHU), Varanasi-221005 (Accepted for poster presentation).
3. A. Kumar, S. P. Tiwari, K. M. Krishna, and K. Kumar, "Structural and optical characterization of $\text{NaGdF}_4: \text{Ho}^{3+}/\text{Yb}^{3+}$ upconversion nanoparticles for latent fingerprint detections". DAE-Solid State Physics Symposium (SSPS-60), December 21-25, 2015, Amity University, Noida, U.P. (Published in AIP conference proceedings).
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