

PROFILE

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Honors & Awards	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elected Fellow of Royal Society of Biology (FRSB), London (2023) • Elected Fellow of National Environmental Science Academy (FNESA), New Delhi (2023) • Elected Editorial Board Member of <i>Theriogenology Wild</i> (Elsevier Publication) (2022) • Invited speaker at International Embryo Technology Society (USA) Symposium on CANDES, Bangkok (2018) • Expert Committee Member of Central Zoo Authority (MoEFCC) team for monitoring Health and Nutritional Management of wild animals in Indian zoos (2018). • Commonwealth Scholarship Award, UK for PhD study at Roslin Institute, University of Edinburgh, United Kingdom (2010- 2014) • International Postgraduate Research Scholarship, LaTrobe University, Australia, for PhD (2009-2013) [declined] • Travel Grant Award by Commonwealth Scholarship Commission for SRF Conference at University of Cambridge, UK (2013) • Travel Grant Award by Society of Reproduction and Fertility, UK for EMBO meeting in Amsterdam, the Netherlands (2013). • CISN Hardship Charity Fund, UK (2013)
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