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Designation	Director
Service and year of allotment	IFS, 1987
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Qualifications:

Ph. D (Forestry), MA (Economics) & AIGNFA Diploma

Experience prior to IFGTB:

- APCCF Head Qtrs. & Nodal Officer, FCA
- Professor/ Additional Director, IGNFA
- Member Secretary, J&K State Pollution Control Board during 2009-11.
- Senior Fellow/Director, Climate Change, The Energy and Resources Institute (TERI), New Delhi during 2007-08.
- Forest Economist, FRI, Dehradun during 2001-2004.
- Wide experience of teaching and handling research projects in the fields of Tree Improvement, Economic Valuation, Forest & Climate Change, Marketing and Socio-economic studies.

Area of Specialization:

- Forest Sector and Climate Change.
- Forest Resource Economics.
- Plantation Forestry and Tree Improvement.
- Prevention & Control of Pollution.

Publication:

Published 118 research papers in refereed forestry journals, 13 technical bulletins/ folders and number of project reports.

Other Interest:

Long distance running, Sports and Games

Awards:

1. National Award (**Institutional Category**) on '**Androgogy and Methodology**' in training by DoPT for the year 2016.
2. "**Seth Prize**" (Thrice) for best research paper in Environment & Ecology for the years 2006, 2008 and 2011 by *The Indian Forester*.
3. "**Brandis Prize**" (Twice) for best research paper in Silviculture for the year 2002 and 2005 by *The Indian Forester*.
4. "**Schlich Prize**" for best research paper in Forest Management for the year 2005 by *The Indian Forester*
5. **ICFRE award** for excellence in "**Forestry Research**" for the year 2002-03.

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