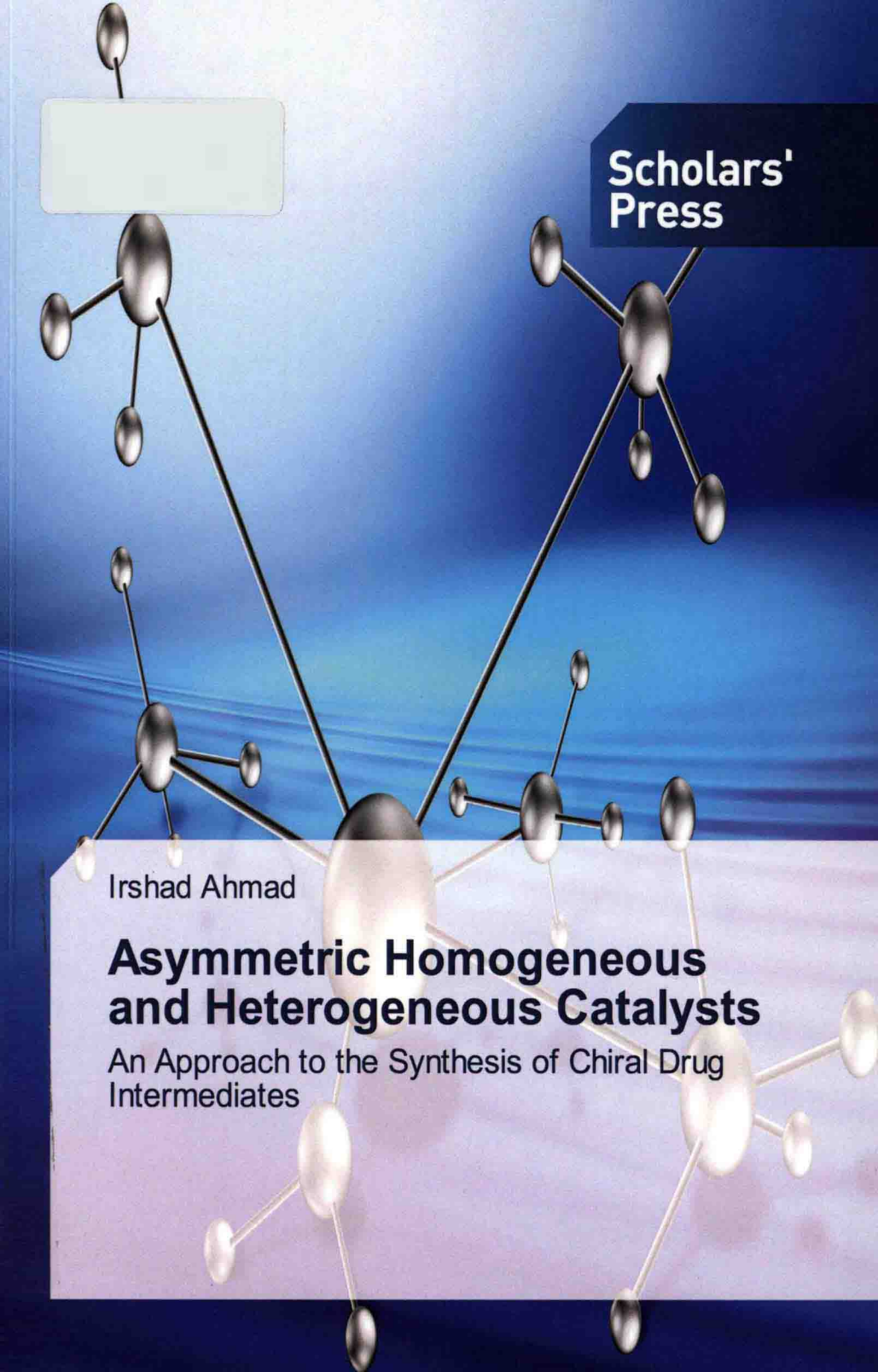


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Preface

The work embodied in this book comprises of six chapters. In chapter 1 the brief introduction of chiral catalysis with special emphasis on chiral epoxidation reactions with functionalized/ non-functionalized alkenes under homogeneous/heterogeneous system is discussed. This chapter also concludes with the scope and objectives of the present work.

Chapter 2 describes a general introduction about various physicochemical aspects of mesoporous molecular sieve materials. The different characteristic properties of these materials, their synthesis parameters, different approaches for surface-functionalization, characterisation techniques, and application as supports for different catalytically active transition metal complexes. Chapter 3 includes the synthesis and characterisation of dicationic chiral Mn^{III} salen complexes exchanged in montmorillonite clay by cation exchange process as active catalysts for enantioselective epoxidation of non-functionalized alkenes using NaOCl as oxidant. Chapter 4 consists of synthesis and characterization of chiral Mn^{III} salen complexes which were immobilized on PyN-O modified MCM-41 for enantioselective epoxidation of non-functionalized alkenes with NaOCl as oxidant. Chapter 5 includes synthesis of dissymmetric chiral Mn^{III} salen complex covalently bonded to aminopropyl modified MCM-41 and SBA-15 as efficient catalysts for the enantioselective epoxidation of non-functionalized alkenes with NaOCl as an oxidant Chapter 6 includes synthesis of dissymmetric chiral Mn^{III} salen complex and mesoporous material MCM-41 and SBA-15 of different porosity which was used to immobilize the chiral Mn^{III} salen complex as active catalysts for enantioselective epoxidation of non-functionalized alkenes. Methods and references have been placed at the end of these chapters for the sake of convenience.

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and well wishers
for their affectionate blessing...*

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List of Abbreviations

AAS	Atomic Absorption Spectroscopy
APTES	3-Aminopropyltriethoxy silane
BET	Brunauer-Emmett-Teller
BJH	Barrett-Joyner-Halenda
CMC	Critical Micelle Concentration
CP MAS	Cross Polarization Magic Angle Spinning
CTABr	Cetyltrimethylammonium bromide
CPC	Cetyl Pyridinium chloride
DCM	Dichloromethane
DDA	Dodecylamine
DRUV-Vis	Diffuse Reflectance Ultraviolet-Visible
ee	Enantiomeric Excess
FSM	Folded Sheet Materials
FTIR	Fourier Transform Infrared
GC	Gas Chromatography
HMM	Hybrid Mesoporous Material
HMS	Hexagonal Mesoporous Silica
HRTEM	High Resolution Transmission Electron Microscopy
ICP-AES	Inductive Coupled Plasma – Atomic Emission Spectrometry
LCT	Liquid Crystal Template
MCM	Mobil's Crystalline Material
MPTS	3-Mercaptopropyltrimethoxy Silane
NMR	Nuclear Magnetic Resonance

Py <i>N</i> -O	Pyridine <i>N</i> -Oxide
SBA	Santa Barbara Amorphous
SEM	Scanning Electron Microscopy
SLC	Silicatropic Liquid Crystals
TCP	Thermodynamically Controlled Product
TEM	Transmission Electron Microscopy
TEOS	Tetraethyl orthosilicate
TOF	Turnover Frequency
TON	Turnover Number
UV-Vis	Ultraviolet-Visible
XRPD	Powder X-Ray Diffraction

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