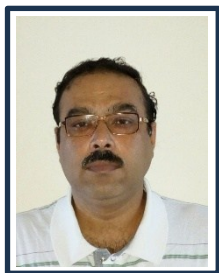


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Examination or Degree or Diploma	Board / University	Year of		% of marks Obtained /OGPA* (with scale)	Class/ Division	Subject with Specialization at Master degree level and onward
		Admission	Passing out			
Secondary	CBSE	1982	1984	64%	1 <sup>ST</sup>	
Higher Secondary	CBSE	1984	1986	66%	1 <sup>ST</sup>	Science
Graduation	VISVA BHARATI	1987	1991	65.5%	1 <sup>ST</sup>	
Master Degree	BCKV	1991-92	1995	80.37% (3.37/4)	1 <sup>ST</sup>	FUNGI AND PLANT INFECTION
Doctoral Degree	BCKV	1995	2000	3.66/4	1 <sup>ST</sup>	FUNGI AND PLANT INFECTION

4. National Level Award for PhD Thesis : NA

**5. Experience (Experience and Professional)****a. In rank of the Professor**

Sl. No.	Employer	Post held	Pay scale	Period of employment		Actual duration
				From	To	
1	UBKV	ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR	37400-67000 (AGP 9000)	19-12-2013	18-12-2016	3 years
2.	UBKV	PROFESSOR	37400-67000 (AGP 10000)	19-12-2016	Continuing	5 years 2 months

**b. As Unit Head** : As In-charge of ELP on Biological Control Mass Production Unit and Service Centre

**c. As Establishment Head** : Head, Department of Plant Pathology, since Sept. 2022

**d. As Project PI:**

Title of the project	Capacity (PI/Co-PI or other)	Period		Sponsoring / Funding organization	Amount of Fund mobilised (Rs. In lakhs)
		From (DD/M M/YYYY)	To (DD/M M/YYYY)		
Productivity improvement of Mungbean ( <i>Vigna radiata</i> ) with biofertilizer package and its impact on rice based cropping system with particular reference to soil health under Terai Agroclimatic Zone (#2) of West Bengal	PI	2004	2009	DBT	24.53
INM on Commercially Important Plantation Crops-Tea (DBT Network Project)	PI	2008	2011	DBT	15.00
Development of 'minimum common programme' for production of bio-primed seedlings for vegetable cultivation under organic farming system in hill and terai agroecological region of West Bengal	PI	2010	2014	RKVY	34.76
Small Research Activity on Local Level Food Foresight	PI	2019	2021	IFPRI	\$ 16000.00
"Intercropping for intensification and diversification in the Indo Gangetic Plains"	PI	2022	Cont.	CSIRO	AUD 40000.00
<i>Additive intercropping in wide-row crops for resilient crop production in Bangladesh, Bhutan and India</i>	PI	2023		ACIAR	AUD 277000
"Bio-efficacy of Acetamiprid 5.0 % w/w + Diamethoate 29.0 % w/w + Propineb 35.0% w/w WP against Aphids & Thrips, Early and late Blight and phytotoxicity in Groundnut"	PI	2024	CONT	Tropical Agrosystem (India) Pvt. Ltd	6.30

## d. As Project Co-PI:

Title of the project	Capacity (PI/Co-PI or other)	Period		Sponsoring / Funding organization	Amount of Fund mobilised (Rs. In lakhs)
		From (DD/MM/YYYY)	To (DD/MM/YYYY)		
Maximizing productivity, farmer profit and nutrient use efficiency in rice based cropping systems in soils of Terai Agro-ecological region of West Bengal	CO-PI	2005	2008	PPIC (Phosphate and Potash Institute of Canada)	
Integrated management of weeds in rice based cropping system	CO-PI	2005	2008	ICAR	10.0
Revitalizing the rice wheat cropping system of Indogangetic plains : Adaptive and adoption of resource conservation technologies in india	Co-Investigator	2006	2009	Rice –Wheat Consortium	6.0
Promotion of conservation agriculture as a new enterprise for sustainability of production system and resource conservation	CO-PI	2011	2014	RKVY	80.0
Spot blotch of wheat: Delivering resistant WHEAT lines and diagnostic and molecular markers for resistance	INVESTIGATOR	2012	2017	CGIAR-CIMMYT (CRP Programme)	\$ 45000
Deciphering phytohormone signaling in modulation of resistance to spot blotch disease for identification of novel resistance components for wheat improvement	INVESTIGATOR	2012	2017	CGIAR-CIMMYT (CRP Programme)	\$30000
Cereal System Initiative for South Asia (CSISA)-Wheat Breeding (Objective 4)	CO-PI	2009	2015	BILL & MILLINDA GATES FOUNDATION – CIMMYT	\$22000
Sustainable and resilient farming systems intensification in the eastern Gangetic Plains (SRFSI)	CO-PI	2013	CONT.	ACIAR	AUS \$ 4,36,732.00
Project on Increasing food legumes production by small farmers to strengthen food and nutrition security through adoption of improved technologies and governance within South-south Cooperation	CO-PI	2013	2018	ICARDA	30.0
Phenotyping of mapping	CC-CO-PI	2011	2015	DBT	23.0

Title of the project	Capacity (PI/Co-PI or other)	Period		Sponsoring / Funding organization	Amount of Fund mobilised (Rs. In lakhs)
		From (DD/M M/YYYY)	To (DD/M M/YYYY)		
populations at hot spots and tagging of major QTLs associated with spot blotch resistance in wheat					
Development of bio-resource complex – a single window for service and training	CO-PI	2011	2014	RKVY	96.0
Agri-Research Station on environment and climate change and its impact on crop production (Phase I) Terai Region	CO-PI	2011	2014	RKVY	100.0
On farm plant protection advisory service	CO-PI	2012	2014	RKVY	46.0
Establishment of Rural Bioresource Complex in North Bengal	CO-PI	2012	2017	DBT	96.0
Disease Pestilence Warning System (Old Alluvial Zone)	Co-PI	2013	2015	RKVY	53.0
Niche Area of Excellence on “Development of blast resistance high yielding short grain aromatic rice variety for northern Bengal.”	Co-PI	2019	2022	ICAR	195.0
Understanding Farm-Household Management Decision making for Increased Productivity in the Eastern Gangetic Plains	CO-PI	2017	Cont	ACIAR (Collaboration with University of Western Australia)	

**II. TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

Sl. No.	Item	Details	Years
1.	Graduation level	UBKV	22 years (2001- till date)
2.	Masters' level	-Do-	22 years (2001- till date)
3.	Doctoral level	-Do-	21 yrs. (2002- till date)
4.	Ph.D Student Guidance	-Do-	18 years (2006- till date)
5.	M.Sc. Student Guidance	-Do-	20 years (2003-till date)
6.	Innovation of Teaching Methods	-Do-	20 years (2003- till date)

**a) Professional Trainings**

Details of the programme	Level (Local / National / International)	Period	
		From (DD/MM/YYYY)	To (DD/MM/YYYY)
<b>Training at national level</b>			
ICAR-INFLIBNET training programme for agriculture librarians on networking and E-resource management ( <b>INFLIBNET, Ahmedabad</b> )	National	19-08-2003	30-08-2003
Biotechnological approaches for the management of plant pathogens in export oriented horticulture crops ( <b>TNAU, Coimbatore</b> )	National	02-12-2003	22-12-2003
Training programme cum workshop on Computer aided material production ( <b>NAARM, Hyderabad</b> )	National	24 -05-2004	03-06-2004
Role of mineral nutrients and innovative eco-friendly measures in crop disease management ( <b>GBPUAT, Pantnagar</b> )	National	22-03-2007	11-04-2007
<b>Training at International level</b>			
Agricultural Innovation Systems, Barsana Hotel and Resort, Darjeeling, West Bengal, India	International	29-10-2013	31-10-2013
Wheat Improvement and Pathology Course, National Wheat Research Centre, ( <b>Bhairawa, Nepal</b> )	International	29-11-2009	12-12-2009
Advanced Wheat Improvement and Pathology Training Course. ( <b>El Batan, Texcoco, Mexico</b> )	International	01-08-2012	28-09-2012
International Training Workshop on 'Approaches for integrated analysis of agricultural systems in South Asia:	International	18-05-2015	23-05-2015

field, to farm, to landscape scale' (CSSRI, Karnal)			
6th Advance Course on CA: Gateway for Productive & Sustainable Cropping Systems in Asia (Bourlaug Institute for South Asia (BISA) Ludhiana	International	24-10-2015	07-11-2015
Standardization of stem rust field notes and germplasm evaluation, with discussions on stripe and leaf rust (KALRO, Njoro, Kenya)	International	02-10-2016	12-10-2016

### b) Seminars/Symposiums/Workshops

Details of the programme	Period	
	From	To
Natl. Symposium on Current Perspectives In Stress Biology	06-02-2004	08-02-2004
4 <sup>th</sup> International Food Legume Research Conference	18-10-2005	22-10-2005
International Symposium on Agriculturally Important Microorganisms: Conservation, Utilization, Bioremediation and Ecological Significance	25-02-2006	
Travelling Seminar on Conservation Agriculture	16-09-2008	22-09-2008
World Congress on Conservation Agriculture	04-02-2009	07-02-2009
<i>National Symposium on Harnessing the potential of North Eastern States for spices production through technological intervention</i>	30-10-2009	31-10-2009
<i>National Seminar on "Trends in Microbiology"-UGC sponsored</i>	Nov, 2011	
<i>National Symposium on Biotic and Abiotic Stresses in Plants under Changing Climate Scenario, Society of Mycology and Plant Pathology</i>	Nov, 2012	
<i>National Seminar on adaptation and mitigation strategies of climate change for sustainable livelihood</i>	05-03-2014	07-03-2014
National Symposium on Plant Health Management for Food Security and Safety	08-12-2016	09-12-2016
Climate Change and Agriculture Production Conference 2017	06-04-2017	08-04-2017
" Mitigating Biotic Stresses in Agriculture for 21 <sup>st</sup> Century: Changing Market Paradigm" and East Zone meet of Indian Phytopathological Society	05-11-2019	06-11-2019
World Congress on Conservation Agriculture	21-06-2021	23-06-2021
<b>Selected International workshops attended</b>		
Regional consultation meeting to respond to the wheat blast epidemic in Bangladesh, Nepal	26-07-2016	27-07-2016
Project planning and inception workshop-SRFSI, ACIAR	21-07-2014	23-07-2014
Project planning and inception workshop- Understanding farm household..., Perth, Australia, ACIAR	19-07-2018	Cont.
Regional Dialogue on 'Agricultural Mechanization in South Asia", Dhaka, Bangladesh	20-07-2017	21-07-2017
Cereal System Initiative for South Asia (CSISA) Wheat Breeding Workshop	2009	2015

SRFSI Annual Review and Planning Meeting, CIMMYT, ACIAR	2015	2019
CGIAR Gender Impact Platform-From Research to Impact: Towards just and Resilient Agri-Food System	09-10-2023	12-10-2023

### c) Seminars/Symposiums/Workshops organized

Details of the programme	Period	
	From	To
<i>National Seminar on "Trends in Microbiology"-UGC sponsored (In collaboration with ABN Seal College, Coochbehar)</i>	Nov, 2011	
<i>National Symposium on Biotic and Abiotic Stresses in Plants under Changing Climate Scenario, Society of Mycology and Plant Pathology</i>	Nov, 2012	
" Mitigating Biotic Stresses in Agriculture for 21 <sup>st</sup> Century: Changing Market Paradigm" and East Zone meet of Indian Phytopathological Society	05-11-2019	06-11-2019
Mid Term Evaluation and Planning Workshop-SRFSI	07-02-2017	08-02-2017
SRFSI Review Meeting	Feb, 2018	
Indian Phytopathological Society -National Symposium	05-11-19	06-11-19
Revisiting the potential of <b>Bio</b> -stimulants: A journey from lab to farmer's field towards enhancement of crop <b>Sustainability</b> and resilience in <b>Stressed</b> environments, A workshop of Indo-German Science and Technology Centre	13-03-2024	15-03-2024

## IV. Extension Experience

### a) Participatory Research

Title of Technology	Methods Adopted	Individual/Collaborative
Conservation Agriculture	Participatory Research Trials (> 150)	Collaboration with Department of Agriculture, GOWB
Bio-inoculation in Conservation agriculture practice in legumes	Participatory research Trials (>30)	Collaboration with ICARDA

### b) Technology Developed

Category of achievement	Title	Year	Additional information, if any
Package developed	Conservation Agriculture (CA) protocol for Unpuddled Transplanted Rice	2018	Approved by Govt. of WB
Package developed	CA protocol for Wheat	2018	Approved by Govt. of WB
Package developed	CA protocol for Maize	2018	Approved by Govt. of WB
Package developed	CA protocol for Jute	2018	Approved by Govt. of WB
Package developed	CA protocol for Lentil	2018	Approved by Govt. of WB
Package developed	CA protocol for Mustard	2018	Approved by Govt. of WB

## V) Other academic related experiences

Sl. No.	Other academic experiences
1	Prepared the policy draft for conservation agriculture in agriculture
2	Paper setter to CGPS Barapani, AAU, VB, BCKV, COH Sikkim, BAU Sabour
3	Thesis evaluation of VB, UAS Dharwad, BCKV
4	President Eastern Zone, Indian Phytopathological Society, 2019-20
5	Councilor, Eastern Zone, Indian Phytopathological Society, 2016-17
6	Councilor, Eastern Zone, Society of Mycology and Plant Pathology, 2011-12
7	Member, Board of Studies, Department of Plant Pathology, Palli Siksha Bhavana, Visva Bharati
8	Delivered Lecture on Conservation Agriculture and its utility to small farm holders in University of Western Australia
9	Acted as resource person in National Webinar on Statistical Methods in Plant Pathology, AAU, Jorhat
10	Invited Speaker in International Conference on Vegetables, ICAR-IIVR, Varanasi, Dec 2021
11	Acted as Sub project Advisory reference Group in ACIAR, 2018
12	Received S. B. Chattopadhyay Award Lecture , Indian Mycological Society, 2024

### **B. Administrative Experience**

Sl. No.	Name of the Post	Nature of Work	Duration	Organization	Remarks
1	Member, Computer Management Committee	Managing the computer and networking related development in the University	2005-2013	UBKV	Managed to establish fibre optic based LAN in the University with technical backstopping from NBU.
2.	Member, Purchase Committee	Managing the purchase procedure in the University	2006-2012	UBKV	
3.	In-charge, Biological Control Lab and Mass Production Centre	Providing training to the students through ELP	2007- till date	UBKV	Managing the unit to provide entrepreneurial training to students on production of bio-inoculants.
4.	Convenor, Local Level Management Group of Student READY Programme	Managing the village attachment programme for the Under-graduate students	2019-2021	UBKV	Managing all the activities of the students during the village attachment with the help of a group of teachers from different disciplines.

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## 7. Ph.D Guidance

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