Doctor of Philosophy

Biological Sciences

Amit Kumar Verma Thesis Supervisor: **Dr. Chandan Sahi**

Thesis Title: Evolutionary Conservation and Emerging Functional Diversity of the

Cytosolic Hsp70: J Protein Chaperone Network in Plants

Muralikrishna Lella Thesis Supervisor: Dr. R Mahalakshmi

Thesis Title: Distinct Conformational Preferences of a Pore Forming Protein: Molecular

Mechanism and Peptide Engineering

Raut Sandeep Shrikrishna Thesis Supervisor: Dr. Chandan Sahi

Thesis Title: Identification of Molecular Chaperones having Neuron-specific Functions;

Roles Beyond Protein Folding and Aggregate Remodeling

Darshan Bharatkumar Dhakan Thesis Supervisor: Dr. Vineet K Sharma

Thesis Title: Elucidating the Role of Human Gut Microbiome in Health and Disease using

Next Generation Sequencing and Computational Approaches

Mansi Gujrati Thesis Supervisor: Dr. Ram Kumar Mishra

Thesis Title: Critical Role for Periplakin SUMOylation in the Efficient Re-organization of

Keratin Intermediate Filament Network

Amit Gupta Thesis Supervisor: Dr. Sanjeev Shukla

Thesis Title: Study of Oncogenic Role of PAK2 and HNRNPA2B1 in Head and Neck

Cancer

Ankit Gupta Thesis Supervisor: Dr. Vineet K Sharma

Thesis Title: Functional Insights into Genomes and Metagenomes through Integrative

Omics and Machine Learning Approaches

Ashish Kumar Thesis Supervisor: Himanshu Kumar

Thesis Title: Host miRNA Suppresses H5N1 Influenza Virus Replication by Targeting

Host and Viral Gene



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Biological Sciences

Neha Dobriyal Thesis Supervisor: Dr. Chandan Sahi

Thesis Title: Functional Specificity of Caj1: A Class II J Protein in Saccharomyces

Cerevisiae

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Thesis Title: Assessing the Functional Roles of Human and Environment-associated

Microbiomes using Next-Generation Sequencing

Chemistry

Maheshwerreddy Chilamari Thesis Supervisor: Dr. Vishal Rai

Thesis Title: Single-site Labeling of Lysine in Native Proteins through Multicomponent

Approach

Pradip Kumar Mondal Thesis Supervisor: Dr. Deepak Chopra

Thesis Title: Exploring Solid State Diversity in Molecular Crystals

Pralhad Namdev Joshi Thesis Supervisor: Dr. Vishal Rai

Thesis Title: Catalysis by Proteins and their Site-selective Bioconjugation

Debarati Roy Chowdhury Thesis Supervisor: Dr. Amit Paul

Thesis Title: Electrochemical Methodology Development and Heterogeneous Water

Oxidation by Transition Metal-Based Systems

Landa Purushottam Thesis Supervisor: Dr. Vishal Rai

Thesis Title: Aldehyde Enabled Site-selective Protein Modification and Purification

Rajesh Kumar Thesis Supervisor: Dr. Aasheesh Srivastava

Thesis Title: Fluorescent Molecular Tweezers Based on Pyridine-2, 6-Dicarboxamide

(PDC) Framework: Sensing and Photophysical Aspects



Doctor of Philosophy

Chemistry

Somnath Dharmaraj Bhagat Thesis Supervisor: Dr. Aasheesh Srivastava

Thesis Title: C-terminal Modified Amphiphilic L-Phenylalanine Derivatives: Anticancer

Potential and Templates for Gold Nanoassemblies

Jyoti Rai Thesis Supervisor: Dr. J Sankar

Thesis Title: Homometallic Corrole-Porphyrin-Corrole Triads: Synthesis, Characterization

and Application

K Naresh Babu Thesis Supervisor: Professor Alakesh Bisai

Thesis Title: Asymmetric Approach to Naturally Occurring Alkaloids Sharing 3a,3a'-Bis-

Pyrrolo[2,3-b]Indoline and Benzofuroindoline

Mrinal Kanti Das Thesis Supervisor: Professor Alakesh Bisai

Thesis Title: Total Syntheses of Amaryllidaceae Alkaloids Sharing cis-3a-

Aryloctahydroindole Skeleton

Pragyan Pallavi Thesis Supervisor: Dr. Abhijit Patra

Thesis Title: Tailoring the Noncovalent Assemblies of Molecules: Development of

Materials with Tunable Fluorescence

Vandana Rathore Thesis Supervisor: Professor Sangit Kumar

Thesis Title: Transition-Metal-Free Synthesis of Diaryl Acetamides, Disulfides, and

Unsymmetrical Organochalcogenyl Indoles

Chiranjit Ghosh Thesis Supervisor: Dr. Manmohan Kapur

Thesis Title: Total Synthesis of the Proposed Structure of Mycobactin J and Transition

Metal-Catalyzed Directed C-H dienylation

Gangam Srikanth Kumar Thesis Supervisor: Dr. Manmohan Kapur

Thesis Title: Transition Metal-Catalyzed Synthesis and Functionalization of Nitrogen

Heterocycles via C-H Bond Activation



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Chemistry

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Thesis Title: Transition Metal-Based Porous Heterogeneous Electrocatalysts for Oxygen

Evolution Reaction

Rahul Shukla Thesis Supervisor: Dr. Deepak Chopra

Thesis Title: Experimental and Computational Methods towards a Quantitative

Understanding of σ and π -hole Directed Interactions

Vikas Sharma Thesis Supervisor: Dr. Apurba Lal Koner

Thesis Title: Synthesis of Functionalized Perylenemonoimides with Tailored Electro-

optical Properties and their Applications in Sensing, White-light Emission,

and Memory Devices

Earth and Environmental Sciences

Dicton Saikia Thesis Supervisor: Dr. Pritam Nasipuri

Thesis Title: Neoproterozoic Tectonism at the Eastern Ghats Belt - Bastar Craton

Interface, Eastern India: Constraints from Geochemical, Metamorphic and

Geochronological Investigations

Physics

Prachi Mohanty Thesis Supervisors: Dr. Ravi Prakash Singh

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Thesis Title: Exchange Bias Effect in Complex Magnetic Oxide Systems

Rajesh Kumar Yadav Thesis Supervisor: Dr. K V Adarsh

Thesis Title: Designing Multifunctional Heterostructure for Nonlinear Optical Response



Doctor of Philosophy

Physics

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Thesis Title: Terahertz Collective and Free Carrier Dynamics in Complex Ground States of

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A total of 31 Degrees of Doctor of Philosophy will be awarded. 10 graduands are from Biological Sciences, 17 from Chemistry, 1 Earth and Environmental Sciences and 3 from Physics.



Dual Degree of Bachelor of Science and Master of Science

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Saurish Khandelwal Yashwant Patidar

A total of 146 Dual Degree of BS-MS will be awarded. 34 graduands are from Biological Sciences, 33 from Chemistry, 13 from Earth and Environmental Sciences, 12 from Mathematics, and 54 from Physics.

Bachelor of Science

Earth and Environmental Sciences

Gourav Babarwal Shivam Dixit

Physics

Zankar Omkar Pradip

A total of 3 BS Degrees will be awarded to students of BS-MS (Dual Degree) programme. 2 graduands are from Earth and Environmental Sciences and 1 from Physics.



Master of Science

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Angana Bhattacharya Sayan Maity

Diksha Singh Shilpi Jaiswal

Kovida Upasana Gayen

Rahul Kant Jha Yashvi Paniya

Mathematics

Shubhendu Singh Sourayan Banerjee

Sagar Naganath Shinde

Physics

Chandan Patra Md Ishaque Khan

Dipankar Sen Riyanka Karmakar

Kaustav Mukherjee Vinod Kumar

Kushal Chakraborty

A total of 22 Master of Science Degrees will be awarded to students of Integrated Ph.D. programme. 12 graduands are from Chemistry, 3 from Mathematics and 7 from Physics.

