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SUMMARY¹

Ms. Jinal Tapar is a Ph.D. scholar working under Dr. Naresh Emani (Google Scholar) at the department of Electrical Engineering, IIT Hyderabad and have submitted her thesis. Her research interest spans Semiconductor Nanophotonics, Non-Hermitian systems, All-dielectric tunable metasurfaces. In her Ph.D. with Dr. Emani's group, she investigated the prospects of parity-time (\mathcal{PT}) symmetric nanophotonic devices for light generation and manipulation bridging nanophotonics and quantum physics.

EDUCATION

PhD, Electrical Engineering	07.2017 - present
Indian Institute of Technology, Hyderabad, India	
MTech, Electronics and Communication Engineering	08.2013 - 08.2015
Amravati University, Amravati, India	
BTech, Instrumentation	07.2006 - 04.2010
Government College of Engineering, Amravati, India	

PROFESSIONAL CAREER

External Project Staff (INUP)	11.2016 - 04.2017
Indian Institute of Technology, Bombay	
Assistant Professor at ECE Dept.	01.2016 - 07.2017
HVPM College of Engineering, Amravati	

PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION, AWARDS AND HONOURS

2020 Best Poster Award in Plasmonics and Photonics Symposium, IEEE ICEE 2020 conference.

2015 University Color coat holder for best research project at state level.

RESEARCH PROJECTS

Thesis related: Optical gain enhancement in semiconductor nanostructures, Effect of surface recombination on carrier lifetime, PT-symmetric metasurfaces for light generation and manipulation, Multipole analysis of gain-loss nanoantenna, BIC cavity lasers.

Collabarative: Light generation from MIM plasmonic tunnel junctions, spatio-temporal modulation of permittivity, and Mid-IR photodetection.

TEACHING ASSISTANT EXPERIENCE

Undergraduate courses: Semiconductor Fundamentals, Electronic Devices and Circuits, Physics of MOS Transistors, Engineering Electromagnetics, NPTEL course - Introduction to Semiconductor Devices

Postgraduate courses: Introduction to Nanophotonics, VLSI Technology, and Microfabrication and Device Simulation Laboratory

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RESEARCH ASSISTANT EXPERIENCE (STUDENTS MENTORED)

1. Karthik Pagadala (UG graduate, Jan 2021 - July 2021)

Current Affiliation: Graduate Research Assistant, Purdue University.

Project: GaN-InGaN QW LED Metasurface – Understanding Coherence for Tailored Directional Response.

2. Akshita Ramya Kamsali (UG graduate, Aug 2019 - July 2020)

Current Affiliation: Graduate Research Assistant, Purdue University.

Project: Investigation of Carrier Dynamics in GaAs using Fluorescence Lifetime Microscopy.

PUBLICATION SUMMARY

4 refereed journal articles, 8 Conference Proceedings/talks

SERIAL JOURNAL ARTICLES

- 4. **Jinal Tapar**, S. Kishen, and Naresh Emani, "Dynamically tunable asymmetric transmission in PT-symmetric phase gradient metasurface", ACS Photonics Article ASAP IF: 7.529 [doi]
- 3. **Jinal Tapar**, S. Kishen, and Naresh Emani, "Spectral singularities and asymmetric light scattering in PT-symmetric 2D nanoantenna arrays." Optics Letters 45, no. 18 (2020): 5185-5188. IF: 3.776 [doi]
- Jinal Tapar, S. Kishen, P. Kumar, Kaushik Nayak, and Naresh Emani, "Enhancement of the optical gain in GaAs nanocylinders for nanophotonic applications." Journal of Applied Physics 127, no. 15 (2020): 153102. IF: 2.546 [doi]
- 1. Kishen, Saurabh, **J. Tapar**, and Naresh Emani, "Enhanced light emission from gap plasmons in nano-strip MIM tunnel junctions." Journal of Optics 22, no. 9 (2020): 095006. IF: 2.753 [doi]

JOURNAL ARTICLES UNDER REVIEW/PREPARATION

- 3. **Jinal Tapar**, S. Kishen, and Naresh Emani, "Generalized Kerker effect in PT-symmetric nanoantenna array" (*Under review*)
- 2. Vinod Sharma, **J. Tapar**, S. Kishen, and Naresh Emani, "Tunable mid-infrared photodetection using graphene nanoribbons" (*Under review*)
- 1. Saurabh Kishen, **J. Tapar**, and Naresh Emani, "Tunable Directional Emission from Electrically-driven Nanostrip Tunnel Junctions" (*Under preparation*)

CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS/TALKS

- 9. **Jinal Tapar**. Non-Hermitian nanophotonics: Tailoring light with gain and loss. SPIE IITB student chapter Online Invited Lecture Series 2021. (Invited Talk)
- 8. **Jinal Tapar**, S. Kishen, Naresh Emani, "Dynamically Tunable Asymmetric Transmission in PT symmetric Metasurfaces" SPIE Active Photonic Platforms XIII, San Diego, USA, 1-5 August 2021 [link] (Oral)
- 7. **Jinal Tapar**, S. Kishen, Naresh Emani, "Spectral singularities and broadband unidirectional invisibility in 2D PT-symmetric metamaterial" META, University of Warsaw, Poland, 20-23 July 2021 [link] (Poster)
- Kishen Saurabh., J. Tapar, Naresh Emani, "Enhanced light generation due to hybridization of lattice and gap plasmon modes in periodic MIMtunnel junction" META, University of Warsaw, Poland, 20-23 July 2021 (Poster)

- Jinal Tapar, Naresh Emani, "Exceptional scattering in PT-symmetric GaInP nanoantenna metasurfaces." Photonics and Plasmonics symposia, IEEE ICEE, IIT Delhi (virtual), 26-28 November 2020 (Best poster award) [link]
- 4. **Jinal Tapar**, S. Kishen, and Naresh Emani, "Tunable Spectral Singularities with Asymmetric Directional Response in PT-symmetric 2D Nanoantenna Array." In Frontiers in Optics, pp. FM2E-3. Optical Society of America, 2020. (Oral) [doi]
- 3. Ramya Akshita, **J. Tapar**, and Naresh Emani, "Experimental Verification of Enhanced Photoluminescence in p-doped GaAs using Fluorescence Lifetime Measurements." In 2019 Workshop on Recent Advances in Photonics (WRAP), pp. 1-3. IEEE, 2019. [doi] (Poster)
- 2. Kishen, Saurabh, **J. Tapar**, and Naresh Emani. "Study of Gap Plasmons in 2D Finite Metal-Insulator-Metal Tunnel Junctions." In 2019 Workshop on Recent Advances in Photonics (WRAP), pp. 1-4. IEEE, 2019. [doi] (Poster)
- 1. **Jinal Tapar**, S. Kishen, K. Nayak, Naresh Emani, "Optimizing the Gain in Semiconductor Nanostructures for All-Dielectric Active Metamaterial Applications." ICMAT, Marina Bay Sands, Singapore, 23-28 June 2019 (Poster)

TECHNICAL SKILL SET

- Computational Simulation: Finite element modeling (FEM) COMSOL, Finite difference time domain (FDTD) Ansys Lumerical, and Density functional theory (DFT) atomistic simulation tool SynopsysTM Quantum ATK.
- Experimental: Clean-room (Class 1000 and 100) experience with hands-on e-beam lithography Crestec 9500C, SEM Zeiss EVO, and RIE etching (Cl chemistry) Oxford PlasmaPro. Fluorescence Lifetime Imaging Microscopy (FLIM) ISS Q2.
- · Good coding proficiency with Python and MATLAB scripts
- Proficiency with graphics softwares like Adobe Illustrator, Pov-ray, Blender.

INTERPERSONAL SKILLS

- · Teamwork and adaptability
- · Organized, punctual and diligent
- · Self-motivated and creative