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**RESEARCH INTERESTS:** Enzyme Technology and Microbial Biotechnology; Protein Bioinformatics

## **EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS:**

Exam	Year	Board/Univ.	Division	% age	Subjects
B.Sc.	1997	A.P.S. University. Rewa, M.P. India	1 <sup>st</sup>	75.0%	Bot., Zoo., Chem. F.C.
M.Sc.*	1999	Dr. Hari Singh Gour University, Sagar, M.P. India	1 <sup>st</sup>	75.9%	Applied Microbiology and Biotechnology
Ph. D.	2002	A.P.S, University Rewa, M.P., India	Awarded in September 2002		Microbiology and Fungal Biotechnology
International NRF-DUT Post Doc	2008-09	Department of Biotechnology & Food Technology, Durban University of Technology, Durban, South Africa	Awarded (From April 2008-31 March 2009)		Enzyme Technology & Enzyme Engineering

**\*University Topper- Stood First in order of Merit**

## **ACADEMIC AND PROFESSIONAL APPOINTMENTS:**

S. No.	Employer	From	To	Designation
1.	Registrar, Dr. H. S. Gour University, Sagar (MP), India	July, 2000	June, 2002	Lecturer(Contractual)
2.	Registrar, National Law University, Jodhpur, India	July 8, 2002	March 19, 2003	Asst Lecturer (Life Science/Biotech)
3.	Registrar, Birla Institute of Technology, (DEEMED UNIVERSITY) Mesra, Ranchi, India	March 21, 2003	September 30, 2005	Lecturer
3.	Registrar, Birla Institute of Technology, Mesra, Ranchi, India	October, 1, 2005	September, 18, 2007	Sr. Lecturer
4.	Registrar, Birla Institute of Technology, Mesra, Ranchi, India	Sept. 19, 2007 (w.e.f 01/06/07)	May 31, 2010	Reader
5.	Registrar, Birla Institute of Technology, (DEEMED UNIVERSITY) Mesra, Ranchi	June 1, 2010	Dec. 18, 2011	Associate Professor
6.	Registrar, M.D. University, Rohtak, Haryana, India	Dec. 19, 2011	May 31, 2013	Associate Professor & HOD
7.	Registrar, M.D. University, Rohtak, Haryana, India	June 1, 2013	Till today	Professor & HOD

## **EXPERIENCE:**

**TEACHING [UG/PG]:** 18 Years (2000-2018)

**RESEARCH:** 16 years (2002-2018) (post Ph.D.)

### **PUBLICATIONS & PATENTS: Author of 138 scientific publications**

- a. Peer Reviewed Journals (International): 100
- b. Peer Reviewed Journals (National): 03
- c. Book Chapters: 26
- d. Edited Books /Books authored: 07
- e. Journal special issue: 02

### **OTHERS: 115**

- f. Conference Proceedings/poster presentations (International): 40
- g. Conference Proceedings /poster presentations (National): 25
- h. Invited Lectures/Oral presentations: 50

### **PATENT: 01**

**Title:** Novel  $\beta$ -1, 4-endoxylanase from *Thermomyces lanuginosus* SS-8 and the mode of action thereof.

**Ref No.**141/KOL/2010; Filed on 15/02/2010 at the Patent Office, Kolkata

**Publication date:** 19.10.2012 (U/S 11A)

## **Peer Reviewed Journals (International):**

### **2018**

1. Sanjeev K. Gupta, Pratyosh Shukla (2018) Glycosylation control technologies for recombinant therapeutic proteins. DOI: 10.1007/s00253-018-9430-6 Applied Microbiology and Biotechnology. (Impact Factor: 3.34)
2. Dinesh Saini, Hillol Chakdar, Sunil Pabbi & Pratyosh Shukla (2018) Enhancing production of microalgal biopigments through metabolic and genetic engineering (DOI:10.1080/10408398.2018.1533518), Critical Reviews in Food Science and Nutrition. (Impact Factor: 6.015)
3. Kumar, V., Kumar, A., Chhabra, D., & Shukla, P. (2018). Improved biobleaching of mixed hardwood pulp and process optimization using novel GA-ANN and GA-ANFIS hybrid statistical tools. Bioresource technology, 271: 274-282 (Impact factor: 5.807)
4. Arun Kumar Dangi, Babita Sharma, Russell T. Hill, Pratyosh Shukla (2018) Bioremediation through microbes: systems biology and metabolic engineering approach. Critical Reviews in Biotechnology, doi.org/10.1080/07388551.2018.1500997. (Impact Factor: 5.239)
5. Shukla, P. (2018). 'Futuristic Protein Engineering: Developments and Avenues'. Current Protein and Peptide Science, 19(1), 3-4. (Impact factor: 2.57)
6. Supratim Basu, Roel C. Rabara, Sangeeta Negi, Pratyosh Shukla (2018) "Engineering of PGPMOs through gene editing and systems biology: solution for phytoremediation?", Trends in Biotechnology , 36(5) 499-510 (Impact Factor: 13.578)
7. Sharma, B., Dangi, A. K., & Shukla, P. (2018). Contemporary enzyme based technologies for bioremediation: A review. Journal of environmental management, 210, 10-22. (Impact Factor: 4.010)

8. Yadav, R., K Singh, P., & Shukla, P. (2018). Metabolic engineering for probiotics and their genome-wide expression profiling. *Current Protein and Peptide Science*, 19(1), 68-74. (Impact factor: 2.57)
9. Basu, M., Kumar, V., & Shukla, P. (2018). Recombinant Approaches for Microbial Xylanases: Recent Advances and Perspectives. *Current Protein and Peptide Science*, 19(1), 87-99. (Impact factor: 2.57)
10. Vishal Kumar, Arun Kumar Dangi, Pratyoo Shukla (2018) Engineering Thermostable Microbial Xylanases Toward its Industrial Applications. *Molecular Biotechnology*, 1-10, Impact Factor 1.634)
11. Liu, H., Sun, J., Chang, J. S., & Shukla, P. (2018). Engineering microbes for direct fermentation of cellulose to bioethanol. *Critical reviews in biotechnology*, Pages 1-17. <https://doi.org/10.1080/07388551.2018.1452891>. (IF 6.542)
12. Rameshwar Tiwari, Lata Nain, Nikos Labrou & Pratyoo Shukla (2017) Bioprospecting of functional cellulases from metagenome for second generation biofuel production: A review. *Critical Reviews in Microbiology*. 44 (2), 244-257 (Impact factor- 8.19). *NAAS Rating: 12.02*. ISSN 1040-841X (Print), 1549-7828 (Online).
13. Banerjee, A., Banerjee, C., Negi, S., Chang, J. S., & Shukla, P. (2018). Improvements in algal lipid production: a systems biology and gene editing approach. *Critical Reviews in Biotechnology*, 38 (3), 369-385. (IF 6.542)
14. Jagadevan, S., Banerjee, A., Banerjee, C., Guria, C., Tiwari, R., Baweja, M., & Shukla, P. (2018). Recent developments in synthetic biology and metabolic engineering in microalgae towards biofuel production. *Biotechnology for biofuels*, 11(1), 185. (Impact Factor: 5.497)
15. Saini, D. K., Pabbi, S., & Shukla, P. (2018). Cyanobacterial pigments: Perspectives and biotechnological approaches. *Food and Chemical Toxicology*. 120: 616-624. (Impact Factor: 3.997)
16. Vashistha, R., Dangi, A.K., Kumar, A. et al. 3 *Biotech* (2018) Futuristic biosensors for cardiac health care: an artificial intelligence approach 8: 358. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s13205-018-1368-y>. (Impact Factor: 1.497)
17. Vashistha, R., Chhabra, D., & Shukla, P. (2018). Integrated Artificial Intelligence Approaches for Disease Diagnostics. *Indian journal of microbiology*, 58(2), 252-255.
18. Dubey, K. K., Luke, G. A., Knox, C., Kumar, P., Pletschke, B. I., Singh, P. K., & Shukla, P. (2018). Vaccine and antibody production in plants: developments and computational tools. *Briefings in functional genomics*. (Impact Factor: 1.310)
19. Dangi, A. K., Sharma, B., Khangwal, I., & Shukla, P. (2018). Combinatorial Interactions of Biotic and Abiotic Stresses in Plants and Their Molecular Mechanisms: Systems Biology Approach. *Molecular Biotechnology*, 1-15. (Impact Factor: 1.815)
20. V Kumar, P Shukla (2018) Extracellular xylanase production from *T. lanuginosus* VAPS24 at pilot scale and thermostability enhancement by immobilization, *Process Biochemistry*, (Impact factor 2.616)
21. Kumar, V., Singh, P. K., & Shukla, P. (2018) Thermostability and Substrate Specificity of GH-11 Xylanase from *Thermomyces lanuginosus* VAPS24. *Indian Journal of Microbiology*, 1-5. (Impact factor: 1.34)

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22. Tiwari, R., Singh, P. K., Singh, S., Nain, P. K., Nain, L., & Shukla, P. (2017). Bioprospecting of novel thermostable  $\beta$ -glucosidase from *Bacillus subtilis* RA10 and its application in biomass hydrolysis. *Biotechnology for Biofuels* 10 (1), 246. (IF 5.203).
23. Dangi, A. K., Dubey, K. K., & Shukla, P. (2017). Strategies to Improve *Saccharomyces cerevisiae*: Technological Advancements and Evolutionary Engineering. *Indian Journal of Microbiology*, 1-9. (IF 1.143).

24. Sanjeev Kumar Gupta, PratyooSh Shukla (2017) Sophisticated cloning, fermentation and purification technologies for an enhanced therapeutic protein production: A Review Front. Pharmacol. doi: 10.3389/fphar.2017.00419. (Impact Factor: 4.418) ISSN No. 1663-9812.
25. Gupta SK, Sharma A, Kushwaha H and Shukla P (2017) Over-expression of a Codon Optimized Yeast Cytosolic Pyruvate Carboxylase (PYC2) in CHO Cells for an Augmented Lactate Metabolism. Front. Pharmacol. 8:463. doi: 10.3389/fphar.2017.00463(Impact Factor: 4.418). ISSN No. 1663-9812.
26. Sanjeev K. Gupta, Santosh K. Srivastava, Ankit Sharma, Vaibhav H. Nalage, Darshita Salvi, Hiralal Kushwaha, Nikhil B. Chitnis, PratyooSh Shukla (2017) Metabolic engineering of CHO cells for the development of a robust protein production platform. PLOS ONE. DOI: 10.1371/journal.pone.0181455.(IF 2.766)
27. Vishal Kumar, Deepak Chhabra, PratyooSh Shukla (2017) Xylanase production from *Thermomyces lanuginosus* VAPS-24 using low cost agro-industrial residues via hybrid optimization tools and its potential use for saccharification. DOI: 10.1016/j.biortech.2017.07.094, Bioresource Technology, ISSN: 0960-8524, (IF 5.651)
28. Puneet Kumar Singh, Vishal Kumar, Ruby Yadav and PratyooSh Shukla (2017) Bioengineering for microbial inulinases: Trends and applications. Current protein & peptide science, 18. DOI: 10.2174/1389203718666161122112251 (IF 2.441)
29. Yadav R, Kumar V., Baweja M., Shukla P. (2017) Gene editing and genetic engineering approaches for advanced probiotics: A Review. Critical Reviews in Food Science and Nutrition. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/10408398.2016.1274877>. (IF 5.492)
30. Moumita Basu, Vishal Kumar and PratyooSh Shukla (2017) Recombinant approaches for microbial xylanases: recent advances and perspectives. Current protein & peptide science, 18. DOI: 10.2174/1389203718666161122110200 (IF 2.441)
31. Kashyap Kumar Dubey, Punit Kumar, Nikos E. Labrou, PratyooSh Shukla (2017) Biotherapeutic potential and mechanisms of action of Colchicine. Critical Reviews in Biotechnology. 10.1080/07388551.2017.1303804. ISSN 1549-7801. (IF 7.510)
32. Nigam, V.K., Arfi, T., Kumar, V., Shukla, PratyooSh (2017) Bioengineering of Nitrilases Towards Its Use as Green Catalyst: Applications and Perspectives. Indian J Microbiol. doi:10.1007/s12088-017-0645-5. (IF 1.143)
33. Dahiya DK, Renuka, Puniya M, Shandilya UK, Dhewa T, Kumar N, Kumar S, Puniya AK and Shukla P (2017) Gut Microbiota Modulation and Its Relationship with Obesity Using Prebiotic Fibers and Probiotics: A Review. Front. Microbiol. 8:563. doi: 10.3389/fmicb.2017.00563 (IF 4.165)
34. Roshan Kumar, Koushik Biswas, Puneet Kumar Singh, Pankaj Kumar Singh, S. Elumalai, PratyooSh Shukla and Sunil Pabbi (2017) Lipid production and molecular dynamics simulation for regulation of accD gene in cyanobacteria under different N and P regimes. Biotechnology for Biofuels. DOI: 10.1186/s13068-017-0776-2. (IF 6.444) ISSN: 1754-6834
35. Sanjeev Kumar Gupta, PratyooSh Shukla (2017) Gene editing for cell engineering: trends and applications. Critical Reviews in Biotechnology , 37:5, 672-684, Impact factor-7.510. NAAS Rating: 12.09. <http://dx.doi.org/10.1080/07388551.2016.1214557> ISSN: 1549-7801.

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38. Yadav R, Singh PK, Puniya AK and Shukla P (2016). Catalytic interactions and molecular docking of bile salt hydrolase (BSH) from *L. plantarum* RYPR1 and its prebiotic utilization. *Front. Microbiol.* 7(2116):1-7. doi: 10.3389/fmicb.2016.02116 (IF 4.165)
39. Yadav R, Puniya AK and Shukla P (2016). Probiotic properties of *Lactobacillus plantarum* RYPR1 from an indigenous fermented beverage Raabadi. *Front. Microbiol.* 7(1683): 1-9. doi: 10.3389/fmicb.2016.01683. (IF 4.165)
40. Jahangir Imam, Nimai P. Mandal, Mukund Variar and Pratyoo Shukla (2016) Allele Mining and Selective Patterns of Pi9 Gene in a Set of Rice Landraces from India. 7(1846): 1-9. *Front. Plant Sci.*, doi.org/10.3389/fpls.2016.01846. (IF 4.9)
41. J, Imam Singh PK and Shukla Pratyoo Sh (2016). Plant microbe interactions in post genomic era: perspectives and applications. *Front. Microbiol.* 7(1488):1-15. doi: 10.3389/fmicb.2016.01488. (IF 4.165)
42. Kumar Vishal, Baweja M, Singh PK and Shukla Pratyoo Sh (2016). Recent developments in systems biology and metabolic engineering of plant microbe interactions. *Front. Plant Sci.* 7(1421):1-12. doi: 10.3389/fpls.2016.01421 (IF 4.9)
43. Vishal Kumar, Julia Marin-Navarro, Pratyoo Sh Shukla (2016) Thermostable microbial xylanases for pulp and paper industries: trends, applications and further perspectives. *World J Microbiol Biotechnol.* 32(2):34: 1-10, 1-10 (DOI 10.1007/s11274-015-2005-0). (**Impact factor**- 1.779). *NAAS Rating: 7.78*. ISSN: 0959-3993 (Print) 1573-0972 (Online).
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45. Sanjeev Kumar Gupta, Pratyoo Sh Shukla (2016) Bacterial platform technology for recombinant antibody fragment production: A review. *Critical Reviews in Microbiology.* 43(1):31-42 DOI:10.3109/1040841X.2016.1150959. (Impact factor- 8.19). *NAAS Rating: 12.02*. ISSN 1040-841X (Print), 1549-7828 (Online).
46. Puneet Kumar Singh, Josmi Joseph, Sukriti Goyal, Abhinav Grover, Pratyoo Sh Shukla (2016) Functional analysis of the binding model of microbial inulinases using docking and molecular dynamics simulation. *Journal of Molecular Modeling*, 22(4), 1-7. DOI 10.1007/s00894-016-2935-y. (Impact factor- 1.736). *NAAS Rating: 7.74*. ISSN: 1610-2940 (Print) 0948-5023 (Online).
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50. Shrivastava, S., Kumar, V., Baweja, M., & Shukla, P. (2016). Enhanced xylanase production from *Thermomyces lanuginosus* NCIM 1374/DSM 28966 using statistical analysis. *Journal of Pure and Applied Microbiology*, 10(3), 2225-2231. ISSN 0973-7510. NAAS RATING 6.4 (2013). Impact Factor: 0.073.

## 2015

51. Jahangir Imam, Shamshad Alam, Nimai Prasad Mandal, Pratyoosh Shukla, Tilak Raj Sharma, Mukund Variar (2015). Molecular Identification and Virulence Analysis of AVR Genes in Rice Blast Pathogen, *Magnaporthe oryzae* from Eastern India. Euphytica, (Springer) ISSN (Print): 0014-2336; 1573-5060 (Online); 206(1):21–31. Impact Factor: 1.643 (Online first) (DOI: 10.1007/s10681-015-1465-5). **NAAS Rating: 7.46**
52. Jahangir Imam, Shamshad Alam, Nimai Prasad Mandal, Dipankar Maiti, Mukund Variar Pratyoosh Shukla (2015). Molecular Diversity and Mating Type Distribution of the Rice Blast Pathogen *Magnaporthe oryzae* in North-East and Eastern India. Indian Journal of Microbiology (Springer), 55(1): 108-113 (DOI 10.1007/s12088-014-0504-6): **Impact factor-0.8. [ISSN 0046-8991], NAAS Rating: 6.46**
53. S. Karumuri, P.K. Singh, Pratyoosh Shukla (2015) In Silico Analog Design for Terbinafine against *Trichophyton rubrum*: A Preliminary Study, Indian Journal of Microbiology (Springer), 55(3): 333–340. (DOI) 10.1007/s12088-015-0524-x. (Online first). **Impact factor-0.8. NAAS Rating: 6.46.**
54. Sanjeev Kumar Gupta, Pratyoosh Shukla (2015) Advanced technologies for improved expression of recombinant proteins in bacteria: Perspectives and applications. Critical Reviews in Biotechnology, 36(6):1089-1098. DOI 10.3109/07388551.2015.1084264. **Impact factor-7.89. NAAS Rating: 12.09.** Print ISSN: 0738-8551 Online ISSN: 1549-7801
55. Nigam, V.K. and Shukla, P., (2015). Enzyme Based Biosensors for Detection of Environmental Pollutants-A Review. Journal of microbiology and biotechnology, 25(11):1773-81. Online ISSN: 1738-8872 Print ISSN: 1017-7825 (Impact Factor: 1.685)
56. Rameshwar Tiwari, Kumar Pranaw, Surender Singh, Pawan Nain, Pratyoosh Shukla, Lata Nain (2015) Two step statistical optimization for cold active  $\beta$ -glucosidase production from *Pseudomonas lutea* BG8 and its application for improving saccharification of paddy straw. Biotechnology and Applied Biochemistry. 63(5):659-668 Online ISSN: 1470-8744 **Impact factor-1.36. NAAS Rating: 7.32. doi: 10.1002/bab.1415.**
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61. Chiranjib Banerjee, Sandipta Ghosh, Gautam Sen, Sumit Mishra, Pratyoosh Shukla, Rajib Bandopadhyay (2014) Study of algal biomass harvesting through cationic cassia gum, a natural



- plant based biopolymer. *Bioresource Technology* (Elsevier), 151: 6–11. ISSN: 0960-8524 (IF: 4.720; 5 Yr IF: 5.172). <http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.biortech.2013.10.035>. NAAS Rating: 10.75
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64. **Pratyoosh Shukla** (2014) 54<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of Association of Microbiologists of India (AMI): A Report. *Indian Journal of Microbiology* (Springer). 54(2): 244–245. (DOI 10.1007/s12088-014-0465-9): ISSN: 0046-8991 **Impact factor-0.8. NAAS Rating: 6.46**
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The following students are registered/completed P.D. under my Supervision/ co-supervision

AWARDED: 11, ONGOING: 7

S.No.	Name of Student	Status	Title of Thesis
1.	Mr. Raju Poddar (As Co-guide)	Awarded	"Noninvasive Measurement of Blood Glucose Level using Optical Coherence Tomography"
2.	Mr. Shripal Vijayvargiya (As Guide)	Awarded	Computational Techniques for Gene prediction through identifying regulatory Transcription Factor Binding Sites (TFBS) in Biological Sequences."
3.	Ms. Smriti Shrivastava (As Guide)	Awarded	Thermozymes: Production and characterization of High level Cellulase-free Xylanases from the Thermophilic fungi with special reference to <i>Thermomyces lanuginosus</i>
4.	Mr. Chiranjib Banerjee (As Co-Guide)	Awarded	Molecular characterization and identification of novel hydrogen producing algae and exploiting their biotechnological potential
5.	Mr. Jahangir Imam (As Guide)	Awarded	Understanding plant fungus interactions in relation to pathogenic variation in <i>Magnaporthe grisea</i> and diversity at Pi9 locus in rice ( <i>Oryza sativa</i> L)
6.	Mr. Rameshwar Tiwari	Awarded	Bioprospecting of B-glucosidase from diverse environmental niches by culturable and unculturable approaches
7.	Mr. Puneet Kumar Singh	Awarded	Characterization of microbial inulinases from soil fungi and escalation of their catalytic properties through enzyme modeling and docking.
8.	Mr Sanjeev Kumar Gupta	Awarded	Microbial protein engineering approaches towards deciphering the effect of co-expression of pyruvate carboxylase in production of recombinant bio-therapeutic proteins.
9.	Ms Mehak Baweja	Awarded	Exploring biotechnological potential of microbial proteases: Isolation and

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10.	Ms Ruby Yadav	Awarded	Isolation and characterization of indigenous probiotic microorganisms from conventional fermented food products and deciphering their probiotic potential
11.	Mr Vishal Kumar Aggarwal	Awarded	An effectual bio-process development for the production of Xylanases from <i>Thermomyces lanuginosus</i> and its applications in pulp and paper industry
12.	Ms Babita Sharma	Ongoing	Enzymatic bioremediation studies on microorganisms isolated from industrial soils and their biotechnological potential
13.	Mr. Dinesh K. Saini	Ongoing	Bioprospecting of cyanobacteria for high value biopigments and optimization for their enhanced production
14.	Ms. Twinkle	Ongoing	Isolation, molecular characterization and enzymatic potential of root nodule bacteria towards improving performance of bioinoculants
15.	Ms. Monika Yadav	Ongoing	Evaluation of probiotic capabilities in customary dairy products and its metabolic significance
16.	Ms. Sunita Verma	Ongoing	Identification and characterization of novel NAP (Nucleoid associated protein) Rv1985c from <i>Mycobacterium tuberculosis</i> and its role in survival and pathogenesis.
17.	Ms. Ishu Khanagwal	Ongoing	Production, characterization and evaluation of xylooligosaccharides towards its use in prebiotic applications
18.	Ms. Shweta Jaiswal	Ongoing	Molecular characterization of lindane degrading bacteria and their functional gene annotation for bioremediation

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- Life Member, “Indian Science Congress Association (ISCA)”.
- Life Member, “India Society for Technical Education (ISTE)”
- Life Member, Mycological Society of India (MSI)
- Member, Asian Federation of Biotechnology (AFoB)
- Life Member, Biotech Research Society of India (BRSI)
- Life Member, ADNAT, CCMB, Hyderabad.
- Member, American Society on Microbiology (ASM)
- Life Member, “Association of Microbiologists of India (AMI)”.
- Member, “European Federation of Biotechnology (EFB)”
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## MEMBER AS REVIEWER/ EDITORIAL BOARD OF JOURNALS/ SCIENTIFIC SOCIETIES

- Associate Editor, BMC Microbiology, Associate Editor (3 Biotech-Springer)
- Academic Editor (PLOS One)
- Editor, Indian Journal of Microbiology (Springer)
- Editor-in-Chief, Journal of Microbiology, Internet Scientific Publishers, USA (2007-2009)
- Reviewer and Member, Editorial Board of Journal of Applied Sciences in Environmental Sanitation, ITS, Indonesia.
- Reviewer,
  - Annals of Microbiology (Springer), Bioresource Technology (Elsevier)
  - Biotechnology for Biofuels, Journal of Molecular Catalysis B: Enzymatic
  - Journal of Chemical Technology and Biotechnology (JCTB- Wiley)
  - Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences, India Section B: Biological Sciences (Springer), Briefings in Functional Genomics (Oxford Journals)
  - IEEE Transactions on Cybernetics
- Secretary, Association of Microbiologists of India, Ranchi Unit, Jharkhand Chapter (2007-2011).
- President, Association of Microbiologists of India, Rohtak Unit.
- Member, National Executive Council of Association of Microbiologists of India. (2007-2014)



- General Secretary, Association of Microbiologists of India (AMI) (2014 onwards)
- Member, National Executive Council of Mycological Society of India (MSI)

## AWARDS AND SCIENTIFIC RECOGNITION

- Faculty Research Award: Top 10 “Most outstanding Researchers” in the field of Immunology and Microbiology (2018)
- Fellow, Academy of Microbiological Sciences (2017)
- AMI-Alembic Award in Industrial Microbiology (2015)
- ASM-IUSSTF Indo-US Professorship Award in Microbiology by American Society of Microbiology (2014)
- Best Poster Award (75 Platinum Jubilee AMI poster Award- The Association of microbiologists of India(AMI) [2013]
- FAST TRACK YOUNG SCIENTIST Project by DST, Govt. of India (2012)
- Selected as Scientist/ Project investigator and Participated in Southern Ocean Antarctica Expedition (Ministry of Earth Sciences, Govt. of India). (January-March, 2011)
- Awarded as Best Poster Award- Danisco India Award in Probiotics & Enzyme Technology (2010)
- Best Poster Award, International Conference, InCoFIBS, 2010, NIT Rourkela (2010)
- Awarded with NRF-DUT Post Doctoral Fellowship in Enzyme Biotechnology supported by National Research Foundation and Durban University of Technology, South Africa (2008-2009)
- Best presentation Award (Senior Category) during National Seminar towards a Scientific & Technological Culture, National Science Seminar, 2006 organized by National Council for Science and Technology Communication (NCSTC), New Delhi.
- Nominated as Programme Coordinator at BIT Mesra, Ranchi, India for PIPRA, University of California, Davis, CA.
- Invited by Bioinfo, Inc. USA for delivering lectures in Microbial Genetics.
- Stood First in the order of merit in University for Master of Science (Applied Microbiology & Biotechnology)
- Received "Prof. S.B. Saksena, F.N.A., Award" in life sciences for getting **first** position in university during M.Sc. in Applied Microbiology and Biotechnology (Consist of a cash prize and citation).

**R & D PROJECTS (As Principal Investigator/Co-Investigator):**

S. No.	Title of Project	Funding Agency & Total Budget	Date of Sanction	Duration
1.	'Development of probes for early detection of microorganisms responsible for food spoilage during food processing and preservation'. (45/MFPI/R&D/2002-IV)(As Co-investigator)	Ministry of Food Processing & Industries, Govt of India 80.00 Lakhs (INR)	15-02-2006	2 years (2006-2008)
2.	Genetic modification of hydrogen producing algae (As Coordinator)	Institute Sponsored R & D Project (3 Lakhs)	July 2009	2009-12 (3 Lakhs)
3.	Innovative Project on Bio-hydrogen production from microalgae	BIT Mesra, Ranchi (3.00 Lakhs)	August 2010	November, 2012 (3.00 Lakhs)
4.	Cloning, expression and Characterization of a novel xylanase from <i>Thermomyces lanuginosus</i> and improvement of effectual bioprocess' (Reg. No. SERC/LS-228/2012 dated 06/08/12)	DST-FAST TRACK Govt. of India  (23.46 Lakhs)	August 2012	2012-2015 (23.46 Lakhs)
5.	Proteomic analysis and lipid profiling of <i>chlamydomonas reinhardtii</i> and its relevance towards bio-fuel production	UGC, New Delhi Rs. 9,80,800/-	22, March, 2013 (01-04-2013)	2013-2016 Rs. 9,80,800/-
6.	"TREAT-AFTER-TOO-Targeting elimination of antineoplastic compounds in hospital waste waters: novel frontiers in sustainable treatment". (As CoPI) (BT/IN/INNO-INDIGO/26/MKM/2015-16) Dated Nov 26, 2015	DBT, Govt of India-INNO INDIGO	2015-2018	Rs. 209.168 Lakhs (Rs. 2 Crore Nine Lakhs)
7.	Site Directed Mutagenesis of UbiA gene in <i>Agrobacterium tumefaciens</i> to enhance CoQ10 Yield [BT/PR13569/BBE/117/106/2015] (As CoPI)	DBT, Govt. of India	2016-2018	Rs. 40 Lakhs  (Rs. Fourty Lakhs)
8.	"Fund for Improvement of S&T infrastructure in universities & higher educational institutions (FIST)" (Grant No. 1196 SR/FST/LS-I/2017/4). <b>[ Coordinator]</b>	Department of Science and Technology, Govt. of India	2018-2023	Rs. 90 Lakhs (Rs. Ninety Lakhs)
9.	Erasmus+ Capacity Building in Higher Education - "ENhancing female entrePREneurship in InDIA (ENPRENDIA)" <b>[ Institute Coordinator]</b>	European Union (EU)	2018	9,81,676 Euros  [Rs. 8,20,46,717]
10.	Process development for the cost effective production of fungal endoglucanase, lipase and amylase for deinking of newsprints and mixed office waste papers (BT/PR27437/BCE/8/1433/2018) (PI & Coordinator)	DBT, Govt. of India	2018-2021	Rs. 62.91 Lakhs (Rs. Sixty Two Lakhs Ninety one thousand)