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PROFILE

I have been serving as an Associate Professor at Shri J. S. Bhakta & Shri K. M. Bhakta Arts, Shri A. N. Shah Science and Shri N. F. Shah Commerce College, Kholwad since 13th October 2006.

EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATION

- **National Eligibility Test (NET)**
  Indian Council of Agricultural Research (ICAR)
  Result: 60%
- **Ph.D. (Bioscience-Microbiology)- September,2014**
  Veer Narmad South Gujarat University, Surat, India
  Notification No.: 1752, Result: 73.67%
- **M.Sc. (Bioscience-Microbiology)- April,2005**
  Veer Narmad South Gujarat University, Surat, India
  Result: 68.88%
- **B.Sc. (Microbiology)- April,2003**
  Arts, Science & Commerce College, Kholwad, India
  Result: 67.22% (University First)

COMPUTER SKILL

- **CCC (NIELIT)**
  Result: B Grade
- **Diploma in Office Application**
  Result: A^+ Grade

ENGLISH PROFICIENCY

- **CPT (SCOPE)**
  Result: B_1 Grade
- **BULATS (SCOPE)**
  Result: B_2 Grade

POSITIONS AND EMPLOYMENT

- **Associate Professor** at Shri J. S. Bhakta & Shri K. M. Bhakta Arts, Shri A. N. Shah Science and Shri N. F. Shah Commerce College, Kholwad, India
  (October, 2006 – Continue), Full Time.

- **Visiting Faculty** at Department of Biosciences and Department of Aquatic Biology, VNSGU, Surat, India (July, 2012 – March, 2018), Part Time.
- **External Product Specialist** at PMT Department, SPAN Diagnostics Ltd., Surat, India (December, 2006 – November, 2008), Part Time.
- **R&D Trainee Officer** at SPAN Diagnostics Ltd., Surat, India (May, 2006 – 0ctober, 2006), Full Time.
- **R&D Officer (Microbiology Lab)** at Gujarat Themis Biosyn Ltd., Vapi, India (May, 2005 – May, 2006), Full Time.

PROFESSIONAL MEMBERSHIP

- All India Microbiologists Association, New Delhi, India.
- Asian PGPR Society, Hyderabad, India

HONOURS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

- First Prize for getting highest marks in Microbiology at T.Y.B.Sc. from VNSGU, Surat, India.
- Gold Medal for achieving University first position at T.Y.B.Sc. from Arts, Science & Commerce College, Kholwad, India.
- Second Prize for Best poster presentation in National Congress on "Bioinoculants for Sustainable Agriculture" (BSA – 2010). Shahada, Maharashtra, India.
- Travel Grant from UGC, India for paper presentation in the 2nd Asian Plant Growth Promoting Rhizobacteria (PGPR) Conference held in Beijing, China.

RESEARCH PROJECTS

Title of the Project	Name of the funding Agency	Duration	Amount Sanctioned
"Microbial production of Gibberellins"	Gujarat State Biotechnology Mission (GSBTM)	3 Years (March 2011 – February 2014)	5,85,000/- Rs.
"Application of probiotic in gutkha to reduce nicotine risk and make it sanitation friendly"	VNSGU-UGC Cell	2 Years (July 2023 – June 2025)	2,99,000/- Rs.

PUBLICATIONS

- I have authored **21 research papers** in reputed national and international Journals.
- I have authored **3 Chapters** in national and international books.
- **1 book** is published under my editorship.

PAPER PRESENTATION

- I have present **14 research papers** in various national and international conferences and symposia.

RESEARCH GUIDANCE

Sr. No.	Course Name	No. of Students	
		Degree Awarded	Degree Pusuing
1	Ph.D.	-	05
2	M.Phil.	01	-
3	P.G.	43	05

SEMINARS/ CONFERENCES/ SYMPOSIA ATTENDED

- I have attended **more than 30** such events.

WORKSHOP / TRAINING / FDP / ORIENTATION / REFRESHER COURSE PARTICIPATED

- I have actively participated in **20** such Programs.

RECOGNITION AND APPOINTMENTS

- University recognized **PG Teacher,** VNSGU, Surat
- University recognized **Supervising Teacher** for **M.Phil & Ph.D** in the subject of Bioscience & Microbiology, VNSGU, Surat
- Appointed and Worked as **Paper Setter, Chairman and Examiner** In B.Sc, & M.Sc Theory and Practical Examination, VNSGU, Surat
- Appointed and worked as **member of Research Advisory Committee** (RAC) of VNSGU, Surat in the subject of Bioscience.
- Appointed and working as **Member of Board of Studies (BOS)** in the subject of Microbiology, VNSGU, Surat
- Appointed and worked as External subject expert for evaluation of Ph.D. scholars in VNSGU, BMU and SU, Surat.

PERSONAL SKILLS

- Well-developed interpretation skills.
- Good communication skills.
- Solution oriented, resourceful, and can perform well under pressure.
- Willingness to learn novice things.
- Honest for commitments.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

- Date of Birth: 13th August 1983
- Marital Status: Married
- Nationality: Indian
- Languages known: English, Hindi, and Gujarati as mother tongue.

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