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### **Education:**

- M.Sc. in Chemical Eng., Shiraz University, Shiraz, Iran, 1981
- Ph.D. in Chemical Eng., Polytechnic Institute of Bucharest, Bucharest, Romania, 1986.

### **Positions:**

Head of

- Head of Office for Technology Development and Innovation in Oil and Gas Industries, Vice presidency of Science and Technology, 2013 2017
- Head of Engineering Group, Iran National Science Foundation, from 2014....
- Supreme Advisor for Minister of Science, Research & Technology 2014-2015
- Minister of Science, Research & Technology, 2013-2013
- Member of Supreme Counsil for Educational Planning 2014 .....
- Member of Council for Higher Education Development 2014 ......

- Head of Faculty of Energy, Sharif University of Technology, 2008-2010
- Minister of Science, Research and Technology 2003-2005
- President of Council for Higher Education Development 2003-2005
- President of Supreme Council for Educational Planning 2003-2005
- Member of Supreme Council for Cultural Revolution 2003- 2005
- Member of Supreme Council for General Education 1997-2005
- Deputy Minister for Education, Ministry of Science, Research and Technology 1997-2003
- Vice President of Council for Higher Education Development 1997-2003
- President of Central Committee for Faculty Recruitment 1997-2003
- President of Central Committee for Faculty Promotion 1997-2003
- Head of Institute for Research and Educational Planning 1999-2003
- Advisor to Deputy Minister for Education, Ministry of Science, Research and Technology 1996-1997
- Vice Chancellor for Educational Affairs, Tarbiat Modares University 1990-1996
- Head of Engineering Faculty, Tarbiat Modares University 1987-1990

## **Teaching Experiences:**

### a: Undergraduate Courses:

- Kinetics & Reactor Design
- Basic Principles & Calculations in Chem. Eng.

### b: Graduate Courses:

- Advanced Kinetics & Reactor Design
- Mathematical Modeling & Simulation
- Heterogeneous Catalysis
- Design & Control of Biochemical Reactors
- Industrial Reactors
- Policy making and Planning in Higher Education

### **Research Areas:**

- Optimal Control of Pyrolysis Reactors
- Thermal & Catalytic Cracking
- Reforming to Synthesis Gas
- Process Modeling & Simulation
- Kinetic Models for Thermal Cracking Reactions
- Reactor & Bioreactor Design
- Pressure Swing Adsorption (PSA)

• Gas Sweetening

## **Experimental Set up:**

- Thermal Cracking of Light and Heavy Hydrocarbons
- Catalytic Thermal Cracking for Light Olefins
- Pressure & Vacuum Swing Adsorption
- Oxidative Dehydrogenation of Alkanes
- Methanol To Olefin Experimental Set up

## **Research & Development Projects:**

- Hazardous Area Classification for Process Units and LPG Tanks of Kharg Petrochemical Complex, **Project Manager**, 2016
- Design and Construction of a Vaccume Swing Adsorption Pilot Plant for Separation of CO2 from Flue Gases, Oil Ministry, **Project Manager**, 2012
- Investigation of Challenges and Obstacles for Technology Development in Oil Industries, Ministry of Oil, Islamic Republic of Iran, **Project Manager**, 2011
- Synthesis of Carbon Nano Tubes Catalysts for Light Olefins Production from Thermal-Catalytic Cracking of Naphtha, Iran National Science Foundation(INSF), **Project Manager**, 2011
- Technology Development of PSA, National Iranian Gas Company, Project Manager, (2008)
- Feasibility Study of Methanol Reduction Methods in the Bottom of Methanol Distillation Column, Kharg Petrochemical Complex, **Project Manager**, (2008)
- Separation of Carbon Dioxide from Tail Gases using Adsorption Columns in Lab. Scale, National Iran Gas Company, M. R. Mehrnia, **Supervisor**, 2008
- Design and Set up of an Experimental Thermal Cracking Furnace, Petrochemical Research & Development Corporation, **Project Manager**, 2007

- Design and Set up of a PSA (Pressure Swing Adsorption) Pilot Plant for Separation of Gaseous Mixtures, **Project Manager**, (2005).
- Technical and Economic Evaluation of Olefin Unit of Abadan Petrochemical Company, **Project Manager**, (2003).
- Software Preparation for Simulation of Olefin Furnaces of Bandar Imam Petrochemical Complex, **Project Manager**, (2001).
- Software Preparation for Simulation of Olefin Furnaces of Abadan Petrochemical Complex, **Project Manager**, (2002).
- Basic Design of an Industrial Olefin Furnace in Bandar Imam Petrochemical Complex, **Project Manager**, (2001).
- Software Preparation for Simulation of Olefin Furnaces of Arak Petrochemical Complex, **Project Manager**, (2000).
- Optimization of Tabriz Olefin Plant Furnaces, **Project Manager**, (1998).
- Process Design of Amir Kabir Olefin Plant with Gas and Liquid Feed stocks 520000 TPY, **Project Manager**, (1998).
- Process Design of Sixth Olefin Plant 230000 TPY, Project Manager, (1997).

### M.Sc. Thesis Supervisor & Co supervisor: More than 100

- The effect of synthesis parameters of SAPO-34 with various AL & Si precursors for conversion of meyhanol to Light olefins, F. Kalantar, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University, ...
- The effect of synthesis parameters of SAPO-34 with various templates for conversion of methanol to light olefins, H. Nemati, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University, ...
- The Effect of Different Templates on SAPO-34 Synthesis for Conversion of Methanol to Light Olefins, Sh. Masoumi, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University,19 Nov 2013
- The Effects of the Si and Al Precursors on The Synthesis of SAPO-34 Catalyst for Conversion of Methanol to Light Olefins, Z. Kooshki, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University,19 Nov 2013
- The Effects of Different Si/Al and H<sub>2</sub>O/Al Ratios on the Synthesis of SAPO-34 for Conversion of Methanol to Light Olefins, K. Rahimi, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University,19 Nov 2013
- Micro Kinetic Modeling of Oxidative Desulfurization with Ultrasound, N. Abdous, M. Omidkhah, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University,15 Jan 2014

- Effect of Graining of Core-shell Catalysts in Naphtha Thermal Catalytic Cracking for Light Olefins Production, S. M. Mousavi, M. Manteghian, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University,1 Feb 2014
- The Effect of Support Thickness of Core-shell Catalyst in Naphta Thermal Catalytic Cracking for Light Olefins Production, A. Motallebzade, M. Manteghian, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University, 28 Jan 2014
- Synthesis of Ce and Zr/SAPO Nanocatalysts for Light Olefins Production, A. Zeinali, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University, 31.Dec.2012
- Synthesis of Ce-Zr / HZSM-5 Catalysts for Light Olefins Production, F. Momayyez, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University, 18. Nov. 2012
- Seperation of CO<sub>2</sub> / N<sub>2</sub> Mixture with Vacuum Pressure Swing Adsorption, F. Rezaie, S. M. Sadrameli, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University, 30.Dec.2012
- Synthesis of zeolite catalysts using nano Metal Particles for Production of Light Olefins, N. Taghipur, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University, 21.Jan.2012
- Effect of Core-shell Catalysts on the Catalytic-thermal Cracking of Naphtha, S. Tazarve, M. Manteghian, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University, 28.Jan.2012
- Synthesis of CNT Based Catalysts for Production of Light Olefins, S. Sheibani, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University, 21.Jan.2012
- Mercaptan Removal from Gas Streams Using Alumina Based Catalysts, K. Nazeri, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University, 23.Feb.2011
- Hydrogen Removal from Gas streams Using Modified SiC Adsorbent, M. Moradi, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University, 22.jun.2011
- Increasing the Stability of Transition Metal Zeolite Catalyst in the Termal-Catalytic Cracking of Naphtha, M. Teimuri, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University, 18.Apr.2011
- Increasing the Stability of Rare Earth Metal Zeolite Catalyst in the Thermal Catalytic Cracking of Naphtha, F. Khodadian, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University, 20.Apr.2011
- Mercaptan Removal from Natural Gas Using Functional CNTs, M. Farahzadi, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University, 02.Mar.2011
- Experimental and Theoretical Investigation of Adsorption by Nano Active carbon, M. Afsari, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University, 26.Jan.2011
- Experimental Study of Thermal Catalytic Cracking of Naphtha using Fe Over Carbon Nano Tube Support, M. Alyani, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University, 13.Mar.2010

- Experimental Study of N2/CO2 Separation using CMS in PSA, S. Mohajerani, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University, 06.Jul.2010
- Experimental Study of N2/CO2 Separation using Zeolite 13X in PSA, M. Keyhanizadeh, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University, 06.Jul.2010
- Experimental Investigation of Methane Reforming in Microreactor for Syn. Gas Production, N. Hoseini, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University, 02.Mar.2010
- Experimental Study of Thermal-Catalytic Cracking of Naphtha on CNT Modified by Rare Earth Metals for Olefin Production, K. Keyvanloo, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University, 02.Mar.2010
- Experimental Study and Kinetic Modeling of Thermal Cracking of Olefin 12<sup>th</sup> Feed, M. Sedighi, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University, (10.June.2009)
- The Effect of Cycle Time on the Performance of Nitrogen Separation from Air by PSA, S. Sepehri, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University, (10.Oct.2009)
- The Effect of Pressure on Separation of Nitrogen from Air by PSA, N. Rahmati, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University, (14.June.2009)
- Manufacture of Zinc Oxide nanorods and its application for separation of sulfur dioxide from tail gas, R. Habibi, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University, (10.Jan.2009)
- Modeling and Simulation of Recombinant Production in a Batch Mixed Bioreactor, B. Zolfaghari, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University, (27.Oct.2007)
- Investigation of Effective Parameters on adsorption of HF by Aluminum Oxide Adsorbent, J. Jannesary, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University, 27.Sep.2008
- The Effect of Feed Composition on Product Distribution in Thermal Cracking of Naphtha, Z. Momen, R. Karimzadeh, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University, (24.May.2008)
- Design and Set up of a Plug Flow Reactor for Anaerobic Digestion of Food Wastes, Sh. Hormozdi, M. Nosrati, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University, (18.Dec.2007)
- Investigation of CMS for Separation of Nitrogen from Air Using PSA, Sh. Hoseinzadeh, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University, (15.March.2008)
- Investigation of 13X Adsorbent for Separation of Oxygen from Air using PSA, Z. Moghaddaszadeh, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University, (1.March.2008)
- Experimental Study and Modeling of Kerosene Thermal Cracking, S. Sharifian, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University, (06.May.2008)
- Experimental Study and Modeling of Naphtha Thermal Cracking, H. Ghassabzadeh, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University, (21.Feb.2008)

- Modeling and Simulation of Recombinant Human Interferon Gama Production in a Stirred Fed- Batch Bioreactor, S. Hamedi, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University,14. January. 2008
- Biological Separation of Metal Ions from Model Oil (Vanadium & Nickle), S. Vasheghni, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University & RIPI, 12.May.2007
- Investigation of Different Coke Inhibitors in Thermal Cracking of Gasoil, A.G. Arkhi, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University (14.Feb.2007)
- Modeling & Simulation of Hydrocracking Reactor using Lumped Method, M. Bozorgnia, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University, 2006
- The effect of the Number of Beds on Performance of PSA for Separation of Oxygen from Air, H. Dadashi, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University(14.March.2007).
- Modeling & Optimization of Operating Parameters of PSA, A. K. Sayyah, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University(14.March.2007).
- Thermal Cracking of Liquid Hydrocarbons in Micro-Pyrolysis Reactor, G. Rahmani, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University(14.Feb.2007).
- Determination of Optimal Temperature Profile in OCM Reactor to Maximize Ethylene Yield, A. Nuralishahi, H. Pahlavanzadeh, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University, 2006
- Kinetic Model of Coke Formation in Thermal Cracking of Heavy Hydrocarbons in Micro-Pyrolysis Reactor, M. Hoseinnia, R. Karimzadeh, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University(14.Feb.2007).
- Dynamics of Startup & Shutdown of Thermal Cracking Reactors, M. Ghashghaee, R. Karimzadeh, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University(07.Feb.2007)
- Experimental Investigation of Thermal Cracking of Gasoil, H.R. Bur, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University, 2006.
- Theoretical and Experimental study of Overall Mass Transfer Coefficient in Packed Bed Column, E. Sadeghi, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University, 2005.
- Effect of Solid Particles on Holdup and Oxygen transfer in Airlift Bioreactor, M. Mansuri, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University, 2005.
- Separation of Oxygen from Air using PSA method, L. Fathi, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University, 2005.
- Biodesulfurization of Alkylated Sulfur Compounds in Model Oil, L. Rashidi, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University, 2004.

- Modeling of Coke Deposition and its Effect on Deactivation of Styrene Monomer Catalyst, T. Asgari, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University, 2003.
- Modeling of Catalytic Coke Formation in Thermal Cracking Reactors, S.A.M. Alizadeh, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University, 2003.

### Ph D Thesis Supervisor and Co supervisor:

- Synthesis of Mezopore HZSM-5 for Conversion of Methanol to Propylene, F. Gorzin, J. Towfighi Darian, ongoing
- Production of Improved Biodiesel from Thermal Cracking of -----Oil, R. Parvizsedghi, Tarbiat Modares University, co supervisor, 2015
- Synthesis of Graphene and Experimental and Theoritical Studies on nano size pore making for Synthesis of Graphene Memberane for Application in Gas Separation, M. Mirzaee, J. Towfighi Darian, Tarbiat Modares University, (ongoing)
- VOC removal using nano catalysts in super critical water, M. Gholmohammadi, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University, (ongoing)
- Propylene production from propane by synthesis of vanadium catalyst over titanium nano strauctures, M. Saee moghadam, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University, (ongoing)
- Laboratory production of improved biodiesel from catalytic cracking of non-edible vegtable oils, R. Parvizsedghi, M. Sadrameli, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University, (ongoing)
- Synthesis and catalytic performance of immobilized semi conductor metal oxide for removing organic pollutant under visible light, S. Alijani, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University, 8 Feb 2014
- Synthesis of Modified SAPO-34 for Increasing Propylene Production from Methanol, H. Bahrami, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University, (ongoing)
- Synthesis and Investigation of Performance of Ceramic Nano Composite Membrane for Production and Purification of Hydrogen in Steam Reforming Reactors, M. Amanipour, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University, (ongoing)
- Removing CO<sub>2</sub> from Flue Gas with Pressure Swing Adsorbtion, V. Baharmast, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University, (ongoing)
- Catalyc Cracking of Biodiesel for Liquid Hydrocarbons Production, A. Bayat, S. M. Sadrameli, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University,(ongoing)

- Synthesis and Experimental Investigation of SAPO-34 Nanocatalyst Modified with Rare Earth Metals in Catalytic Conversion of Methanol to Light Olefins, M. Sedighi, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University, (ongoing)
- Stabilization of Redox Catalysts for Oxidative Dehydrogenation of Propane, A.H. Shahbazi, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University, (ongoing)
- Synthesis Of Nanostructure Carbon Membrane for Separation of Carbon Dioxide from Natural Gas, M. Ahangar Davoodi, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University, 1.jun.2013
- Deep Desulfurization of Diesel Using Ultrasond Catalytic Oxidation, A. Akbari, M. Omidhkah, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University, (ongoing)
- Synthesis of Nano Porous Carbon Membrane for Separation of Hydrogen Sulfide from Natural Gas, N. Gilani, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University, 3.feb.2013
- Synthesis of a Peroskyte Nano catalyst for Combined Dry Reforming and Partial Oxidation of Methane, A. Jahangiri, H. Pahlavanzadeh, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University, 27.jun.2013
- Catalytic Cracking of Vegtable Oil triglycerides to Produce Biofuels, H. Seifi, M. Sadrameli, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University, (ongoing)
- Synthesis of CNT Based Nano Catalyst to remove NOx from LTSCR, M. Purkhalil, A. S. Zaringhalam, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University, 11.jun.2013
- Oxidation of CO using Nano Catalyst Synthesized by Gel Casting Method, Sh. Ahmadi, M. Manteghian, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University,28.jan.2013
- Synthesis of Metal Oxides Nano Catalysts for Oxidation of VOCs, S. Maghsudi, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University, 5.jun.2013
- Application of Hydrate formation in Separation of Natural Gas Components, A. Azimi, M. Manteghian, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University, 12.Mar.2011
- Experimental Investigation of Short Contact Time Partial Oxidation of Methane for Producing Synthesis Gas in microreactor, F. Akhlaghian, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University,(02.Nov.2010)
- Investigation of Different Ni Catalyst Supports and their Synthesis in combined reforming of steam and Carbon Dioxide, H. Eltejaee, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University,(Feb. 2012)
- Synthesis of Perovskite Membrane for Partial Oxidation of Methane, A. Ganji, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University, (15.Nov.2010)
- Natural Gas Sweetening using Carbon Nano Tubes, A.M. Alizadeh, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University, 22.Sep.2010

- A New Technology for Production of Synthesis Gas by Combined Reforming of Methane with Steam and Carbon Dioxide, A. Shamkhali, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modares University, 10.Jun.2010
- Kinetics Investigation of Thermal Cracking of Gasoil for Production of Olefins, S. Zahedi, J. Towfighi, Tarbiat Modares University, (28.Feb.2008)
- Design of the Advanced Control System for Thermal Cracking, M. E. Masoumi, M. Sadrameli, M. Shahrokhi, **J. Towfighi**, Tarbiat Modaes University, 2003.
- Making a Novel Coated Adsorbent for Gas Separation Systems, M. Mofarahi, M. Sadrameli, J. Towfighi, P. Leitgeb, Tarbiat Modares University, 2003.
- Production of hGM-CSF using Recombinant E.Coli and Process Optimization, S.A. Fatemi, **J. Towfighi**, B. Yakhchali, S.A. Shojaosadati, Tarbiat Modares University, 2003.
- Experimental Study of Hydrodynamics and Mass Transfer in Internal-loop Airlift Bioreactors, M. Mehrnia, **J. Towfighi**, B. Bonakdarpour, M. Roostazad, Tarbiat Modares University, 2003.
- Suppression of Coke Formation in Thermal Cracking by Coke Inhibitors, A. Niaei, J. Towfighi, M. Sadrameli, Tarbiat Modares University, 2003.
- Olefins production by Catalytic Steam Cracking of Hydrocarbons, R. Karimzadeh, J. Towfighi, H. Zimmermann, Tarbiat Modares University, 2002.

### Examiner of M.Sc. & PhD. Thesis: More than 100

- Development of a Model for Student Acceptance in Private non profit Universities of Iran based on Three Different Scenarios, A. Goldasteh, Shahid Beheshti University, 2016
- Synthesis and investigation of Transport Characteristics of Mix Matrix Polymer Membranes using Magnetic nano Particles for Separation of Oxygen and Nitrogen, S. Raveshian, Tarbiat Modares University, Ongoing
- Higher educational management PhD , Z. Karimian, Shahid Beheshti University, Jan 2014
- Design and synthesis of polyamide for separation of olefin/ paraffin, S. Najari, Tarbiat Modares University, Dec 2013
- Modeling and measurement of CO<sub>2</sub>,H<sub>2</sub>O solubility in mixture of MDEA/AMP/Piprazine at high pressure, Tarbiat Modares University, Feb.2013
- Termo kinetic modeling and optimization of reaction furnace in SRU process, Research Institute of Petroleum Industry, Feb.2013

- Propane dehydrogenation in nano membrane reactor, Tarbiat Modares University. Feb.2013
- Performance improvement of carbon nano tubes membrane for sweeting of sour water, Tarbiat Modares University, Dec.2012
- Direct esterification of algae and its thermal cracking for production of hydrocarbon fuel, Dec2012
- Hydro desulfurization of heavy crude oil with nano catalysts with carbon nano structure support, Tarbiat Modares University, Feb.2012
- Production of carbon nano structures from carbon nano tubes, Tarbiat Modares University, Feb 2012
- Production of Biodisel from canola oil with hetrogeneous catalysts, Tarbiat Modares University, Feb 2012
- Investigation of Catalyst structure Effects on HDS from DBT, Elmo-Sanat University, Feb. 2012
- Investigation of the effect of MOF in selective layer of multilayer membrane polysolfune/polyimide/silicone, Tarbiat Modares University, Feb.2012
- Modeling of catalytic polymerization process of Ethylene in gas phase by multistage reactors, Tarbiat Modares University, Dec, 2011
- Investigation of catalyst structure effects in removing of sulfur component from liquid hydrocarbon, Elmo-Sanat University, Nov,2011
- Model development for OCM process in high pressure and optimization of operational conditions in fixed bed reactor, Elmo-Sanat, Oct.2011
- ....., S. Sanjari, Amirkabir University, Oct.2011
- ....., F. Iahiazade saravi, Azad University of Tehran-North, Sep.2011
- Investigation of status of relation of Engineering faculties of Tehran public universities with industry in framework of national innovation system, Shahid beheshti University, Jun.2011
- Deep Disel desulfurization with microwave oxidation, Tarbiat Modares University, Jun.2011
- Kinetic modeling of fisher-tropsh synthesis in slurry reactors using new isotherms, Tarbiat Modares University, Feb.2011
- Modeling of Catalytic Ethylene Polymerization in Gas Phase using Multistage Reactors, Tarbiat Modares University, Dec. 2010

- Desulfurization of light oil cuts using Oxidative desulfurization, M. A. Sobati, Sharif University, Sep. 2010
- Hydrodynamic study of three phase fluidized bed reactors, A. Sheikhi,(Msc), University of Teheran, Jul. 2010
- Kinetic Modeling of Syn. Gas to Olefin and Optimization of Catalyst Structure, F. Shayegh (PhD), Sharif University of Technology, 22.Jun. 2010
- Experimental Investigation and Modeling of Nano Fluid Heat Transfer, M. Emami Meibodi, (PhD), Tarbiat Modares University, Feb. 2010
- Study of process variables in production of SCP from natural gas, Tarbiat Modares University, April,2010
- Analysis of Chemical Reactor Networks on The Basis of Accessible Region Theory, (PhD), H. Godini, Tarbiat Modares University, Feb.2010
- Theoretical and Experimental Investigation of the Effect of Nano Particles on Pool Fire and Surrounding Equipments, A. Najafi, Tarbiat Modares University, Feb. 2010
- Experimental Investigation and modeling of Fischer-Tropsch synthesis in the presence of monolytic catalysts, S. Farzad, Tarbiat Modares University, Feb,2009
- Experimental Investigation and Numerical Simulation of a Fluid-Solid Fluidized Bed Reactor, (PhD), M. Hamzei, Amir Kabir University, Jul. 2009
- The Effect of Operating and Design Parameters on the Production of SCP from Natural Gas, (PhD), F. Yazdian, Tarbiat Modares University, May 2009
- Synthesis of Zigler-Nata Catalysts Using SiO2 for Ethylene Polymerization, (PhD), A. R. Aghily, Tarbiat Modares University, Dec. 2008
- Investigation of Bithumen Structure and producing Nano Structure Compounds, (MSc), A. Zaree, Tarbiat Modares University, (Nov. 2007)
- Kinetic Studies of Hydrate Cristalization in the Presence of Facilitators, (PhD), H. Ganji, Tarbiat Modares University, (Sep. 2006)
- Membrane Manufacture and Determination of its Transport Parameters for Separation of Hydrogen, (PhD), M. Pakizeh, Tarbiat Modares University, (Dec. 2006)
- Modeling of Desulfurization Reactor from Hydrocarbon Compounds using Hydrogen, (MSc), Tarbiat Modares University, (Feb. 2007)
- Theoretical and Experimental Study of Carbon Dioxide Separation from Gas Mixtures using Silica Membrane, M. Biglari, (MSc), Tarbiat Modares University, (5.March.2007)

- Modeling & Simulation of Maleic Anhydride Production from n-Butane in a Riser Reactor, (M.Sc.), H. R. Hakimelahi, Tehran University, 2006.
- Modeling and Simulation of Steam Reforming Reactor of Tehran Refinery (M.Sc.), N. Bahadori, Tarbiat Modares University, 2006.
- Control & Optimization of Thermal Cracking Reactors of Tabriz Petrochemical Complex (M.Sc.), R. Mohammadi Rad, Tarbiat Modares University, 2006.
- Control & Optimization of Thermal Cracking Reactors of Tabriz Petrochemical Complex using Statistical Models (M.Sc.), S. M. Jazayeri, Tarbiat Modares University, 2005.
- Modeling of Fischer Tropchs Synthesis in Slurry Reactors (M.Sc.), A. H. Jalaeekhoo, Tarbiat Modares University, 2005.
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### **Publications:**

#### a: Iranian Journals:

 امانی پور, مهدی, توفیقی, جعفر, گنجی باباخانی, انسیه. (۱۳۹۶). 'عملکرد غشاهای کامپوزیت سرامیکی در تولید و خالص سازی هیدروژن در راکتورهای ریفرمینگ بخار', فصلنامه علمی ترویجی فرآیند نو, ۱۲(۵۹), 134-134 pp.

- 2- M. S. Moghaddam and J. Towfighi, "Vanadium Oxide Supported on Al-modified Titania Nanotubes for Oxidative Dehydrogenation of Propane," Journal of Chemical and Petroleum Engineering, vol. 51, no. December, pp. 113–121, 2017.
- 3- N. Abdoust, A. Akbari, M. Omidkhah, J. Towfighi Darian, "Optimization of Micro Kinetics Parameters of Oxidative Desulfurization Processes of 4,6-Dimethyl Dibenzothiophene with Ultrasound Waves and without Ultrasound Waves from Model Diesel", Journal of Petroleum Research, Vol. 26, 95-2, 2016, Page 52-63
- 4- M. Ahangar, J. Towfighi, A. Rashidi, T. Mohammadi, "Reviewing of the synthesis of carbon nano tube membrane" Iranian Journal of Chemical Engineering, Vol. 14, No. 82, 2016
- 5- Sh. Masoumi, J. Towfighi, "characterization and optimization of SAPO-34 catalysts synthesized by mixed templates in MTO reaction", Iranian Journal of Chemical Engineering, Vol. 12, No. 4, 2015
- 6- F. Kalantar Kohdami, J. Towfighi Daryan, H. Nemati Arbatani "Effect of Crystallization Temperature on the Synthesis of SAPO-34 and its Catalytic Performance in MTO Reaction" Iranian Journal of Chemical Engineering, Vol. 11, No. 3, 2014

- 7- H. Nemati Arbatani, J. Towfighi Daryan, F. Kalantar Kohdami, "The Synthesis of SAPO-34 at Different Crystallization Temperature and its Catalytic Performance for Methanol to Olefins Reaction" Iranian Journal of Chemical Engineering, Vol. 11, No. 4, 2014
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- Distinguished Faculty Member, Tarbiat Modares University, 1996
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- Member National Higher Education Committee, National YUNESCO Commission I. R. IRAN, 2016......
- Member Research Council, Institute for International Energy Studies, 2012-20<sup>14</sup>
- Associate Member of Academy of Sciences Islamic Republic of Iran, from 2011
- Member Engineering Committee, Iranian National Science Foundation, INSF, 2010-2011
- Secretary Scientific Committee, 6<sup>th</sup> International Chemical Engineering Congress, Kish Island, Iran, Nov. 2009
- Head Scientific Committee, Iran Third Gas Conference, Oct. 2009-08-23
- Member of Scientific Committee, 12<sup>th</sup> Congress of University, Industry and Government Collaboration for National Development, 2008
- Member of the Editorial Board, Journal of University and Industry, from 2008
- Member of the Editorial Board, "Nameh Amuzeshe Ali" Journal, from Nov. 2008
- Head Scientific Committee of 3<sup>rd</sup> Conference on Technology Development in Oil Industries, 2007-2008
- Member of The Steering Committee of Engineering Education Conference, University of Teheran, from May 2008
- Member of the Board of Incubator, National Institute of Genetic Engineering and Biotechnology, from 05.May.2008
- Editor-In-Chief Journal of Chemistry and Chemical Engineering, from April 2008
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- Chief Scientific Committee of 11<sup>th</sup> National Chemical Engineering Congress, Nov. 2006

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- Member of Research Council National Iran Gas Company, from 2006-2013
- Editor- in-Chief, Journal of Science and Technology Parks & Incubators (Roshd-e-Fanavari, from 2006
- Advisor to Secretary of Supreme Council for Cultural Revolution, from 2006 -2010
- Member of Editorial board, Iranian Journal of Chemistry & Chemical Engineering, from 2006
- Member of Permanent Committee affiliated to the Board of Trustees of Tarbiat Modares University, from 2006-2011
- Member of the Evaluation Committee of the School of Engineering, Tarbiat Modares University, from 2006.
- Member of Advisory Committee, Affiliated to Supreme Council for Cultural Revolution, 1997-2003
- Editor- in- chief : Iranian Journal of Chemical Engineering From 2000
- Member of Editorial Board, Sharif Journal of Science and Technology
- Member of Editorial Board , Journal of Research and Planning in Higher Education 1999-2006
- Member of Editorial Board, "Journal of Research on Science and Engineering of Petroleum", Research Institute of Petroleum Industry, from 2002
- Member of "Iranian Biotechnology Society"
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- Member of the Board of Trustees of Tehran University from 2002-2010
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- Member of board of Referees in the 8<sup>th</sup> National Congress of Chemical Engineering Mashad University, Mashad, 2002
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