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Objective

To work in a dynamic organization where advancements are based on achievements, aspiring to utilize my technical skills to the maximum, while contributing to achieving a new high in organization excellence.

Education Background

Assistant Professor: Institute of Chemical Sciences, University of Swat, KP, Pakistan (December 29th 2023 up-to-date)

Research Associate/PostDoc/Assistant Professor: Institute of Chemical Sciences, University of Swat, KP, Pakistan (January 1st 2021 to March 31st 2023)

Post-Doctorate Fellowship: University of Electronic Science and Technology of China, Chengdu, Sichuan, China. (01-Jan-2020 to 31-Dec-2022)

<u>Project:</u> Effect of Nitrogen Functional Group on Metal-organic Framework for Flexible Lithium-ion Batteries.

Ph.D.: (New Energy Science and Engineering) Soochow Institute for Energy and Materials Innovations, College of Physics, Optoelectronics and Energy, Soochow University, Suzhou 215006, China, **2015-09 to 2019-06**.

<u>Thesis Title</u>: Elastomeric Composites for Flexible Energy Storage Devices and their Structural, Mechanical and Performance Characteristics.

M.Phill: (Inorganic/Analytical Chemistry) Hazara University Manshera KPK, Pakistan, 2012-09 to 2014-07.

<u>Thesis Title</u>: Preparation and Properties of Novel Polymer/graphene-based Nanofluids with Increased Thermal Conductivity.

Master: (Inorganic/Analytical Chemistry) Hazara University Mansehra KPK, Pakistan, 2010-09 to 2012-06

Publications:

- <u>Rahim Shah</u>, Fazal Raziq, Sharafat Ali, Sajjad Ali, Pir Muhammad Ismail, Sayed Shah, Xiaoqiang Wu, Weidong He, Xiaotao Zu, Amir Zada, Adnan, Fazal Mabood, Ajayan Vinu, Jiabao Yi, and Liang Qiao. Exploration of Metal-Organic Frameworks and Covalent Organic Frameworks for Energy-related Applications: Coordination Chemistry Reviews. (IF: 24.833)
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- 5) <u>Rahim Shah</u>, Ayesha Kausar, Bakhtiar Muhammad, Sayed Shah. Progression from Graphene and Graphene Oxide to High Performance Polymer-Based Nanocomposite: A Review. *Polymer-Plastics Technology and Engineering* 2015, 54: 173–183. <u>DOI:10.1080/03602559.2014.955202</u>.
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- 6) <u>Rahim shah</u>, Ayesha Kausar, Bakhtiar Muhammad. Exploration of Polythiophene/Graphene, Poly(methyl methacrylate)/Graphene and PTh-*co*-PMMA/Graphene nanocomposities obtained *via in-situ* Technique. *Journal of Plastic Film & Sheeting* 2015, 31 144–157 <u>DOI:</u> <u>10.1177/8756087915572934.</u> (I.F = 2.75)
- 7) <u>Rahim shah</u>, Ayesha Kausar, Bakhtiar Muhammad. Characterization and Properties of Poly(methyl methacrylate)/Graphene, Poly(methyl methacrylate)/Graphene Oxide and Poly(methyl methacrylate)/pPhenylenediamine-Graphene Oxide Nanocomposites. *Polymer-Plastics Technology and Engineering* 2015, 54, 1334-1342. DOI:10.1080/03602559.2015.1010220. (I.F = 3.267)

- <u>Rahim Shah</u>, Ayesha Kausar, Bakhtiar Muhammad, Muhammad Khan. Investigation on Thermal Conductivity and Physical Properties of Polythiophene/p-Phenylenediamine-Graphene Oxide and Polythiophene-co-Poly(methyl methacrylate)/p-Phenylenediamine Graphene oxide Composites. *Composite Interfaces* 2016, 23(9): 887-899. <u>DOI: 10.1080/09276440.2016.1175198.</u> (I.F = 2.839)
- Tariq Ali, Haiyan Wang, Waseem Iqbal, Tariq Bashir, <u>Rahim Shah</u>, Yong Hu. Electro-Synthesis of Organic Compounds with Heterogeneous Catalysis. *Advanced Science* 2022, 2205077 <u>DOI:</u> <u>10.1002/advs.202205077 (IF: 17.52)</u>.
- Razzaq, Amir Abdul, Yuanzhou Yao, <u>Rahim Shah</u>, Pengwei Qi, Lixiao Miao, Muzi Chen, Xiaohui Zhao, Yang Peng, and Zhao Deng. "High-performance lithium-sulfur batteries enabled by a synergy between sulfur and carbon nanotubes." *Energy Storage Materials* 16 (2019) 194–202 <u>DOI:10.1016/j.ensm.2018.05.006.</u> (I.F = 20.831)
- Chen Yujie, Xietao Yuan, Cheng Yang, Yuebin Lian, Amir Abdul Razzaq, <u>Rahim Shah.</u> Jun Guo, Xiaohui Zhao, Yang Peng, and Zhao Deng. "γ-Fe₂O₃ nanoparticles embedded in porous carbon fibers as binder-free anodes for high-performance lithium and sodium ion batteries." *Journal of Alloys and Compounds* 777 (2019): 127-134 <u>DOI: 10.1016/j.jallcom.2018.10.371.</u> (I.F = 6.371)
- 12) Cheng Yang, Yu Yao, Yuebin Lian, Yujie Chen, <u>Rahim Shah</u>, Xiaohui Zhao, et al. A Double-Buffering Strategy to Boost the Lithium Storage of Botryoid MnO x/C Anodes. *Small* (2019): p:1900015 <u>DOI:10.1002/smll.201900015</u> (I.F = 15.15)
- 13) Yuanzhou Yao, Xiaohui Zhao, Amir Abdul Razzaq, Yuting Gu, Xietao Yuan, <u>Rahim Shah</u>, Yuebin Lian, Jinxuan lei, Qiaoqiao Mu, et al. Mosaic Graphene Layer on Lithium Metal Anodes for Effective Mediation of Lithium Plating and Stripping *Journal of Materials Chemistry A* 7 (2019):12214-12224 <u>DOI:10.1039/C9TA03679B</u>.(I.F = 14.51)
- 14) Yong Ma, Yuting Gu. Yuanzhou Yao, Huidong Jin, Xiaohui Zhao, Xietao Yuan, Yuebin Lian, Pengwei Qi, <u>Rahim Shah</u>, Yang Peng, and Zhao Deng Alkaliphilic Cu₂O nanowires on copper foam for hosting Li/Na as ultrastable alkali-metal anodes. *Journal of Materials Chemistry A* (2019) <u>DOI:</u> 10.1039/C9TA08687K. (I.F = 14.511)
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- 17) Ata Ur Rehman, Muhammad Zahir Shah, Wasim Afza, Muhammad Arsalan, Habib ur Rehman, Mati Ullah, Tianyu Zhao, Ihsan Ullah, Ala Ud Din, Saif Ullah, Rahim Shah, Muhammad Iqbal,

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- 19) Asif Hayat, Muhammad Sohail, T.A. Taha, Asma M. Alenad, Ikram Uddin, Ashiq Hayat, Tariq Ali, <u>Rahim Shah</u>, et al. A Superficial Intramolecular Alignment of Carbon Nitride through Conjugated Monomer for Optimized Photocatalytic CO₂ Reduction. *Catalysts* 30 July 2021 <u>https://doi.org/10.3390/catal11080935</u> (IF: 4.501)
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- 23) Adnan Adnan *, Muhammad Omer *, Behramand Khan, Inkisar Khan, Muhammad Alamzeb, Farah Muhammad Zada, Ihsan Ullah, <u>Rahim Shah</u>, Mohammad Alqarni, Jesus Simal-Gandara. Equilibrium, Kinetic and Thermodynamic Studies for The Adsorption of Metanil Yellow using Carbonized Pistachio Shell-Magnetic Nanoparticles. *Water*, (IF= 3.166)
- 24) Rashid Mehmood, Zia Ahamd, Muhammad Bilal Hussain, Muhammad Athar, Ghulam Akbar, Zeeshan Ajmal, Sikandar Iqbal, Rameez Razaq, Mohammad Arif Ali, Abdul Qayum, Aadil Nabi Chisti, Fakhar uz Zaman, <u>Rahim Shah</u> and Adnan. 2D-2D heterostructure g-C3N4-based materials for photocatalytic H2 evolution: Progress and perspectives. *Frontier in Chemistry* (IF: 5.545)
- 25) Ata Ur Rehman, Tianyu Zhao, Ihsan Muhammad, Shehla Rasheed, <u>Rahim Shah</u>, Adnan Raza Altaf, Fumin Zhang, Sining Yun. MgCl₂-MXene based nanohybrid composite for efficient thermochemical heat storage application *Journal of Energy Storage* (IF: 8.907)
- 26) Suad N. Alsaqri, Fazal Mabood, Ricard Boqué, Farah Jabeen, Aziz Ahmad, Javid Hussain, Mohammad Sohail, Mian Gul Syed, Saad Melhi, Adnan Shahzad, Muhammad Naeem Khan, Issa

Al-Amri, <u>Rahim Shah</u>, Imad Ud Din. Rapid detection of pork gelatin in ice cream samples by using non-destructive FT-NIR spectroscopy and Partial least squares-discriminant analysis *Food Chemistry Advances*.

Publication (in progress):

- 1. Synthesis of porous carbon and their applications in lithium-sulfur batteries.
- 2. Synthesis of Doped porous carbon and their application in energy storage devices.
- 3. Recent progress on carbon metal oxide Nano-composites for flexible lithium-sulfur batteries.
- 4. Recent Trend in Metal-Organic Framework (MOFs) for lithium-sulfur batteries.
- 5. The rise of Mxene for energy storage devices. A Review

Project participation:

- <u>2016-2019</u> Preparation and mechanical characterization of elastomeric graphene composites for flexible power supplies, Jiangsu Natural Science Foundation.
- <u>2017-2020</u> Research on Nanomechanics of Graphene Composites, Six Talents Summit Program of Jiangsu Province.
- 3) <u>2017-2020</u> Flexible self-supporting sulfur/carbon fibres composites for lithium-sulfur battery cathode research, Jiangsu Natural Science Foundation Project.

Rewards:

2015 CSC Scholarship for High Technology (to Pursue PhD Research)

2017 Annual Jiangsu Provincial Graduate Research and Practice Innovation Program.

2017 3rd Prize of the 2nd Graduate Academic Carnival Huaqi Scholarship of the Institute of Energy and Materials Innovation.

Workshops/Conferences/Seminars Attended:

- International Scientific Spring **2014** (ISS) NCP Islamabad.
- Fundamental of Rechargeable Li-ion Batteries and the Modern Worlds, Institute of Chemical Sciences University of Swat (20-05-2022).
- International conference on Research Advancements in Chemistry, National University of Science and Technology Islamabad (24-08-2022)
- 5th PAK-TURK International Conference in new technologies in engineering sciences, University of Wah. (01-12-2022)
- Two days workshop on 'Hands-On Lithium-ion Batteries' Institute of Chemical Sciences, University of Swat, Swat, KP Pakistan (December 8-9, 2022)

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Skills:

Synthesis & characterization of different nano-particles.

Fabrication of flexible electrodes for energy storage devices.

Experience on handling SEM, XRD, CV, FTIR, TGA, BET etc. machines.

Co-curricular Activities:

- 1) Responsible for the organizing and managing the activities in Soochow University and also in my home village in social sector.
- 2) Creativity, Problem Solving, leadership. Able to meet deadline.
- 3) Ability to work independently as well as with team.
- 4) Good Communication skills.
- 5) Highly motivated and active in social activities, volunteer ship and scouting etc.
- 6) To find and learn the latest (New) Software's of Different types.
- 7) Surfing the Internet and Listening Music.

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