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Date of Birth	Sept. 23, 1982
Nationality	Indian
Language Proficiency	Hindi, English
Sex	Male
Marital Status	Married

Academic and Professional details:

1. **Present Status:** Assistant Professor (Grade-1), NIT, Uttarakhand (July, 2018 - To date)
2. **Assistant Professor (DST INSPIRE Faculty)**, July 2013-June, 2018, Dr. H. S. Gour University, Sagar (MP), India.
Work Area: Synthesis, structural and photocatalytic properties of photoactive MOFs
3. **Research Associate (DST), September 2012-June, 2013** Banaras Hindu University (BHU), Varanasi (U.P.), India.
4. **Ph.D. Chemistry** (Awarded in 2012) from BHU, India. *Supervisor:* Prof. D.S. Pandey
5. **Senior Research Fellow**, April 2010-August 2012, BHU, India
6. **Junior Research Fellow (DST)**, April 2009-March 2010, BHU, India
7. **M.Sc.: (Inorganic Chemistry)** 2004, A.P.S. University, Rewa (M.P.), India. 1st Div.
8. **B.Sc.: Chemistry**, Phys, Geology, 2002, A.P.S. University, Rewa (M.P.), India. 1st Div.
9. **10+2:** Maths group, 1999, Govt. Boys HS School Mauganj, Rewa, (M.P.) India. 1st Div.

Additional Qualifications:

1. National Eligibility Test (NET)
2. Graduate Aptitude Test for Engineering (GATE)

Teaching Experience:

1. Teaching UG, PG & PhD (course work) at MANIT, Bhopal, March, 2024 – To Date

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2. Teaching UG (B. Tech) & PhD (course work) at NIT, Uttarakhand, July, 2018 – Feb. 2024
3. Taught UG/PG level at Dr. H. S. Gour University Sagar (**05 yrs**; July, 2013-June, 2018).
4. Taught PG Level (**M. Sc.**; 2005-06) in APS University, Rewa (**01 yr**).
5. Taught as Teaching Assistant to BSc (2012-13) in BHU, India (**01 yr**).
6. Taught to BSc level students in DHSG University Sagar (Remedial Education 2016-17).

Awards and Recognitions:

1. Letter of Appreciation by Employer (NIT UK) for successful completion of 06-year DST sponsored project-2023.
2. Letter of Appreciation by Employer (NIT UK) for successful organization of 2nd-Convocation-2021.
3. International Outstanding Scientist Award (conferred by VDGGOOD professional Association)-2020
4. Letter of Appreciation for Excellent Service by Employer (NIT Uttarakhand)-2020
5. **The PRESIDENT'S INSPIRED TEACHER-2015** (https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Inspired_Teacher)
6. American Chemical Society Award (3 yr membership) for significant research-**2015**
7. Best poster award in RSC-CRSI at NCL Pune, India-**2015**
8. Best poster award in IYL Conference at Dr. H.S.G. University, Sagar, India-**2015**
9. DST-INSPIRE Faculty Award-**2012**
10. Senior Research Fellowship, CSIR, New Delhi, India-**2010**
11. Best (1st) poster award at IISc, Bangalore, India-**2010**.
12. First (1st) rank in University Entrance Test for MBA-IR-**2002**

Research Guidance: 06 (Six)

1. Awarded: **02** Ph.D.
2. Supervision: **01** Project-JRF (completed); **04** PhDs on-going (*Ms. Vaishali Singh, Ms. Himani Sharma, Mr. Sandeep Joshi, CSIR-SRF and Ms. Neha Thakur*)

Research Experience:

1. Working as Assistant Professor of Chemistry (Grade-1) at NIT, Uttarakhand
2. Worked as DST Inspire faculty from July, 2013-June, 2018

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3. Worked as Research Associate (RA) from Sept. 2012-June, 2013
4. Worked as CSIR-SRF from April, 2010-August, 2012.
5. Worked as JRF (DST project) from April, 2009 to March, 2010.
6. Pursued PhD degree from July, 2007 to January, 2012.

Additional Experience:

1. Three-month Project in Solid State Division at Bhabha Atomic Research Centre, Mumbai (June 1st, 2004 to August 27th 2004). *Project supervisor: Prof. A. K. Tyagi*

Research Projects: 03 (Three)

1. Inspire Faculty Project on Synthetic, Structural and Photocatalytic Aspects of MOFs
Funding Agency: DST (89.5 Lacs); Status: Completed; Role: Sole PI (2013-2019)
2. MOOC Programme on Chemistry of d-block elements, Quantum Chemistry and Spectroscopy (sanctioned by MoE):
Funding Agency: CEC (13.5 Lacs), Status: Completed; Role: Coordinator (2018 – 2020)
3. Seed Money Grant (Rs. 1,00,000/-) sanctioned by NIT Uttarakhand (Role: Sole PI)
Funding Agency: NIT Uttarakhand (1.0 Lacs), Status: Completed; Role: Sole PI (2019–20)
4. Received partial grant-in-aid Rs. 100000/- from SERB-DST, under "Assistance to Professional Bodies & Seminar / Symposia Scheme to organize 4th NCRAPS-2022.

Research Area & Highlights:

Inorganic & Organometallic Chemistry, Supramolecular Chemistry, Functional Framework Materials, Catalysis, Smart & Responsive Materials.

Experimental techniques awareness:

1. CHN Analyses, FTIR, NMR [¹H, ¹³C], UV/vis, Mass, CV, PXRD, SCXRD, Fluorescence, SEM, TEM, AFM etc..
2. Operating knowledge of FTIR, UV/vis, Fluorescence, CV and SCXRD.

Student Related Activities:

1. Taught in Remedial Classes to 10+2 level students for University entrance examination.
2. Participated in Student (PhD Scholars) seminars.
3. Coordinator, Adventure Club

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Full List of Research Publications:



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Patents: 02 (Two)

1. **Granted**. Fluorescence Readout for Identification of Hg²⁺ by Anthraimidazole-dione Based Probe in Real Water Samples, *Indian Patent*, **2020** (Patent No. 347415; Appl. No. 201711019223).
2. **Granted**. Co(NO₃)₂ Autocatalyzed Decarboxylation of Itaconic Acid Leads to the Formation of Methacrylic Acid and Co(II)-MOFs: Fluorescent Co(II)-MOFs Detect Hg²⁺, Fe³⁺ and Cu²⁺ Ions, *Indian Patent*, **2021** (Patent. No. 355202; Appl. No. 201811018132).

Curriculum Vitae

Editor for the Journals and Books:

1. Section Editor-Inorganic Chemistry, Current Indian Science (Bentham Science)
2. Guest Editor-Frontiers in Chemistry
3. Editor of book “Ethanol Chemistry: Production, Modelling, Applications, and Technological Aspects”. Publisher: IntechOpen, London, UK

Reviewer for the Journals:

1. New Journal of Chemistry [Royal Society of Chemistry (RSC), UK]
2. RSC Advances [Royal Society of Chemistry (RSC), UK]
3. Polyhedron (Elsevier)
4. Inorganica Chimica Acta (Elsevier)
5. Inorganic Chemistry Communications (Elsevier)
6. Journal of Organometallic Chemistry (Elsevier)
7. Journal of Molecular Structure (Elsevier)
8. Analytical Sciences (Japan Society)
9. Journal of Solid State Chemistry (Elsevier)
10. Zeitschrift für anorganische und allgemeine Chemie (Wiley Intersciences)
11. Journal of Photochemistry & Photobiology: Chemistry (Elsevier)
12. Journal of Alloys and Compounds (Wiley Intersciences)
13. Journal of Fluorescence (Springer)

Books/Book Chapters Written:

1. **Rampal Pandey** and Israel Pala-Rosas, Ethanol and Glycerol Chemistry - Production, Modelling, Applications, and Technological Aspects, IntechOpen, **2023**.
2. **Rampal Pandey** and Neha Thakur, Nonstoichiometric cobalt-based metal oxides (hexagonal layered structures, non-stoichiometric oxides, $\text{Ca}_3\text{Co}_4\text{O}_9$, CaCo_4O_9 , Na_xCoO_2 , $\text{Na}_x\text{Co}_2\text{O}_4$, etc.), Metal Oxide-based Thermoelectric Materials, Elsevier, **2023** (Accepted).

Curriculum Vitae

3. “Stereochemistry, Metal-Ligand Equilibria in Solution and Reaction Mechanisms of Transition Metal Complexes” invited by MHRD-UGC e-pathshala programme.
<http://epgp.inflibnet.ac.in/ahl.php?csrno=5>
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e-content development:

1. **Developed e-texts of nine (09) modules in MHRD-UGC e-pathshala programme** (redox reaction, electron transfer reactions, mechanism of one electron transfer reactions, outer sphere type reactions, cross reactions and Marcus-Hush theory, inner sphere type reactions, substitution reaction in square planer complexes, the Trans effect).

Link: <http://epgp.inflibnet.ac.in/ahl.php?csrno=5>

2. **Developed eleven (11) e-modules in MHRD-UGC e-pathshala programme** (Determination of Stability constant by Conditional Constant, Determination of Stability constant by Polarographic Method, Determination of Stability constant by Solvent Extraction Method, Determination of Stability constant by Complexometric Titration Method, Determination of Stability constant by Potentiometric Titrations-1, Determination of Stability constant by Potentiometric Titrations-2, Determination of Stability constant by Job’s Method, Determination of Stability constant by Bjerrum’s Method, Determination of Stability constant by Curve Fitting Method and Elimination Method).

Link: <http://epgp.inflibnet.ac.in/ahl.php?csrno=5>

3. **Developed and delivered e-videos of nine (09) modules in MHRD-UGC e-pathshala programme** (*abovementioned modules*).
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Links for videos:

1. <https://youtu.be/9nDUfojnNk>
2. <https://youtu.be/YKlQQodPXM0>
3. <https://youtu.be/1WCpvT7wLso>
4. <https://youtu.be/unEw27Cyb0M>
5. <https://youtu.be/lbmmuFnIwaA>

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6. <https://youtu.be/4MoDMoWyknY>
 7. <https://youtu.be/m-LzT0YSUGY>
 8. <https://youtu.be/Qo7RV1wZIYs>
 9. <https://youtu.be/Uby2xVWjoAo>
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Coordinator MHRD MOOCs:

A MOOC online course entitled **d-Block Elements, Quantum Chemistry and Spectroscopy** has been approved by MHRD, April, 2018.

1. Served as one of the coordinators for successful preparation and conduction of MOOC Programme for UG course (first run has successfully completed with ~2000 students).
2. Developed seven (07) e-modules:

Module 34: Color & constitution, chromophores, auxochromes, Red & blue shifts

Module 35: Electronic Spectroscopy

Module 36: Free electron model and its application to electronic spectra of polyenes

Module 37: Photochemistry

Module 38: Quantum efficiency and reason for high and low quantum yields

Module 39: Primary and Secondary processes in photochemical reactions

Module 40: Photochemical and Thermal reactions

Conferences/meetings organized:

1. 4th-National Conference on Physical Sciences (NCRAPS) at NIT Uttarakhand (*virtual mode*), Dec. 19-20, 2022 (**As Organizing secretary**).
2. 3rd-National Conference on Physical Sciences (NCRAPS) at NIT Uttarakhand (*virtual mode*), Dec. 19-20, 2021 (**As Organizing secretary**).
3. 2nd-National Conference on Physical Sciences (NCRAPS) at NIT Uttarakhand (*virtual mode*), Dec. 19-20, 2020 (**As Convener**).
4. One week workshop on “Smart Materials: Concept, Design and Applications” NIT Uttarakhand, Sept., 07-13, 2020 (**As Chairman/Convener**).
5. Short-Term Training course (STC) on Stress Management for entire Faculty & Staff Members of NIT Uttarakhand, Sept., 14-18, 2020 (**As Coordinator**).

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6. One week workshop on “Density Functional Theory and its Applications using GAUSSIAN Software” was jointly organized by Deptt. of Chemistry, NIT Uttarakhand, Deptt. of Chemistry, MNIT Jaipur and Deptt. of Chemistry, SLIET Longowal from 24th-28th Feb. 2020 (**As Coordinator**).
7. National Conference on Physical Sciences (NCRAPS) at NIT Uttarakhand (Satellite campus), Dec. 19-20, 2019 (**As Organizing Secretary**).
8. Five (05) day national workshop on “Intellectual Property Rights” (IPR) at NIT Uttarakhand (Satellite campus), May 11-15, 2019. (**As Coordinator**).
9. National Seminar on Educating, Skilling and Digitalizing Issues for National Education Policy. 29-30, March, 2017. (**As Joint Secretary**).
8. National Science Day Symposium during Feb. 26/02/2016 to 04/03/2016 (**As Treasurer**).
9. National symposium on “Horizons of Light in Molecules, Materials and Daily Life (HLMMD) on the occasion of International Year of Light (IYL-2015) on Dec, 18-19, 2015 at Dr. H. S. Gour University, Sagar, India. (**As Co-Convener**)
10. National seminar on the occasion of “*National Science Day*” at Dr. H. S. Gour University, Sagar, India. (**As member**)

Conferences/meetings attended:

AS A RESOURCE PERSON:

1. Chaired the session in the 1st International conference on Recent Trends in Chemical Science and Sustainable Energy (**RTCSSE-2023**)” at NIT Delhi during March 24-25, 2023.
2. Chaired the session in the 4th National Conference on Recent Advancement in Physical Science (**NCRAPS-2022**), December 19-20, 2022 jointly organized by Department of Chemistry, Department of Physics and Department of Mathematics, National Institute of Technology Uttarakhand.
3. Delivered lecture in the orientation programme of school students at Kendriya Vidyalaya Srinagar (Garhwal) on Dec. 08-09, 2022.
4. Chaired the session in the 3rd National Conference on Recent Advancement in Physical Science (**NCRAPS-2021**), December 19-20, 2021 jointly organized by Department of

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Chemistry, Department of Physics and Department of Mathematics, National Institute of Technology Uttarakhand.

5. Delivered lecture on “Metal Complex Sensitized Photocatalytic H₂ Production and CO₂ Reduction on MOF Scaffolds” at **Refresher Course-Chemistry-biology & material sciences Interfaces**, in the HRDC Centre Sagar Vishwavidyalaya on Nov. 13, 2021.
6. Chaired the session in the 2nd National Conference on Recent Advancement in Physical Science (**NCRAPS-2020**), December 19-20, 2020 jointly organized by Department of Chemistry, Department of Physics and Department of Mathematics, National Institute of Technology Uttarakhand.
7. National symposium on **Quantum Dots as Drug Delivery: Opportunities and Challenges**” at Adina Institute of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Sagar, March., 04, 2017.
8. Delivered two invited online lectures for MSc 4th Semester students, June, 13 & 17, 2020. Subject: Photoinorganic Chemistry.

INVITED LECTURES:

1. Delivered invited lecture on “**NMR Spectroscopy**” at skill Development Program on Sophisticated Research Instruments)” under DST-STUTI programme at HNBGU, Srinagar (Garhwal) during May 12-18, 2023.
2. Delivered lecture on “**Stimuli Responsive Low Molecular Weight Fluorescent Supramolecular Metallogels**” at 1st International conference on Recent Trends in Chemical Science and Sustainable Energy (RTCSSE-2023)” at NIT Delhi during March 24-25, 2023.
3. Delivered lecture on “**Food Adulteration**” at Govt. Arts and Commerce College Sagar on Dec. 12, 2022.
4. Delivered lecture on “**Green Chemistry and Technology**” at Govt. Arts and Commerce College Sagar on March 24, 2022.
5. Recent Advances in Chemical Science at 27th **International Conference of International Academy of Physical Sciences (CONIAPS XXVII)** jointly organized by BHU-JNU during Oct. 26-28, 2021 (Title: *Utility of Metal-Organic Frameworks in Catalysis, Electrocatalysis and Molecular Detection*).
6. International Online Webinar on Recent Innovations in Chemical Sciences at AKS University Satna, July, 18-20, 2020.

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7. Light Induced Molecular Dynamics and Fluorescence Readout, **DU-JAIST Indo-Japan Symposium on Chemistry of Functional Molecules/Materials**” at University of Delhi, Delhi, Feb., 26-27, 2016.
8. Molecular rotors through Optical Signalling and nano-approach towards metal dipyrinato complexes, **National conference on “Developmental Challenges of Carbon Nanotubes as a Vaccine Delivery”** at Adina Institute of Pharmaceutical Sciences, Sagar, Sept., 19, 2015.
9. Molecular dynamics and molecular rotors, Special Invitation by **Birla Institute of Technology (BITS), Goa** on Sept, 28, 2015.
10. Optics of Fluxional Molecules, **Science Day Celebration** held at Dr. Harisingh Gour Vishwavidyalaya (A central University), Sagar on Feb, 28, 2016 (duration 26/02/16-04/03/16).
11. Delivered nine (09) lectures for e-videos development in MHRD-UGC e-pathshala programme.

LECTURES:

1. Structural, Optical and Catalytic Properties of ‘N-N’/‘N-O’ Donor Ligands, Their Complexes and MOFs, April 18th, 2013, **IISER Mohali**.
<http://www.iisermohali.ac.in/events-archive/events/colloquia-and-seminars-2013>
2. Copper |2+4| Cubanes Resulting from Unprecedented C-O Bond Formation: Turn-on Fluorescent Probe for H₂O₂ and NO
National Symposium on Chemistry and Environment, held at Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi, India, on March, 15-16, 2013
3. Synthesis of fluorescent chiral 6-aryl[1,2-c]-quinazolines serve as selective and sensitive “on-off” chemosensors for Hg²⁺ in aqueous media, **National Seminar on new Horizons of Chemical Sciences** held at Department of Chemistry, Awadhesh Pratap Singh University, Rewa, India on October, 22-23, 2011.
4. Fluorescent coordination polymer governs the co-crystallization of aqua-bridged dimeric Cd²⁺ complex- a rare example
National Seminar on recent Trends in Chemical sciences held at Department of Chemistry, Awadhesh Pratap Singh University, Rewa, India May 12th-13th, 2010.

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POSTER PRESENTATION:

1. Disulfide Co-crystal Mediated Fabrication of Cu(II)-Metallacycle for Reusable Dual-channel Metalloreceptor for Ca^{2+} and Fe^{3+} ions, **MTIC XVII, Dec. 11-14, 2017**, NCL-IISER, Pune.
2. 1D coordination polymers exhibiting rational coordination of carboxylate over strong N,N,N-chelating linker. **10th-RSC-18th CRSI Symposium in Chemistry** held at Punjab University Chandigarh during Feb, 04-07, 2016.
3. 16th International Symposium on Modern Trends in Inorganic Chemistry (**MTIC**), 3rd Dec.,- 5th Dec., 2015, JadHAVpur University, Kolkata
4. Development of new mechanisms for chemosensing
9th-RSC-17th CRSI Symposium in Chemistry held at NCL Pune, India, on Feb., 03- Feb. 06, 2015 (*Awarded best poster*)
5. Structural and mechanistic insights into Fe^{3+} induced conformational changes in imidazoquinazolines. **International Conference (SCOMM-2014)** held at IISER Kolkata, India, on Nov., 30- Dec. 02, 2014.
6. Copper $|2+4|$ cubanes as selective 'turn-on' fluorescent for ROS,
7th-RSC-15th CRSI National Symposium in Chemistry held at Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi, India, on January, 31- Feb. 03, 2013
Participated as volunteer in 7th RSC-15th NSC CRSI-2013 conference
7. Synthesis of electroactive ferrocene derivatives: ferrocenyl-imidazoquinazoline as multichannel chemosensor selectively for $\text{Hg}^{2+}/\text{Pb}^{2+}$ ions in aqueous environment
6th-RSC-14th CRSI National Symposium in Chemistry, 2012, held at NIIST, Trivandrum, Kerala, India.
8. Homoleptic and heteroleptic complexes of 5-ferrocenyl dipyrromethene
National Symposium on Emerging Trends in Chemical Sciences (ETCS), 2011, held at Department of Chemistry, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi, India.
9. First examples of chiroptically enhanced fluorescent 6-aryldihydrobenzimidazoquinazolines: Selective Hg^{2+} ion sensing

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5th-RSC -13th CRSI National Symposium in Chemistry, 2011 held at National Institute of Science and Educational Research, Bhubaneswar, Orissa, India.

10. Fluorescent Dimeric Zinc complex exhibiting ‘turn-off’/‘turn-on’ signaling in presence of $\text{Cu}^{2+}/\text{Ag}^{+}$ ions

National Symposium on Frontiers in Main-Group and Organometallic Chemistry (NSFMOC), 2010 held at Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore, India.

11. Molecular ladders of 4-(1H-benzimidazole 2-yl)benzonitrile (4-CN-BIBH): Solvent co-crystallization and its anomalous behaviour towards metal nitrates

4th Mid-Year CRSI National symposium in Chemistry, 2009 held at Shri Govindram Seksaria Institute of Technology and Science, Indore, India.

PARTICIPATION:

1. **3rd Asian Conference on Coordination Chemistry**, October, 17-20, **2011** held in India Habitat Centre, Delhi, India.
2. **International Conference on Chemistry: Frontiers and Challenges**, March, 05-06, **2011** held in the Department of Chemistry, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh, India.
3. **National Symposium-cum-Workshop on X-Ray Crystallography, 2010** held at Department of Chemistry, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi, India.
4. **5th-RSC-12th CRSI National Symposium in Chemistry (NSC-12)**, February 04-07, **2010** held at IICT, Hyderabad, India.
5. **12th International Symposium on Inorganic Ring Systems (IRIS-12)**, August, 16-21, **2009** held at Holiday Inn Resort, Goa, India.

Membership and Extra curriculum:

1. Seven (07) year member of American Chemical Society (ACS), USA (No. 30728997)
2. Annual member of Royal Society of Chemistry (RSC), UK (No. 574194)
3. Life member of Chemical Research Society of India (CRSI) (No. LM 1051).
4. Life member of Society of Material Chemistry of India (SMC-INDIA) (No. LM-647).
5. Life member of Solar Energy Society of India (SESI) (ID No. 4685).
6. Life member of Indian Society of Chemists & Biologists (ISCB) (LF 1153/2022).

Faculty Development Courses:

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1. Atal Sponsored FDP on "Productivity Enhancement (Through Yoga and Meditation) during 14-18 November 2022 at NIT Uttarakhand.
2. Effective Teaching, Learning and Innovation during 13-15 December 2022 at NIT Uttarakhand.
3. Capacity Building for Productivity Enhancement during 31st May- 04th June 2022 at NIT Uttarakhand.
4. Orientation course programme for 28 days (18/05/2015-14/06/2015) at Dr. Harisingh Gour Vishwavidyalaya Sagar.

Administrative Responsibilities:

1. Head, Department of Chemistry, NIT Uttarakhand (March, 22-To date)
2. Associate Dean (Faculty Welfare), NIT Uttarakhand, June, 2020-Feb. 2022.
3. Faculty I/c (Legal Cell), 14 September 2022- Till Date
4. Coordinator (HoD), Department of Chemistry (June, 2019-May, 2020)
5. Warden (Hostel), NIT Uttarakhand (January, 2019-May, 2020)
6. Coordinator (Student grievances and Redressal Cell), NIT UK (June, 2019- June 2020)
7. Assistant Registrar (Legal and grievances), NIT UK (June, 2019- To date)
8. Coordinator Community Development Initiative, NIT UK (July, 2018- June, 2019)
9. Coordinator (R&C activities), Dept. of Chemistry, NIT UK (June, 2019- To date)
10. Coordinator (TR Verification Committee), Dept. of Chem., NIT UK (June, 2019-To date)
11. In-Charge (Dept.) Cleanliness & Sanitation, NIT UK (July, 2019- To date)
12. Coordinator (NBA), Dept. of Sciences & Humanities, NIT UK (July, 2018- June, 2019)
13. Coordinator (Time-Table), Dept. of Chemistry, NIT UK (July, 2018- June, 2019)
14. Assistant Registrar (accounts), NIT UK (Feb., 2019- June, 2019)
15. Chairman, Proof Reading (NIT Act & Statutes), NIT-Uttarakhand (Aug., 2018- To date)
16. Nodal Officer, Voter Awareness, NIT Uttarakhand (Aug., 2018- April, 2019)
17. In-charge of Single Crystal X-ray spectrometer, DHSGSU, Sagar (Feb - June, 2018)
18. Member of Editorial Board of University News Letter, DHSGSU, Sagar.
19. Member of Departmental Research Presentation Committee, DHSGSU, Sagar.
20. Teacher In-charge of both Theory (PG) and Practical (PG+UG) Classes DHSGSU, Sagar.

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21. Sector Magistrate (Legislative Elections-2013, and Parliamentary Elections-2019, 2014) in Sagar (M. P.) and Paudi (Uttarakhand).

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