



# Maansi Aggarwal

Research Scholar, IIT Patna

*Objective: To contribute to the ever expanding field of biochemistry with carbon dot conjugation for biomedical applications that brings out the best of creativity and imagination.*

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## Academic Background

Ph.D. in Chemistry	2021-Present
Indian Institute of Technology, Patna	
CGPA: 8.79/10	
M.Sc. in Chemistry	2018-2020
Thapar Institute of Engineering and Technology, Patiala	
CGPA: 9.74/10	
B.Sc. Non Medical	2015-2018
M.C.M DAV College for Women, Chandigarh, Punjab University	
Percentage: 83.25%	
12th Class (CBSE)	2014-2015
Holy Heart Senior Secondary School, Nahan, Himachal Pradesh	
Percentage: 92%	
10th Class (CBSE)	2012-2013
Holy Heart Senior Secondary School, Nahan, Himachal Pradesh	
CGPA: 9.80	

## Publications

- "Simultaneous sustained drug delivery, tracking, and on-demand photoactivation of DNA-hydrogel formulated from a biomass-derived DNA nanoparticle" Ravi Shankar, Suman Nayak, Sneha Singh, Abhik Sen, Nitesh Kumar, Rashmi Bhushan, **Maansi Aggarwal**, Prolay Das ([ACS Applied Bio Materials, 2023](#)).
- "Preparation and characterization of curcumin incorporated soy protein isolate biopolymeric films" Shikha Rani, Priya Rani, **Maansi Aggarwal**, K Dinesh Kumar, Rakesh Kumar ([Journal of Polymers and the Environment, 2022](#)).
- "Two-dimensional ultrathin metal-based nanosheets for photocatalytic CO<sub>2</sub> conversion to solar fuels" **Maansi Aggarwal**, Nagaraj P Shetti, Soumen Basu, Tejraj M Aminabhavi ([Journal Of Environmental Management, 2022](#)).
- "Photocatalytic carbon dioxide reduction: Exploring the role of ultrathin 2D graphitic carbon nitride (g-C<sub>3</sub>N<sub>4</sub>)" **Maansi Aggarwal**, Soumen Basu, Nagaraj P.Shetti, Mallikarjuna, N.Nadagouda, Eilhann, E.Kwon, Young-Kwon Park, Tejraj M.Aminabhavi ([Chemical Engineering Journal, 2021](#)).
- "Photocatalytic conversion of CO<sub>2</sub> into valuable products using emerging two-dimensional graphene-based nanomaterials: A step towards sustainability" **Maansi Aggarwal**, Soumen Basu, Nagaraj P Shetti, Mallikarjuna N Nadagouda, Tejraj M Aminabhavi ([Chemical Engineering Journal, 2021](#)).

## Research Experience

### Dec'19-July'20: Research Fellow:

Exploring the role of ultrathin 2D-graphitic layer in the composites of g-C<sub>3</sub>N<sub>4</sub> & GO for photocatalytic CO<sub>2</sub> reduction

(Thapar Institute of Engineering and Technology, Patiala)

### May'19-July'19: Summer Research

**Fellow:** Characterization of new interstellar molecules by first principle studies

(Indian Institute of Technology, Ropar)

## Awards and Honours

- Prime Minister's Research Fellow (ID- 2702444 July, 2022 cycle)
- GATE Qualified (Chemistry) 2021
- Summer Internship Fellowship Programme by IAS-NASI-INSA (Assigned IIT Ropar) 2019
- IIT JAM Qualified (Chemistry) 2018

## Teaching Experience

- CH103: Introductory Chemistry, IIT Patna
- CH440: Inorganic Practical, IIT Patna
- PC100103: Atomic and Molecular Structure, NSIT, Patna
- PC100203: Periodic Properties and Stereochemistry, NSIT, Patna
- CHEM130: Physical Chemistry and Introduction of Organic Chemistry to Canadian students