## PROFILE OF SCIENTIST/ RESEARCH WORKER

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**Qualification:** Ph.D. in Botany

Area(s) of Specialization: Ethnobotany, Angiosperm Taxonomy, Conservation,

Aerobiology

Occupation/ Designation: Professor of Botany

Major Activities: Teaching & Research

1. Surveyed almost all tribal inhabited localities in Central India for ethnobotanical studies.

- 2. Established a Medicinal Plants Garden named, 'Charak Udyan'.
- 3. Organized several seminars/ Workshops in ethnobotany.
- 4. Ex situ conservation of threatened plant species of central India.

## **Awards/ Recognitions:**

- 1. Received P.H.Gregory Award by Indian Aerobiol. Society (1986)
- 2. Gold Medal of American Biographical Institute (1998)
- 3. Prof. V. Puri Medal by Indian Botanical Society (2010)
- 4. Best Teacher Award by Gwalior Vikas Samiti (2010)
- 5. Harshber Medal by Soc. of Ethnobotanists (2012)