

Curriculum Vitae

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Educational

B.Sc. Chemical Engineering Department, Middle East Technical University, Ankara, Turkey
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M.Sc. Chemical Engineering Department, Middle East Technical University, Ankara, Turkey
September 1986 Thesis: Separation of binary liquid mixtures by parametric pumping

PhD. Chemical Engineering and Gas Processing unit, University of Salford, Great Manchester
UK, January 1998. Thesis: Static and dynamic bifurcation behavior of the Industrial UNIPOL
Process for polyethylene production in bubbling fluidized bed reactors.

Professional Membership and Recognition

Associate Member (IChemE)
American Chemical Society (ACS)
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Research Areas:

Modeling and simulation of chemical processes
Fabrication of hollow fiber membrane
Polymer reaction engineering
Separation processes
Advanced control of nonlinear systems

Postgraduate Supervision

PhD students

1. Javad Hederian: Studies on the kinetics of polymerization of polyamide hot melt adhesives. August, 2005. University Malaya, Malaysia
2. Suhairi AbdulSata: Advanced control of batch polymerization reactor, 2006. University Malaya, Malaysia
3. Ahmad Ibrahim; Modeling and advanced control for polyethylene production in a fluidized bed catalytic reactor, June 2010. University Malaya, Malaysia

Master students

4. Ang Wee Lee: Modeling simulation and control of a multi zone circulating reactor for polyethylene production. March 2007. University Malaya, Malaysia.
5. Mohamed Al-Rashed, Removal of CO₂ from flue gases. 2008. UAE University, UAE
6. Latifa Obeid Hamad Al-Nuaimi: Fabrication of polymeric hollow fiber membrane for the production of safe drinking water. January, 2011. UAE University, UAE.

PUBLICATIONS

Books

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3. **Ghasem, N.M.**, Al-Marzouqi, M., Abdul Rahim, N. Absorption of CO₂ form natural gas via gas-liquid PVDF hollow fiber membrane contactors and potassium glycinate as solvent. Jurnal Teknologi (Journal of Technology): Special Issue on Sustainable Membrane Technology for Energy, Water & Environment. 69:9 (2014) 121–126. E-ISSN 2180-3722
4. **Ghasem, N.M.**, Al-Marzouqi, M., Abdul Rahim, N. Modeling of CO₂ absorption in a membrane contactor considering solvent evaporation, *Separation and Purification Technology* 110 (2013) 1–10.
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6. **Ghasem N. M.**, Al-Marzouqi, M., Ali Duidar, Effect of PVDF concentration on the morphology and performance of hollow fiber membrane employed as gas-liquid membrane contactor for CO₂ absorption. *Separation and Purification Technology* 98 (2012) 174–185.
7. **Ghasem N. M.**, Al-Marzouqi, M., Zhu, L. Preparation and properties of polyethersulfone hollow fiber membranes with o-xylene as an additive used in membrane contactors for CO₂ absorption. *Separation and Purification Technology* 92 (2012) 1–10.
8. Ibrehem A. S., Hussain M. A., **Ghasem N. M.**, Decentralized Advanced Model Predictive Controller of Fluidized-Bed for Polymerization Process. *IJCCE*, Vol. 31, No. 4, 2012.
9. **Ghasem N. M.**, Al-Marzouqi, M., Duaidar, A. Effect of quenching temperature on the performance of poly (vinylidene fluoride) microporous hollow fiber membranes fabricated via thermally induced phase separation technique on the removal of CO₂ from CO₂ - gas mixture. *International Journal of Greenhouse Gas Control* 5 (2011), pp. 1550-1558. (18-NOV-2011)

10. **Ghasem N. M.**, Al-Marzouqi, M. Effects of Shear Rate, Temperature, and Polymer Composition on the Shear Stress of Polyethersulfone/1-Methyl-2-pyrrolidone Cast Solutions. *J. Chem. Eng. Data* 2011, 56, 4444–4448.
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12. **Ghasem N. M.**, Al-Marzouqi, M., Elnaas, M. Effect of Temperature, Composition, and Shear Rate on Polyvinylidene Fluoride/Dimethylacetamide Solution Viscosity, *J. Chem. Eng. Data* 2009, 54, 3276–3280.
13. **Ghasem N. M.**, Ang Wee Lee, Hussain, M.A., Dynamics and stability of ethylene polymerization in multizone circulating reactors, *Korean J. Chem. Eng.*, 2009, 26(3), 603-611.
14. Ibrehem A. S., Hussain M. A., **Ghasem N. M.**, Modified mathematical model for gas phase olefin polymerization in fluidized-bed catalytic reactor, *Chemical Engineering Journal*, 2009 149, 353–362
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18. **Ghasem N. M.**, Sata S. A., Hussain, M. A. Temperature control of a bench scale batch polymerization reactor for polystyrene production. *Chem. Eng. Technol.*, 2007, 30, 1193.
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