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EDUCATION

University of Kentucky

PhD Candidate in Chemistry

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2020- present

University of Tennessee

Bachelor of Arts in Genetics

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RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

University of Kentucky

Lead of Decabacteria and Egregia Adaceae

Research Scientist Senior

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PUBLICATIONS AND PAPERS

Kharel, S. L.; Gnanamani, M. K.; Hoque, M. A.; **Abad, K.**; Huang, N.; Gao, X.; Liu, K.; Mosebi, A.; Thompson, J. Copper-Doped Tin Oxides Supported on Mesoporous Carbon Xerogel for Boosting the Electrochemical Reduction of CO_2 to Formate in Bicarbonate Solution Coupled with CO_2 . *Industrial & Engineering Chemistry Research* 2024, 63 (14), 6158-6168.

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SKILLS AND TRAINING

Instrumentation Agilent T F-MS, Dionex IC, Agilent IC -MS, Agilent GC/MS, 3D printer, CR,
Gel electrophoresis, microwave digestion
Software Masshunter, MSD Chemstation, Chromeleon, JM , Matlab, Cura