

## Curriculum Vitae

**1. Name:** PALLAB BANERJI

**2. Date of Birth:** January 01, 1965

**3. Current Position and address:** Professor (Higher Administrative Grade) [Present Basic pay: Rs. 224100/-, w.e.f. 18.8.2020; Pay Level 15 of 7<sup>th</sup> CPC Pay matrix], Materials Science Centre, Indian Institute of Technology (IIT), Kharagpur 721302, West Bengal

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### **4. Educational Qualifications:**

Sl. No.	Degree/Certificate	Year of passing	University/Institute	%Marks	Subjects
1	Ph.D.	1995	Jadavpur University		Electronics
2	M.Sc. (1 <sup>st</sup> Class)	1987	Calcutta University	1 <sup>st</sup> Class (73.1%)	Electronic Science
3	B.Sc.(1 <sup>st</sup> Class)	1985	Calcutta University	1 <sup>st</sup> Class (61.5%)	Physics (Hons)
4	Higher Secondary (1 <sup>st</sup> Division)	1982	West Bengal Council	1 <sup>st</sup> Division	Physics, Chemistry, Mathematics
5	Secondary (1 <sup>st</sup> Division)	1980	West Bengal Board	1 <sup>st</sup> Division	Bengali, Eng., Phy. Sc., Maths., Hist., Geog.

**5. Academic/Research Experience/Employment:**

Sl. No.	From	To	Name of Organization	Position held
1	18.8.2020	Till date	Indian Institute of Technology Kharagpur	Professor (Higher Admin. Grade)
2	3.3.2014	Till date	Indian Institute of Technology Kharagpur	Professor
3	12.4.2007	2.3.2014	Indian Institute of Technology Kharagpur	Associate Professor
4	6.10.2005	11.4.2007	Indian Institute of Technology Kharagpur	Assistant Professor
5	January 2002	5.10.2005	Techno India Group (West Bengal University of Technology)	Assistant Professor
6	June 1997	December 2000	Materials Science Centre/ ATDC, IIT Kharagpur	Project Officer

ICTP TRIL Fellowship (2001) for Travelling & Research in Italian Laboratories funded by ICTP, Trieste.

**6. Administrative Experience (after Professorship):**

Chairman, Hall Management Committee	01-08-2014	13-09-2015
Registrar (Officiating)	November 2014	April 2015
Vice-Chairman, Joint Entrance Examination (Advanced) 2016	02-09-2015	31-08-2016
Chairman, Joint Entrance Examination (Advanced) 2017	01-09-2016	31-08-2017
Chairman, Joint Entrance Examination (Advanced) 2018	01-09-2017	31-08-2018
Head, Materials Science Centre	08-05-2017	07-05-2020

Member, Executive Committee, National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) (since May 08, 2023);  
Member, Governing Body, S. N. Bose National Centre for Basic Sciences, Kolkata (since October 28, 2021);  
Member, Governing Council, Centre for Nano and Soft Matter Sciences, Bengaluru (since August 5, 2021);  
Member, Board of Governors, National Institute of Advanced Manufacturing Technology (NIAMT), Ranchi (since March 19, 2020);  
Member, Science & Engineering Research Board (SERB), Department of Science & Technology (DST), Govt. of India (till July 30, 2021);  
Member, Board of Governors, IIT (ISM) Dhanbad (since July 11, 2018)

#### **7. Honors/Awards/Recognitions received:**

- (i) MRSI Medal (Materials Research Society of India), 2016
- (ii) ICTP Fellowship for Travelling & Research in Italian Laboratories (TRIL) 2001
- (iii) Best Paper award in MRSI Annual Meeting, Bangalore, 2000

Member, Science & Engineering Research Board (SERB), DST, Govt. of India

**8. Areas of Specializations:** Materials & devices for energy & environment with special emphasis on materials & devices for thermoelectrics & photovoltaics, Photonics, Nano-materials, III-V and other compound semiconductors, Low dimensional semiconductor structures.

#### **9. (a) List of Research Publications: Annexure – I (pp. 9 – 23)**

#### **(b) List of best professional outputs/outcomes relevant to present field of specializations:**

- (i) Growth of III-V semiconductors on Si substrates for integration of optoelectronics with existing microelectronic technology. [**CrystEngComm** 17, 8519 (2015), **Journal of Crystal Growth** 418, 138 (2015).
- (ii) Non-volatile memory devices [**Applied Physics Letters** 101, 212108 (2012); **Carbon** 64, 187 (2013); **Journal of Applied Physics** 114, 084509 (2013); **Organic Electronics** 15, 144 (2014)]

- (iii) Graphene electronics [**Langmuir** 28, 16485 (2012); **ACS Applied Materials & Interfaces** 6, 16941 (2014); **Journal of Physics and Chemistry of Solids**, 122, 137 (2018)].
- (iv) Humidity sensors, gas sensors [**Journal of Alloys and Compounds** 541, 376 (2012); **Sensors and Actuators B: Chemical** 178, 331(2013); **Sensors and Actuators B: Chemical** 183, 172 (2013)].
- (v) Enhancement of the thermoelectric power factor [**Applied Physics Letters** 98, 262101 (2011); **Journal of Applied Physics** 109, 103710 (2011); **Nanotechnology** 24, 215401 (2013); **ACS Applied Materials & Interfaces** 6, 3995 (2014)].
- (vi) Quantum dot based photovoltaics [**Applied Physics Letters** 106, 012103 (2015); **Solar Energy Materials & Solar Cells** 132, 230 (2015)].
- (vii) Lead-free ferroelectric on HfO<sub>2</sub>/Si (100) and (100) Nb-doped SrTiO<sub>3</sub> for high performance non-volatile memory applications [**Scientific Reports** 5, 8494 (2015); **Scientific Reports** 5, 12415 (2015)]
- (viii) Single In<sub>x</sub>Ga<sub>1-x</sub>As nanowire/p-Si heterojunction based nano-rectifier diode [**Nanotechnology** 28, 385202 (2017)].
- (ix) Fabrication and studies on Si/InP core-shell nanowire based solar cell using etched Si nanowire arrays [**Solar Energy Materials and Solar Cells** 204, 110217 (2020)].
- (x) GaAs based MOS capacitor [**Journal of Physics D: Applied Physics** 44, 155104 (2011); **Solid State Communications** 151, 1881 (2011); **Journal of Vacuum Science and Technology B** 30, 051206 (2012); **Journal of Applied Physics** 112, 034514 (2012); **Materials Science in Semiconductor Processing** 15, 386 (2012)]

**(c) Highlights of contributions to the area of specializations: Annexure - II (pp. 24 – 25)**

**10. Dissertation Supervised:**

- (i) Ph.D.: 22 (**Annexure – III, pp. 26 – 27**)
- (ii) Post Graduations: 30 (**Annexure – IV, pp. 28 – 30**)

**11. Teaching:****(i) Regular classroom teaching:**

Level: B.Tech. and M.Tech.  
Years: 29 years

**Course taught:**

M. Tech. level	(i)	Science & Technology of Semiconductors (MS60005)
	(ii)	Solar Energy Materials (MS60030)
	(iii)	Techniques of Material Characterization (MS60004)
	(iv)	Advanced Laboratory (MS69004)
	(v)	Epitaxy of Compound Semiconductors (MS60023)
	(vi)	Polymers for Electronic and Photonic Applications (MS60066)
	(vii)	Fundamentals of Electronic Materials (MS60009)
B. Tech. level	(i)	Photonic Materials & Applications (MS31001)
	(ii)	Material Science (MS31007)

**(ii) Short term course as Principal Coordinator (funded by MHRD, New Delhi):**

- (a) Nanoelectronics: Science, Nanotechnology, Engineering and Applications: July 7 – 19, 2008.
- (b) Nanotechnology: Processing & Applications: September 14 – 19, 2009.
- (c) Optoelectronic Materials & Devices: 29 December 2008 to 3 January 2009.
- (d) Nanotechnology for electronic & photonic applications: October 3 – 17, 2012.
- (e) Materials Engineering & Industrial Applications: Hybrid Nanocomposites for Photonics, Energy & Electronics applications (QIP): November 11-22, 2013.
- (f) Thin Film Technology for Waste heat recovery (GIAN): December 5 – 12, 2015.

**(iii) Web course development (under NPTEL):**

Developed a web course entitled “Processing of semiconducting materials”

(40 lectures) Level: PG

## **12. Sponsored Research Projects: Annexure – V (pp. 31 – 32)**

## **13. Number of books authored/edited: 03**

- (i) P.K. Rawat, B. Paul and **P. Banerji**, Chapter entitled "Lead telluride based thermoelectrics: approaches for higher efficiency" in Energy Book Series titled "**Materials and processes for energy: communicating current research and technological developments**" (ed. A. Méndez-Vilas) Published by Formatex Research Centre (Badajoz, Spain, 2013).
- (ii) S. Mahaboob Jilani and **P. Banerji**, Chapter entitled "Graphene Oxide: An Important Derivative of Graphene with Interesting Electrical Properties" in **Graphene Science Handbook: Electrical and optical properties**, Published by CRC Press/Taylor Francis (Boca Raton, USA, 2016).
- (iii) S. Samanta, **P. Banerji** and P. Ganguly, **Photonic Waveguide Components on Silicon Substrate: Modeling and Experiments**, (Springer, Singapore, 2020).

## **14. Other Information:**

### **A. Professional Affiliations:**

- (i) Member, Materials Research Society
- (ii) Member, Board of Governors, IIT (ISM), Dhanbad, and NIFFT, Ranchi
- (iii) Visitor Nominee for IIT Roorkee, and IIT Hyderabad for the Departments of Metallurgical & Materials Engineering
- (iv) Reviewer for the journals of American Institute of Physics, American Physical Society, American Chemical Society, and Elsevier.

## **B. Collaborations:**

- (i) Technion – Israel Institute of Technology, Haifa, Israel: Department of Materials Science & Engineering (Prof. M. Eizenberg),
- (ii) Virginia Tech, USA: Department of Mechanical Engineering (Prof. S. Priya),
- (iii) University of South Carolina, USA: Department of Electrical Engineering (Prof K. Mandal),
- (iv) Saha Institute of Nuclear Physics, Kolkata: Surface Physics and Material Science (Prof. S. Bhunia & Prof. S. Chakraborty)
- (v) Calcutta University: Department of Electronic Science (Prof. S. Chattopadhyay)
- (vi) UGC – DAE Consortium for Scientific Research, Indore (Dr. T. Shripathi)

## **C. Invited talk:**

- (a) MOCVD growth, fabrication & characterization of III-V semiconductor based optoelectronic devices, IEEE, Kolkata Chapter.
- (b) Recent trends in material sciences and technology, SVNIT, Surat.
- (c) CVD of Nanomaterials: DST Advanced School on Nano Science & Technology at S.N. Bose National Centre for Basic Sciences, Kolkata.
- (d) MOCVD growth of Nanostructure Devices at Indian Association for the Cultivation of Science, Kolkata.
- (e) Israel Institute of Technology, Technion, Haifa - GaAs based Metal-Oxide-Semiconductor capacitors with high-k dielectrics: interface engineering.
- (f) Waste heat recovery: concept, materials and state-of-the art in thermoelectricity at Osmania University, Hyderabad, International Conference on Applications of Renewable and Sustainable Energy for Industry and Society.
- (g) Achieving a higher value for thermoelectric figure of merit in PbTe (Indo-US Workshop on Thermoelectrics, IIT Bombay).
- (h) Sources for fiber optic communication, white LEDs and Blu-ray disc: three modern photonic devices at College of Engineering & Management, West Bengal.

**15. Administrative Experience :**

Sl. No.	Position held in IIT Kharagpur	From	To
1	Asst. Warden, Madan Mohan Malviya Hall of Residence	01-01-2006	04-03-2009
2	Warden, Lala Lajpat Rai Hall of Residence	05-03-2009	28-02-2013
3	Warden, Rajendra Prasad Hall of Residence	01-03-2013	08-06-2013
4	Coordinating Warden, Hall Management Committee (Mess)	09-06-2013	31-08-2014
5	Chairman, Hall Management Committee	01-08-2014	13-09-2015
6	Registrar (Officiating)	November 2014	April 2015
7	Vice-Chairman, Joint Entrance Examination (Advanced) 2016	02-09-2015	31-08-2016
8	Chairman, Joint Entrance Examination (Advanced) 2017	01-09-2016	31-08-2017
9	Chairman, Joint Entrance Examination (Advanced) 2018	01-09-2017	31-08-2018
10	Head, Materials Science Centre	08-05-2017	07-05-2020

## Annexure - I

### List of Research publications: Prof. Pallab Banerji

145. A. Das and **P. Banerji**, Unusual Transport and Impact of Nonparabolic Electronic Band Structure on the Thermoelectric Performance in n-Type In<sub>4</sub>Se<sub>3</sub>-Based Thermoelectric Materials, **physica status solidi (b)**, <https://doi.org/10.1002/pssb.202300078>
144. S. Das, S. Pal, K. Larsson, D. Mandal, S. Giri, **P. Banerji**, A. Chandra, and R. Basori, Hydrothermally grown SnS<sub>2</sub>/Si nanowire core-shell heterostructure photodetector with excellent optoelectronic performances, **Applied Surface Science** 624, 157094 (2023).
143. S. Sen, D. Acharya, P. K. Guha, **P. Banerji**, and P. Pramanik, A simple chemical reduction approach to dope  $\beta$ -FeSi<sub>2</sub> with boron and its comprehensive characterization, **RSC Advances** 13, 12825 (2023).
142. S. N. Choudhury, P. Das, P. Bhawal, A. Pal, **P. Banerji**, and N. C. Das, Double percolation behavior through the preferential distribution of conductive black in polymer blends to boost electrical properties and EMI shielding effectiveness, **Materials Today Communications**, 35, 106109 (2023).
141. T. Ghosh, R. Sahoo, S. K. Ghosh, **P. Banerji** and N. C. Das, Simplistic hydrothermal synthesis approach for fabricating photoluminescent carbon dots and its potential application as an efficient sensor probe for toxic lead(II) ion detection, **Frontiers of Chemical Science and Engineering** 17, 536 (2023).
140. T. Ghosh, S. Nandi, S. K. Bhattacharyya, S. K. Ghosh, M. Mandal, **P. Banerji** and N. C. Das, Nitrogen and sulphur doped carbon dot: An excellent biocompatible candidate for *in-vitro* cancer cell imaging and beyond, **Environmental Research** 217, 114922 (2023).
139. A. Dutta, P. Panda, A. Das, D. Ganguly, S. Chattopadhyay, **P. Banerji**, D. Pradhan and R. K. Das, Intrinsically Freezing-Tolerant, Conductive, and Adhesive Proton Donor–Acceptor Hydrogel for Multifunctional Applications, **ACS Applied Polymer Materials** 4, 7710 (2022).
138. T. Ghosh, T. K. Das, P. Das, **P. Banerji** and N. C. Das, Current scenario and recent advancement of doped carbon dots: a short review scientocracy update (2013–2022), **Carbon Letters** 32, 953 (2022).

137. P. Dhama, A. Kumar and **P. Banerji**, Combined effects of indium nanoinclusion and Se-deficiency on thermoelectric performance of n-type indium selenide, **Journal of Alloys and Compounds**, 901, 163653 (2022).
136. M. Palit, B. Nag Chowdhury, S. Sikdar, K. Sarkar, **P. Banerji** and S. Chattopadhyay, Band splitting induced by momentum-quantization in semiconductor nanostructures: Observation of emission lines in Indium Phosphide (InP) nanotubes, **Physics Letters A**, 388, 127056 (2021).
135. P. Das, S. K. Bhattacharyya, **P. Banerji**, N. C. Das, Acoustic cavitation assisted synthesis and characterization of photoluminescent carbon quantum dots for biological applications and their future prospective, **Nano-Structures & Nano-Objects**, 25, 100641 (2021).
134. S. Das, K.J. Sarkar, B. Pal, S. Mondal, S. Pal, R. Basori and **P. Banerji**, SnS<sub>2</sub>/Si nanowire vertical heterostructure for high performance ultra-low power broadband photodetector with excellent detectivity, **Journal of Applied Physics**, 129, 053105 (2021).
133. A. Das, A. Kumar and **P. Banerji**, First principles study of electronic structure and thermoelectric transport in tin selenide and phase separated tin selenide-copper selenide alloy, **Journal of Physics: Condensed Matter** 32, 265501 (2020).
132. B. Pal, K.J. Sarkar and **P. Banerji**, Fabrication and studies on Si/InP core-shell nanowire based solar cell using etched Si nanowire arrays, **Solar Energy Materials and Solar Cells** 204, 110217 (2020).
131. B. Tiwari, P.V. Rajeswari, S. Ram, **P. Banerji** and R. Khan, Green synthesis of Cr<sup>3+</sup> doped CaIn<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub> - carbon hybrid nanostructure and its light absorption and emission properties, **Journal of Nanoscience and Nanotechnology**, 19, 8120 (2019).
130. K. Sarkar and **P. Banerji**, Diameter-dependent growth direction of In<sub>x</sub>Ga<sub>1-x</sub>As nanowires: transition from nanowire growth to substrate etching with silver catalyst size, **physica status solidi (b)**, 1900016 (2019).
129. B. Tiwari, S.K. Sharma, S. Ram and **P. Banerji**, Synthesis of broad band violet-blue light-emitting core-shell Cr<sup>3+</sup>: C-CaIn<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub> nanowires, **Journal of Nanoscience and Nanotechnology**, 19, 5769 (2019).
128. A. Das, A. Kumar, K.J. Sarkar, R. Mula and **P. Banerji**, Density functional study of Na doped Tin selenide, **AIP Conference Proceedings** 2115, 030477 (2019).

127. K. J. Sarkar, B. Pal and P. Banerji, Graphene oxide as a dielectric and charge trap element in pentacene-based organic thin-film transistors for nonvolatile memory, **ACS Omega** 4, 4312 (2019).
126. B. Tiwari, S. Ram and P. Banerji, Biogenic synthesis of tunable core-shell C-CaIn<sub>2</sub>O<sub>4</sub>, interface bonding, conductive network channels, and tailored dielectric properties, **ACS Sustainable Chemistry & Engineering** 6, 16298 (2018).
125. S. Samanta, P.K. Dey, **P. Banerji** and P. Ganguly, A 1 × 2 polarization-independent power splitter using three-coupled silicon rib waveguides, **Journal of Optics**, 20, 095801 (2018).
124. K. J. Sarkar, K. Sarkar, B. Pal, A. Kumar, A. Das and **P. Banerji**, Ambipolar transport of silver nanoparticles decorated graphene oxide field effect transistors, **AIP Conference Proceedings** 1953, 100020 (2018).
123. A. Das, M. Talukdar, A. Kumar, K. J. Sarkar, P. Dhama and **P. Banerji**, Thermoelectric study of Ag doped SnSe-Sb<sub>2</sub>Se<sub>3</sub> based alloy, **AIP Conference Proceedings** 1953, 050023 (2018).
122. A. Kumar, P. Dhama, A. Das, K. J. Sarkar and **P. Banerji**, Enhanced electrical transport and thermoelectric properties in Ni doped Cu<sub>3</sub>SbSe<sub>4</sub>, **AIP Conference Proceedings** 1953, 050030 (2018).
121. S. Chowdhury, A. Das and **P. Banerji**, Growth of indium gallium arsenide thin film on silicon substrate by MOCVD technique, **AIP Conference Proceedings** 1953, 030233 (2018).
120. K. J. Sarkar, B. Pal and **P. Banerji**, Fabrication of InP-pentacene inorganic-organic hybrid heterojunction using MOCVD grown InP for photodetector application, **AIP Conference Proceedings** 1942, 060011 (2018).
119. P. Dhama, A. Kumar and **P. Banerji**, Improved microstructure and thermoelectric properties of iodine doped indium selenide as a function of sintering temperature, **AIP Conference Proceedings** 1942, 140080 (2018).
118. A. Kumar, P. Dhama and **P. Banerji**, Enhanced thermoelectric properties in Bi and Te doped p-type Cu<sub>3</sub>SbSe<sub>4</sub> compound, **AIP Conference Proceedings** 1942, 140055 (2018).

117. S. Samanta, **P. Banerji** and P. Ganguly, Design of a Novel Polarization-Independent Power Splitter Using Coupled Silicon Rib Waveguides, **Frontiers in Optics**, JW4A. 48 (2017).
116. S. Samanta, **P. Banerji** and P. Ganguly, Design and fabrication of SU-8 polymer based photonic crystal waveguide, **Frontiers in Optics**, JW3A. 70 (2017).
115. K. J. Sarkar, K. Sarkar, B. Pal and **P. Banerji**, Graphene quantum dots as charge trap elements for nonvolatile flash memory, **Journal of Physics and Chemistry of Solids**, 122, 137 (2018).
114. S. Samanta, P.K. Dey, **P. Banerji** and P. Ganguly, Development of micro-ring resonator-based optical bandpass filter using SU-8 polymer and optical lithography, **Optical materials** 77, 122 (2018).
113. K. Sarkar, M. Palit, S. Guhathakurata, S. Chattopadhyay and **P. Banerji**, Single  $\text{In}_x\text{Ga}_{1-x}\text{As}$  nanowire/p-Si heterojunction based nano-rectifier diode, **Nanotechnology** 28, 385202 (2017).
112. B. Tiwari, S. Ram and **P. Banerji**, Aloe-vera mediated synthesis of  $\text{Eu}^{3+}$  doped  $\text{CaIn}_2\text{O}_4$ -carbon hybrid nanostructure and its light emission properties, **MRS Advances** 2, 141 (2017).
111. S. Samanta, P.K. Dey, **P. Banerji** and P. Ganguly, Comparative study between the results of effective index based matrix method and characterization of fabricated SU-8 waveguide, **Optics Communications** 382, 632 (2017)
110. S. Samanta, P. Banerji and P. Ganguly, Focused ion beam fabrication of SU-8 waveguide structures on oxidized silicon, **MRS Advances** 2, 981 (2017).
109. K. Sarkar, M. Palit, S. Chattopadhyay and **P. Banerji**, An analysis of the growth of silver catalyzed  $\text{In}_x\text{Ga}_{1-x}\text{As}$  nanowires on Si (100) by metalorganic chemical vapour deposition, **Journal of Applied Physics** 120, 084309 (2016)
108. T.K. Das, P. Banerji and S.K. Mandal, Giant magnetoimpedance intrinsic impedance and voltage sensitivity of rapidly solidified  $\text{Co}_{66}\text{Fe}_2\text{Cr}_4\text{Si}_{13}\text{B}_{15}$  amorphous wire for highly sensitive sensors applications, **Applied Physics A** 122, 939 (2016).
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105. A. Kumar, P. Dhama, D. S. Saini and **P. Banerji**, Effect of Zn substitution at a Cu site on the transport behavior and thermoelectric properties in Cu<sub>3</sub>SbSe<sub>4</sub>, **RSC Advances** 6, 5528 (2016).
104. S. Samanta, P. Banerji and P. Gangopadhyay, Effective index based matrix method for silicon waveguides in SOI platform, **Optik** 126, 5488 (2015).
103. **S. Kundu, N.N. Halder**, P. Banerji and S. Priya, Reliability of passivated and unpassivated high-k dielectric/GaAs metal-oxide-semiconductor capacitors, **Integrated Ferroelectrics**, 166, 197 (2015).
102. P. Biswas, P. Nath, D. Sanyal and **P. Banerji**, An alternative approach to investigate the origin of p-type conductivity in arsenic doped ZnO, **Current Applied Physics** 15, 1256 (2015).
101. S. Sen, N. Gogurla, P. Banerji, P. K. Guha and P. Pramanik, Synthesis and characterization of  $\beta$ -phase iron silicide nano-particles by chemical reduction, **Materials Science & Engineering B** 200, 28 (2015).
100. Sk Masiul Islam, P. Biswas, **P. Banerji** and S. Chakraborty, InAs quantum dots as charge storing elements for applications in flash memory devices, **Materials Science & Engineering B** 198, 102 (2015).
99. S. Kundu, M. Clavel, P. Biswas, B. Chen, H.-C. Song, P. Kumar, N. Halder, M. Hudait, **P. Banerji**, M. Sanghadasa and S. Priya, Lead-free epitaxial ferroelectric material integration on semiconducting (100) Nb-doped SrTiO<sub>3</sub> for low-power non-volatile memory and efficient ultraviolet ray detection, **Scientific Reports** 5, 12415 (2015).
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97. N. N Halder, P. Biswas, A. Choudhuri and **P. Banerji**, Fabrication and characterization of p-Si/n-ZnO heterojunction ultraviolet photodetector, **AIP Conference Proceedings** 1661, 110008 (2015).

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90. Sk Masiul Islam and **P. Banerji**, Size effect of InAs quantum dots grown by metal organic chemical vapor deposition technique in storing electrical charges for memory applications, **RSC Advances** 5, 6906 (2015).
89. S. Pati, **P. Banerji** and S. B. Majumder, Properties of indium doped nanocrystalline ZnO thin films and their enhanced gas sensing performance, **RSC Advances** 5, 61230 (2015).
88. N. N. Halder, P. Biswas, S. Kundu and **P. Banerji**, Au/p-Si Schottky junction solar cell: Effect of barrier height modification by InP quantum dots, **Solar Energy Materials & Solar Cells** 132, 230 (2015).

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## Annexure – II

### Highlights of contributions to the area of specializations:

- (i) (a) Successfully completed fabrication of 1.55  $\mu\text{m}$  sources for fibre-optic communication under National Laser Programme using MOCVD grown InGaAs/InP quantum wells. The materials were grown in IIT Kharagpur and the processing was done in TIFR, Mumbai.
- (b) Fabrication of InP quantum dot, and intermediate band solar cell for higher energy conversion using InAs quantum dots on GaAs [Ref: **Applied Physics Letters** **106**, 012103 (2015), **Solar Energy Materials & Solar Cells** **132**, 230 (2015)].
- (c) For a long time growth of III-V materials using MOCVD technique has been undertaken for different applications, such as GaAs based MOS, photovoltaics, and memory devices. Growth of Ga, In, As & P containing binary, ternary, quaternary epitaxial films and low dimensional structures such as quantum wells and quantum dots are routinely made using MOCVD system. [Ref: **Applied Physics Letters** **101**, 212108 (2012); **Journal of Applied Physics** **112**, 034514 (2012); **Journal of Vacuum Science and Technology B** **30**, 051206 (2012); **Nanostructured Materials for Electronics, Energy and Environmental Applications** (ed. V. Rajendran, B. Hillbrands, K. Thyagarajah and K.E. Geckeler), Macmillan Publishers; **Journal of Nanoparticle Research** **14**, 1279 (2012); **Journal of Physics D: Applied Physics** **44**, 155104 (2011); **Solid State Communications** **151**, 1881 (2011); **Journal of Vacuum Science & Technology B** **29**, 031203 (2011); **Applied Surface Science** **158**, 16 (2000); **Bulletin of Materials Science** **23**, 207 (2000); **Bulletin of Materials Science** **22**, 947 (1999)].
- (ii) A strategy involving the coincidence of Fermi level with the enhanced density of states in PbTe doubly doped with chromium and iodine leads to 135% enhancement in thermopower achieving a high power factor of  $56.16 \times 10^{-4} \text{ Wm}^{-1}\text{K}^{-2}$  at 500 K. Such high value of power factor can produce thermoelectric figure of merit (ZT) above 2.0. Here the effect of energy barrier filtering, nanoinclusion and nanoclustering have been incorporated for higher power factor. This value is the highest reported till date in iodine doped  $\text{Pb}_{1-x}\text{Cr}_x\text{Te}$  material

system. The optimization of carrier concentration for higher thermoelectric figure of merit has been experimentally shown with different doping. [Ref: **Journal of Applied Physics**, **108**, 064322 (2010); **Journal of Applied Physics** 109, 103710 (2011); **Applied Physics Letters** **98**, 262101 (2011); **Physica Status Solidi – Rapid Research Letters** **6**, 481 (2012); **Nanotechnology** **24**, 215401 (2013); **Physical Chemistry Chemical Physics** **15**, 16686 (2013); **RSC Advances** **4**, 29818 (2014); **ACS Applied Materials & Interfaces** **6**, 3995 (2014)].

- (iii) Recently research on graphene based materials for electronic applications are undertaken. Materials such as grapheme oxide and graphene oxide nanocomposites are used for fabricating thin film transistors (TFT) and nonvolatile memory devices. [Ref: **Langmuir** **28**, 16485 (2012), **Carbon** **64**, 187 (2013); **ACS Applied Materials & Interfaces** **6**, 16941 (2014); **Journal of Physics and Chemistry of Solids**, **122**, 137 (2018); **ACS Omega** **4**, 4312 (2019)].
- (iv) Fabrication of non-volatile memory devices using various strategies for achieving higher memory window. [Ref: **Scientific Reports** **5**, 8494 (2015); **Scientific Reports** (accepted, 29 June 2015); **RSC Advances** **5**, 6906 (2015); **Journal of Applied Physics** **114**, 084509 (2013); **Applied Physics Letters** **101**, 212108 (2012)].
- (v) Guided 22 Ph.D. and 30 Masters Theses. Currently supervising 6 more students for their Ph.D.

### Annexure - III

**Prof. Pallab Banerji**

**Ph. D. supervision:**

**Completed: 22, On-going: 06**

- (1) **Ms. Sayanee Majumder:** Structural, optical and electrical properties of lithium and nitrogen doped zinc oxide: (Defence seminar held on: 16<sup>th</sup> May 2010).
- (2) **Ms. Sarbani Adhikari:** Synthesis, characterization and sensor application of conducting polyaniline and its composites: (28<sup>th</sup> January 2011).
- (3) **Mr. Biplab Paul:** Growth and characterization of bulk and nanostructured lead telluride for thermoelectric applications: (17<sup>th</sup> May 2011).
- (4) **Mr. Sourav Chattopadhyay:** Thin Film Oxides and Heterostructures for Spintronics (as Jt. Supervisor): (27<sup>th</sup> May 2011).
- (5) **Mr. Sutanu Mangal:** Fabrication and characterization of GaAs and InGaP based Schottky barrier diodes and impact of barrier height on device performance: (25<sup>th</sup> January 2012).
- (6) **Mr. Shyambo Chatterjee:** New  $\pi$ -conjugated polymers and their application in photovoltaic devices (as Jt. Supervisor) (submitted on 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2012).
- (7) **Mr. Souvik Kundu:** Effect of interface passivation on the electrical characteristics of GaAs based metal-oxide-semiconductor capacitors (14<sup>th</sup> January 2013).
- (8) **Mrs. Sumati Pati:** Combustible gas sensing characteristics of undoped and indium doped zinc oxide thin films (as Jt. Supervisor) (26<sup>th</sup> April 2013).
- (9) **Mr. Pankaj Kumar Rawat:** effect of nanostructuring and impurity-band on thermoelectric properties in lead telluride (29<sup>th</sup> September 2014).
- (10) **Mr. Pranab Biswas:** Role of thermally diffused arsenic from semi-insulating GaAs substrate in achieving p-type conductivity in MOCVD grown ZnO (19<sup>th</sup> September 2014).
- (11) **Mr. S. Mahaboob Jilani:** Field effect and charge transport properties of graphene oxide-zinc oxide nanocomposites (7<sup>th</sup> January 2015).
- (12) **Mr. Nripendra Narayan Halder:** Heteroepitaxial growth of indium phosphide quantum dots on silicon (100) by metal organic chemical vapour deposition technique for optoelectronic applications (as Jt. Supervisor) (7<sup>th</sup> January 2015).

- (13) **Mr. Sk Masiul Islam:** Studies on MOCVD Grown InAs Quantum Dots as Charge Storage Elements in GaAs Metal-Oxide-Semiconductor Based Non-volatile Flash Memory Applications (7 October 2015)
- (14) **Mr. Tarun Kumar Das:** Giant magnetoimpedance effect in rapidly solidified amorphous wires and their applications in structural integrity assessment of engineering components (as Jt. Supervisor) (19 May 2016)
- (15) **Mr. Krishnendu Sarkar:** Silver catalyzed growth of  $\text{In}_x\text{Ga}_{1-x}\text{As}$  nanowires on group IV substrates by metal organic chemical vapor deposition technique (8 March 2018).
- (16) **Ms. Swagata Samanta:** Polymer and silicon waveguide based structures for photonic integrated circuit applications (as Jt. Supervisor): (17 July 2018)
- (17) **Mr. Aparabal Kumar:** Studies on electrical and thermal transport properties  $\text{Cu}_3\text{SbSe}_4$  based materials and composites for thermoelectric applications (27 March 2019).
- (18) **Ms. Barkha Tiwari:** Biogenic synthesis of pure and  $\text{Eu}^{3+}/\text{Cr}^{3+}$  doped  $\text{C-CaIn}_2\text{O}_4$  hybrid nanostructures with tailored optical, photocatalytic and dielectric properties (as Jt. Supervisor): (30 July 2019).
- (19) **Mr. Kalyan Jyoti Sarkar:** Synthesis and characterization of graphene based materials for nonvolatile memory applications (as Jt. Supervisor): (12 March 2020).
- (20) **Mr. Sisir Chowdhury:** Growth and Characterization of Gallium Based III-V Low Dimensional Structures on Silicon (December 01, 2021).
- (21) **Mr. Biswajit Pal:** Fabrication of Si/InP core-shell nanowire radial heterojunction on etched Si nanowire templates by MOCVD for optoelectronic applications (13 December 2021).
- (22) **Ms. Pallavi Dhama:** Studies on electrical and thermal transport properties in  $\text{In}_4\text{Se}_3$  based materials and composites for thermoelectric application (July 22, 2022).

## Annexure - IV

**Prof. Pallab Banerji**

**M. Tech. Guidance:**

Completed: 30, On-going 02

- (1) **Mr. Ravikant Sharma (2007)**: MOCVD Growth of InP on InP and Vertical Bridgman Grown InSb substrates.
- (2) **Mr. Jayanta Kumar Mishra (2007)**: Studies on MEH-PPV/porous silicon heterojunctions.
- (3) **Mr. RamSevak Singh (2008)**: MOCVD Growth and characterization of ZnO on sapphire and silicon substrates.
- (4) **Mr. Pawan Kumar (2009)**: Studies on polyaniline/porous silicon heterojunction.
- (5) **Mr. S. Mahaboob Jilani (2009)**: MOCVD growth and electrical characterization of InP p-n junction diodes.
- (6) **Mr. Manu Kumar N. (2009)**: Fabrication of plasma polymerization reactor and polymer synthesis (Jt. Supervision).
- (7) **Mr. Sandip Kumar Roy (2010)**: Fabrication and characterization of GaAs MOS devices with  $\text{TiO}_2$  as oxide layer.
- (8) **Mr. Ajay Kumar V. (2010)**: Synthesis and characterization of  $\text{Ag}_{0.01}\text{Pb}_{0.99}\text{Te}$  nanocomposite and a comparative study with PbTe and  $\text{Ag}_{0.01}\text{Pb}_{0.99}\text{Te}$  bulk crystals.
- (9) **Mr. Ajit Kumar (2011)**: Fabrication and characterization of ZnO based thin film transistor (TFT).
- (10) **Mr. Pankaj Kumar Rawat (2011)**: Bulk growth of lead telluride (PbTe) based high performance thermoelectric materials and its characterization.
- (11) **Mr. Sandipta Roy (2011)**: Fabrication & characterization of GaAs based metal-oxide-semiconductor (MOS) devices using lead zirconium titanate (PZT) as high-k dielectric gate material.
- (12) **Mr. Tanesh Dinesh Gamot (2012)**: Graphene oxide-Zinc oxide nano composites for Thin Film Transistor applications.

- (13) **Mr. B. Nagabhushan (2012)**: Synthesis and Characterization of CZTS nanocrystal ink for Solar Cell applications.
- (14) **Ms. Y. Anitha (2012)**: Fabrication and Characterization of Germanium based MOS capacitor with high-K dielectric.
- (15) **Mr. Aparabal Kumar (2013)**: Carrier transport studies of melt-grown tellurium doped n-type  $\text{Bi}_{0.88}\text{Sb}_{0.12}$  for low temperature thermoelectric applications.
- (16) **Mr. Subodh Tyagi (2014)**: Epitaxial growth of CdTe on (211) B GaAs by Molecular Beam Epitaxy (Jt. Supervision).
- (17) **Mr. Kalyan Jyoti Sarkar (2014)**: Graphite oxide gate dielectric for thin film transistors (Jt. Supervision).
- (18) **Mr. Anish Kumar Das (2016)**: Thermoelectric study of ternary phase-change material: Investigation of thermoelectric properties in  $\text{Sb}_2\text{Te}_3:\text{Sb}_2\text{Se}_3$  (jointly with Prof. Matthias Wuttig, RWTH Aachen University, Germany)
- (19) **Mr. Dharmendra Kumar (2016)**: Growth and characterization of catalyst free ternary  $\text{In}_x\text{Ga}_{1-x}\text{As}$  nanowires on Si (111) substrates using metal-organic chemical vapour deposition.
- (20) **Mr. Hasmat Mondal (2017)**: MOCVD growth of InAs quantum dots and its application in thermoelectricity.
- (21) **Mr. Mrinmoy Talukdar (2017)**: Synthesis and study of thermoelectric properties of Tin (Sn), Antimony (Sb), Selenium (Se) based ternary alloys.
- (22) **Mr. B. Sandeep Nair (2017)**: A study on thermoelectric properties of thin film organic composite with nanohybrid.
- (23) **Mr. Soumen Giri (2018)**: Synthesis and thermoelectric properties of Bi doped p-type  $\text{Cu}_3\text{SbSe}_3$ .
- (24) **Mr. Major Ishwar Meena (2018)**: Synthesis of pure bismuth ferrite ( $\text{BiFeO}_3$ ) and doping of Na and Ga for photovoltaic application.
- (25) **Mr. Anay Basak (2018)**: Growth of PEDOT:PSS and  $\text{Cu}_3\text{SbSe}_4$  composite thin film and optimization of its thermoelectric properties by CNT nano inclusion.
- (26) **Mr. Gaurav Pratap Singh (2019)**: Electrical and thermal transport properties of melt grown pristine and Sn doped  $\text{CuSbSe}_2$
- (27) **Mr. Rahul Kumar Yadav (2019)**: Synthesis and characterization of  $\text{Cu}_2\text{Se}$  - graphene oxide nanocomposite for nonvolatile memory

- (28) **Mr. Prashant Kumar Yadav (2020):** Synthesis and Characterization of II-VI semiconductors nanostructure for optoelectronic applications.
- (29) **Mr. Biswajeet Nayak (2021):** Study of 2D thermoelectric materials.
- (30) **Mr. Akash Basu (2022):** A study on electrical properties of some polymeric films.

## Annexure - V

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**Sponsored Research Projects: as PI & Co-PI**

Title of the Project	Funding Source	From	To	(Rs.)
MOCVD growth of GaAs epitaxial layer for solar cell applications (PI)	IIT, Kharagpur	01-05-2006	30-04-2009	300000
Synthesis and characterization of novel light emitting poly (Arylene)s and poly (Arylene ether)s and derivative thereof (Co-PI)	CSIR, New Delhi	16-08-2007	15-08-2010	906000
Renovation & Repairing of MOCVD Laboratory (PI)	IIT, Kharagpur	03-04-2006	31-03-2007	1500000
MOCVD growth & characterization of InGaP/GaAs and InGaP quantum dot solar cells (PI)	DST, New Delhi	01-09-2007	31-12-2010	3810558
Development of MBE cluster tool based epitaxial nano-semiconductor infrastructure and process integration facility for high performance RF/microwave compound semiconductor heterostructure nano-devices on silicon (Co-PI)	DIT, New Delhi	31-03-2010	30-03-2016	497992000
GaN/InGaN based light emitting diodes, solar cells and photo-electrochemical device by MOCVD process (Co-PI)	DST, New Delhi	12-07-2010	11-07-2015	65609600
Metal-oxide semiconductor (MOS) based non-volatile memory devices using III-V semiconductor quantum dots as charge storage elements on Si substrates (PI)	DST, New Delhi	22-08-2014	21-02-2018	4750000
Novel fabrication of nano structured surfaces and their integration with solar cells (Co-PI)	DST, New Delhi	22-07-2015	30-09-2018	2959000
Fabrication of optical meta materials for cloaking in visible wavelength (Co-PI)	IMPRINT, DST, New Delhi	21-03-2017	20-03-2020	22800000
FIST Program 2016 - Materials Science Centre (as Co-PI)	DST, New Delhi	27-04-2017	26-04-2022	35000000
Socializing the micro-solar dome: empowering marginalized rural SC communities through solar illumination and solar electricity (Co-PI)	SERI, DST	29-03-2019	28-03-2021	47294000

Socializing the micro-solar dome: empowering marginalized rural ST & tribal communities through solar illumination and solar electricity (Co-PI)	SERI, DST	29-03-2019	28-03-2021	68498000
Green synthesis and characterization of biocompatible multi-color luminescent carbon dots for bioimaging and/or sensing applications (as Co-PI)	STARS, MHRD	17-01-2020	16-01-2023	4148000
MOCVD growth and p-type doping of Ga <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub> solar blind UV photodetector applications	SERB, New Delhi	20-03-2023	19-03-2026	5918000