### **CURRICULUM VITAE**

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#### **Research Interests**

Chemical sensors, Optical sensors, Electrochemical sensors, Organic synthesis, Ion-selective membrane electrodes etc....

## **Educational Qualifications**

• **Doctor of Philosophy**: (2009–2014), Topic entitled "Synthesis of Chelating Ionophores and

Electroanalytical Applications as Chemical Sensors", Department of Chemistry, Indian Institute of Technology, Roorkee, India.

Chemistry, mutan institute of Teelmorogy, Rootkee, muta.

• Master of Science : (Organic Chemistry, 2006–2008) from Bapatla Engineering College,

Acharya Nagarjuna University, Guntur, India.

• Bachelor of Science : (Chemistry, Physics and Mathematics, 2003–2006), B.C.A.S. College,

Bapatla, Acharya Nagarjuna University, Guntur, India.

### **Professional Experiences**

• Assistant Professor : (13/07/2017 – Present) In Ongole Campus, Rajiv Gandhi University of

Knowledge Technologies, Ongole, Prakasham (Dt.), Andhra Pradesh.

• Assistant Professor : (01/03/2016 - 11/07/2017) In Chirala Engineering College, Chirala,

Prakasham (Dt.), Andhra Pradesh (Affiliated to JNTU, Kakinada).

• Postdoctoral Fellow: (08/12/2014 - 15/02/2016) In Fujian Institute of Research on the

Structure of Matter, Chinese Academy of Sciences, Fujian, Fuzhou, P.

R. China.

• Assistant Professor : (23/12/2013 – 06/12/2014) In Chirala Engineering College, Chirala,

Prakasham (Dt.), Andhra Pradesh (Affiliated to JNTU, Kakinada).

• **Lecturer** : (02/06/2008 – 27/12/2008) In S.V.R.M. College, Nagaram, Guntur

(Dt.), Andhra Pradesh (affiliated to Acharya Nagarjuna University).

## **Fellowships**

• Holder of CAS President's International Fellowship Initiative (PIFI) for the year 2015.

• Holder of Ministry of Human Resource Development (MHRD) fellowship during Ph.D from Indian Institute of Technology, Roorkee.

• Received the International Travel Support (its) from Department of Science and Technology (DST), India, 2012, to attend the conference at Prague.

# Memberships

- Member of "International Society of Electrochemistry (ISE)" [11825].
- Life member of "Indian Society for Electroanalytical Chemistry (ISEAC)" [LM-202].
- Life member of "The Electrochemical Society of India (ECSI)" [LM-254].

## **Faculty Development Programme:**

- 1. "Royal Society Of Chemistryyusuf Hamied Insprirational Chemistry Programme", organized by Department of Chemistry, IIIT Nuzvid, RGUKT; during 28<sup>th</sup> 29<sup>th</sup> April, 2019.
- 2. "ICT Mode of teaching and learning Practicess", organized by RK Valley Campus, RGUKT; during  $02^{nd} 07^{th}$  January, 2019.

### **Achievements and Additional Qualifications**

- Resource Person: One day UGC recognized webinar entitled "Recent Outcomes in Material Chemistry (ROMC-2021)", organized by Department of Chemistry (PG).
- Chaired (Sessions Big Data and Special Session) in the "International Conference on Big Data Analytics and Computational Intelligence", organized by IEEE Computational Intelligence Society, USA, head at Chirala Engineering College, Chirala India, 23<sup>rd</sup>–25<sup>th</sup> March, 2017.
- Best poster Award in "11<sup>th</sup> ISEAC International Discussion Meet", Amritsar, India, 2014.
- Passed **Post Graduated Diploma in Programming Concepts** (PGDPC) in 2003 (@ Baba Computers and Systems, Guntur.K.V.R, K.V.R. & M.K.R. College, Khajipalem,
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize on "**Spot Painting**", organized by Sri Ramakrishna Seva Samithi, Bapatla, Andhra Pradesh for the academic year 2001–2002.
- Passed "Type Writing English Lower (30 W. P. M)" held by State Board of Technical Education and Training on 2002.
- Cleared Graduate Aptitude Test in Engineering (GATE) in 2008.

### **Publications**

1. **Koteswara Rao Bandi**, Ashok Kumar Singh\*, Kamaluddin, A. K. Jain, V. K. Gupta, "Electroanalytical Studies on Cobalt(II) Ion-Selective Sensor of Polymeric Membrane Electrode and Coated Graphite Electrode Based on N<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub> Salen Ligands", **Electroanalysis**, 23 (2011) 2839–2850.

DOI: 10.1002/elan.201100461

2. Anjali Upadhyay, A. K. Singh\*, A. K. Jain, Vinod Kumar Gupta, **Koteswara Rao Bandi**, "Potentiometric study of coated graphite electrode and polymeric membrane electrode for the determination of Sm<sup>3+</sup> ion", **Electroanalysis**, 24 (2012) 1630–1638.

DOI: 10.1002/elan.201200050

3. Ashok Kumar Singh\*, **Koteswara Rao Bandi**, Anjali Upadhyay, A. K. Jain, "A comparative study on fabrication of Mn<sup>2+</sup> selective polymeric membrane electrode and coated graphite electrode", **Materials Science and Engineering C**, 33 (2013) 626–633.

DOI:10.1016/j.msec.2012.10.007

4. **Koteswara Rao Bandi**, Ashok Kumar Singh\*, Anjali Upadhyay, "Biologically active Schiff bases as potentiometric sensor for the selective determination of Nd<sup>3+</sup> ion", **Electrochimica Acta**, 105 (2013) 654–664.

DOI:10.1016/j.electacta.2013.05.038

5. Anjali Upadhyay, Ashok Kumar Singh\*, **Koteswara Rao Bandi**, A. K. Jain, "Fabrication of coated graphite electrode for the selective determination of europium (III) ions", **Talanta**, 115 (2013) 569–576.

DOI:10.1016/j.talanta.2013.06.001

6. **Koteswara Rao Bandi**, Ashok Kumar Singh\*, Anjali Upadhyay, Kamaluddin, "Electroanalytical and naked eye determination of Cu<sup>2+</sup> ion in various environmental samples using 5-amino-1,3,4-thiadiazole-2-thiol based Schiff bases", **Materials Science and Engineering C**, 34 (2014) 149–157.

DOI:10.1016/j.msec.2013.09.006

7. Anjali Upadhyay, Ashok Kumar Singh\*, **Koteswara Rao Bandi**, "Selective determination of  $Zn^{2+}$  ion in various environmental, biological and medicinal plant samples using novel coated graphite electrode", **Electroanalysis**, 25 (2013) 2453–2462.

DOI: 10.1002/elan.201300225

8. **Koteswara Rao Bandi**, Ashok Kumar Singh\*, Anjali Upadhyay, Kamaluddin, "Construction and performance characteristics of polymeric membrane electrode and coated graphite electrode for the selective determination of Fe(III)", **Materials Science and Engineering C**, 36 (2014) 187–193.

DOI:10.1016/j.msec.2013.12.010

9. V. K. Gupta\*, Ashok Kumar Singh, Shubhrajyotsna Bhardwaj, **Koteswara Rao Bandi**, "Biological active novel 2,4-dinitro phenyl hydrazones as the colorimetric sensors for selective detection of acetate ion", **Sensors and Actuators B**, 197 (2014) 264–273.

DOI:10.1016/j.snb.2014.03.006

10. A. K. Singh\*, Manoj Kumar Sahani, **Koteswara Rao Bandi**, A. K. Jain, "Electroanalytical studies on Cu (II) ion-selective sensor of coated pyrolytic graphite electrodes based on N<sub>2</sub>S<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>

and  $N_2S_2O_3$  heterocyclic benzothiazol ligands", Materials Science and Engineering C, 41 (2014) 206–216.

DOI:10.1016/j.msec.2014.04.047

11. **Koteswara Rao Bandi,** Anjali Upadhyay, Ashok Kumar Singh\*, A. K. Jain, "Nano level monitoring of Er(III) by fabrication of coated graphite electrode based on newly synthesized Schiff base as neutral carrier", **Materials Science and Engineering C**, 62 (2016) 9–17.

DOI:10.1016/j.msec.2016.01.035

12. Qianping Lou, **Koteswara Rao Bandi**, Yanqiu Dong, Hongli Bao, Daliang Li, Qi Chen "Synthesis and Living Cell Imaging of a Novel Fluorescent Sensor for Selective Cupric Detection", **Spectrochimica Acta Part A: Molecular and Biomolecular Spectroscopy**, 214 (2019) 146–151.

DOI:10.1016/j.saa.2019.02.013

### **Papers Presented in Conferences (Abroad)**

1. **Koteswara Rao Bandi**, Ashok Kumar Singh, "Electroanalytical Studies on Cobalt(II) IonSelective sensor of polymeric membrane electrode and coated graphite electrode based on  $N_2O_2$  salan ligands", (Poster Presentation).

"63<sup>rd</sup> Annual Meeting of the International Society of Eleectrochemisty", organized by International Society of Electrochemistry, at Prague, Czech Republic; during 19<sup>th</sup>–24<sup>th</sup> August, 2012.

# **Papers Presented in Conferences (India)**

- 1. **Koteswara Rao Bandi**, Hongli Bao, Li, "Novel Functional Thiopheno Azomethines as Fluorescent (Turn on) and colorimetric sensor for the Cu<sup>2+</sup> ion", (Oral Presentation).
  - 1<sup>st</sup> International conference on "Recent Advances in Chemical, Pharmaceutical and Biological Sciences" (RACPABS-2020), organized by Department of Chemistry, University College of Science, Acharya Nagarjuna University, Guntur, during 5<sup>th</sup> 7<sup>th</sup> March, 2020.
- 2. **Koteswara Rao Bandi**, Ashok Kumar Singh, "Electroanalytical detection of Fe<sup>3+</sup> ion using polymeric membrane electrode and coated graphite electrode", (Oral Presentation).
  - U.G.C. Sponsored One day International Seminar On "Recent Developments and Applications of Physico-Chemical Characterization Techniques" organized by Department of Chemistry (U.G & P.G), J.K.C.College, Guntur; during 04<sup>th</sup> January, 2019.
- 3. Shubhrajyotsna Bhardwaj, A. K. Singh, **Koteswara Rao Bandi**, "Selective colorimetric determination of acetate ion using novel 2,4-dinitrophenyl based hydrazones", (Poster Presentation).
  - "International conference on recent advances in analytical sciences (RAAS 2014)", organized by Indian Society of Analytical Scientists, at Department of Chemistry, Indian Institute of Technology (BHU) Varanasi; during  $27^{th} 29^{th}$  March, 2014.

- 4. Neha Gupta, **Koteswara Rao Bandi**, Ashok Kumar Singh, "Novel biologically active hydrazones for the colorimetric determination of cyanide and acetate Ions" (Poster Presentation).
  - "International conference on recent advances in analytical sciences (RAAS 2014)", organized by Indian Society of Analytical Scientists, at Department of Chemistry, Indian Institute of Technology (BHU) Varanasi; during  $27^{th} 29^{th}$  March, 2014.
- 5. **Koteswara Rao Bandi**, Ashok Kumar Singh, "Novel electroanalytical tool for the selective determination of  $Fe^{3+}$  ion using polymeric membrane electrode and coated graphite electrode", (Poster Presentation).
  - "11<sup>th</sup> ISEAC International Discussion Meet" organized by Indian Society for Electroanalytical Chemistry" at Amritsar, India; during 20<sup>th</sup>–25<sup>th</sup> February, 2014.
- 6. **Koteswara Rao Bandi**, Anjali Upadhyay, Ashok Kumar Singh, "Novel electroanalytical technique for the selective determination of Cu<sup>2+</sup> ions in various environmental samples", (Oral Presentation).
  - "Cognizance-2013", organized by Indian Institute of Technology Roorkee, Roorkee, Uttarakhand, India; during 22<sup>nd</sup>–24<sup>th</sup> March, 2013.
- 7. **Koteswara Rao Bandi**, Ashok Kumar Singh, "Selective determination of Nd<sup>3+</sup> using polymeric membrane electrode and coated graphite electrode", (Oral Presentation).
  - "International Conference on Emerging Trends in Chemical Sciences", organized by School of Chemical Sciences, Central University of Gujarat, Gandhinagar, India; during 14<sup>th</sup>–15<sup>th</sup> March, 2013.
- 8. Divya Singhal, **Koteswara Rao Bandi**, A. K. Singh, "Novel polymeric Membrane Electrode and Coated Graphite Electrode based on Schiff bases for determination of Cu<sup>2+</sup> ion", (Poster Presentation).
  - "International Conference on Emerging Trends in Chemical Sciences", organized by School of Chemical Sciences, Central University of Gujarat, Gandhinagar, India; during 14<sup>th</sup>–15<sup>th</sup> March, 2013.
- 9. **Koteswara Rao Bandi**, Ashok Kumar Singh, "A comparative study on fabrication of  $Mn^{2+}$  selective polymeric membrane electrode and coated graphite electrode", (Oral Presentation).
  - "International Conference on Materials Science and Technology (ICMST-2012)", organized by St. Thomas College, Pala, Kottayam, Kerala, India; during 10<sup>th</sup>–14<sup>th</sup> June, 2012.
- 10. Jitender Singh, **Koteswara Rao Bandi**, Ashok Kumar Singh, "Novel coated graphite electrode for the selective determination of Gd(III) in rocks and waste water samples", (Oral Presentation).
  - "International Conference on Nanoscience and Technology in Chemistry, Health, Environment and Energy (NATCHEE-2010)", organized by Dayalbagh Educational Institute (Deemed University), Agra, India; during 07<sup>th</sup>–09<sup>th</sup> January, 2010.

## **Short Term Courses and Conferences Participated**

- Participate and chaired (Sessions Big Data and Special Session) in the "International Conference on Big Data Analytics and Computational Intelligence", organized by IEEE Computational Intelligence Society, USA, head at Chirala Engineering College, Chirala India, 23<sup>rd</sup>–25<sup>th</sup> March, 2017.
- 2. Participated in the "Two Day Workshop on Wealth from Waste and Pollution Awarness Online Monitoring, E-Waste Management and RoHs", organized by The electrochemical society of india, Choksi Hall, Indian institute of science campus, Bengaluru-560012, India, 21<sup>st</sup>–23<sup>rd</sup> March, 2016.
- 3. Participated in the "*International Workshop on Chemical Evolution and Origin of life*", organized by Department of Chemistry, Indian Institute of Technology Roorkee, Uttarakhand, India, 21<sup>st</sup>–23<sup>rd</sup> March, 2013.
- 4. Participated in the "4<sup>th</sup> Conference on Recent Trends in Instrumental Methods of Analysis", organized by Department of Chemistry, Indian Institute of Technology Roorkee, Uttarakhand, India, 18<sup>th</sup>–20<sup>th</sup> February, 2011.
- 5. Participated in the "*International Workshop on Chemical Evolution and Origin of Life*", organized by Department of Chemistry, Indian Institute of Technology Roorkee, Uttarakhand, India, 05<sup>th</sup>–07<sup>th</sup> March, 2010.
- 6. Participated in a workshop on "Web of Science As Research Tool", organized by Mahatma Gandhi Central Library, Indian Institute of Technology Roorkee, Uttarakhand, India, 6<sup>th</sup> October, 2009.
- 7. Participated in "*National Seminar on Modern Trends in Chemistry*" organized at Hindu College, Guntur, Andhra Pradesh, India, 03<sup>rd</sup>–04<sup>th</sup> February, 2007.
- 8. Participated in "*National Seminar on Green Organic Synthesis in Pharmaceuticals an Overview*" organized at Siddhartha College of Arts & Science, Vijayawada, Andhra Pradesh, India, 15<sup>th</sup> December, 2007.

### **Reviewer for Journals:**

- 1. Analytica Chimica Acta (Elsevier)
- 2. Electrochimica Acta (Elsevier)
- 3. Talanta (Elsevier)
- 4. Electroanalysis (Wiley)
- 5. Materials Science and Engineering C (Elsevier)
- 6. Chemistry and Biodiversity (Wiley)
- 7. ChemPhysChem (Wiley-VCH)

#### **Administrative Work:**

- 1. Co-Ordinator, Stores and Purchases, Ongole Campus, RGUKT A.P. for period 17/11/2021 23/02/2023.
- 2. Additional Dean Academics, Ongole Campus, RGUKT A.P.
- 3. HoD, Department of Chemistry, Ongole Campus, RGUKT A.P. [02/11/2017 10/07/2019].
- 4. Warden, Boys hostel, Ongole Campus, RGUKT A.P. [02/11/2017 27/01/2018].
- 5. NSS Programme Officer, Chirala Engineering College [Unit No: 10-048] for period 16/12/2015 11/07/2017.
- 6. Member of R&D Committee, Chirala Engineering College.
- 7. Member of Students activities committee, Chirala Engineering College.
- 8. Member of Discipline committee, Chirala Engineering College.

# Programmes Conducted as NSS PO [Unit No: 10-048]:

- 1. "*Blood Donation Camp*" was conducted at Chirala engineering college to help Chirala Area Hospital on 17<sup>th</sup> December, 2016.
- 2. "Swatcha Bharat" programme was conducted at Chirala engineering college on 07<sup>th</sup> January, 2017.
- 3. On the occasion of "*Youth Day*", essay writing and Drawing competitions were conducted at Chirala engineering college on 12<sup>th</sup> January, 2017.
- 4. On the occasion of "*Voters Day*", essay writing and debate competitions were conducted at Chirala engineering college on 25<sup>th</sup> January, 2017.
- 5. "Independence Day", was celebrated at Chirala engineering college on 26<sup>th</sup> January, 2017.
- 6. On the occasion of "*Science Day*", poster presentations were conducted at Chirala engineering college on 28<sup>th</sup> February, 2017.
- 7. "7 Days NSS Special Camp" was conducted at adopted village Odarevu from 01<sup>st</sup> March, 2017 to 07<sup>th</sup> March, 2017.
- 8. Participated in the "Rotary Day", at Vignana Bharathi College, Chirala on 08<sup>th</sup> May, 2017.
- 9. "International Yoga Day", was conducted at Chirala engineering college on 21st June, 2017.