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1. **Arun. V**; Manoj SV and Ambili Raj DB (2021): Synthesis and Spectral Characterization Copper(II) Schiff Base Complex Derived from 3-hydroxyquinoxaline-2-carboxaldehyde. Bulletin of Pure and Applied Sciences, Vol. 40C (Chemistry), No. 2, July-December 2021, 90-95.
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**PRESENTATIONS:**

1. Oral Presentation:Presented a paper entitled“Catalytic hydroxylation of phenol with H2O2 by a binuclear copper (II) complex of NN' bis(3-hydroxyquinoxaline-2-carboxalidibe)2,3-diaminomaleonitrile” By **V. Arun** and K.K. M. Yusuff in the International Conference in the Emerging trends in Computational and Material Chemistry Research(ICCMCR-2020) organised by Research and Post graduate department of chemistry & Polymer Chemistry of KSMDB College, Sasthamcotta, Kerala, India, on 9th to 12 Nobember 2020.
2. Oral Presentation: Presented a paper entitled “Oxovanadium(IV) heterocyclic Schiff base complex: Synthesis, spectral investigation and catalytic activity in cyclohexane oxidation” By **V. Arun** and K.K. M. Yusuffin the UGC sponsored national seminar on “Advances in the Frontier Areas of Chemical Sciences (NSAFC-2016) organised by the Department of Chemistry, St. John’s College, Anchal on 09th and 10th November **2016.**
3. Oral Presentation: Presented a paper entitled “Phenol hydroxylation with hydrogen peroxide catalysed by a binuclear copper(II) Schiff base complex catalyst by **V. Arun**, NithaPrabha and K.K. M. Yusuffin the two day National Seminar sponsored by the Kerala State Council For Science Technology and Environment (KSCSTE) at Post Graduate and Research Department of Chemistry, S.N. College, Kollam 691 001, from 29th and 30th June **2016**
4. Oral Presentation: Presented a paper entitled “Hydroxylation of phenol with hydrogen peroxide catalyzed by a new binuclear copper(II) Schiff base complex derived from 3-hydroxyquinoxaline-2-carboxaldehyde” by **V. Arun** and K. K. M. Yusuff, in the UGC sponsored national seminar on Nano Material for Energy Applications at P.G. Department of Physics, S.N. College, Punalur-691 305, from 7th and 8thJanuary*,* **2016**
5. Oral Presentation**:** Presented a paper “Synthesis and characterization of a new fluorescent material: N,N’-bis(3-hydroxyquinoxaline-2-carboxalidene)-1,8-diaminonaphthalene” in the UGC Sponsored **Refresher Course** for University/College Teachers conducted by, the UGC-HRDC, Kariavattom, Thiruvananthapuram from **28-05-2015 to 17-06-2015**
6. Oral Presentation**:** Presented a paper *“*A comparative study of common ions present in branded and handmade tooth paste by simple laboratory analysis” in the UGC Sponsored **Orientation Programme (IT oriented)** for University/College Teachers conducted by, the UGC-Academic Staff College, University of Kerala, Kariavattom, Thiruvananthapuram from **14-10-2014 to 10-11-2014**
7. Short Presentation: on “FTIR Spectroscopy-One of many tools to predict the coordination in transition metal Schiff base complexes” by **Dr. V. Arun**-UGC sponsored national conference on “Recent Advances in Spectroscopy: A Chemical and Biological Perspective” held at the Post Graduate Department of Chemistry, Newman College, Thodupuzha, Idukki- 685 585, Kerala, India, on February 28- March 2, 2013
8. Oral Presentation: on “A new ruthenium(II) Schiff base complex as efficient catalyst precursor for toluene hydrogenation” by **Dr. V. Arun**- National Seminar on “Current Trends in Chemistry” (CTriC 2014) organized by the Department of Applied Chemistry, Cochin University of Science and Technology, Cochin- 682 022, Kerala, India, from 18th and 19th January 2004

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