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**Teaching: Photo Chemistry, Analytical Chemistry, Supramolecular chemistry**

**Research area:** Photochemistry, Synthetic and Biopolymers, Hybrid Materials, Environmental Chemistry, Computational Chemistry.

**Total No. of Journal publications:** 24

**Total No. of Book publications:** 4

**Total No. of book chapter publications:** 1

**Teaching Experience:** 24 years

**Post Doctoral Training:** University of Bordeaux (France), University of Florida (USA).

**Visiting scientist:** Toyo University (Japan), King Abdullah University of Science and Technology (Saudi Arabia), Hokkaido University (JAPAN)

**Sponsored Projects:** 4

### **Education**

B.Sc. Chemistry - CMS College, Kottayam, Kerala

M.Sc. Chemistry- School of Chemical Sciences, Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, Kerala

Ph.D. – CSIR, NIIST (Formerly RRL), Kerala University, Trivandrum, Kerala

## **Research Students**

- 1. Dr. Deepa K. Baby** (Faculty, Rajagiri School of Engineering and Technology, Ernakulum)-**Awarded PhD in 2016**
- 2. Geethy P. Gopalan – PhD Thesis (under preparation)**
- 3. Anjaly Sivadas – PhD Thesis (under preparation)**
- 4. Nidhin Joy** (Faculty, St. Dominic’s College, Kanjirappally) – **Pursuing PhD**