

RESUME

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EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATION

Course/Qualification	Institution	University	Year
PhD	College of Agriculture, Vellayani, Thiruvananthapuram	Kerala Agricultural University	2018
National Eligibility Test	Agriculture Scientist Recruitment Board	-	2011
M.Sc.(Ag)	College of Agriculture, Vellayani, Thiruvananthapuram	Kerala Agricultural University	2010
Graduation- BSc (Agri.)	College of Agriculture, Vellayani, Thiruvananthapuram	Kerala Agricultural University	2007

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE/ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Joined as Assistant Professor at College of Agriculture, Padannakkad on 13.03.2019 and worked there till 31.05.2025
- Presently working as Assistant Professor (Agronomy), College of Agriculture, Vellayani
- Guided 6 PG (Agronomy) students as major advisor (4 completed, 2 ongoing)
- Principal investigator of a project under station wise funding (KAU); Co PIs of two Projects
- Resource person for certificate course on INM for fertilizer dealers
- Resource person for DAESI and INM training programmes
- Published nine research papers, one book chapter and 2 abstracts in international conference proceedings
- Formerly worked as Soil Conservation Officer at the Department of Soil Survey and Soil Conservation, Government of Kerala from 17.05.2012 to 12.03.2019.
- Academic councilor of IGNOU for the course Diploma in Watershed Management and has guided one student for the PGDPM course offered by IGNOU in 2018.
- Worked as Rural Development Officer (Asst. Manager) in Union Bank of India from 30.12.2010 to 30.04.2012
- Radio Talk in *Kisanvani* Programme of AIR, Kannur

OTHER RESPONSIBILITIES HELD

- Charge of Assistant Warden, Ladies' Hostel from 01.05.2019 to 11.03.2024
- Jointly organised three day seminar programme from 21st to 23rd March 2024 on the topic Climate change and natural resources management : a way forward

- Organised one day seminar on the occasion of world water day on 22/03/2022
- Organised one day 'soft skill training programme for the students and teachers of College of Agriculture, Padannakkad
- Associated in NGO module and Watershed module in RAWE programmes
- Tour Associate - North India Study Tour (2019 Batch) – Order No. Acad (1)/1442/2022 dated 09.03.2022 of Dean, COA, Padannakkad
- Mentor – Young Innovators Programme (YIP)
- Member, 'Anti-drugs' committee
- Member, 'Internal Complaints Committee'
- Member, 'College Library committee'
- Member - Students Grievance Redressal Cell

TRAININGS/WORKSHOPS ATTENDED

- International Weed Conference, Anand, Gujarat from 18th to 22nd December 2022
- 'Data Analysis Hands-on training in Statistical Methods', organised (Online) by Directorate of Extension, CTI, KAU from 18th to 20th February 2022
- National Training (Online) on 'Advances in Weed Management for Sustainable Agriculture' organised by Indian Society of Weed Science, Jabalpur, 13th to 18th December 2021
- Foundation Course on Research, Education and Extension Management at KAU Head Quarters, Trissur in March 2020 (6 days)
- MOOC (Online) on Psychology of Learning – NAARM, Hyderabad in May 2020 (15 days)
- CAFT training on 'Advanced Agro techniques and Agronomic Measures for doubling farmers' Income from 28.11.2019 to 18.12.2019
- Attended a short term course on 'Student Mentoring and Counselling conducted by UGC-HRDC, Kerala University at Karyavattom Thiruvananthapuram during July, 2019.
- Training Programme on "Participatory Monitoring and Evaluation" from 02.01.2013 to 01.01.2013 at SAMETI, Thiruvananthapuram
- Short Term Training Programme on GIS conducted on 12th, 13th and 14th of February, 2013 by Kerala State Land Use Board
- Training Programme on "Web Technologies and Applications for Rural Development Functionaries during 01st to 05th July, 2013, conducted by National Institute of Rural Development, at SIRD, Kottarakkara, Kollam
- Training Programme on "Sustainability of Watershed Projects", from 27.01.2014 to 31.01.2014 at National Institute of Agricultural Extension Management (MANAGE), Hyderabad
- Training Programme on "Preparation of Detailed Project Report", from 20.11.2012 to 23.11.2012 at National Institute of Agricultural Extension Management (MANAGE), Hyderabad

CAREER GOAL:

- Learn and research in the field of agronomy with special interest in weed science; also develop a remarkable career as an academician and agriculture scientist.