# Curriculum Vitae



# Jorphin Joseph

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### **Employment History:**

Assistant Professor (Dec 2010-cont.) & HoD (June 2020-June 2021) PG & Research Department of Chemistry, Sacred Heart College (Autonomous), Thevara. Kochi-682013 Kerala.

### **Education:**

Raman Post-doctoral Fellow (2014-15)
Texas Materials Institute, University of Texas, Austin, US,
Field: Solid electrolytes for Li-S Batteries
Advisor: Prof. Arumugam Manthiram
Ph.D. National Taiwan University of Science & Technology, Taipei, Taiwan (2006-2010)
Field: Hybrid inorganic-organic membranes for fuel cell applications
Advisor: Prof. Bing Joe Hwang
M.Sc. Chemistry, University of Calicut, Kerala, India (1999-2001)
Specialisation: Environmental Chemistry
B.Sc. University of Calicut, India (1996-1999)
Major: Chemistry; Minors: Mathematics and Physics
B.Ed. University of Kerala, India (2002-2003)
Major: Physical Sciences, Minor: Educational Psychology

## **Publications:**

- Suppression of the polysulfide-shuttle behaviour in Li–S batteries through the development of a facile functional group on the polypropylene separator Xingwen Yu, Jorphin Joseph, Arumugam Manthiram Materials Horizons (RSC), 2016, 3, 314-319 (ISSN: 2051-6355, Journal Impact Factor: 12.319)
- 2. Polymer lithium–sulfur batteries with a Nafion membrane and an advanced sulfur electrode Xingwen Yu, Jorphin Joseph, Arumugam Manthiram

*Journal of Material Chemistry A*, 2015, 3, 15683-15691 (ISSN: 2050-7496, Journal Impact Factor: 11.301)

- Interpenetrating network-forming sulfonated poly (vinyl alcohol) proton exchange membranes for direct methanol fuel cell applications Chi-Yung Tseng, Yun-Sheng Ye, Kuei-Yu Kao, Jorphin Joseph, Wei-Chung Shen, John Rick, Bing-Joe Hwang International Journal of Hydrogen Energy, Volume 36, Issue 18, September 2011, Pages 11936-11945 (ISSN : 0360-3199, Journal Impact Factor: 4.939)
- 4. Tuning transport properties by manipulating the phase segregation of tetramethyldisiloxane segments in modified polyimide electrolytes Chi-Yung Tseng, Yun-Sheng Ye, Jorphin Joseph, Kuei-Yu Kao, John Rick, Shou-Ling Huang, Bing-Joe Hwang Journal of Power Sources, Volume 196, Issue 7, 1 April 2011, Pages 3470-3478 (ISSN: 0378-7753, Journal Impact Factor: 8.247)
- 5. Analysis of states of water in poly (vinyl alcohol) based DMFC membranes using FTIR and DSC

Bing-Joe Hwang, Jorphin Joseph, Yu-Zhen Zeng, Chi-Wen Lin, Ming-Yao Cheng

Journal of Membrane Science, Volume 369, Issues 1-2, 1 March 2011, Pages 88-95

(ISSN: 0376-7388, Journal Impact Factor: 7.183)

6. *Phosphonic acid-grafted mesostructured silica/Nafion hybrid membranes for fuel cell applications* 

Jorphin Joseph, Chi-Yung Tseng, Bing-Joe Hwang Journal of Power Sources, Volume 196, Issue 18, 15 September 2011, Pages 7363-7371

(ISSN: 0378-7753, Journal Impact Factor: 8.247)

 Growing well-defined monodispersed silica in polyimide host membranes using a surfactant assisted sol-gel process
 Jorphin Joseph, Chi-Yung Tseng, Chun-Jern Pan, Hung-Ming Chen, Chi-Wen Lin, K. Chandrasekara Pillai, Bing-Joe Hwang Polymer, Volume 51, Issue 24, 12 November 2010, Pages 5663-5668 (ISSN: 0032-3861, Journal Impact Factor: 4.231)

- Modifying microphase separation of PVA based membranes for improving proton/methanol selectivity
   Chia-Chin Shen, Jorphin Joseph, Yun-Chih Lin, Sheng-Horng Lin, Chi-Wen Lin, Bing Joe Hwang
   Desalination, Volume 233, Issues 1-3, 15 December 2008, Pages 82-87 (ISSN: 0011-9164, Journal Impact Factor: 7.098)
- 9. One-Step Synthesis of Nanocrystalline Ba(Sn<sub>x</sub>Ti<sub>1-x</sub>)O<sub>3</sub>
  V. Kumar, Jorphin Joseph, I. Packia Selvam Journal of the Ceramic Society of Japan, Vol. 113 (2005), No. 1324, 784-787 (ISSN: 0914- 5400, Journal Impact Factor: 1.067)

### **Conference Presentations:**

- 1. Presented a paper in the **International Conference on Membranes, ICM 2013** held at Kottayam during 3<sup>rd</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> October 2013. The conference was jointly organised by Centre for Environment Education and Technology (CEET) and Advanced centre for Environmental Studies and Sustainable development, Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, Kerala. *"Probing the fuel cell relevant properties of the membranes using indicator dyes"*
- 2. Presented a paper in the **National Conference CTric-2013**, organized jointly by the Department of Applied Chemistry-CUSAT and UGC in March 2013.

*"Hybrid inorganic organic membranes based on soluble polyimides and silica for DMFC applications"* 

3. Presented a paper in the International conference on Polymers on the frontiers of science and Technology (APA-2013) held from 21-23 February, 2013 at Panjab University, Chandigarh, India.

*"Synthesis and fuel cell relevant properties of polyimide-functionalised silica composite membranes"* 

4. Presented a paper in the International Conference on Membranes: Environmental and biological applications (ICM-2011) held in Kottayam in September 16-19<sup>th</sup> 2011.

*"Composite Membranes Containing Functionalized Silica in Polyimide Matrix for DMFC Applications"* 

- 5. Presented a paper in the 4<sup>th</sup> National Conference (Taiwan) on Hydrogen Energy and Fuel Cells held in Taipei in December 18-19, 2009. "Hybrid inorganic-organic membranes based on soluble polyimides and silica: Physical characterization studies"
- 6. Contributing author of prize winning presentation in the User's meeting of National Synchrotron radiation Research Centre (NSRRC), Hsinchu, Taiwan in 2009.

"Realizing the enhanced reactivity towards CO electro-oxidation on Carbon supported  $Pd_{core}Pt_{shell}$  Catalyst by in situ electrochemical-FTIR"

7. Presented a poster in the Fourth Conference of Aseanian Membrane Society: AMS4 held in Taipei in August 16-18, 2007

*"PVA-based membranes for fuel cell applications: Preparation and characterization"* 

### Awards and Honors:

- Travel Grant by French Embassy in India in 2018
- Raman Post-doctoral Fellowship 2014-15
- IASc-INSA-NASI Summer Research Fellowship-2012
- Taiwan Government Scholarship awarded by Ministry of Education, Taiwan (2006-2009).
- National Eligibility Test (University Grants Commission, UGC and Council for Scientific and Industrial Research, CSIR) for Lectureship 2002.

### Training/ Projects undertaken in recent years:

- 1. Participated in five-day faculty enrichment programme on 'Computational chemistry' during 16-22 December, 2020.
- 2. Participated in five-day faculty enrichment programme on 'Group theory and its applications in chemistry' during 9-13 November, 2020.
- 3. Completed two-week faculty development programme on 'Advanced concepts for developing MOOCS' organised by Teaching Learning Centre, Ramanujan College, University of Delhi during 02-17 July 2020.
- 4. Completed one-week faculty development programme on 'Development and Management of MOOCs and online courses using LMS-Moodle' organised by Teaching Learning Centre, Guru Angad Dev, MHRD-PMMMNMTT, Government of India during 30 June-4 July 2020.
- 5. Completed one-week faculty development programme on 'Open Source Tools for Research' organised by Teaching Learning Centre, Ramanujan College, University of Delhi during 08-14 June 2020.
- 6. Completed two-week online workshop on 'Comprehensive e-learning to etraining guide for administrative work' organised by Teaching Learning Centre, Ramanujan College, University of Delhi during 25 May-5 June 2020.
- 7. Participated in Refresher course in 'Material Sciences' organized by UGC-HRDC, Osmania University during 13-26 November 2019.
- 8. Participated in the Cyclic Voltammetry International School organized by University Paris Diderot, Paris, France during 9-13 April 2018.
- 9. Participated in Science Academies' Refresher course on 'Foundations of Physical Chemistry and its Applications' during 15-30 December 2017.
- 10. Attended National workshop on 'microscale techniques in experimental organic and physical chemistry' organised by the Post Graduate Department of chemistry, St. Teresa's college during 2, 3 November, 2017.
- 11. Attended a workshop on Research Based Pedagogy Training(RBPT) organised jointly by Department of Physics, Sacred Heart College, IISER Pune and the British Council during October 11 to 14, 2017.
- 12. Participated as a co-investigator in a major project entitled 'Development of polymeric, acid doped porous PBI membranes for fuel cell applications' funded

by University Grants Commission, India with Prof. Tushar Jana, University of Hyderabad (MRP-MAJOR-CHEM-2013-37829) and completed.

- 13. Attended CEC Annual Workshop on Electrochemistry held at the University of Texas at Austin on 7 and 8 February, 2015.
- 14. Attended a course on 'Electrochemistry Energy Materials' during the spring semester 2015 in the Department of Mechanical Engineering, University of Texas at Austin.
- 15. Worked on a project as Summer Research Fellow on a project entitled "Preparation and characterization of polymer blends of polybenzimidazoles and polyimides" during April-May & November, 2012 under the supervision of Dr. Tushar Jana, University of Hyderabad.
- 16. A minor research project has been approved by University Grants Commission (UGC) for the year 2011-2012(MRP(S)-1199/11-12/KLMG017/UGC-SWRO) and successfully completed.
- 17. Participated in the National Workshop on the "Current trends in molecular modelling" organised by the Post Graduate department of Chemistry, Sacred Heart College, Thevara, on 1-3 March, 2011.

#### **General Information:**

Born in Thrissur, Kerala, India on 22.05.1979Marital status: MarriedNationality: IndianLanguages Known: Malayalam, Hindi, Tamil, and English

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