

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Education:

Doctor of Philosophy	University: NA Discipline: NA Year of Passing: NA Research Topic: NA
Master of Philosophy	University: NA Discipline: NA Year of Passing: NA Research Topic: NA
CSIR-UGC NET	CSIR-UGC NET AIR(111) Subject: Life Sciences- Botany Year of Passing: 2025
GATE	GATE 2024 Subject: Life Sciences Year of Passing: 2024
Master of Science	University: Savitribai Phule Pune University Year of Passing: 2023 Discipline: Science Specialization: Taxonomy
Bachelor of Science	University: Savitribai Phule Pune University Year of Passing: 2021 Discipline: Science Specialization: Botany

Work Experience:

Position held	Name of the Organization / Institution	Duration			Responsibilities Performed
		From	To	Years	
Project Fellow	Maharashtra Gene Bank Project	01/02/2025	09/12/2025	10 month 9 days	Integrated Approach to Enhance Millets Conservation in Nashik District of Maharashtra.

Academic Coordinator (Assistant Professor Level)	Yashwantrao Chavan Maharashtra Open University	15/12/2025	Till now		Working as a Programme Co-ordinator for UGV04: B.sc Honours(Botany) 2025Pattern Co-ordination SLM as per NEP-2020.
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Responsibilities Performed:

- **Polyhouse Supervision:** Responsible for the supervision and maintenance of the School of Sciences' Polyhouse facility.
 - **Crop Cultivation:** Managing the cultivation of **Onion, Strawberry, Gerbera, Rose, and Marigold** within the polyhouse.
 - **Plant Health & Reporting:** Monitoring plant health, administering fertilizers, and maintaining detailed reports on crop growth and input usage.
2. Co-ordination in SLM (Self Learning Material) Development.
3. **Paper Evaluation:**
BOTE102 Mushroom Culture Technology.

Workshop/Seminar/Conference:

1. XXXII Annual Conference of Indian Association for Angiosperm Taxonomy and National Symposium on 'The Contribution of Angiosperm Diversity to Human Wellbeing and the Risks Associated with its Decline' from November 11th – 13th, 2022.

Faculty Development Course:

- Participated and completed “NEP Orientation & Sensitization Programme” (Programme ID: **MMC-142-2026-JAN-B-07549**) to be conducted by Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Centre (MMTTC) (at STRIDE), Indira Gandhi National Open University, New Delhi from **30-01-2026 to 10-02-2026** through **Online Mode**.

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