

*Curriculum Vitae*  
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***Education***

***PhD in Mechanical Engineering***

Purdue University

Aug 2021-Present

***Master of Science in Mechanical Engineering***

University of Texas Rio Grande Valley

Jan 2020-Aug 2021

GPA: 3.90/4.0

***Bachelor of Science in Mechanical Engineering***

Bangladesh University of Engineering and Technology

July 2014-Oct 2018

GPA: 3.66/4.0

***Awards and Achievements***

- Dean's list Award- Academic year 2017-2018, BUET, Bangladesh
- Education Board Technical scholarship 2014 to 2018, for securing 95% marks in 12<sup>th</sup> standard exam
- Awardee in National chemistry Olympiad 2012, Bangladesh
- Ranked 15<sup>th</sup> in the BSc entrance exam in Mechanical Engineering Department among 180 students, BUET, Bangladesh
- PGRA Scholarship Awardee in UTRGV, USA, 2020-2021
- Active membership as a research student of PREM, UTRGV
- Research Assistantship (RA) Awardee at ETSL lab, Purdue University, 2021-Present

***Research Interests***

Energy Application, Innovative Materials Design, Mechanics of Materials, Control Engineering, Optimization

***Research Experiences***

**Experimental and Numerical Studies of pulsatile Non-Newtonian Flow Behavior along T and Y Junctions**  
(Sep 2017 – Oct 2018)

- Measuring flow vorticity, flow-field, velocity field of glycerin-water (50% w/w) solution analogous to blood matrix along the fabricated epoxy channel
- Implementation of Carreau model to visualize non-Newtonian flow behavior of blood matrix by ANSYS Fluent simulation
- Validated the results of flow field, vorticity with the experimental and numerical ones

**Antibacterial activities of centrifugally spun PEO/Ag, PEO/Cu and PVP/Cu composite nanofibers**

(Jan 2020 – Sep 2020)

- Preparation of composite nanofibers by centrifugal spinning from PEO, PVP polymer solutions with Ag and Cu nanoparticles
- Characterization of nanofibers by SEM, XRD, EDS, TGA tools
- Finest workability of nanofibrous membrane to inhibit bacterial structure at nanoscale level
- Exhibiting 100%, 99.96% and 98.67% inhibition efficiency by PEO/Ag and PEO/Cu, PVP/Cu composite nanofibers

**The Effect of Solvent and Molecular Weight on the Morphology of Centrifugally Spun PVP nanofibers**

(Feb 2020 – Aug 2020)

- Generation of continuous and bead free nanofibers from various molecular weights and selected solvents
- Molecular weight (360,000) of PVP polymer in both solvents resulting into thicker diameter compared to Mw (1,300,000)
- Displaying highly homogenous porous surface from PVP (Mw 1,300,000)/DMF solution while aqueous solutions showed smooth fibrous surface

### **Synthesis of SnO<sub>2</sub>/TiO<sub>2</sub> micro belt-fibers from polymer composite precursors and applications in LIBs**

(Aug 2020 – Feb 2021)

- Belt shape morphology formation with spherical particles on the surfaces from SnO<sub>2</sub>/TiO<sub>2</sub>/PVP nanofibers under 700°C heat treatment in air
- SnO<sub>2</sub>/TiO<sub>2</sub>/C as anode, delivering 1200 mAh/g capacity initially at 100mA/g; decreased to 279 mAh/g after 100 cycles
- Columbic efficiency retention 99% throughout cycles, indicating good reversibility

### **Centrifugally spun uncoated, coated and slurry coated SnO<sub>2</sub>/TiO<sub>2</sub>/C composite fibers as anode in SIBs**

(Nov 2020 – Aug 2021)

- Implementing three different synthesizing techniques for the uncoated, coated and slurry coated PAN/PMMA/SnO<sub>2</sub>/TiO<sub>2</sub> composite fibers
- Showing huge porosity/defects in PAN/PMMA induced nanofibers facilitating the uniform dispersion of SnO<sub>2</sub>/TiO<sub>2</sub> active material
- Uncoated sample: representing lower capacity fading and more stability than other samples because of the finer in-situ polymerization of precursors
- SnO<sub>2</sub> coupled with TiO<sub>2</sub> anode; capacity retention amazingly stabilized with good cyclability

### **EMI shielding effectiveness from magnetite and functionalized MWCNTs polymer composite**

(March 2020 – Oct 2020)

- Forcespun based Fe<sub>3</sub>O<sub>4</sub>/f-MWCNTs/C nanofibers generation
- Yielding flexible CNF because of the carbonization at elevated temperature
- Pronounced Shielding effectiveness due to the optimized concentrated magnetite embedded into porous CNFs with conducting f-MWCNTs

### ***Review paper study experiences***

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- Self-healing of metals and metal matrices: A review study (Feb 2020-Jan 2021)
  - Additive manufacturing of 3D printed Titanium alloy: In depth review analysis on the processing, microstructure, defects, and mechanical properties (Jan 2020-Dec 2020)

### ***Academic Projects***

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- Numerical analysis of a Truss support; “Numerical Analysis Sessional course”, 2015
    - Literature review study on the node analysis of a truss
    - Development of MATLAB based code for the nodal analysis of a truss body
    - Calculating forces, moments at various joints
  - Smart robot, shielding thieves from room; “Instrumentation and Measurement Sessional course”, 2017
    - Arduino controlled robots, comparing assigned and non-assigned faces
    - Python based code development for the path planning of the robot
    - Experiences on troubleshooting for the control of a robot as a real-life implementation
  - Sliding mode control of a two-link robot manipulator; “Robot Modeling and Control course”, 2021
    - Dealing with dynamics and its behavior of a two-link manipulator
    - Minimizing the error convergence of joint parameters with designed value
    - Developing code in MATLAB and SIMULINK for the simulation of convergency

- Having idea about unknown external disturbance effects on the dynamical behavior
- Nano technological protection against metallic failure of Power-plant, “Nanotechnology course”, 2020
  - Literature study of the failure of metallic components of a power-plant
  - Presenting nanotechnology based novel idea to get rid of these failure
  - Focusing sustainable solution for the existent failure of various components of power-plant
- PVD coatings on Tribological Applications, “Tribology course”, 2020
  - Deep study on PVD coating parameters on substrate and its behavior
  - Representing the effective behavior of PVD coating against extreme situation
  - Analyzing the performance of tribological rupture due to coating

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### ***Graduate Teaching Assistant***

Spring 2021

- Teaching assistant at Mechanical Engineering Department, UTRGV, Edinburg, TX
- Grading undergraduate student’s answer scripts of “Numerical Methods (MATLAB based)” course
- Conducting Q & A session of that course among 60 students

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### ***Internship Experience***

March 2018; 20hrs/week

- Engineering Trainee at 225 MW Combined Cycle Power plant Khulna, Bangladesh NWPGL
- Training in operation and maintenance of 120MW gas turbine and 105MW steam turbine
- Gaining extensive knowledge about the fuel, generation, lubrication, electrical system of the plant

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### ***Skills***

#### **Machinery**

- Auto lab, Arbin, Nova, Gamry  
Battery Analysis tools
- Universal testing machine
- SEM, EDS, TGA, DMA, XRD
- Forcespinning, Electrospinning
- Rheometer, Viscometer
- Lathe, Milling, Shaper operation

#### **Software**

- CAD: SolidWorks, AutoCAD
- CAE: ANSYS, COMSOL
- Control: ARDUINO
- Materials: LAMMPS
- Programming: MATLAB, C, C++
- Statistics: Origin Pro, Sigma Plot, Tec plot

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### ***Leadership and Extracurricular Activities***

#### **Member of non-profit organizations**

- Projects for Humanity (<http://projects4humanity.org/>); 2020-Current; 1hr/week
- Badhon Blood Donating Club, BUET, Bangladesh; 2015-2017; ½ hr/week

#### **Leadership capacity**

- Guiding and Conducting a Research hub for writing Review papers; Jan 2020-Present;1hr/week
- Every year, managing and distributing cloths in winter season among poor people in Bangladesh, 2017-2019; 2hrs/week
- Training students at Manarat university, Bangladesh about the mechanical instruments, 2019; 4 weeks