


Brief bio-data of Dr. R. P. Sharma

Name	Dr. R. P. Sharma		
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Designation	Scientist (Soil Science)		
Qualification(s)	Ph.D.		
Date of Birth	01.07.1973		
Service Particulars	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Scientist at NBSS&LUP, SRS Div., Nagpur from 16th June, 2015 to till date • Scientist at NBSS&LUP, Regional Centre, Udaipur from 5th April, 2012 to 15th June 2015 • Scientist at Seed Production Centre, IIVR, Sargatia, Khushinagar, UP from 4th October, 2011 to 4th April, 2012 • Scientist at IIVR, Varanasi, from 15th May, 2008 to 3rd October 2011 • Scientist at NAARM, Hyderabad from 7th January, 2008 to 14th May 2008 • Sr. Tech. Assistant at NBSS&LUP, Nagpur from 4th August, 2004 to 6th January, 2008 • Technical Assistant at NBSS&LUP, Nagpur from 4th August, 1999 to 3rd August, 2004 		
Major Research areas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Land Resource Inventory (LRI) at 1:10K and Land Use Planning • Clay mineralogy and pedogenesis in arid and semi-arid regions of India • Nutrient management for vegetable production • Soil health card generation and fertilizer recommendation 		
No. of Research Publications	Indian Journal	19	
	International Journal	04	
	Proceedings of National Seminar/Symposia/Workshops	01	
	Proceedings of International Seminar/Symposia/Workshops	01	
	Abstracts published	17	
	Book published/edited	01	
	Book chapters	08	
	Research/ technical bulletins	09	
	Popular articles	20	
Invited lectures	08		
Visits abroad	Nil		
Teaching	Course(s) taught: Ph.D: 1. Advanced Soil Genesis (SOILS 608) (2+0) 2. Advanced Mineralogy (SOILS 609) (2+1)	Course(s) taught: M.Sc.: 1. Introduction to land resource management (SOILS 516) (2+1)	
Awards received	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gold Medal for being University topper in M. Sc. (Ag) Soil Science & Agricultural Chemistry in the year of 1999 • Awarded merit certificate to stand first in "Senior Soil Science Aptitude Test-2006" conducted by Indian Society of Soil Science, Udaipur Chapter, during the period of Ph.D. research • Awarded certificate of merit to stand first in order of merit in Ph.D. Soil Science for the session of 2004-05 and 2005-06 • Dr. K.L. Totawat Award for being Ph.D. topper • Best Paper Award received from Soil Conservation Society of India, New Delhi for year 2015 		
Reviewer for national/international journals	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Indian Journal of Agricultural Sciences • Vegetable Science • International Journal of Agriculture Sciences • Environment and Natural Resources Research • Agropedology 		
Any other relevant information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Trainings Organized as coordinator (4) • Video films on Vegetable Production technologies (6) • Audio capsules on Vegetable Production technologies (9) 		