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Visva Bharati	B.Sc.
Visva Bharati	M.Sc.
Saha Institute of Nuclear Physics, Kolkata	Ph.D.

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Research interests:

My research interest is understanding the self-organized evolution of nanostructures under ion irradiation and the modification in material properties resulting from nanoscale structural and compositional variation. The novel properties of materials at nanoscale are becoming increasingly important with the expanding scope of nanotechnology. Consequently, large scale synthesis of nanostructures or nanopatterns in a reliable, reproducible, and controllable way is becoming vital towards tailoring the material properties. In this context, ion beam synthesis offers the special advantage of large scale fabrication, often in a single step, which is controllable in terms of a number of experimental parameters. A range of nanostructures including periodic nanoscale surface patterns like ripples/nanodots, nanoscale porous structures, and metal/metal-semiconductor composite nanodots evolves on materials surface under ion irradiation of bulk substrates and thin films under specific experimental condition.

It is of great scientific interest to understand the process of evolution of such varied range of nanostructures and correlation of material properties with structural and compositional modification. This is also crucial towards designing of nanostructured materials with tailor made properties for technological applications.

- **Self-organized evolution of periodic surface nanostructures under ion irradiation**
- **Evolution of nano-porous materials under ion irradiation**
- **Metal-semiconductor composite nanostructure evolution by ion beam dewetting**
- **Understanding the properties of nanostructured materials**

Research guidance:

Projects:

Select list of publications (Only number):

- a) Journals: 36
- b) Books/ book chapters:
- c) Conference/ seminar volumes: 4

Membership of Learned Societies:

Invited lectures delivered: ‘**Medium energy ion impact on semiconductor and insulator surfaces: evolution of nanostructure and surface properties**’ in **International Conference on Nanostructuring by Ion Beams (ICNIB 2021)**, 5th to 8th October, 2021 organized by Inter University Accelerator Center, New Delhi, IOP Bhubaneswar, IIT Bhubaneswar, and NISER, Bhubaneswar

Awards: Post-doctoral Fellowship offered by National Institute for Materials Science, Japan.

Other notable activities: Indian patent on “a solar Photocatalytic process for treatment of wastewater” (patent no **442435**) with J. Talukdar and B. Tripathy.

List of Journal Publication: (Last ten years)

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17. S. K. Garg, **D.P. Datta**, T. Basu, I. Thakur, S.R. Tripathy, K. Khare, D. Kanjilal, T. Som, **Tunable wettability of Si through surface energy engineering by nanopatterning**, *RSC Advances*, **6**, 48550 (2016).
16. **D. P. Datta** and T. Som, **Nanoporosity-induced superhydrophobicity and large antireflection in InSb**, *Applied Physics Letters* **108**, 191603 (2016).
15. V. Siva, S. S. Sahu, **D. P. Datta**, P. C. Pradhan, M. Nayak, V. Solanki, D. Topwal, K. Senapati, P. K. Sahoo, **Ion irradiation induced phase transition of Co in Co/Au multilayer**, *Journal of Alloys and Compounds*, **680**, 722 (2016).
14. **D. P. Datta**, S. K. Garg, S. Chatterjee, B. Satpati, P. K. Sahoo, D. Kanjilal and T. Som, **Facile synthesis of a superhydrophobic and colossal broadband antireflective nanoporous GaSb surface**, *RSC Advances*, **6**, 48919 (2016).
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9. **D. P. Datta**, S. K. Garg, B. Satpati, P. K. Sahoo, A. Kanjilal, S. Dhara, D. Kanjilal, and T. Som, **60 keV Ar⁺-ion induced modification of microstructural, compositional, and vibrational properties of InSb**, *Journal of Applied Physics* **116**, 143502 (2014).
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