



## Education

- M.Sc.** in chemical Engineering, *Sahand University of Technology* Sept 2013-Sept 2015  
**GPA:** (3.34 / 4.0)  
**Thesis:** Investigation of ZrO<sub>2</sub> Addition on CuO/ZnO/Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> Nanocatalyst Performance Used in Steam Reforming of Methanol  
**Supervisor:** Professor Mohammad Haghighi
- B.Sc.** Chemical Engineering, University of Mohaghegh Ardabili(UMA) Sept 2006 - Sept2010  
**GPA:** (2.43 / 4.0)  
**Thesis:** Investigation of Types of Water Hardness and its Impact on Industrial Facilities  
**Supervisor:** Professor Mariana Moshashaie

## Research Interest

- Heterogeneous Catalysis
- Environmental Engineering
- Hydrogen Production

## Academic Experience

- **Research Assistant, University of Science and Technology of Mazandaran** 2017 - Present  
 Manage Research Team, Extensive Experience in Laboratory Skills, Leading Scientific Projects
- **Teaching Assistant, University of Science and Technology of Mazandaran** 2017 - Present  
 Chemistry Laboratory,  
 Mass and Energy Balance  
 Introduction to chemical Engineering  
 Heat Transfer
- **Research Assistant, Catalysis Research Center, Sahand University of Technology** 2013 - 2015  
 Conducting Research in heterogeneous Catalysis
- **Teaching Assistant, University of Mohaghegh Ardabili** 2009  
 Physics Laboratory

## Job Experience

- **Production Manager DANAREF Company,** 2017-present  
 Conducting Research in heterogeneous Catalysis
- **Health and Safety Expert, Pouya Pakhsh Company (food and cosmetic distribution)** 2015-2017  
 Monitoring the quality control of food, public health

## Publications

- Ajamein, H., & **Ahmadi, F.** (in preparation). Heterogeneous catalysis for water treatment: Carbon-based catalysts for heavy metals removal.
- **Ahmadi, F.**, Haghighi, M., & Ajamein, H. (in preparation). Preparation of CuO/ZnO/ZrO<sub>2</sub>/Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> nanocatalyst for steam methanol reforming process [Patent].
- **Ahmadi, F.**, Haghighi, M., & Ajamein, H. (2016). Sonochemically assisted co-precipitation synthesis of CuO/ZnO/ZrO<sub>2</sub>/Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> nanocatalyst for fuel cell grade hydrogen production via steam methanol reforming. Journal of Molecular Catalysis A: Chemical, 417, 145–158. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.molcata.2016.05.027>

- Motevallian Seyyedi, A., Haghighi, M., & **Ahmadi, F.** (2016, March). Improving the performance of atmospheric hydrogen production by hydrocracking process on CZA modified nanocatalyst using various surface activators. *1st National Conference on Refining Processes*, Tabriz, Iran.
- **Ahmadi, F.**, Haghighi, M., & Ajamein, H. (2015, September). Influence of ultrasound power on physicochemical properties and catalytic performance of CuO/ZnO/ZrO<sub>2</sub>/Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> nanocatalyst used in hydrogen production via methanol reforming. *3rd Hydrogen & Fuel Cell Conference (HFCC3)*, Iranian Research Organization for Science & Technology (IROST), Tehran, Iran. <https://civilica.com/doc/595431>
- **Ahmadi, F.**, Haghighi, M., & Ajamein, H. (2015, July). Application of sonochemical synthesis of CuO/ZnO/ZrO<sub>2</sub>/Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> nanocatalyst for hydrogen production by the steam methanol reforming process. Iranian Inorganic Chemistry Conference, Azarbaijan Shahid Madani University, Iran.
- **Ahmadi, F.**, Haghighi, M., & Ajamein, H. (2015, July). Co-precipitation synthesis of ZrO<sub>2</sub>-doped CuO/ZnO/Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> nanocatalyst used in steam reforming of methanol. Iranian Inorganic Chemistry Conference, Azarbaijan Shahid Madani University, Iran.
- **Ahmadi, F.**, Haghighi, M., & Ajamein, H. (2015, September). Influence of ultrasound power on physicochemical properties and catalytic performance of CuO/ZnO/ZrO<sub>2</sub>/Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> nanocatalyst used in hydrogen production via methanol reforming. *3rd Hydrogen & Fuel Cell Conference (HFCC3)*, Iranian Research Organization for Science & Technology (IROST), Tehran, Iran. <https://civilica.com/doc/595431>

## Test scores

IELTS (Academic): **6.5** (Overall score) **Listening:** 7.5, **Writing:** 6.0, **Speaking:** 7.0, **Reading:** 6.0

**Test date:** Aug 2024

## Skills

<b>Software</b>	<b>Aspen HYSYS</b>
<b>Lab Instrument Skills</b>	Material characterization XPS, XRD, EDX, SEM, BET, FTIR, Gas Chromatography
<b>Editor</b>	Microsoft Office - OneNote

## Awards and Honors

- Received a **full tuition waiver** from Sahand University of Technology 2013
- Received a **full tuition waiver** from University of Mohaghegh Ardabili. 2006

## Workshop & Congress

- Patents Registration, Sahand University of Technology 2014
- Electronic Resources and Databases, Sahand University of Technology 2013
- HYSYS Software, University of Mohaghegh Ardabili 2007

## Certification

- Introduction to Nanotechnology, Sahand University of technology, Tabriz, Iran 2015
- Commercialization of Nanotechnology in the Field of Medicine. Sahand University of Technology 2015
- Safety of Working with Chemicals, Sahand University of Technology 2014

## References

- Prof. Mohammad Haghighi ,Founder and director of reactor and catalyst research center(RCRC), faculty of chemical engineering, Sahand University of Technology, Tabriz, Iran  
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