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Ph.D in Zoology (1992) - Banaras Hindu University

M.Sc in Zoology (1985), B.Sc (Zoology Honours) (1983) – Bhagalpur University

UGC - JRF and SRF; CSIR - SRF and Research Associate: Banaras Hindu University

Lecturer (1996-2005); Reader/Associate Professor (2005-2009) – School of Studies in Zoology and Biotechnology, Vikram University, Ujjain (M.P)

Professor (2009-Present) - School of Studies in Life Science, Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur

Recipient of UGC Research Award, 2004

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Life member – ISCA, ZSI; Member of Editorial Board - J. Exp. Zool. In.

Specialization/Research field: Zoology/Endocrinology and Reproductive physiology

Teaching Experience (PG): 23Yrs; Research Experience: 31 Yrs; Research Papers: 43; Proceedings/Abstract : 38; Workshop/Training etc.: 09; Books : 02; Research Projects completed: 02; UGC Orientation and Refresher course: 01 and 03 No. of students supervised for M.Phil. and Ph.D. degree (Awarded): 25 and 05

Five Representative Publications:

1. **S. K. Prasad**, Taj N. Qureshi and S. Qureshi (2009): Mucuna pruriens seed powder feeding influences reproductive Conditions and development in Japanese quail *Coturnix coturnix japonica*. *Animal* 3(2): 261-268.
2. **S. K. Prasad**, Taj N. Qureshi, S. Saxena, S. Qureshi, M. Mehar and S. K.Thakur (2007): L-Dopa Feeding Induces Body Growth and Reproductive Conditions in Japanese quail, *Coturnix coturnix Japonica*. *Intern. J. Poultry Sc.* 6 (8): 560–566.
3. **S.K. Prasad** and C.M. Chaturvedi (2003): Regulation of seasonal reproduction by neurotransmitter affecting drugs in Spotted Munia, *Lonchura punctulata*. *Pakistan J. Zool.* 35 (3): 181-188.
4. **S.K. Prasad**; J.P.Thapliyal and C.M. Chaturvedi (1992): The daily injections of L–Dihydroxyphenylalanine and 5–Hydroxytryptophan in different temporal relationships on Thyroid–Gonadal interaction in an Indian finch, Spotted Munia, *Lonchura punctulata*. *Gen. Comp. Endocrinol* 86(3): 335–343.
5. C.M.Chaturvedi and **S.K.Prasad** (1991):Timed daily injections of neurotransmitter precursors alter the gonads and body weights in Spotted Munia, *Lonchura punctulata* maintained under short daily photoperiods. *J. Exp. Zool.* 260(2):194–201.

Recent Publications:

1. N. Gajendra and **S. K. Prasad** (2017): Studies on coleopteran fauna diversity of dantewada district, Chhattisgarh. *JEZI*, 20(1), 1299-1302.
2. S. K.Thakur and **S. K. Prasad** (2017): Administration of 5-HTP and L-DOPA at specific time interval influences testicular lipid profile and plasma testosterone level in Indian Garden Lizard, *Calotes versicolor*. *Bioscience discovery*, 8(2), 177-183.
3. B. Baghel and **S. K. Prasad** (2016): Role of Gonadotropin- Inhibitory Hormone (GnIH) in Reproduction of animals. *EJBPS*, 3(6), 262-267.
4. N. Gajendra and **S. K. Prasad** (2016): A Review of Coleoptera Diversity of Chhattisgarh: Updated Checklist 2015. *JISR*, 5(4), 710-714.
5. B. Baghel and **S. K. Prasad** (2015): Dose dependent effects of cypermethrin on reproductive indices in Japanese quail. *JRSU-B*, 28(2), 51-55.