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Brief Personal Information

Nationality: Indonesian. **Place/Date of Birth:** Bandung (Indonesia)/September 20, 1987.
Languages: English (fluent), Indonesian (native), Sundanese (native), Japanese (intermediate).

Higher Education

Doctor of Science (D.Sc.), Department of Physics, Graduate School of Science, Tohoku University, Japan (2013). Funded by Japanese Government through the Monbukagakusho Scholarship (Oct. 2010 – Mar. 2013) and the JSPS Fellowship (Apr. 2013 – Sep 2013). Approved equivalent to “Doktor” (**Dr.**) degree in Indonesia by Ministry of Research, Technology and Higher Education of Indonesia in Dec. 2017. Dissertation title: “Coherent phonon spectroscopy of carbon nanotubes and graphene”

Master of Science (M.Sc.), Department of Physics, Graduate School of Science, Tohoku University, Japan (2010). Funded by Japanese Government through the Monbukagakusho Scholarship. Thesis title: “Exciton environmental effect of single wall carbon nanotubes”

Sarjana Sains (S.Si. / equivalent to B.Sc.), Department of Physics, Faculty of Mathematics and Natural Sciences, Institut Teknologi Bandung, Indonesia (2008).

Work Experience

Senior Researcher and Director, Research Center for Quantum Physics, National Research and Innovation Agency (BRIN), Indonesia (2022–present).

Senior Researcher, Research Center for Physics, National Research and Innovation Agency (BRIN), Indonesia (2021–2022).

Researcher, Research Center for Physics, Indonesian Institute of Sciences (LIPI), Indonesia (2019–2021).

Assistant Professor, Department of Physics, Graduate School of Science, Tohoku University, Japan (2014–2019). Contracted under the Interdepartmental Doctoral Degree Program for Multi-dimensional Materials Science Leaders and Leading Graduate School Program of Tohoku University.

JSPS Postdoctoral Fellow at Theoretical Condensed Matter and Statistical Physics Group, Department of Physics, Graduate School of Science, Tohoku University, Japan (2013–2014). Supervisor: Professor Riichiro Saito.

Research Interest

I am working on the intersection of theoretical physics, computational physics, and materials science. In particular, I focus on **theory and simulation of physical properties of nanocarbons and low-dimensional materials**. Recently, I have also been interested in developing efficient simulation methods for various quantum mechanical systems. Some subjects of my publications are as follows:

1. **electromechanics and optomechanics**, especially on understanding charge-induced electromechanical actuators and light-induced mechanical vibrations (phonons) in carbon-based materials,

2. **thermoelectric properties of low-dimensional materials** such as carbon nanotubes, quantum wires, quantum wells, and two-dimensional materials,
3. **theory of spectroscopy**, especially on Raman spectroscopy and ultrafast spectroscopy.

Within these research topics, I have published **54 papers** in reputable **international journals**, **1 book chapter**, and **1 research textbook**. Most of the papers were published in **high-impact journals**, such as Applied Physics Letters, Carbon, Nano Energy, Nano Letters, Physical Review B, and Physical Review Letters. As of September 6, 2023, total citations according to [Google Scholar](#) (or [Scopus](#)) are 1879 (or 1476) times with h-index = 21 (or 19).

Publications

○ = either as the first author or equal contributor or corresponding author

Papers in International Journals

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55. M. Y. Hanna, M. A. Majidi, **A. R. T. Nugraha**: "Computational study of III–V direct-gap semiconductors for thermoradiative cell applications", *Nanotechnology* **34**, 3153705 (2023).
54. J. M. Adhidewata, R. W. M. Komalig, M. S. Ukhtary, **A. R. T. Nugraha**, B. E. Gunara, E. H. Hasdeo: "Trigonal warping effects on optical properties of anomalous Hall materials", *Phys. Rev. B* **107**, 155415 (2023).
53. R. Muslim, S. A. Wella, **A. R. T. Nugraha**: "Phase transition in the majority rule model with the nonconformist agents", *Physica A* **608**, 128307 (2022).
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45. W. V. Sinambela, S. A. Wella, F. S. Arsyad, N. T. Hung, ○ **A. R. T. Nugraha**: "Electronic, Optical, and Thermoelectric Properties of Bulk and Monolayer Germanium Tellurides", *Crystals* **11**, 1290 (2021).
44. E. Suprayoga, W. B. K. Putri, K. Singsoog, S. Paengson, M. Y. Hanna, **A. R. T. Nugraha**, D. R. Munazat, B. Kurniawan, M. Nurhuda, T. Seetawan, E. H. Hasdeo: "Investigation of electron and phonon transport in Bi-doped CaMnO₃ for thermoelectric applications", *Materials Research Bulletin* **141**, 111359 (2021)

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26. **A. R. T. Nugraha**, E. H. Hasdeo, R. Saito: "Selective coherent phonon mode generation in single wall carbon nanotubes", *J. Phys. Condens. Matter* **29**, 055302 (2017).
25. P. Ayria, S. Tanaka, **A. R. T. Nugraha**, M. S. Dresselhaus, R. Saito: "Phonon-assisted indirect transitions in angle-resolved photoemission spectra of graphite and graphene", *Phys. Rev. B* **94**, 075429 (2016).

24. M. S. Ukhtary, **A. R. T. Nugraha**, E. H. Hasdeo, R. Saito: "Broadband transverse electric surface wave in silicene", *Appl. Phys. Lett.* **109**, 063103 (2016).
23. E. H. Hasdeo, **A. R. T. Nugraha**, M. S. Dresselhaus, R. Saito: "Fermi energy dependence of first- and second-order Raman spectra in graphene: Kohn anomaly and quantum interference effect", *Phys. Rev. B* **94**, 075104 (2016).
22. N. T. Hung, E. H. Hasdeo, **A. R. T. Nugraha**, M. S. Dresselhaus, R. Saito: "Quantum effects in the thermoelectric power factor of low dimensional semiconductors", *Phys. Rev. Lett.* **117**, 036602 (2016). ★ **Note:** This paper is highlighted by Phys.org website (August 2016), "[Theory of thermoelectric properties updated after 23 years](#)".
21. X. Ling, S. Huang, E. H. Hasdeo, L. Liang, W. M. Parkin, Y. Tatsumi, **A. R. T. Nugraha**, A. A. Puretzky, P. M. Das, B. G. Sumpter, D. B. Geohegan, J. Kong, R. Saito, M. Drndic, V. Meunier, M. S. Dresselhaus: "Anisotropic Electron-Photon and Electron-Phonon Interactions in Black Phosphorus", *Nano Lett.* **16**, 2260-2267 (2016).
20. P. Ayria, **A. R. T. Nugraha**, E. H. Hasdeo, T. R. Czank, S. Tanaka, R. Saito: "Photon energy dependence of angle-resolved photoemission spectroscopy in graphene", *Phys. Rev. B* **92**, 195148 (2015).
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7. ○ **A. R. T. Nugraha**, G. D. Sanders, K. Sato, C. J. Stanton, M. S. Dresselhaus, and R. Saito: "Chirality dependence of coherent phonon amplitudes in single wall carbon nanotubes", *Phys. Rev. B* **84**, 174302 (2011).
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Book Chapter

1. R. Saito, **A. R. T. Nugraha**, E. H. Hasdeo, N. T. Hung, W. Izumida: "Electronic and optical properties of single wall carbon nanotubes", in *Single-Walled Carbon Nanotubes: Preparation, Property and Application*, edited by Y. Li and S. Maruyama, Springer, *Topics in Current Chemistry* **375**, 1-24 (2017).

Awards, Grants, and Scholarships

MRS-id Young Scientist Award (2022). MRS-id is the Materials Research Society of Indonesia.

LIPI/BRIN Young Scientist Award (2019). LIPI was Indonesian Institute of Sciences, integrated into the newly-established National Research and Innovation Agency (BRIN) in 2021. This award is given to productive and promising young scientists in Indonesia, one person every year.

Outstanding Reviewer for "Carbon" (2017). Carbon is a prestigious journal with a high IF of 9.594 (2020).

The Japan Society of Applied Physics (JSAP) Outstanding Paper Award in 2017 for a paper entitled "Fermi energy-dependence of electromagnetic wave absorption in graphene", published in *Appl. Phys. Express* **8**, 055102 (2015), written by M. S. Ukhtary, E. H. Hasdeo, A. R. T. Nugraha, and R. Saito.

The Japan Society for Promotion of Science (JSPS) Fellowship for Young Scientists (DC2 to PD scheme), April 2013 - September 2014.

Tohoku University Global Center of Excellence Grant for Students, December 2010 - March 2012.

The MEXT (Japanese Government) Scholarship for Master and Doctor Courses in Tohoku University, Japan, October 2008 - March 2013.

The 2nd Most Outstanding Undergraduate Student (Peringkat II Mahasiswa Berprestasi Utama) at Faculty of Mathematics and Natural Sciences, Institut Teknologi Bandung (2007).

The Most Outstanding Undergraduate Student (Mahasiswa Berprestasi Utama) at Department of Physics, Institut Teknologi Bandung (2007).

TPB Prize (Outstanding First-Year Student), Faculty of Mathematics and Natural Sciences, Institut Teknologi Bandung (ITB), Indonesia, August 2005, for obtaining a perfect GPA (4.0/4.0) from 36 course credits in the first year at ITB.

Teaching and Supervision

Supervisor of Jyesta Mahayu Adhidewata (January 2020 - July 2022), Fast Track Undergraduate-Master Student, Department of Physics, Institut Teknologi Bandung, Indonesia. Final projects: "Thermoelectric properties of a material with pudding-mold band structure" and "Trigonal warping effects on optical properties of anomalous Hall materials". Joint supervision with Dr. Eddwi Hesky Hasdeo and Prof. Bobby Eka Gunara.

Supervisor of Wenny Valentina Sinambela (August 2020 - May 2022), Master Student, Department of Physics, Sriwijaya University, Indonesia. Thesis title: "Electronic, Optical, and Thermoelectric Properties of Bulk and Monolayer Germanium Tellurides". Joint supervision with Dr. Fitri Suryani Arsyad.

Supervisor of Siska Apriana Rifianti (August 2020 - June 2021), Undergraduate Student, Department of Physics, State University of Malang, Indonesia. Final project: "Monte Carlo simulation for quantum systems in epistemically-restricted phase-space representation". Joint supervision with Dr. Eny Latifah.

Supervisor of Assa Eka Oktaviani (August 2019 - June 2020), Undergraduate Student, Department of Physics, State University of Malang, Indonesia. Final project: "Optimization of on/off ratio with Klein tunneling in bilayer graphene as a transistor material". Joint supervision with Dr. Eny Latifah.

Mentor of Nguyen Tuan Hung (October 2014 - March 2019), Doctoral Student, Department of Physics, Tohoku University. We published some papers in Physical Review B, Physical Review Letters, Carbon, and other journals.

Graduate tutor for Eddwi Hesky Hasdeo (October 2011 - September 2013), Master Student, Department of Physics, Tohoku University. During that period we co-authored several papers. We now belong to the same group at BRIN Research Center for Quantum Physics.

Teaching assistant for Physics B course (October 2010 - February 2011), Department of Physics, Tohoku University. Instructor: Prof. Riichiro Saito.

Coordinator of student assistantship at Elementary Physics Laboratory / Laboratorium Fisika Dasar (August 2007 - June 2008), Institut Teknologi Bandung. Supervisor: Dr. Euis Sustini.

Teaching assistant for Solid State Physics course (January - June 2008), Department of Physics, Institut Teknologi Bandung. Instructor: late Prof. Sukirno.

Teaching assistant for Elementary Physics courses (in academic years 2006/2007 and 2007/2008), Faculty of Mathematics and Natural Sciences, Institut Teknologi Bandung. Instructors: late Prof. Sukirno and Prof. Mitra Djamal.

Technical Skills

Windows and Linux (advanced). I am experienced with all versions of Windows and also with several distributions of Linux-based operating systems, such as CentOS/RedHat, Ubuntu/Debian, and Slackware.

Computer networking and administration (advanced). During graduate course (2008-2013), I was involved in constructing and maintaining several clusters and workstations for computational purpose. From April 2014 until September 2019, I have been trusted as the main administrator of 2 lab servers in Tohoku University: <http://flex.phys.tohoku.ac.jp> and <http://www.cmpt.phys.tohoku.ac.jp>

Programming languages: Fortran (advanced), Python (intermediate), and C/C++ (basic). I use Fortran and Python mostly for my research and C/C++ occasionally for fun.

Markup languages: L^AT_EX (advanced), CSS/HTML (intermediate). I have already been familiar with L^AT_EX since my undergraduate course, especially for writing research notes, papers, and theses. I am also interested in the website development and have been an experienced [WordPress](#) user for more than 10 years. See for example: <http://majalah1000guru.net>

Miscellaneous

- (1) I contributed a short paragraph in IGPAS (International Graduate Program for Advanced Sciences) Booklet 2011, Tohoku University. I shared my experience as an international student in Japan. The booklet can be downloaded from the following link: <http://www.sci.tohoku.ac.jp/docs/world-wide/igpas2011.pdf>
- (2) Together with Professor Riichiro Saito, we promoted IGPAS of Tohoku University to students in Institut Teknologi Bandung and University of Indonesia (8-11 February 2011).
- (3) After the 2011 Great Earthquake and Tsunami in Tohoku area, I was involved in some voluntary activities affiliated with the Indonesian Students Association in Japan (Persatuan Pelajar Indonesia di Jepang). We went to several towns for cleaning debris and serving tsunami refugees with Indonesian foods.
- (4) In May 2011 - May 2012, I was appointed as the chairman of the Miyagi Branch of Indonesian Students Association in Japan (Persatuan Pelajar Indonesia di Jepang, Komisariat Miyagi, also known as PPI Sendai). In September 2012 - September 2013, I also became one of three chairmen in the central board of Indonesian Student Association in Japan (Persatuan Pelajar Indonesia di Jepang).
- (5) My hobbies include various types of sports such as table tennis, futsal/soccer, and pencak silat (Indonesian traditional martial arts). I practice these sports regularly with friends and sometimes we participate in amateur-level tournaments or festivals.