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Academic Records:

- **B. Sc.** (1985): University of Calcutta (INDIA) - Chemistry (major), Physics, Mathematics, Bio- chemistry.
- **M.Sc.** (1987): University of Calcutta (INDIA) - Biochemistry (Molecular Biology specialization).

Doctoral Training:

- **September 1988 to 1994:** **Junior Research Fellow and Senior Research Fellow** of Council of Scientific and Industrial Research (CSIR) of India at Indian Institute of Chemical Biology (IICB), Calcutta, India.
- **Ph. D. (1995): Molecular cloning and sequence analysis of adenosine kinase from human parasite, *Leishmania donovani*.** University of Jadavpur (INDIA). Mentor: Dr. Alok Kr. Dutta.

Post-doctoral Experience: (3 years)

- **1994 - 1995:** **Research Associate** in the Department of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology, Indian Institute of Chemical Biology, Jadavpur, India.
- **1995 - 1996:** **Post Doctoral Fellow** in the Department of Molecular Biology, Institute of Microbial Technology, Chandigarh, India. Mentor: Dr. Pradip K Chakrabarti

Visiting Scientist assignment: (2 years)

- **2000-2002:** **Visiting Scientist**, Department of Pathology, Northwestern University Medical School, Chicago, USA. **Mentor:** Prof. Janardan K Reddy, Former Chairman and Magerstadt Professor, Department of Pathology, Feinberg School of Medicine, Northwestern University, Chicago, USA.
- **July 2002 – Nov 2002:** **Visiting Scientist**, Reddy US Therapeutics, Norcross, Atlanta, USA. Dr. Reddy's Laboratories Limited.

Professional Experience: (>28 years)

- **Jan 2019 – till date:** **Chief Scientist and Senior Professor – Center of Innovation in Molecular and Pharmaceutical Sciences-** Dr. Reddy's Institute of Life Sciences, University of Hyderabad Campus, Hyderabad, India
- **Dec 2015 –Dec 2018:** **Dean of Academic Affairs and Senior Professor- Dept. of Biology-** Dr. Reddy's Institute of Life Sciences, University of Hyderabad Campus, Hyderabad, India
- **Jan 2013 to Nov 2015:** **Dean of Administration and Professor- Dept. of Biology-** Dr. Reddy's Institute of Life Sciences, University of Hyderabad Campus, Hyderabad, India.
- **April'09 to Dec 2012:** **Head-Biology -** Institute of Life Sciences, University of Hyderabad Campus, Hyderabad, India.
- **April'08 to March '09:** **Head- Metabolic Disorder**, Wockhardt Research Center, Aurangabad, India
- **Nov'05 to Feb'08:** **Senior Director**, Preclinical Biology and Genomics-Proteomics, Discovery Research, Dr. Reddy's, Hyderabad, India.
- **Jan'05 to Oct'05:** **Director**, Preclinical Biology and Genomics-Proteomics, Discovery Research, Dr. Reddy's, Hyderabad, India.
- **2003-2004:** **Associate Director**, Preclinical Biology and Genomics-Proteomics, Discovery Research, Dr. Reddy's, Hyderabad, India.

- **2002- 2003:** Principal Scientist, Molecular Discovery, Discovery Research, Dr. Reddy's, Hyderabad, India.
- **1999 - 2002:** Senior Scientist, Department of Discovery Biology, Dr. Reddy's, Hyderabad, India.
- **1996 - 1999:** Scientist, Department of Preclinical Biology, Dr. Reddy's, Hyderabad, India.

Awards:

- Fellow of the Royal Society of Biology (UK) awarded in -2017
- Fellow of the Royal Society of Chemistry (UK) awarded in -2016
- International young scientist travel award given by International Union of Biochemistry and Molecular Biology in its 16th Congress held in Delhi, 1994.
- Chairman's Excellence Award-2004 given by Dr. K. Anji Reddy, Chairman of Dr. Reddy's Laboratories "In Recognition Of Outstanding Contribution in Target Identification through Scientific Innovation".
- Best Scientific Innovation Team Award-2004 (Metabolic Disorder Team), 2006 (AMPK Project Team) and 2006 (Perlecan Pharma and ICICI Deal making Team) given by Mr. G.V. Prasad, CEO and Mr. Satish Reddy, COO of Dr. Reddy's Laboratories "In Recognition of Outstanding Team Contribution in scientific value Creation Through Scientific Innovation".
- Most cited paper 2003-2006 Award (Biorg. Med Chem. Lett. 2003 May 19; 13(10): 1639-47) given by Bioorganic & Medicinal Chemistry Letters, Elsevier Ltd, Oxford, UK.

Member of important organizations:

- Special Invitee, Research Council of IIM, Jammu, India 2009-12.
- Management Council Member of Dr. Reddy's Institute of Life Sciences, Hyderabad.
- Chairman, Doctoral Committee, Institute of Life Sciences, Hyderabad, 2010-11.
- Former Academic council member of Hyderabad University-ILS Academic Council
- Member of Society of Biological Chemists, India.
- Department Committee member (2016-18): Department of Biotechnology and Bioinformatics, University of Hyderabad, Hyderabad
- Member of the National Committee for International Union of Physiological Sciences (IUPS) and International Union of Pharmacology (IUPHAR), January 1, 2024 – December 31, 2026

Management Training:

- Attended Management training course on **Lateral Thinking** conducted by Management guru **Edward De Bono**.
- Dr. Reddy's selected me to attend special management training program conducted by Management Council members for two years. The objective of the course is to take much bigger responsibilities and train other Directors of the organization about the sustainability and crisis management of the company.

Achievement in Industry:

Worked with the PPAR and AMPK group of **Dr. Reddy's** and contributed to put **five NCEs** in different clinical phases including **Balaglitazone**- Partial PPAR γ agonist (went upto Phase3B trial), **Ragaglitazar-1st in class** PPAR α and γ dual activator (went upto Phase3), **DRL10945**-PPAR α agonist (completed Phase2A), **DRL11605**- Pan PPAR(dropped in Phase1) and **1st in class AMPK Activator-3**(completed Phase1). Worked in AMR therapeutic area including discovery of **1st in class small molecule inhibitor of M. tb** and got **Indian patent granted and filed PCT**.

Research Collaboration:

- 1) Northwestern University, Chicago, USA 2) University of Hyderabad 3) National Institute of Nutrition, Hyderabad 4) Devi Ahilya University, Indore, MP 5) Indian Institute of Technology, Delhi 6) Fortis Hospital, New Delhi 7) NIRMA University, Ahmedabad and 8) Asian Institute of Gastroenterology, Hyderabad 9) Indian Institute of Chemical Biology, Kolkata 10) Manipal Academy of Higher Education, Manipal and 11) Institute of Laparoscopic Surgery, Kolkata

PUBLICATIONS:

- Complete list of publications:

- ❖ Research Articles:

1. Sharda Shukla, Kaushik Sarkar, Deepesh Biswas, Harshavardhan Bhuktar, Varadaraj Bhat Giliyaru, Sandipan Chakraborty, Srinivas Oruganti, Parimal Misra, Manojit Pal. An inexpensive, metal-free and one-pot approach towards N-sulfonyl amidines: Identification of a chorismate mutase inhibitor with activities against *S. aureus*. *Journal of Molecular Structure* 1312 (2024) 138531
2. Bhavya Surekha, Parimal Misra, Anitha C. Thippaiah, Bindiganavale R. Shamanna, Aiswarya Madathil and Marina Rajadura. A microneedle transdermal patch loaded with iron (II) nanoparticles for non-invasive sustained delivery to combat anemia. *Mater. Adv.*, 2024, 5, 3247–3256
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8. Wang resin catalysed sonochemical synthesis of pyrazolo[4,3-d]pyrimidinones and 2,3-dihydroquinazolin-4(1H)-ones: Identification of chorismate mutase inhibitors having effects on Mycobacterium tuberculosis cell viability. Shukla S, Nishanth Rao R, Bhuktar H, Edwin RK, Jamma T, Medishetti R, Banerjee S, Giliyaru VB, Shenoy GG, Oruganti S, Misra P, Pal M. *Bioorg Chem.* 2023 May;134:106452. doi: 10.1016/j.bioorg.2023.106452. Epub 2023 Mar 2. PMID: 36889201

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10. Sonochemical synthesis and biological evaluation of isoquinolin-1(2H)-one/isoindolin-1-one derivatives: Discovery of a positive ago-allosteric modulator (PAAM) of 5HT_{2C}R. Sandeep Kumar J, Naimisha R, Thirupataiah B, Sujeevan Reddy G, Bung N, Roy A, Bulusu G, Mishra A, Yadav PN, Misra P, Pal M. *Bioorg Chem*. 2022 Dec;129:106202. doi: 10.1016/j.bioorg.2022.106202. Epub 2022 Oct 14. PMID: 36272252

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- **Balaglitazone**- Partial PPAR γ agonist (Completed **Phase3A** clinical trial),
- **Ragaglitazar-1st in class PPAR α and γ dual activator** (went up to **Phase3A** clinical trial),
- **DRL10945-PPAR α agonist** (completed **Phase2A** clinical trial),
- **DRL11605-Pan PPAR** (dropped in **Phase1** clinical trial)
- **DRL16536**, a **1st in class AMPK activator** (completed **Phase1** clinical trial).

Balaglitazone and **Ragaglitazar** were out -licensed to **Novo Nordisk** and **AMPK activator** was out lisenced to **Perlecan pharma and ICICI joint ventures** and these deals generated revenues for Dr. Reddy's Laboratories Limited, Hyderabad. **Dr. Reddy's and Rheoscience announce headline results from First Phase III clinical trial of Balaglitazone (DRF 2593)**

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