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Dr Subasri is a chemist by training. She obtained her Masters degree in Chemistry from IIT, Madras, India in 1993 and PhD in Chemistry during 1999 from the University of Madras, Tamil Nadu with the research work carried out at Indira Gandhi Centre for Atomic Research, Kalpakkam. After brief stints as a post-doctoral fellow at the Max Planck Institut für Metallforschung, Stuttgart, Germany and at National Institute for Materials Science, Tsukuba, Japan, she joined International Advanced Research Centre for Powder Metallurgy and New Materials (ARCI) Hyderabad in 2005 and has been leading the Centre for Sol-Gel Coatings at ARCI, since then. Her team has set up a unique and state-of-the-art comprehensive facility for demonstration of sol-gel nanocomposite coating technology for commercialization in the Indian/global market. She has 103 publications in peer reviewed international journals, 13 book chapter contributions, 15 Indian patents (granted); 1 Indian patent applications (pending); 4 US patents and 4 European patents (granted) to her credit and has delivered more than 50 invited talks at various international/national conferences. She is a Max-Planck-India Fellow. She is a life member of Materials Research Society of India (MRSI), Electrochemical Society of India (ECSI), Indian Institute of Metals (IIM) and Indian Women Scientists' Association. She received the Materials Research Society of India (MRSI) medal in 2015 in recognition of her significant contributions to the field of Materials Research and Engineering. Her name featured among the top two percent of scientists in the field of Materials Science in a global list compiled by the researchers from the prestigious Stanford University for the year 2020. She is a regular reviewer for several SCI Journals. Her research interests include development of sol-gel nanocomposite coating formulations for different applications like self-healing corrosion protection, anti-bacterial, biofilm inhibition, anti-reflection, self-cleaning etc.

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