

## Curriculum Vitae

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- 3. Date of Birth** 27<sup>th</sup> January, 1969
- 4. Designation** Hony. Director, AERC & Professor of Agricultural Economics
- 5. Areas of research interest** Investment & Subsidy; Livelihood Analysis; Agri-Business Management

### 6a. Academic qualifications

Degree	Year	Subject/Specialization	Name of the University/Board	%marks /OGPA	Class	Academic distinction
Ph.D (Ag. Econ)	1994-2001	Agricultural Economics	I.A.R.I., New Delhi	3.98/4.00	First	<i>Gold Medallist; Best student of the year, 2001(I.A.R.I., New Delhi)</i>
M.Sc (Ag. Econ)	1991-1994	Agricultural Economics	G.B.P.U.A.T, Pantnagar	4.97/5.00	First	<i>Department topper</i>
B.Sc (Ag.)	1987-1991	Agriculture	Visva Bharati, Santiniketan	69 %	First	<i>Fourth place in University</i>

### 6b. Administrative and other positions held

Positions	Period	Name of the University /organization	Nature of responsibility
Hony. Director	2018 onwards	AERC, MoA&FW, GoI & Visva Bharati University	Research Administration
Hony. Deputy Director	2017-2018	AERC, MoA&FW, GoI & Visva Bharati University	Research Administration
Head, Dept. of EES	2014-2016	Visva Bharati University	Administration
Professor in Agricultural Economics	2010 onwards	Visva Bharati University	Teaching, Research and Extension
Vice-Principal	2010-2012	Visva Bharati University	Administration
Associate Professor in Agricultural Economics	2007 -2010	Visva Bharati University	Teaching, Research and Extension.
Reader in Agricultural Economics	2005-2007	Visva Bharati University	Teaching, Research and Extension.
Scientist	1997-2004	NIAP-ICAR (NCAP), New Delhi	Policy research and policy interface

### 6b. Summary of life time publications (Till 30.09.2018):

Particulars	Book		Refereed/reviewed journals		Technical Bulletin/ Book Chapter etc		Workshop/Conference/ Seminar Proceedings		TOTAL
	International	National	International	National	International	National	International	National	
Full length	4	5	9	15	3	10	5	15	<b>66</b>
Summary	-	-	5	15	3	3	3	10	<b>39</b>
Miscellaneous	1	2	-	-	4	5	2	6	<b>20</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>125</b>

**Google Scholar Citation Index = 377 (h-index=8; i-10 index=8)**

## 7. Academic distinctions (Awards/Fellowships/Recognitions):

- *Best Student of the Year 2001 Award* for overall outstanding performance during doctoral programme at IARI, New Delhi
- *Gold medal* for best Ph. D. theses work at 40<sup>th</sup> Convocation of IARI
- *D. K. Desai Award* by Indian Society of Agricultural Economics for Best published paper in 2002
- *ICAR Senior Research Fellowship* for Ph.D programme
- *Graduate Research Fellowship* during M.Sc.
- *Jindal Trust Scholarship* during B.Sc (Ag.)
- *Editor*, International Journal of Social Science, New Delhi
- Vice President, Downtroddens Development Association (Regn No. S/2L/21656 of 2014-2015)
- External Member, University Council, BHU, Varanasi
- External Member, BOS, Dept. Of. Agril. Economics, BCKV, Mohanpur, West Bengal
- *Organised international training programme (1); national seminar (3), regional seminar (1), state level seminar (1), panel discussion (2), technical session in Youth Congress (1) and workshop (2).*
- *UG Course Co-ordinator & In-charge, Computer Laboratory, Palli-Siksha Bhavana (2006-2011)*

## 8. International collaborations

### a. Fertilizers Subsidies in India: Impact on Sustainable Agriculture and Food Security (as PI)

Collaboration : University of Excrete, London  
Sponsor : Green Peace  
Budget : Rs. 1,52,062

### b. Decision Support System for Vulnerability Assessment in Agriculture (as Co-PI)

Collaboration : Stockholm Environment Institute, London  
Sponsor : United Nations Environment Programme  
Budget : US\$ 1.77 million

### c. Implementation and Promotion of IPM technology for the control of eggplant fruit and shoot borer in Indo-Gangetic Plains of South Asia (as Co-researcher for socio-economic module)

Collaboration : Asian Vegetable Research and Development Centre, Taiwan  
Sponsor : Asian Vegetable Research and Development Centre, Taiwan  
Budget : N. A. (All expenditures reimbursed in actual for this module)

9. No. of Ph. D. Scholar = 10 (Degree Awarded= 4; Delivered Seminar = 2; Continuing = 4)

## 10. Contribution to research:

The main tasks of the author are teaching, research and extension in both UG and PG levels. The main area of research is Agricultural Economics. In all my studies I have tried to assess the impact of different developmental, policy and research interventions on rural peoples or rural livelihoods. The author has developed an interactive policy dialog model (based on PODIUM model of IWMI, Colombo) to assess the water and food security scenarios at agro-ecological region level in India. For the first time in India, the author developed a state wise time series data on private investment in agriculture and developed a new series on public investment in agriculture with wider coverage as compared to the existing narrow series developed by the Central Statistical Organization. The new series was used by several researchers both at national and international level including in the Millennium Development Goal (MDG) studies by International Food Policy Research Institute, Washington. The work was recognised by the Indian Agricultural Research Institute (ICAR), New Delhi and Indian Society of Agricultural Economics (ISAE), Mumbai in terms of awards and felicitations.