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Academic Experience

- ✚ **Assistant Professor in Chemistry**, Department of Science & Humanities, Adhi College of Engineering and Technology, Kancheepuram, **INDIA** from July 2018 to Feb 2019 (**08 months**).
- ✚ **Assistant Professor in Chemistry**, Department of Science & Humanities, Agni College of Technology, Chennai, **INDIA** from January 2017 to April 2018 (**16 months**).
- ✚ **Assistant Professor in Chemistry**, Department of Science & Humanities, Karpagam College of Engineering, Coimbatore, **INDIA** from November 2015 to December 2016 (**13 months**).

Research Experience

- ✚ **Postdoctoral Research Fellow**, Soft Mechatronics and Intelligent Materials Lab, Mechanical Engineering Research Institute, *Korea Advanced Institute of Science and Technology (KAIST), Daejeon, Republic of Korea* from June 2022 to till date (**10 months**).
- ✚ **Visiting Postdoctoral Research Fellow**, *Institute Jean Lamour, University of Lorraine, Campus ARTEM, Nancy Cedex, France* from February 2022 to March 2022 (**02 months**).
- ✚ **Postdoctoral Research Fellow**, Indo-French Centre for the Promotion of Advanced Research (IFCPAR/CEFIPRA project), *International and Inter University Centre for Nanoscience and Nanotechnology (IIUCNN), Mahatma Gandhi University, Kerala* from May 2021 to May 2022 (**12 months**).
- ✚ **Postdoctoral Research Fellow**, CAS Key Laboratory of Design and Assembly of Functional Nanostructures and Fujian Key Laboratory of Nanomaterials, *Fujian Institute of Research on the Structure of Matter, Haixi Institutes, Chinese Academy of Sciences, P. R. CHINA* from May 2019 to May 2021 (**24 months**).
- ✚ **Invited Professor**, University-Industry Cooperation (Industrial Strategic Technology Development Program), Department of Advanced Materials for Information and Technology, College of Engineering, *Kyung Hee University – Global Campus, SOUTH KOREA*, from April 2014 to March 2015 (**12 months**).
- ✚ **Research Intern**, Department of Advanced Materials for Information and Technology, *Kyung Hee University, SOUTH KOREA*, from March 2013 (**01 Month**).

Awards and Fellowships Received

- ❖ **Research Assistant (RA)**, Vellore Institute of Technology (VIT), INDIA from September 2013 to March 2014 (**7 Months**) and July 2010 to June 2011 (**1 Year**).
- ❖ **Junior Research Fellow (JRF)**, Dept. of Science and Technology (DST), Govt. of INDIA from July 2011 to June 2013 (**2 Years**).
- ❖ **International Travel Grant (25,000 INR)** from Council for Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR), Govt. of INDIA for attending an International Conference (POLYCHAR 21) held at Gwangju, **SOUTH KOREA** in the year 2013.

Educational Credentials

- ❖ **Doctor of Philosophy (Ph. D)** in Materials Science at **Vellore Institute of Technology (VIT)**, Vellore, INDIA during July, 2010 to July 2016 (6 years).
Ph. D Supervisor:
Dr. A. Anand Prabu, Associate Professor in Chemistry, Vellore Institute of Technology (VIT), INDIA.
Thesis Title: **PVDF based Electrospun nanoweb sensors for Electronic Applications.**
- ❖ **Master of Science (M. Sc)** in Chemistry, Presidency College, Chennai, INDIA with 1st class (68.88 %) during 2007 to 2009.
- ❖ **Bachelor of Science (B. Sc)** in Chemistry, Govt. Arts College, Chennai, INDIA with Distinction (81.23 %) during 2004 to 2007.

Subjects handled:

#	Name of the subject	Program	Course affiliated and approved by
1	Environmental Science	B.E/B.Tech	Anna University
2	Engineering Chemistry-I	B.E/B.Tech	Anna University
3	Engineering Chemistry-II	B.E/B.Tech	Anna University
4	Chemistry for Technologists	B.Tech	Anna University
5	Polymer Nanocomposites	M.Tech	Mahatma Gandhi University

Positions held in Academics:

(1) Program Coordinator	M.Tech, Nanoscience and Nanotechnology (2021-2022), Mahatma Gandhi University, Kerala, INDIA
(2) Course Coordinator	(a) Polymer Nanocomposites (2021-2022)
	(b) Engineering Chemistry-I (2017-18)
	(c) Chemistry for Technologists (2017-18)
	(d) Environmental science for engineers (2016-17)
(3) Accreditation In-Charge (Result Analysis)	ISO, NBA, NAAC – Criteria (IV)
(4) Lab In-charge	(a) Research Lab - Synthesis (2021) (b) Chemical Engineering Lab (2017-18) (c) Engineering Chemistry Lab (2015-2016)
(5) Sports Coordinator	Karpagam College of Engineering (2015-2016)

(6) Club Coordinator (Music & Dance)	Karpagam College of Engineering (2015-2016)
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Patents

- 1 Kap Jin Kim, Sol Jee Lee, A. Anand Prabu, **Sathiyathan Ponnann**
"Nanofiber web piezoelectric material obtained by electrospinning polylactic acid, method of producing same, piezoelectric sensor comprising same, and method of manufacturing the piezoelectric sensor". **Patent number: US20180240959A1**, Type: **Application**, Published on **2018/8/23**.

Publications

- 1 Lakshmipriya Ravindran, Sreekala M.S, S. Anilkumar, **Sathiyathan Ponnann**, Nandakumar Kalarikkal, Sabu Thomas, *Mechanical, morphological behaviour and electrical conductivity of phenol formaldehyde-flax fabric (PF-F) hybrid composites reinforced with rice husk derived nano-silica*. Silicon, 2022.
- 2 Harini Bhuvaneswari G, **Sathiyathan Ponnann**, Yan Ling Zheng, Abdelatif Laroui, Haopeng Wang, Lixin Wu*, Jianlei Wang*, *Facile Fabrication of Highly Sensitive Thermoplastic Polyurethane Sensor with Surface Impregnated 3D conductive network*. ACS-Applied Materials and Interfaces, (14) 19, 22615-22625, 2022.
- 3 Harini Bhuvaneswari G, **Ponnann Sathiyathan**, Naveen Thirunavukkarasu, Abdelatif Laroui, Lixin Wu*, Jianlei Wang*, *Rapid carbon dioxide foaming of 3D printed thermoplastic polyurethane elastomers*. ACS-Applied Polymer Materials, (4) 2, 1497-1511, 2022.
- 4 Shamim-Ara Pervin, **Ponnann Sathiyathan**, Arun Anand Prabu, and Kap Jin Kim*
Piezoelectric Sensor Based on Electrospun Poly(Vinylidene Fluoride)/Sulfonated Poly(1,4-Phenylene Sulfide) Blend Nanoweb, Journal of Applied Polymer Science, (19) 139, e52112, 2022.
- 5 Gunasekhar R, Indumathy B, Manjula Dhevi Dhevagoti, **Sathiyathan P**, Anand Prabu Arun, *Synthesis of Aromatic Hyperbranched Polymer based on Diphenolic Acid and Pentaerythritol: Reaction Kinetics using FTIR technique*. ECS Transaction, 107, (1) 11137, 2022.
- 6 Indumathy B, Gunasekhar R, **Sathiyathan P**, Anand Prabu Arun, *Chemistry and Applications of Organosilanes – An Overview*, ECS Transaction, 107, (1) 14539, 2022.
- 7 Manjula Dhevi Dhevagoti, **Sathiyathan Ponnann**, Anand Prabu Arun, Hongdoo Kim, *Phase Transition in PVDF-TrFE/Hyperbranched Polyester (90/10) Blend Thin Film during Heating-Cooling Cycle using FTIR Spectroscopy*, ECS Transaction, 107, (1) 9445, 2022.
- 8 Gunasekhar R, Indumathy B, **Sathiyathan P**, Anand Prabu Arun, *A Mini-Review on the Synthesis, Characterization and Applications of End-capped Hyperbranched Polymers*, ECS Transaction, 107, (1) 11351, 2022.
- 9 Harini Bhuvaneswari G, **Sathiyathan Ponnann**, Naveen Thirunavukkarasu, Kechen Wu, Lixin Wu* and Jianlei Wang* *Investigation of in-situ chemical cross-linking during fused filament fabrication process on parts shrinkage reduction and interlayer adhesion*, Journal of Materials Research and Technology, 15, 2026-2035, 2021
- 10 **Ponnann Sathiyathan**, Thomas Walter Schmidt, Tianyuan Li, Gunasekaran Harini Bhuvaneswari, Xixian Ke, Yajing Huang, Suhail Mubarak, A. Anand Prabu, Zixiang Weng, * and Lixin Wu* *Electrospun Poly(vinylidene fluoride)- Magnesiocromite Nanofiber based Piezoelectric Nanogenerator for Energy Harvesting Applications*, ACS-Applied Polymer Materials, 3 (10), 4879-4888, 2021.
- 11 **Ponnann Sathiyathan**, Lixin Wu, Thomas Walter Schmidt, Gunasekaran Harini

- Bhuvaneswari, Tianyuan Li, Hongdoo Kim, Arun Anand Prabu* and Kap Jin Kim* *Piezoelectric-piezocapacitive hybrid sensor based on electrospun Poly(vinylidene fluoride)-Poly(octafluoropentyl acrylate)-sulphonated Poly(phenylene sulphide) blend nanofiber*. Sensors and Actuators A: Physical, 331, (2021) 112993.
- 12 P. Lakshmi Praba, D. Manjula Dhevi, R. Gunasekhar, **P. Sathiyathan**, M.S. Reza, Hongdoo Kim*, A. Anand Prabu* *Development of Energy Harvesting Piezoelectric Sensors based on Electrospun Polyvinylidene Fluoride/Aliphatic Hyperbranched Polyester (Gen-1) (80/20) Blend*. Materials Today: Proceedings, 47 (4), 914-920, 2021.
 - 13 R. Gunasekhar, **P. Sathiyathan**, D. Manjula Dhevi, M. Shamim Reza, A. Anand Prabu*, Hongdoo Kim* *Studies on Electrospun Polyvinylidene Fluoride/Aromatic Hyperbranched Polyester (Gen-1) Blend Nanoweb for Energy Harvesting Applications*. Materials Today: Proceedings, 47 (4), 885-888, 2021.
 - 14 Suhail Mubarak, Duraisami Dhamodharan, Manoj B. Kale, Nidhin Divakaran, T. Senthil, **Sathiyathan P**, Lixin Wu* and Jianlei Wang*, *A Novel Approach to Enhance Mechanical and Thermal Properties of SLA 3D Printed Structure by Incorporation of Metal-Metal Oxide Nanoparticles*. Nanomaterials, 10 (2), 217, 2020.
 - 15 **Ponnan Sathiyathan**, D. Manjula Dhevi, Arun Anand Prabu*, Kap Jin Kim* *Electrospun Polyvinylidene fluoride-Polyoctafluoropentyl Acrylate-Hydroxyapatite Blend based Piezoelectric Pressure Sensors*. Macromolecular Research, 27 (8), 743-749, 2019.
 - 16 Prasad Gajula, **Sathiyathan. P**, Anand Prabu. A*, Kap Jin Kim* *Piezoelectric characteristics of electrospun PVDF as a function of phase separation temperature and metal salt content*. Macromolecular Research, 25 (10), 981-988, 2017.
 - 17 **Ponnan Sathiyathan**, A. Anand Prabu*, Kap Jin Kim* *Electrospun polyvinylidene fluoride-Polyoctafluoropentyl acrylate based piezocapacitive pressure sensors*. Macromolecular Research, 24 (8), 670-674, 2016.
 - 18 **Ponnan Sathiyathan***, A. Anand Prabu *Studies on ferroelectric crystalline phase changes in poly (octafluoropentyl acrylate) as a function of varying thermal treatment conditions*. Research Journal of Pharmaceutical, Biological and Chemical Sciences, Vol.6 (6), 721-725, 2015.
 - 19 A. Sivaraman, **P. Sathiyathan**, D. Manjula Dhevi, A. Anand Prabu*, Heecheul Kim *Functionalized Fe₃O₄ nanoparticles for the removal and remediation of Cr VI metal ions from synthetic solutions*. Journal of Indian Chemical Society, 92, 671-674, 2015.
 - 20 **P. Sathiyathan**, D. Manjula Dhevi, A. Anand Prabu*, Kap Jin Kim* *Effect of Thermal Cycling on the Ferroelectric Characteristics of Vinylidene Fluoride- Trifluoroethylene Copolymer Thin Films*. Advanced Materials Research, Vol. 584, 201-204, 2012.

List of Conferences presented

- 1 **P. Sathiyathan**, D. Manjula Dhevi, A. Anand Prabu and Kap Jin Kim
Oral presentation, "FT-IR Spectroscopy as an Effective Tool for Monitoring Crystalline Phase Changes in Ferroelectric Polymer based Sensors", pp. 117-119, Proc. Of 3rd International Conference on Sensors and Related Networks (SENNET-2012), Jan. 19-21, 2012, VIT University, Vellore, INDIA.
- 2 **P. Sathiyathan**, D. Manjula Dhevi, A. Anand Prabu and Kap Jin Kim
Poster presentation, "Effect of Thermal Cycling on the Ferroelectric Characteristics of Vinylidene Fluoride-Trifluoroethylene Copolymer Thin Films", Ferroelectric and Magnetic Materials, FMM-Pr-15, pp. 143, Proc. Of International Conference on Recent Trends in Advanced Materials (ICRAM-2012), 20-22 Feb, 2012, VIT University, Vellore, INDIA.
- 3 **P. Sathiyathan**, D. Manjula Dhevi, Kap Jin Kim and A. Anand Prabu

- Oral Presentation, "PVDF Copolymer Nanoscale Films with Improved Surface Morphology for Data Storage Applications" pp.71, Book of abstracts of POLYCHAR-21 "21st World Forum on Advanced Materials", March 11-15, 2013, Chosun University, Gwangju, SOUTH KOREA.
- 4 Dhruv Kamath, **P. Sathiyathan**, D. Manjula Dhevi, Kap Jin Kim and A. Anand Prabu
Poster Presentation, "Effect of Varying Heat Treatment Conditions on the Crystalline Phases in POFPA (Poly octafluoropentyl acrylate)" pp.228, Book of abstracts of POLYCHAR-21 "21st World Forum on Advanced Materials", March 11-15, 2013, Chosun University, Gwangju, SOUTH KOREA.
 - 5 **P. Sathiyathan**, Dhruv Kamath and A. Anand Prabu
Poster Presentation, "Synthesis of Poly (octafluoro pentyl acrylate) and the effect of varying heat treatments" pp.85, "Recent Trends in Materials Chemistry", July 25-27, 2013, VIT University, Vellore, INDIA.
 - 6 G. Prasad, **P. Sathiyathan** and A. Anand Prabu
Poster Presentation, "Studies on the wettability of PVDF-CNT Nanocomposite coatings" pp.86, "Recent Trends in Materials Chemistry", July 25-27, 2013, VIT University, Vellore, INDIA.
 - 7 P. Sivaraman, **P. Sathiyathan** and A. Anand Prabu
Poster Presentation, "Studies on Polymer-CNT beads as a heavy metal adsorbent from industrial effluents" pp.87, "Recent Trends in Materials Chemistry", July 25-27, 2013, VIT University, Vellore, INDIA.
 - 8 **P. Sathiyathan**, D. Manjula Dhevi, A. Anand Prabu and Kap Jin Kim
Poster Presentation, "Effect of film thickness on the crystalline phases in POFPA: A comparative study using FTIR-TS and GIRAS" pp.129, "International Conference on Emerging Trends in Chemical Sciences", Dec 5-7, 2013, VIT University, Vellore, INDIA.
 - 9 **P. Sathiyathan**, A. Anand Prabu, Kap Jin Kim
Poster Presentation, "Studies on Ferroelectric crystalline phase changes in POFPA as a function of varying thermal treatment conditions" pp.130, "International Conference on Emerging Trends in Chemical Sciences", Dec 5-7, 2013, VIT University, Vellore, INDIA.
 - 10 Yu Jin Ahn, Lu Jin, **P. Sathiyathan**, A. Anand Prabu, Kap Jin Kim*
Poster presentation, "Piezoelectricity of Electrospun PVDF Nanofiber Web and Respiration Monitoring Using it as a Vital Sensor" 2PS-36, pp. 173, "Proc. Of the Korean Textile Conference 2014 Fall Meeting", 47(1), Sep' 25-26th, 2014, Busan, SOUTH KOREA.
 - 11 Yu Jin Ahn, Jin Lu, **P. Sathiyathan**, A. Anand Prabu, Kap Jin Kim*
Poster presentation, "Crystallization behaviour of Poly(L-lactic Acid)- Poly(dimethylsiloxane) Copolymers" 2PS-95, pp. 100, Proc. Of Polymer Society 2014 Fall Meeting, 39(2), Oct' 06 – 08th, 2014, ICC Jeju, SOUTH KOREA.
 - 12 Yu Jin Ahn, Jin Lu, **P. Sathiyathan**, A. Anand Prabu, Kap Jin Kim*
Poster presentation, "Piezoelectric Characteristics of Electrospun Poly(vinylidene fluoride) Nanofiber Webs Coated with Silicone Rubber" 2PS-96, pp. 100, Proc. Of Polymer Society, 2014 Fall Meeting, 39(2), Oct' 06 – 08th, 2014, ICC Jeju, SOUTH KOREA.
 - 13 Lu Jin, Yu Jin Ahn, **P. Sathiyathan**, A. Anand Prabu, Kap Jin Kim*
Poster presentation, "Comparative Electrode Properties of Silver-coated PU and SBS Electrospun Nanoweb for Lung EIT Sensor" 2PS-95, pp. 100, Proc. Of Polymer Society 2015, Spring Meeting, 40(1), Apr' 08 – 10th, 2015, Daejeon, SOUTH KOREA.
 - 14 Lu Jin, **P. Sathiyathan**, A. Anand Prabu, Kap Jin Kim*
Poster presentation, "Effect of Post Cross-linking on the Soft Segments of Styrene block

- Copolymer based with Improved Capacitive Sensor Performance*" 2PS-96, pp. 100, Proc. Of Polymer Society 2015 Spring Meeting, 40(1), Apr' 08 – 10th, 2015, Daejeon, SOUTH KOREA.
- 15 **Ponnan Sathiyathan**, A. Anand Prabu, Kap Jin Kim*
Poster presentation, *"Effect of Sulphonated Polyphynylene Sulphide (sPPS) on Piezoelectric Properties of Electrospun Polyvinylidene fluoride/Polyoctafluoropentyl Acrylate Based Pressure Sensors"* International Conference on Advanced Polymers for Science and Technology. October 24-26th, 2016, VIT University, INDIA.
 - 16 R. Gunasekhar, **P. Sathiyathan**, D. Manjula Dhevi, M. Shamim Reza, A. Anand Prabu*, Hongdoo Kim**
Oral presentation, *"Studies on Electrospun Polyvinylidene Fluoride/Aromatic Hyperbranched Polyester (Gen-1) Blend Nanoweb for Energy Harvesting Applications"*, Proc. On International Conference on Advancements in Materials Science and Technology (iCAM-2020), 23-25, November 2020, Sathyabama Institute of Science and Technology, Chennai, INDIA.
 - 17 P. Lakshmi Praba, D. Manjula Dhevi, R. Gunasekhar, **P. Sathiyathan**, M.S. Reza, Hongdoo Kim**, A. Anand Prabu**
Oral presentation, *"Development of Energy Harvesting Piezoelectric Sensors based on Electrospun Polyvinylidene Fluoride/Aliphatic Hyperbranched Polyester (Gen-1) (80/20) Blend"*, International Conference on Advancements in Materials Science and Technology (iCAM-2020), 23-25, November 2020, Sathyabama Institute of Science and Technology, Chennai, INDIA.
 - 18 Harini Bhuvaneswari Gunasekaran, Dhandapani Kuzhandaivel, Jose Varghese Rajendran, **Sathiyathan Ponnan**, Lixin Wu*
Poster presentation, *"Extrusion-Based Additive Manufacturing of Polypropylene Polymer with No Shrinkage/Warping Through Grafting with Olefin Elastomer"*, International Conference on Advanced Materials and Mechanical Characterization (ICAMMC), 02-04, December 2021, SRM Institute of Science and Technology (SRMIST), Chennai, INDIA.
 - 19 **Ponnan Sathiyathan**, M.T. Rahul, C.S. Chitra Lekha, Marc Poncot, Sabu Thomas, Isabelle Royaud, Didier Rouxel, Nandakumar Kalarikkal, Oral Presentation, *"Bio-filler Interfaced Polyvinylidene Fluoride/Nickel Ferrite Electrospun Composite as Sustainable Multifunctional Energy Harvester"*, International Symposium on Polymer Nanocomposites (ISPN 2022-), 28-30 September 2022, Lorient, FRANCE.

Invited talks and Special Lectures given:

- 1 **Short Invited Talk**, *"Electrospun nanofibers of PVDF incorporated with non-conventional filler materials for improved electroactive phase and its use in piezoelectric energy harvesting applications"*, International Online Conference on Energy Sciences (ICES 2021), 10-12, December 2021, Mahatma Gandhi University, INDIA.
- 2 **Invited Talk** on *"Polymer-Based Flexible Piezoelectric Sensors for Energy Harvesting and Physiological Signal Monitoring Applications"* at 3rd Franco-Indian Workshop on Nanocomposites Applications to energy harvesting and sensors, 13-14, December 2021, Institute Jean Lamour, University of Lorraine, Nancy, FRANCE.
- 3 **Special Lecture** on *"Polymer-Based Flexible Piezoelectric Sensors for Energy Harvesting and Physiological Signal Monitoring Applications"* at Bi-Weekly Seminar, 15th December 2021, Mahatma Gandhi University, INDIA.
- 4 **Invited Talk** on *"Electrospun multiferroic PVDF/Nickel ferrite/Nano cellulose composite fibres: A multi-functional piezoelectric energy harvesting system"* at International Conference on

Contemporary Catalysis, Energy and Sustainability-2022, (ICCC-2022), 21-23, June 2022, Mahatma Gandhi University, INDIA.

- 5 **Invited Talk on** “A future perspective of developing sustainable mechanical energy harvesting devices” at MHRD-SPARC Sponsored One Day ONLINE Workshop on Piezoelectric Sensors - Towards Product Development, 03, August 2022, VIT-Vellore, INDIA.