Niladri Gomes

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Current position: Graduate research assistant in department of Physics at University of Arizona.

Research Interest: Theory of low dimensional correlated electron systems, Carbon based organic materials.

Education:

University of Arizona: PhD (Physics)
 Indian Institute of Technology Bombay: M.Sc (Physics)
 St Xavier's College, Kolkata, (India): B.Sc (Physics)
 Fall 2011- current, GPA: 3.9
 2008-2010, GPA: 8.63/10
 2005-2008, GPA: 65.1%

Research accomplishments:

- 1. Research on correlated electron superconductivity in organic charge transfer solids: (ET)-salts, Pd(dmit)2-salts under Prof. Sumit Mazumdar, (University of Arizona) (Spring 2012-current)
 - Study of relationship between different broken symmetries, magnetism and superconductivty
- 2. State of the art numerical calculations on Hubbard model: Path Integral Renormalization Group (PIRG), collaboration with Dr. R. Torsten Clay & group (Mississippi State University) (2013)
 - Implemented PIRG algorithm (involves numerical renormalization and optimization of basis sets) and simulated interacting-electron systems using the code (application to superconducting materials)
 - Worked on parallel version of the PIRG code to be run in the NERSC supercomputers (DOE research lab, California) and high performance computing facility at University of Arizona
 - Calculation of many body ground states of Hubbard model using Lanczos (exact diagonalization) and Constrained Path Monte Carlo (CPMC)
- 3. Implemented 'Single Configuration Interaction' (SCI) theory(University of Arizona)(2012)
 - Used the code to calculate optical absorption spectrum in conjugated polymers

Other experience(s):

- 4. Intern in Cymer Technologies: Simulation of optical pulse amplification in CO2 fast-axial flow amplifiers, (2016)
 - Evaluated the model code efficiency
 - Developed parallel version of the code and optimized performance, speed, accuracy
 - Designed a user friendly interface (app), and generated documentation
- 5. Teaching assistant: (Physics 141) Classical mechanics, University of Arizona, (Fall 2011)
- 6. Junior Research Fellow in The Institute of Mathematical Sciences (IMSc), Chennai, India, (2010-2011)
 - Calculation of Entanglement entropy of tetrahedral Kitaev Model
- 7. Monte Carlo approach for Atoms and Molecules, Master's thesis, IIT Bombay, India, (2009-2010)
 - Developed code to simulate quantum mechanical systems like hydrogen atom, harmonic oscillator using Monte Carlo approach
- 9. Preparation of TiO2 nanoparticles and to observe the photocatalytic effect, under Prof. Sangam Banerjee, SINP Kolkata, (Summer 2009)
- 10. Low temperature experimental techniques, measurement of transport properties, under Prof. Prabhat Mandal, SINP Kolkata, (Winter 2008)

Scholastic Achievements:

- 1. Fanfare Travel Award, Department of Physics, University of Arizona (2016, 2017).
- 2. Galileo Circle Scholar, College of Science, University of Arizona (2014).
- 3. Technology and Research Initiative Fund (TRIF) fellowship, College of Optical Sciences, University of Arizona (April 2013).
- 4. All India Rank 08 in National Eligibility Test, Council for Scientific and Industrial Research, Govt. of India (December 2009).
- 5. All India Rank 27 in Joint Admission Test, Indian Institute of Technology (2008).

Publication(s):

- 1. Niladri Gomes, R. T. Clay, S. Mazumdar. Absence of superconductivity and valence bond order in the Hubbard--Heisenberg model for organic charge-transfer solids. <u>J. Phys. Condens. Matter. **25**:</u> 385603 (2012).
- 2. Niladri Gomes, W. Wasanthi De Silva, R. T. Clay, S. Mazumdar. Coulomb enhanced superconducting pair correlations in the frustrated quarter-filled band, <u>Phys. Rev. B. 93</u>, 165110 (2016).
- 3. W. Wasanthi De Silva, N. Gomes, R. T. Clay, S. Mazumdar. Coulomb enhancement of superconducting pair-pair correlations in a ¾ -filled model for k-(BEDT-TTF) 2X. Phys. Rev. B. **93**, 205111 (2016).
- 4. R. T. Clay, A. B. Ward, N. Gomes, S. Mazumdar. Bond patterns and charge order amplitude in 1/4-filled charge-transfer solids, *Phys. Rev. B.* **95**, 125114 (2017)

Skills:

- Fortran, Python, Matlab, Pandas, C++, MPI (parallel programming), OPENMP, LINUX, Git
- High performance computing/ supercomputing

Seminars/talks:

- 1. "Quarter-filled systems with frustration: Candidate for correlated electron superconductivity": Niladri Gomes, APS March meeting, Session: R25.00003, 2016
- 2. Attended and presented poster in 34th Jerusalem Winter School in Theoretical Physics, Israel 2016
- 3. "The effective half-filled band model is inappropriate for the dimerized 2D organic superconductors": Niladri Gomes, APS March meeting, Session: N35.00009, 2013
- 4. "Is there a spin gap in the frustrated Hubbard metal and Quantum spin liquid?": Niladri Gomes, APS Four Corners meet, 2011
- 5. Presented several research talks to diverse audiences in the Department of Physics, University of Arizona.

Synergistic Activities:

- 1. Directed two short films and selected as Campus finalist: Campus Movie Fest 2013, 2014.
- 2. Photographer and editor of a documentary on Prof V. Hruby, Dept of Chemistry, Univ of Arizona.
- 3. Volunteer in Tucson Book Festival in 2012 and 2013.
- 4. Volunteer in Mentor Arizona Assurance Scholars in 2012 and 2013.
- 5. Served as a Travel Grants Judge for GPSC in 2012 (UofA).
- 6. Publicity organizer for Science Day 2011 at Institute of Mathematical Sciences, Chennai.
- 7. Department Cultural Secretary, MSc Physics IIT Bombay, 200910.

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