

Curriculum Vitae

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Academic Records:

- 1) **Ph.D.**, Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, 2014, Biotechnology, (Sub area: Plant Biotechnology)
Title of the Thesis: **Micropropagation of an Endangered Medicinal Plant Glory Lily (*Gloriosa superba* L.)**
Ph.D. Supervisor : Prof. S. K. Jadhav (Supervisor), Prof. K. L. Tiwari (Co-Supervisor)
School of Studies in Biotechnology; Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur
- 2) **M. Phil. Biotechnology**, Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, 2009, Biotechnology, (**76.67%** in merit).
Title of the Dissertation: **Studies of the Minimum Inhibitory Concentration (MIC) of *Penicillium* species**
Supervisor : Prof. K. L. Tiwari (Supervisor), Prof. S. K. Jadhav (Co-Supervisor)
School of Studies in Biotechnology; Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur
- 3) **M.Sc. Biotechnology**, Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, 2008, Biotechnology, (with **67.71 %**).
Title of the Dissertation: **Production and effect of antibiotic by certain species of *Penicillium* fungi**
Supervisor : Prof. S. K. Jadhav (Supervisor), Prof. K. L. Tiwari (Co-Supervisor)
School of Studies in Biotechnology; Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur
- 4) **B.Sc.**, Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, 2005, Biology, (**70.00 %**).

Academic Qualifications:

1. CGSET (Life Science) 2013
2. GATE (Biotechnology) 2012
3. UGC-NET- J.R.F. (June) 2009

Other Qualification:

NCC (Army Wing, B and C) Certificate with a “B” grade (2003-05)

Positions Held:

1. **Associate Professor**, School of Studies in Biotechnology, Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur, November 8th 2024 - till date.
2. Assistant Professor, School of Studies in Biotechnology, Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur, November 8th 2012 – November 07th 2024.
3. Senior Research Fellow, School of Studies in Biotechnology, Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur (CG), May 1st 2012 –November 7th 2012.
4. Contractual Lecturer, School of Studies in Biotechnology, Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur (CG), 29th July 2010– April 2011.
5. Junior Research Fellow, School of Studies in Biotechnology, Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur (CG), May 1st 2010- April 30th 2012.
6. Contractual Lecturer, School of Studies in Biotechnology, Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur (CG), November 3rd 2009 – April 30 2010.
7. Research Scholar, School of Studies in Biotechnology, Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur (CG), July 2009 – October 2009.

Honours/Award:

1. Honored by the Office of the Collector and District Election Officer, Raipur (CG), for excellent work in the Parliamentary Election 2024 and awarded a certificate dated July 8, 2024.
2. Best Oral Presentation award in 2nd International Conference on Fostering Interdisciplinary Research in Health Sciences 2019 (ICFIRHS 2019), Bedong, Kedah Darul Aman, Malaysia (Sept. 14-15, 2019).
3. National Travel Grant received from UGC Unassigned Travel Grant, for oral paper presentation at XXI National Conference on Aerobiology-2019, Dept. of Botany, Visva-Bharati, Santiniketan (WB), India, (Ref: 2417/Grant Cell /2019, dated 04/11/2019).
4. Best Presentation Award in International Conference on Fostering Interdisciplinary Research in Medicines University Institute of Pharmacy, Pt. RSU Raipur (CG) (Jan.19-21, 2019).
5. International Travel Grant received from UGC Unassigned Travel Grant for oral paper presentation at “7th International Science Congress (ISC-2017)”, Chukka, Bhutan. (Ref: 2767/Grant Cell/Order/2018, dated 12/02/2018).
6. UGC SRF (Senior Research Fellowship, May 01, 2012 to November 7, 2012) was awarded by the University Grant Commission (UGC.) New Delhi.
7. UGC JRF (Junior Research Fellowship, May 1, 2010, to April 30, 2012) awarded by the University Grant Commission (UGC.) New Delhi.

8. Rajiv Gandhi National Fellowship (Doctoral fellowship) 2010-2011 awarded by University Grant Commission (UGC.) New Delhi.
9. NCC (National Cadet Corps) Merit Sahara India Scholarship for 2004-05 awarded by Sahara India Pariwar.
10. Gopilal Lohiya Gold Medal for merit in B.Sc.-III Biology (2005-06) awarded by Govt. Digvijay Postgraduate College, Rajnandgaon (CG).
11. Girajashankar Sharma Gold Medal for Merit in B.Sc.-I Biology (2003-04) awarded by Govt. Digvijay Postgraduate College, Rajnandgaon (CG).

Teaching Experience:

UG teaching: 2 years (2010-12).

PG teaching: more than 14 years (2010 - till date)

Dealt/ Dealing with;

Cell Biology	M. Sc. Biotechnology (2011 - 2012)
Genetics	M.Sc. Biotechnology (2014 - till date)
Bio-molecules	M. Sc. Biotechnology (2015)
Molecular Biology	M.Sc. Biotechnology (2010 - till date)
Biology of Immune System	M. Sc. Biotechnology (2011- till date)
Animal Biotechnology	M. Sc. Biotechnology (2013 - till date)

Research experience: Achieved more than 14 years of research experience from M.Sc. (2008) to till date.

Member in Academic Bodies:

1. Member, Board of Studies in Biotechnology, Pt. RSU, Raipur, CG (2014-till date)
2. Member, Board of Central Studies in Biotechnology, Higher Education Department, CG (2017-till date)
3. Member, Board of Studies in Biotechnology, Shaheed Mahendra Karma Vishwavidyalaya, Bastar, CG (2023-till date)
4. Member, Board of Studies in Microbiology, Govt. Digvijay Postgraduate College, Rajnandgaon, CG (2022-till date).

Life Membership of Scientific Society

1. The Indian Science Congress Association, Kolkata, India, Membership No. **L30681** (15 September 2016).
2. The Indian Aerobiological Society (Regd.), India, Member Reg.no. **S/32742/81-82** (29 January 2018).
3. Association of Fungal Biologist, Mumbai, India, Life Membership No. **LM24003**, (18 March 2024).

Fellow Member of the Scientific Society

1. Fellow Member of World Researchers Associations (FWRA), Reg. no. **FM/2023/0026**, (02 October 2023).

Administrative Responsibility:

1. Secretary, Staff Council, SoS in Biotechnology, Pt. RSU, Raipur (2014 –2022)
2. Secretary, Alumni Association of Biotechnology, SoS in Biotechnology, Pt. RSU, Raipur (2014 –till date)
3. Assistant Coordinator, Central Valuation Unit, Pt. RSU, Raipur (2016)
4. Assistant Coordinator, Digital Valuation Unit, Pt. RSU, Raipur (February 2017)
5. Assistant Coordinator, Central Valuation Unit, Pt. RSU, Raipur (October 2018)
6. Member, Self Study Report (SSR), IQAC, Pt. RSU, Raipur (November 2019–till date)
7. Member, Institutional Development Plan Cell (IDP), Pt. RSU, Raipur (April 2024–till date)
8. Member, Placement Cell, Pt. RSU, Raipur (April 2024–till date)
9. Member, NEP Implementation Committee, Pt. RSU, Raipur (April 2024–till date)
10. Incharge, Press University, Pt. RSU, Raipur (July 2024–till date)

Member in Professional Bodies:

1. Alumni Association, School of Studies in Biotechnology, Pt. RSU, Raipur (2011-till date)
2. Secretary, Alumni Association, School of Studies in Biotechnology, Pt. RSU, Raipur (October 2014–till date)
3. Teachers Association, Pt. RSU, Raipur (2012- till date)

Additional Responsibility:

1. **Assembly-Level Master Trainer** for Parliament and Legislative Assembly Elections (2023-24), responsible for executing duties as directed by the District Election Officer, Raipur (CG).
2. **Member of Contact Tracing Team (COVID-19)** (July 22, 2020, to June 04, 2021), Role acted as per the direction of time-to-time according to guidelines of District Administration, Raipur (CG).

Areas of Research Interest:

1. Propagation and conservation of medicinal plants and mushrooms
2. Mushroom Biotechnology
3. Mushroom Biofortification & Functional Foods
4. Bioremediation
5. Food Processing and
6. Drug Discovery

Editorial Responsibilities

1. Reviewer, Journal of Applied Pharmacy (OMICS International), Belgium
2. Reviewer, European Journal of Biotechnology and Bioscience, India
3. Reviewer, International Journal of Food Science and Biotechnology (IJFSB), USA.
4. Reviewer, Jordan Journal of Biological Sciences, Jordan
5. Reviewer, Food Science and Human Wellness, Elsevier
6. Reviewer, MYCOPATH, Pakistan
7. Reviewer, Environmental Science, and Pollution Research, Springer Nature
8. Reviewer, Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences, India Section B: Biological Sciences, Springer Nature
9. Editor, NewBioWorld, A Journal of Alumni Association of Biotechnology
10. Reviewer, Studies in Fungi, Maximum Academic Press
11. Reviewer, World Journal of Microbiology and Biotechnology, Springer Nature
12. Reviewer, Applied Biochemistry and Biotechnology, Springer Nature
13. Reviewer, Archives of Microbiology, Springer Nature
14. Reviewer, Discover Food, Springer Nature
15. Reviewer, Discover Materials, Springer Nature

Research Guidance:

Ph.D.

SN.	Name of the Student	Registration	Thesis Title	Status
1	Ms. Deepali CSIR- NET DBT JRF Fellow	01-10-2018	Minerals Fortification and its impact on Yield, Metabolites and Bioactivity of <i>Calocybe indica</i> (P&C)	Awarded 23-08-2024
2	Ms. Anjali Kosre University Research Fellow, Letter wide no. Sr./623/Fin.Sch./2021,Dated 19/07/2021	06-10-2018	Bioaccumulation of Minerals and their Impact on Productivity, Bioactivity and Metabolites contents of <i>Pleurotus florida</i>	Pursuing
3	Ms. Varsha Meshram CSIR- NET UGC-JRF June, 2020 ; GATE-2021 (Life Sciences)	DRC, 12-07- 2022/ Ph.D./22/BIT/ 02 (13-07-2022)	Intergeneric Hybridization between <i>Cordyceps militaris</i> (Linn.) Link and <i>Pleurotus florida</i> (Jacq.) P. Kumm: Characterization of its Constituents and their Biological Activities	Pursuing
4	Mr. Khemraj University Research Fellow, Letter wide no. Sr./623/Fin.Sch./2021,Dated 19/07/2021	DRC,12-07- 2022/ Ph.D./22/BIT/ 04 (20-07-2022)	To Examine the Edibility and Vulnerability of <i>Chlorophyllum</i> species and related species using Morphological, Biochemical, and Molecular techniques	Pursuing

B.Sc. /M. Sc. Dissertation:

SN.	Name of the Student	Institute	Title	Session
1	Mr. Devendra Kumar Tandiya	SoS in Biotechnology, Pt. RSU, Raipur (CG)	Nutraceutical Properties Evaluation of Some Polypore Mushrooms	2016
2	Ms. Mausmi Dhangar	SoS in Biotechnology, Pt. RSU, Raipur (CG)	Evaluation of Antioxidant Properties of Polar and Non-Polar Solvents Extract of Wild Mushroom	2017
3	Ms. Shivangi Shukla	MATS University, Raipur (CG)	Rapid <i>In Vitro</i> Evaluation of Antifungal Activity of <i>Ganoderma lucidum</i> Against Human Pathogenic Fungus (<i>Aspergillus niger</i>)	2018
4	Ms. Ayesha Fatima	MATS University, Raipur (CG)	Antibacterial activity of <i>Ganoderma lucidum</i>	2018
5	Mr. Kirit Chanap	MATS University, Raipur (CG)	Standardization of protocol for DNA isolation of <i>Termitomyces heimii</i>	2018
6	Ms. Sarita Waradkar	Dept. of Biotechnology, Govt. VYT Post Graduate Autonomous College, Durg (CG)	Static and Non-Static Submerged Cultivation of <i>Pleurotus ostreatus</i> and Their Impact on Production of Biomass and Exopolysaccharide	2019
7	Ms. Priyanka Chouhan	SoS in Biotechnology, Pt. RSU, Raipur (CG)	To Study the Effect of Solid and Liquid Spawn Substrates on Growth, Yielding and Biological Efficacy of <i>Pleurotus ostreatus</i> (Jacq.) P. Kumm. 1871	2019
8	Mr. Dharmendra Kumar Verma	Dept. of Biotechnology Govt. NPG College of Science, Raipur (CG)	Evaluation of Biological Efficacy of the Various Agro Waste Products Used as Substrate for the Cultivation of <i>Pleurotus ostreatus</i>	2019
9	Mr. Subir Kumar Parey	Amity Institute of Biotechnology, Amity University Gwalior (MP)	Evaluation of Antibacterial Activity of Inorganic and Organic Solvents Extract <i>P. ostreatus</i> , against Human Pathogenic and Non-Pathogenic Bacteria	2019
10	Ms. Pingla Sen	SoS in Biotechnology, Pt. RSU, Raipur (CG)	Review on Nutrients and Bioactive Compounds of <i>Pleurotus ostreatus</i>	2020
11	Ms. Jaswantee Pujari	Dept. of Biotechnology Govt. NPG College of Science, Raipur (CG)	Study of the effect of Carbon sources on the production of exopolysaccharides and Antioxidants activity by submerged culture of <i>Pleurotus florida</i>	2020
12	Ms. Sharon Khalkho	SoS in Biotechnology, Pt. RSU, Raipur (CG)	Review on Nutritional Status and Bioactive Compounds of <i>Calocybe indica</i> (P&C)	2020
13	Ms. P. Deepti Rani	Amity Institute of Biotechnology, Amity University Chhattisgarh, Raipur (CG)	Mineral fortification of <i>Calocybe indica</i> by using Submerged fermentation and its impact on production of biomass and exopolysaccharides	2021
14	Mr. Jatish Patel	SoS in Biotechnology, Pt. RSU, Raipur (CG)	Study on the Impact of Zinc Oxide Nanoparticles Fortification on Submerged Batch Cultivation of <i>Calocybe indica</i> (P&C) and its Nutraceuticals Assessment	2022
15	Ms. Bhawana Chandrasen	SoS in Biotechnology, Pt. RSU, Raipur (CG)	Study of Mycoremediation Potency of Spent Mushroom Substrates of <i>Pleurotus florida</i> and <i>Calocybe indica</i> for Heavy Metals	2022
16	Ms. Shradha Joshi	SoS in Biotechnology, Pt. RSU, Raipur (CG)	Study on the Bioadsorption Capacity of Spent Mushroom Substrates of <i>Calocybe indica</i> and <i>Pleurotus florida</i> on the Potential Application of Biosorbent on Some Synthetic Dyes	2022
17	Mr. Jhameshwar Pradad, DST Inspire (SHE)	Govt. Digvijay Autonomous PG College, Rajnandgaon (CG)	Evaluation of Bioadsorption Efficiency of the Spent Mushroom Substrate of <i>Calocybe indica</i> for Removing Iron from some Contaminated Water Samples	2022

SN.	Name of the Student	Institute	Title	Session
18	Mr. Sandeep Sahu	Dept. of Biotechnology Govt. NPG College of Science, Raipur (CG)	Study of Magnesium Salt (MgSO ₄) Accumulation Influential Impact in Batch Submerged and Solid- State Cultivation of <i>Pleurotus florida</i> and Proximate Analysis of its Bio-Products	2023
19	Ms. Prachi Thakur	Dept. of Biotechnology, St. Thomas College Ruabandha, Bhilai(CG)	Comprehensive Evaluation of β -glucan Content and Bioactivity in the Fusant Derived from the Hybridization of <i>Pleurotus florida</i> and <i>Cordyceps militaris</i>	2023
20	Ms. Pritika Pradhan	SoS in Biotechnology, Pt. RSU, Raipur (CG)	Morpho-Molecular and Biochemical Characterization of Poisonous mushroom <i>Chlorophyllum molybdites</i>	2023
21	Ms. Prachi Katre	Dept. of Biotechnology, Govt. VYT Post Graduate Autonomous College, Durg (CG)	Sustainable Cultivation of <i>Pleurotus florida</i> : Harnessing Waste Resources for Mushroom Production and Eco-Friendly Contaminated Ground Water Remediation	2024
22	Ms. Payal Amariya	Dept. of Biotechnology, Govt. VYT Post Graduate Autonomous College, Durg (CG)	Nutritious Value Analysis of <i>Pleurotus florida</i> Cultivated on Different Locally Available Substrates	2024
23	Ms. Richa Sahu	SoS in Biotechnology, Pt. RSU, Raipur (CG)	Exploring Alternate Nitrogen Sources for Cultivating Lovastatin Rich <i>Pleurotus florida</i> (Jacq.) P. Kumm: A Comparative Study	2024
24	Mr. Likesh Kumar	Dept. of Biotechnology, Govt. VYT Post Graduate Autonomous College, Durg (CG)	Sustainable Fortification of Mushroom Substrates: Impact of Eggshell Powder on Yield and Calcium Content in <i>Pleurotus florida</i>	April 2025

GRANT SUPPORT RECEIVED:

SN.	Project Title	Funding Agency	Sanctioned Amount (INR in Lakhs)	Duration	Status
1	PI, Morphological, Biochemical and Molecular Characterization of poisonous and nonpoisonous mushroom (Endt. No. 722/CCOST/)	CCOST, Raipur	3.60=00	2015-17	Completed
2	PI, Morphological, Biochemical and Molecular Characterization of Edible and Poisonous Mushroom of the Forest of Mahasamund district, Chhattisgarh (Endt. No. Sr./SBB/2040, dated 08/11/2023)	State Biodiversity Board, CG Govt.	3.00=00	2023-25 (18 months)	Ongoing
3	PI, Traditional knowledge of medicinal plants consumed by primitive tribes of Bastar Chhattisgarh: Development of database and strategy for value addition and sustainable livelihood via Fin-tech. (Endt. No. IBITF/Note/TSP/SanctionLetter /2023-24/0254, dated 14/11/2023)	IBITF, Bhilai (DST funded)	40.23=00	2023-25	Ongoing

PROFESSIONAL TRAINING PROGRAMMES ATTENDED

SN.	Training Program	Place	Place/ Agency	Duration
1	NIRF Ranking Submissions and Quality Enhancement	AIU-Online Workshop	AIU-Online Workshop	01 Day 24.01.2025
2	NEP 2020 Orientation & Sensitization Programme	Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Center, Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur CG	Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Center, Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur, CG, India	01 weeks: 01.02.2024 - 09.02.2024
3	One-Day Workshop on Career Advancement Scheme (CAS)	Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Center, Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur CG	Internal Quality Assurance Cell & Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Center, Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur, CG, India	01 Day 13.01.2024
4	3-day Workshop on Financial Engineering	Innovation and Technology Foundation, IIT Bhilai (IBITF)	Innovation and Technology Foundation, IIT Bhilai (IBITF) C.G. and Department of Financial Engineering, Siegen University, Germany	03 Days : 28.09.2023 - 30.09.2023
5	NEP 2020-Online Workshop on “Academic Bank of Credits”	HRDC, (RTM) University, Nagpur (MH)	UGC-Human Resource Development Center, Rashtrasant Tukadoji Maharaj Nagpur (RTM) University, Nagpur, MH, India	01 Day 31.08.2023
6	Online Refresher Course in Basic Sciences	HRDC, (RTM) University, Nagpur (MH)	UGC-Human Resource Development Center, Rashtrasant Tukadoji Maharaj Nagpur (RTM) University, Nagpur, MH, India	02 weeks: 21.08.2023 - 02.09.2023
7	Learning Advanced E-tools for MOOCs Development & Research	T.L.C., Ramanujan College and Motilal Nehru College (E), University of Delhi	T.L.C., Ramanujan College and Motilal Nehru College (E), University of Delhi	02 weeks: 01.09.2020- 14.09.2020
8	Short-term course on “ARPIT” (Annual Refresher Program in Teaching) UGC-SPONSORED SHORT TERM COURSE	Human Resource Development Center, Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur CG	UGC-Human Resource Development Center, Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur, CG, India	01 weeks: 03.02.2020 - 08.02.2020
9	The Importance of technical terminology in writing of Academic book (शैक्षणिक पुस्तक के लेखन में तकनीकी शब्दावली का महत्व)	Chhattisgarh Rajya Hindi Granth Academy, Raipur	Commission for Scientific and Technical Terminology, Govt. of India	02 Days 20.01.2018- 21.01.2018
10	“Cancer Health Disparity” Short Term Course work, Mentor Manoj K. Mishra, Ph.D. Director, Cancer Biology Research and Training Director, Freshmen BIO Program Associate Professor of Biology Department of Biological Sciences Alabama State University	Department of Biotechnology, Guru Ghasidas Vishwavidyalaya, Bilaspur (CG) India	Global Initiative For Academic Networks (Gian), association with Guru Ghasidas Vishwavidyalaya, Bilaspur (CG.) India and Ministry of Human Resources Development (MHRD), Govt. of India	05 Days 18.12.2017- 22.12.2017

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11	The STEM Teacher Training Workshop on Research Based Pedagogical Tools	Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur	Jointly sponsored by DBT, Govt. of India; Newton Bhabha fund of the British Council; Centre of Excellence in Science and Mathematics Education, IISER Pune and Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur. [Conducted by a team of experts from the Centre for Science Education, Sheffield Hallam University, UK.]	04 Days 06.10.2017- 09.10.2017
12	Special Winter School on “Innovation Teaching and Research”	Human Resource Development Center, Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur CG	UGC-Human Resource Development Center, Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur, CG, India	03 weeks: 12.01.2016 - 01.02.2016
13	Orientation Program under the theme “Quality of Higher Education: Learning Process”	Human Resource Development Center, Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur CG	UGC-Human Resource Development Center, Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur, CG, India	04 weeks: 03.06.2015- 30.06.2015
14	National Workshop on “Operation and Maintenance of Laboratory Equipments”	School of Studies in Electronics & Photonics, Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur	School of Studies in Electronics & Photonics, Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur, & Western Regional Instrumentation Centre, Mumbai, MH, India	05 Days 19.01.2015- 23.01.2015
15	Scientific/Research Paper Writing	Central Institute of Fisheries Education – CIFE, Mumbai	The National Academy of Sciences, India (NASI), Allahabad, UP, India	08.06.2012- 10.06.2012
16	4 th INSPIRE Internship Program/ Science Conclave: “A Congregation of Nobel Laureates and Eminent Scientists	IIT-A (Indian Institute of Information Technology, Allahabad)	MHRD-DST initiative at IIT-A (Indian Institute of Information Technology, Allahabad, UP, India	07 Days 26.11.2011- 02.12.2011

Conference/ Symposia Organized:

1. Five Days Hands-on-Training *cum* Workshop on Methods of Gene Cloning and Protein Purification, jointly organized by Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur (C.G.) and Gujrat Biotechnology University, Gandhinagar & HiMedia Laboratories Pvt. Ltd. Mumbai on November 19 to 23, 2024 (**Program Coordinator**).
2. National Seminar on Safeguarding Indigenous Knowledge of Medicinal Plants Used by Tribal Healers, jointly organized by Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur (C.G.) and IIT Bhilai Innovation and Technology Foundation (IBITF), Bhilai (C.G.) on November 6th, 2024 (**Organizing Secretary**).
3. Two Days Workshop on "Integration of Indigenous Knowledge: Sustainable Cultivation of Traditional Medicinal Plants and Health Benefits", jointly organized by Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur (C.G.) and IIT Bhilai Innovation and Technology Foundation (IBITF), Bhilai (C.G.) at Govt. Indaru Kenwat Girls College, Kanker (C.G.), on May 9th and 10th, 2024 (**Organizing Secretary**).
4. Three Days Hands-on-Training *cum* Workshop on Techniques in Biotechnology, April 18th -20th, 2024 (**Program Coordinator**).
5. National Conference on Science & Technology for Women Empowerment and Rural Development, jointly organized by The National Academy of Sciences, India (NASI) & PtRSU, Raipur, on October 13th -14th, 2023 (**Executive Secretary**).

6. Five Days Hands-on-Training *cum* Workshop on Advance Techniques in Biotechnology & Yeast Genome Engineering, on August 25th-29th and September 02nd 2023 (**Program Coordinator**).
7. Hands-on Training *cum* Workshop on Molecular Techniques, November 18th -19th, 2022 (**Program Coordinator**).
8. International *e*-Conference on Recent Advances in Biological Sciences & Opportunities in Entrepreneurship”, January 7th - 8th, 2022 (**Organizing Secretary**).
9. National Seminar on “Recent Advances & Trends in Biotechnology”, January 10th -12th, 2020 (**Treasurer**).
10. National Seminar on “Innovations & Prospects in Biotechnology”, January 2nd - 4th, 2016 (**Joint Secretary**).
11. National Conference on Traditional Knowledge and Biotechnology, November 22nd – 24th, 2013 (**Joint Secretary**).

Guest/Invited Lectures Delivered and Chaired a technical session in various activities:

1. Delivered invited lecture as a subject expert and Resource Person titled “**Exploration of Remedial Effects of Traditional Medicinal Plants: Tribal Healers of Kanker District**” at a State Level Workshop, Topic “Concept of Agriculture, Environment and Sustainable Development in the Present Context” organized under the aegis of PM- USHA and IQAC of Govt. Indaru Kenwat Girl’s College, Kanker, Chhattisgarh on January 11th, 2025.
2. Served as Judge “Model Making Competition” in SRIJAN 3.0, organized by the Anjaneya University, Raipur, on October 22nd, 2024.
3. Delivered invited lecture as a subject expert titled “**Exploration of Remedial Effects of Traditional Medicinal Plants: Tribal Healers of Kanker District**” at a Seminar organized by the Department of Bioscience and Biomedical Engineering, IIT Bhilai on May 22nd, 2024.
4. Delivered lecture as a subject expert titled “**Guidance on Career Paths: Post-Graduation Opportunities in the Field of Biology**”, organized by IQAC cell associated with Department of Botany, Govt Naveen College, Pirda, Dist Mahasamund, on February 24th, 2024.
5. Delivered lecture as a subject expert titled “**Antibody and their types**” organized by Department of Biotechnology, Govt Veer Surendra Say P.G. College, Gariaband, Dist Gariaband, on February 21st, 2024.
6. Delivered lecture as a subject expert titled “**Environment and Health: A Vital Indication**” on a Two-Day National Seminar on Environment and Health: Opportunities and Challenges, organized by Govt Kamla Nehru Girls College, Balaghat, MP on March 25th – 26th, 2023.
7. Chaired a technical session as a subject expert in a poster presentation at the National Conference on “**Innovation and Emerging Novel Research in Plant Sciences**” (IENRPS-2023) organized by Govt. VYT PG Autonomous College, Durg, Chhattisgarh, India, on January 17th - 18th, 2023.
8. **Chaired a technical session as a subject expert** (OP-2, oral presentation) in the 22nd National Conference on Aerobiology (NCIAS-2022) and its Impact on Plant, Animal and Human Health, organized by Narayanrao Waghmare Mahavidyalaya, Akhada, MH on December 21st to 23rd, 2022.
9. Delivered lecture as a subject expert on “**Basic of Immunology**” organized by IQAC cell associated with Department of Zoology, Dept of Botany, Govt Kunj Bihari Choube College, Lal Bahadur Nagar, Dist Rajnandgaon, on December 19th, 2022.
10. Delivered lecture on “**CSIR NET Life Sciences, Preparation**” UGC Coaching Center, Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University Raipur (Chhattisgarh), January 2020.

11. Delivered lecture on “**CSIR NET Life Sciences, Preparation**” UGC Coaching Center, Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University Raipur (Chhattisgarh), October 2019.
12. Delivered lecture on “**CSIR NET Life Sciences, Preparation**” UGC Coaching Center, Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University Raipur (Chhattisgarh), April 2018.
13. Lectures delivered on **the Importance of NET & Other JRF Exam**. Department of Biotechnology and Zoology, Govt. Digvijay College, Rajnandgaon, February 19, 2016.




Event Attended in Abroad:

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Environmental Studies: Pollution, Climate Change and Safety Management, Credit points:4 Level: Diploma	Duration:12 Week Start: 15 July 2024 End: 30 Nov 2024 Exam date: 14 Dec 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ecosystem • Types of Ecosystem • Impact of Man on Environment –I • Impact of Man on Environment –II 	Subject Expert	Completed
Web resource: https://onlinecourses.swayam2.ac.in/nou24_es12/preview				 <p>Environmental Studies : Pollution,... Dr. Harish Kumar Ghrtilahre, Dr. Smita Rani... Chhattisgarh Swami Vivekanand Technical University...  IGNOU  12 Weeks (Starts: 01-01-2025)</p>

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Brief Review of the Research Contributions and Future Prospects:

As a dedicated biotechnology researcher and educator, I have focused on conserving pharmaceutically valuable and endangered medicinal plants, particularly *Gloriosa superba*

(Glory Lily), known for its anticancer properties. My research includes developing *in vitro* conservation and microtuberization methods, analyzing colchicine content, and advancing protocols for plant conservation. As a faculty member, I teach Genetics, Molecular Biology, Immunology, and Animal Biotechnology at the M.Sc. level, integrating both theoretical and practical approaches. My laboratory specializes in the propagation and conservation of medicinal plants and mushrooms, with ongoing projects to enhance metabolite production, fortify edible mushrooms as functional foods, and identify bioactive compounds with pharmaceutical potential. My work bridges conservation, sustainable agriculture, and biotechnology to address critical health and food security challenges.

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