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To whomsoever it may concern

This is to certify that, my research group is carrying out the collaborative research work with the research group headed by Dr. Blaise Lobo, Associate Professor, Department of Physics, Karnatak Science College, Dharwad for the year 2020-21 and till date. We are working on positron annihilation studies of polymer-based nanocomposites and other materials under this collaborative research activity. His research group are using the facilities in our research laboratory at Department of Physics, K.U. Dharwad and presently we are working on synthesis of nanoparticles and studies on polymer nanocomposites for energy storage devices.


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TO WHOMSOEVER CONCERNED

LETTER REGARDING RESEARCH COLLABORATION

I hereby state that the research group headed by me in the Department of Chemistry, Karnatak University's Karnatak Science College, Dharwad has a fruitful collaboration with the research group of Dr. Blaise Lobo, Associate Professor, Karnatak Science College, Dharwad. The collaboration work, which started in the year 2017 and is continuing to date, involves analysis of thermal analysis data, electrical characterization and tensile mechanical studies on polymeric blends and composites, including nano-composites. I am happy to state that a few research papers in reputed journals (with joint authorship) has resulted from this collaborative work, and it is expected to continue in the future days as well.

Yours sincerely,

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Dr. Blaise Lobo

Associate Professor & Research Guide

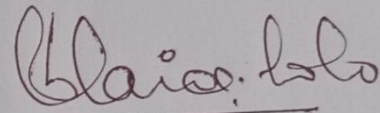
Dharwad

24th September 2022

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Dr. BLAISE LOBO
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RESEARCH COLLABORATION LETTER

I am **Dr. Rajappa S K**, presently working as an Assistant Professor in the Department of Chemistry, Karnatak Science College, Dharwad (since March -2012) and recognized as a Research guide by the Karnatak University, Dharwad (since 2015). Presently 05 research students and 04 M. Sc project students are working under my research supervision. Our research group is carrying out some significant research work in the area of electrochemistry and materials Science.

I have a **Research Collaboration with Dr. G H Malimath**, Associate Professor, Department of Physics, Karnatak Science College, Dharwad in order to **utilize the instruments and other research facilities** available in his research laboratory to carry out joint research work in the area of electrochemistry & materials science.

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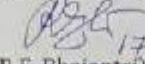
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To whomsoever it may concern

I am happy to state that, we are doing collaborative research work with Dr. Saraswati P. Masti, Associate Professor of Chemistry, Karnatak Science College, Dharwad from 2008 to till date. We are using different experimental facilities of Dr. Saraswati P Masti's laboratory and her research group are using the facilities in our research laboratory at Department of Physics, K.U. Dharwad. Our research collaboration has yielded many publications in highly reputed international journals on materials science and chemical science. Our research collaboration is continuous and presently we are working on synthesis of nanoparticles and studies on polymer nanocomposites for optical applications and polymer electrolytes for energy storage devices.

Yours sincerely


17/11/2021
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To,

Prof Mahaveer Kurkuri

Associate Director

Centre for Research in Functional Materials (CRFM)

JAIN University

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Kanakapura Tq, Ramanagara District-562 112, Karnataka

India

Subject: Regarding MOU for research collaboration

Dear Prof Mahaveer Kurkuri,

I am happy to inform you that Principal Karnatak Science College Dharwad agreed to have MOU for research collaboration between Centre for Research in Functional Materials (CRFM) Jain University and Research laboratory of Dr. R G. Kalkhambkar effective from June 2022. I hope this MOU of research collaboration will flourish into more research outputs in the form of high scientific research publications or patents for broad readership of scientific community. Hence I request you to kindly send one letter of MOU to principal Karnatak Science College Dharwad for further information and needful action.

With warm regards,

Dharwad

Dr. Rajesh G. Kalkhambkar



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Subject: Research collaboration Reg.

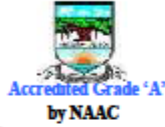
With reference to above cited subject, I, **Dr. Praveen Kumar S. K.**, Assistant Professor, Protein Biology lab, Department of Biochemistry, Karnatak University Dharwad-03, **delighted to declare the research collaboration with, Dr. Saraswati Masti**, Associate Professor, Department of Chemistry, Karnataka Science College, Dharwad, **from 2021-22 onwards**. I strongly believe that the relationship sought is one of true collaboration, with the sole aim of carrying out the research work to greater extents in compliance with the mutual consent.

Sincerely,

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To whomsoever it may concern

I am happy to state that I am collaborating with Dr. Saraswati Masti, Department of Chemistry, Karnatak Science College, Dharwad. Our lab has been collaborating with Dr. Saraswati Masti on various aspects of Polymer blend films for active food packing applications from 2019 till the present. Our collaboration has yielded publications in International Journal of Biological Macromolecules, Food Hydrocolloids and our collaboration is continuous and currently working on Smart biodegradable films.

Yours sincerely,



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Department of Basic Science Department

From,

Dr. Deepak R. Kasai
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Jain (Deemed-To-Be University), Jakkasandra,
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Subject: Research collaboration Reg.

With reference to the above mentioned subject, I am Dr. Deepak Kasai, assistant Professor Happy to declare that, Dr. Saraswati Masti, Associate Professor, Karnataka Science College, Dharwad, doing collaboration work from 2019 till the present with Faculty of Engineering and Technology, Jain (Deemed-To-Be University). Both the institutions using reasonable endeavours to carry out the research work to high standards and in accordance with the mutual agreement.

Sincerely



Dr. Deepak Kasai



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21-09-2022

To whomsoever it may concern

This is to declare that our research group has been carrying out research collaboration with Dr. Saraswati P. Masti, Associate Professor, Department of Chemistry, Karnatak Science College, Dharwad - 580 001, India from 2019 onwards. The following research publications are resulted in the collaborations till now.

- 1) Ionic conductivity enhancement of PVA: Carboxymethyl cellulose poly-blend electrolyte films through the doping of NaI salt
Vipin Cyriac, Ismayil, I. M. Noor, Kuldeep Mishra, Chetan Chavan, Rajashekhar F. Bhajantri, Saraswati P. Masti
Cellulose 29 (2022) 3271–3291.
- 2) Dielectric relaxations and ion transport study of NaCMC:NaNO₃ solid polymer electrolyte films
Supriya K Shetty, Ismayil, Shreedatta Hegde, V Ravindrachary, Ganesh Sanjeev, Rajashekhar F Bhajantri, Saraswati P Masti
Ionics 27 (2021) 2509-2525.

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Dear Sir/Madam,

I, Dr. Ravindra B. Chougale, Associate Professor, Department of Chemistry, K U Dharwad, confirm my interest and collaboration of research work in polymer chemistry from 2019 till the present with Dr. Saraswati Masti, Associate Professor, Department of Chemistry, Karnatak, Science College (K U Constituent College), Dharwad, with us the last five years to carry out good quality research with our mutual understanding and agreement.

Yours sincerely,

DR. RAVINDRA CHOUGALE
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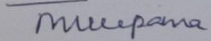


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I am Dr. (Smt.) Nirupama J.M., Assistant Professor of Physics, Karnatak Science College, Dharwad, worked on Research Project entitled "*Interaction of substituted chalcones with metal/semiconductor nanoparticles for their possible sensor applications*" in collaboration with Dr. Rajesh G. Kalkhambkar, Associate Professor of Chemistry, Karnatak Science College, Dharwad. The project was sanctioned by Karnatak University, Dharwad under University Research Seed Grant Policy for the academic year 2021-2022.


Dr. (Smt.) Nirupama J.M.


Principal,
Karnatak Science College
Dharwad.