

## Editorial

I consider it my honour to introduce this issue of Mapana-Journal of Sciences which is dedicated to research articles from chemical sciences. This issue comprises of four articles pertaining to different areas of chemical sciences.

The article by Rita Bhattacharjee *et. al.* reports a series of palladium complexes with quinazoline derivatives and their antimicrobial activities. B.R.Venugopal presents a simple and efficient wet chemical method for the immobilization of metal sulfide nanocrystals on the surface of oxygenated MWCNTs. The photothermal property of the CNTs, facilitated by the IR irradiation is the key step in the effective immobilization of nanocrystals on CNTs. The article by P.V. Anila *et. al.* is related to preparation and characterization of Cobalt(II), zinc(II) and mercury(II) complexes of 2-Benzoylpyridine benzoylhydrazone. The article by Shameem.K *et. al.* deals with the nutritional quality evaluation of Indian fish-*Trichiurus lepturus*.

We thank all the authors and reviewers for their cooperation and support in bringing out this issue of Mapana-Journal of Sciences. We look forward to receive your feed backs on these articles.

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