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Employment History

August 2024 – present

Graduate Research Assistant Raisul Islam Semiconductor Engineering Lab Materials Engineering, Purdue University, West Lafayette, USA

May 2023 - July 2023

Data Scientist Internship United Phosphorus Ltd, Bengaluru, India

May 2022 – July 2022

Invention Internship Indian Institute of Technology, Gandhinagar, India

Education

August 2024 - present

Ph.D, Materials Science and Engineering (GPA: 4.0/4.0)

Purdue University, West Lafayette, USA

Advisor: Prof. Raisul Islam

Thesis: The Study of Nanoscale Heat Transport for Next-Gen Heterogeneous

Integration Systems

November 2020 – June 2024

B.Tech, Materials Science and Engineering (GPA: 8.01/10)

Indian Institute of Technology Delhi, New Delhi, India

Advisor: Prof. Dibyajyoti Ghosh

Thesis: Computational Insights into Modulating the Performance of MXene-

Based Electrocatalysts for Hydrogen Evolution Reaction (HER) 🗁

Research Publications

Journal Articles

- **R. Munde**, H.-R. Chuang, B. C. Wyatt, B. Anasori, and R. Islam, "High-throughput parasitic-independent probe thermal resistance calibration for robust thermal mapping with scanning thermal micrsocopy," (in preparation for submission to Journal of Applied Physics), (In preparation).
- A. Kumari, S. Singh, **R. Munde**, A. Bashir, P. Ingole, and D. Ghosh, "Boosting hydrogen evolution on halogenated mxenes via surface termination engineering: A data-informed computational and experimental strategy," *Advanced Functional Materials (Under review)*, *ACS catalysis (Under review)*, 2025.
- **R. Munde**, N. Vaillancourt, H.-R. Chuang, C. Gu, Y. Wang, and R. Islam, "3d integrated system for advanced intelligent computing," *Advances in Physics: X (Under Review)*, 2025.

Conference & Symposium Proceedings

- **R. Munde**, B. C. Wyatt, K. K. Kamarth, B. Anasori, and R. Islam, "High-throughput thermal conductivity mapping for 2d mxene via probe thermal resistance calibration in scanning thermal microscopy (sthm)," in *MRS Fall Meeting 2025*, Boston, MA, USA, (Accepted for oral presentaion).
- **R. Munde** and R. Islam, "The study of nanoscale heat transfer using scanning thermal microscopy (sthm)," in *Purdue Graduate Symposium*, Indianapolis, IN, USA, 2025, (Poster presentation).

Relevant Coursework

2025 ECE606: Solid State Devices

ECE604: Electromagnetic Field Theory

ECE60645: High Speed Semiconductor Devices

Relevant Coursework (continued)

MSE670: Atomistic View of Materials: Theory, Modeling and Simulations

Misc. Academic research, training, consultation, writing and publishing.

Awards, Scholarships & Honors

Leadership Experience

2023 Technical Overall Coordinator: Offices of Career Services, IIT Delhi

Convener: Department of Materials Science & Engineering, IIT Delhi

2022 Academic Mentor: Board for Student Welfare, IIT Delhi

Awards and Achievements

2021 **Joining Hands Scholarship:** 3 Year NXP Semiconductors Support for Bachelor Program

2024 Significant Contribution Award: Office of Career Services, IIT Delhi

Micron Hackathon Winner: Memory optimization for AI.

Best Contribution Award: Office of Career Services, IIT Delhi.

Certification

2024 Phi Kappa Phi: Honor Society Award