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☆ Area of Specialisation: Synthetic organic chemistry, Chemistry of natural products, Computational chemistry



SUMMARY

Teaching experience of 17+ years in specialization of Organic chemistry, Analytical Chemistry and Spectroscopy. Research areas are synthetic organic chemistry, computational Chemistry (DFT, In silico docking, Molecular Dynamics simulations) and chemistry products, and passionate about guiding students in their academic and professional journey through mentorin teaching.

EDUCATION

Ph.D in Computational Chemistry

[Vijayanagara Sri Krishna Devaraya University, Bellary](#)

📅 2015 - 2019 📍 Bellary, Karnataka, India

Master Of Science in Chemistry of Natural products

[Sri Krishnadevaraya University](#)

📅 2005 - 2007 📍 S.K.U.P.G Centre, Kurmool, Andhra Pradesh, India

Bachelor of Science (P.C.M)

[Sri Krishnadevaraya University](#)

📅 2002 - 2005 📍 KVR Govt. Degree College, Kurmool, A.P., India.

EXPERIENCE

Assistant Professor

[Kuvempu University](#)

📅 2018 - 2025 📍 Dept. Of Industrail Chemistry, Kuvempu University, Shivmogga.

Duties encompass teaching, research, and service, including delivering lectures, conducting research, mentoring students, and contributing to departmental and university activities.

- Teaching in organic chemistry and Spectroscopy,
- Conducting research and mentoring Ph.D students in synthetic organic chemistry, computational Chemistry
- Publishing research papers in national and international journals

Guest lecturer

[Govt. First Grade Degree College, Manvi](#)

📅 2011 - 2018 📍 Raichur, Karnataka.

Taught in all specializations of chemistry and mentoring graduate students through weekly lab sessions

Lecturer

[Sri Sankaras P.G. College](#)

📅 2008 - 2011 📍 Kurmool, A.P., India

Taught specializations of Organic chemistry, Analytical Chemistry & Physical chemistry for Post Graduate students and conducting the practicals in lab sessions.

STRENGTHS



Effective Teaching

Flourished in teaching chemistry concepts to over 2000 Post graduate and graduate students within 17years



Good Research Skills

Conducted comprehensive research in synthetic organic chemistry and Computational chemistry(DFT,Insilico Docking,MD Simulations) and guiding research students which resulted in research papers published in National and International journals.



Cross-Cultural Ambidexterity

Involved in administrative activities as Faculty Adviser of P.G and Research Scholars Hostel(Women) and Coordinator of Women Harassment Redressal Cell, Kevumpu University.

CERTIFICATION

Qualified Karnataka State Eligibility test(K-SET) in 2014 and AP SET-2017

LANGUAGES

English,Telugu,Kannada,Hindi

PUBLICATIONS

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8. Maruti Nayak T H, **Pushpavathi Itte***, Pavithra.S, Nagesh.Y.R, Acetylcholine Inhibitory Study of Novel thiolinked coumarin – benzimidazole derivatives: Design, Synthesis, Computational and insilico molecular docking studies, *Russian journal of Bioorganic chemistry*, 2024, 50(1), 211–226.
9. Raghavendra Hegde, **Pushpavathi Itte***, Talavara Venkatesh, Nagaraja O, Ravi kumar S., Synthesis and anti-mycobacterium activity of some new N-rich heterocyclic derivatives and their molecular docking and DFT studies, *Russian journal of Bioorganic chemistry*, 2024, 50(1), 147–161.
10. Sateesha.D.Chinnam, S.Ananthnag.G.S., **Pushpavathi, I.**, Vinitha, G., Serrao, F.J., Raghavendra.S Crystal structure, third-order nonlinear optical property relationship, density functional theory, and in silico bio activity of organic non-centrosymmetric crystal (E)-1-(thiophen-2-yl)-3-(p-tolyl)prop-2-en-1-one, *Structural Chemistry*, 2024.
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14. Nagaraja O, Bodke YD, **Pushpavathi I**, Ravi Kumar S, Synthesis, characterization and biological investigations of potentially bioactive heterocyclic compounds containing 4-hydroxy coumarin, *Heliyon*, 2020,6(6),e04245.
15. M. R. Maliyappa, J. Keshavayya, N. M. Mallikarjuna, **I. Pushpavathi**, Novel substituted aniline based heterocyclic dispersed azo dyes coupling with 5-methyl-2-(6-methyl-1,3-benzothiazole-2-yl)-2,4-dihydro-3H-pyrazole-3-one: Synthesis, structural computational and biological studies. *Journal of Molecular Structure*, 2020, 1205, 127576.
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