## **Curriculum Vitae**

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### **Educational Qualifications**

Pursuing **Ph.D.** in Chemistry, University of Houston, TX 77025, USA. **M. S.** in Chemistry (Distinction), D.A.V.V. University, Indore, India, 1997-1999 **B. S.** Nagarjuna University, Guntur, A.P., India

#### **Research Interests**

Synthesis and characterization of functional core dendrimers with electro active peripheral groups.

Fabrication and testing of OLED and Photovoltaic devices

#### **Professional Experience**

Research Assistant, May, 2006 ~ Present
Department of Chemistry, University of Houston, Houston, TX
Teaching Assistant, August, 2005 ~ April, 2006
Department of Chemistry, University of Houston, Houston, TX
Taught higher organic chemistry laboratories
Research Assistant, May, 2005~ August, 2005
Department of Chemistry, University of Houston, Houston, TX
Teaching Assistant, August, 2004 ~ April, 2005
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Research Assistant, May, 2004~ August, 2004
Department of Chemistry, University of Houston, Houston, TX
Teaching Assistant, August, 2003 ~ April, 2004
Department of Chemistry, University of Houston, Houston, TX
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### **Scientific Skills**

Organic Synthesis: Synthesis of small organic molecules and dendrimers Organic and Polymer Ultrathin Films: Synthesis and Electrochemical deposition techniques Other Techniques: NMR, UV-vis/fluorescence, GC, FT-IR spectroscopy

## **Scholarships/ Fellowships**

• University of Houston: Graduate Assistant fellowship from 2003 ~ Present

## **Professional Affiliations**

American Chemical Society: Member since 2005

# **References**

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