

CURRICULUM – VITAE

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1. Results-	:	Agricultural Economist with a PhD in Economics and expertise in agricultural technology transfer, smart and organic agriculture, crop modelling, climate change adaptation, and livelihood development . Experienced in agricultural value chains, FPO formation, and community livelihood diversification with extensive work across Chhattisgarh. Skilled in project planning, implementation, monitoring, stakeholder coordination, and government liaison , with a strong commitment to farmer development. Proficient in Hindi, English, and local languages .	
2. Total Experiences	:	23 years	
3. Education (A)	:	2005-2006	Ph.D (Spl. in Agril. Economics), Pt. Ravi Shankar Shukla University , Raipur (C.G.) India
	:	2000-2001	M. Sc. (Agril. Economics), Indira Gandhi Agriculture University , Raipur (C.G.) India
	:	1996-1997	B. Sc. (Ag) , Purvanchal University, Jaunpur , Uttar Pradesh , India
	:	2007-2009	MBA in Marketing- Institute of Advanced Studies in Education, Deemed University , Sardarshahar, Rajasthan, India
Computer proficiency (B)	:	2003	Diploma in Office Automation in Soft-Line Computer Center affiliated with MCRP, Vishwavidyalaya, Bhopal (M.P).
	:	2008	Post Graduate Diploma in Computer Application (PGDCA) from Mother Teresa Computer Education, Angul, Odisha
4. Membership of Professional Associations:	:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Life member of Indian Society of Agriculture Marketing. • Member of editorial board, quarterly newsletter “Kishan Sangwari” Published by Chhattisgarh Irrigation Development Project, WRD Raipur. • Member of Agriculture Task working group in State Planning commission, Chhattisgarh from August,2021 to till date. 	
5. Other Training & workshops attended	:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Agribusiness & Agri-Clinic Training, MANAGE Hyderabad (2-month certificate program), organized by Indira Gandhi Agriculture University, Raipur (Jan–Mar 2005). • Management Development Program (MDP) on Logistics & Supply Chain Management, MSME Development Institute / Ministry of MSME, Govt. of India (Sep–Dec 2008). • Participated in National Conference on Improving Farmers’ Income through Agriculture & Aquaculture, ICAR-Central Institute of Freshwater Aquaculture, Bhubaneswar (Jan 2018). • Completed technical trainings on Organic Cotton Cultivation, Integrated Farming Systems, and Value Chain Development, organized by KVK Jalgaon-Jamod, CHIRAAG Project (Govt. of Chhattisgarh), and Indira Gandhi Agriculture University (2020–2023). • Attended state-level trainings on Environment and Social Management Framework and Agricultural Market & Value Addition Opportunities in Chhattisgarh under the CHIRAAG project (2022–2023). • Participated in professional development programs and webinars on Soil Carbon Footprints, Carbon Credits in Agriculture, and Team Building & Management (2024–2025). 	

6. Study Tour	:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Participated in the study tour on Participatory Irrigation Management organized by International Water Management Institute (IWMI) and Asian Development Bank, from 19th to 25th February 2012, held at Ahmadabad (Gujarat) and Hyderabad (Andhra Pradesh). Participated in a study tour on “Goatary value chain development” by CHIRAAG from 7th November 2022 to 10th November 2022 at Goat Trust, Warda, Maharashtra. 			
7. Languages		Languages	Speaking	Reading	Writing
		English	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent
		Hindi	Excellent	Excellent	Excellent
8. Summary Employment Record (Total Experience 22 years)					
Detailed Tasks Assigned	Employer: Schoolnet India Ltd., Noida, Uttar Pradesh 201301				
	Project: Chhattisgarh Inclusive Rural & Accelerated Agriculture Growth (CHIRAAG) funded by the World Bank				
	Year- 30th January 2021 to till continued				
	Location: Raipur, Chhattisgarh				
	Client: Directorate of Agriculture, Chhattisgarh, Raipur (Agriculture Development and Farmer Welfare and Bio-Technology Department)				
	Position Held: Team Leader and Agribusiness Specialist				
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lead overall project delivery by providing technical guidance and ensuring implementation aligned with project scope. Oversee value chain development, execution, monitoring, and evaluation, coordinating with stakeholders and Technical Support Agencies (TSAs) to strengthen backward–forward market linkages and improve producer market access. Conduct market research, commodity price forecasting, and identification of institutional buyers for targeted commodities. Assess institutional frameworks and guide the selection, formation, strengthening, and branding of Farmer-Producer Organizations (FPOs) through TSAs. 				
Detailed Tasks Assigned	Where the Rain Falls (WtRF) project & Climate change adaptation of women smallholders and cotton producers				
	Organisation : Care India, Year: 3rd October 2017 to 29th January 2021				
	Location: Chhattisgarh & Maharashtra				
	Position Held: State Programme Officer-Agriculture				
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Led implementation of climate-resilient agriculture initiatives through market research, extension models, and collaboration with ecosystem actors to strengthen farmer market access. Designed and implemented Agro-Ecological Techniques (AETs) and Farmer Field & Business School (FFBS) approaches, including pilot interventions, stakeholder capacity building, and development of crop modelling tools for agricultural decision-making. Promoted livelihood diversification through farm and non-farm enterprises while integrating gender and social inclusion into climate-resilient agricultural practices. Developed crop calendars and phenology-based planning tools for major crops, including maize, paddy, wheat, cotton, and gram. Supported project planning, implementation, monitoring, and reporting, including coordination of field activities and community-level project events. 				
1. Detailed Tasks Assigned	Work Undertaken That Best Illustrates the Capability to Handle the Tasks Assigned				
	India – Sustainable Livelihood and Adaptation to Climate Change (SLACC Project) funded by the World Bank				
	Year	1st July,2016 to 30th September,2017			
	Employer	Watershed Organization Trust (WOTR), Pune			
	Location	Bhopal (M.P.)			
	Client	National Rural Livelihood Mission, 2nd Floor, Ministry of Rural Development, Govt. of India, New Delhi			
	Position Held	Agriculture & Natural Resource Management Expert			

	Activities Performed/ Objectives & Outputs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Planned, implemented, and monitored climate change adaptation initiatives, including vulnerability assessments and adaptation planning, using crop modelling and crop phenology tools under the Community Climate Adaptation Grant. Led capacity building on climate-smart agriculture and community-based adaptation, training State Rural Livelihood Mission (SRLM) officials at state, district, and block levels, along with community resource persons (CRPs).
India – Jharkhand Agricultural Competitiveness Project & Rural Water Supply & Sanitation Project-LIS		
Year	9th Decebmer,2014 to 30th June,2016	
Location	Ranchi, Jharkhand	
Client	Netlink, Bhopal & ENV DAS (India) Pvt. Ltd., Lucknow (consortium) (World Bank-funded project)	
Position Held	Monitoring & Evaluation Specialist –Agriculture	
Activities Performed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Monitored project implementation across target areas, tracking physical and financial progress and maintaining MIS data for effective monitoring and evaluation. Supported development of annual work plans, budgets, milestones, and performance reports, and facilitated stakeholder review meetings. Strengthened capacity building and social audit processes through farmer training, field schools, and community mobilization. Promoted adoption of agricultural technologies, including diversified cropping systems and the System of Rice Intensification (SRI), through field-level support and technical guidance. Conducted field assessments to address production challenges and coordinated with district teams and specialists to improve input–output market linkages and agricultural support services. 	
Ensuring livelihoods for 3 million poor people through providing developmental services through Better Cotton Initiative (BCI), Responsible Crop Initiative (RCI) & Participatory Irrigation Management (PIM).		
Year	14 th October,2013 to 8 th December,2014	
Location	Raipur, Chhattisgarh, and Indore, Madhya Pradesh	
Client	Action for Social Advancement (ASA), Bhopal	
Main Project Features	<p>Agriculture Productivity Enhancement Program (APEP) aimed to improve agricultural productivity through Participatory Technology Development (PTD), promoting farmer participation in technology development, dissemination, and sustainable resource management.</p> <p>Key interventions included:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Participatory Varietal Selection and Promotion (PVSP) and Farmer Field Schools (FFS) for technology adoption and capacity building. Promotion of improved cultivation practices such as System of Rice Intensification (SRI) and System of Wheat Intensification (SWI). Development of sustainable value chains through Responsible Soybean and Better Cotton initiatives. Strengthening Participatory Irrigation Management (PIM) and supporting the formation of Farmer-Producer Companies (FPCs). 	
Position Held	Project Coordinator	
Activities Performed (1year 2 months)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Managed overall operations and documentation for the Better Cotton Initiative (BCI) and Responsible Crop Initiative (RCI). Supported formation and strengthening of Farmer-Producer Companies, including input–output marketing, procurement, and stakeholder coordination. Established market and institutional linkages between farmers, traders, financial institutions, and government departments to improve agricultural value chains. Promoted adoption of improved agricultural production technologies for cotton, soybean, and wheat through collaboration with scientists and subject experts. 	

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Conducted field assessments, organized farmer training and Farmer Field Schools, and facilitated community mobilization, SHG formation, and capacity building in partnership with NGOs and farmer groups.
Project Name-2	Participatory Irrigation Management Water Users' Association Empowerment for Improved Irrigation Management in Chhattisgarh under Chhattisgarh Irrigation Development Project (CIDP), Water Resources Department, Govt. of Chhattisgarh.	
Year	1 st February, 2012 to 31 st March, 2013	
Location	Chhattisgarh, India	
Client	CIDP, Water Resources Department, C.G./ Asian Development Bank (ADB)	
Main Project Features	To improve rural livelihoods and reduce rural poverty, and to improve irrigation delivery services, enhance agricultural production, strengthen the Water User Association for O&M of the irrigation system, and increase the productivity of irrigated agriculture in Chhattisgarh.	
Position Held	PIM Expert - Participatory Irrigation Management (PIM) and WUA strengthening	
Activities Performed (1 year 2 months)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Strengthened Water User Associations (WUAs) to improve irrigation management, agricultural productivity, and rural livelihoods under the Chhattisgarh Irrigation Development Project. Facilitated implementation of the Chhattisgarh Participatory Irrigation Management (PIM) Act, including operationalization of rules, bylaws, and institutional arrangements between the Water Resources Department and WUAs. Coordinated with government departments, farmer organizations, and private stakeholders to support irrigation management, agricultural development planning, and agriculture support services. Led capacity building and training programs for WUA members and trainers, and supported development of market linkages with the private sector, banks, and organized input-output markets. 	
Project Name-3	Agricultural Support Services Water Users' Association Empowerment for Improved Irrigation Management in Chhattisgarh under Chhattisgarh Irrigation Development Project (CIDP), Water Resources Department, Govt. of Chhattisgarh	
Year	17 th April, 2009 to 31 st January, 2012	
Location	Chhattisgarh, India	
Client	CIDP, Water Resources Department, C.G./ Asian Development Bank	
Main Project Features	To improve rural livelihoods and reduce rural poverty, and to improve irrigation delivery services, enhance agricultural production, strengthen the Water User Association for O&M of the irrigation system, and increase the productivity of irrigated agriculture in Chhattisgarh.	
Position Held	Irrigated Agriculture Expert	
Activities Performed (2 years 5 months inputs)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Trained and supported field staff (SCOs, COs) and farmers to implement seasonal cropping plans, diversified cropping systems, and the System of Rice Intensification (SRI) across project areas. Strengthened farmer capacity through training programs, Farmer Field Schools, and community mobilization, promoting improved agricultural practices. Conducted field assessments in CIDP irrigation systems to identify production challenges and supported WUAs in planning and implementing input-output marketing and collective agricultural actions. Contributed to the development of crop modelling and crop phenology tools, supported the formation of Farmer-Producer Companies, and assisted national and international experts in designing training materials for WUA capacity development. 	
Project Name-4	Diversified Agricultural Support Project (World Bank)	
Organisation	NGO Aakruthi, Hyderabad (A.P.)	
Year	6 th November, 2006 to 16 th April, 2009	

Location	Madhya Pradesh, Chhattisgarh (India)
Client	World Bank / Govt. of C.G. & M.P.
Position Held	Technical expert –Agriculture
Main Project Features (2 Years & 5 Months inputs)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Organized agricultural training programs to improve crop productivity, diversified cropping systems, and market linkages. Coordinated with government departments, farmer organizations, NGOs, and private stakeholders to support project implementation and agricultural input–service delivery. Led community mobilization and awareness initiatives through meetings, workshops, and village-level engagement to promote project objectives and farmer participation. Promoted organic/biodynamic farming, micro-irrigation, dryland agriculture, and natural resource management, while strengthening value chains, capacity building, and women’s empowerment.
Project Name-5	Agriculture Insurance Company of India Ltd., Regional office, Raipur
Position Held	Agriculture Insurance Company of India Ltd., Regional Office, Raipur
Year	16 th May 2005 to 31 st October 2006
Location	Raipur, Chhattisgarh (India)
Client	Banks & farmers
Position Held	Junior Agriculture Officer
Activities Performed (1Year & 5 Months inputs)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Supported implementation of crop insurance schemes, including Versa Bima and the National Agriculture Insurance Scheme, contributing to policy execution, underwriting, claim processing, and investigations at the state level. Established backward and forward linkages among farmers, government departments, banks, and financial institutions to strengthen crop insurance delivery systems. Conducted farmer awareness programs, field trainings, and community mobilization to promote crop insurance adoption and improve understanding of agricultural risk management. Coordinated with development partners, NGOs, and farmer groups to support contract farming initiatives, capacity building, marketing intelligence, and effective program implementation.
Project Name-6	Mechanization of Rice-Wheat Cropping System for Increasing the Productivity
Position Held	Senior Research Fellow
Year	3 rd September 2002 to 31 st March,2005
Location	Central Institute of Agriculture Engineering, Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh (India)
Activities Performed (1 year 7 Months inputs)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Assessed farmers’ mechanization needs and evaluated improved rice–wheat production technologies suitable for local conditions. Conducted adaptive trials and impact assessments of mechanization equipment to support technology adoption by farmers. Organized field demonstrations, Farmer Field Schools, and training programs to promote modern agricultural equipment and practices. Collected and analyzed data on mechanization technologies and supported development proposals for polyhouse cultivation, raised-bed nurseries, and vermicompost units.
Project Name-7	Socio-economic Assessment of Biodiversity Conservation in Tribal Area of Chhattisgarh.
Position Held	Research Associate
Year	22nd November 2000 to 31st October 2002
Location	Raipur, Chhattisgarh (India)
Client	Department of Agriculture & Natural Resource Economics, Indira Gandhi Agriculture University, Raipur (Chhattisgarh).
Activities Performed	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Survey of Villages of Bastar and Sarguja Districts (C.G.). Data Collection & Analysis, Compilation of Secondary & Primary Data.

	(1 Year & 9 Months)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Data Interpretation and Report writing.
	Project Name-8	Participatory Irrigation Management in Lift Irrigation & Tubewell.
	Position Held	Social Organizer
	Year	15th July 1996 to 7th September 1998
	Location	Ghazipur, Varanasi, and Jaunpur districts of Uttar Pradesh
	Client	Global Synergetic Foundation, Uttar Pradesh
	Activities Performed (2 Years & 1 Month inputs)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Built capacity of Panchayat members, block-level nodal officers, and SHG leaders to support the formation, management, and monitoring of Self-Help Groups (SHGs). Facilitated formation of farmers' committees and SHGs across Ghazipur, Varanasi, and Jaunpur districts to strengthen community participation in irrigation management. Trained Panchayat members and community groups to manage river lift irrigation schemes and support participatory irrigation management (PIM).
9. Key Skills		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Community Mobilization, Empowerment, and Self-Help Group (SHG) Promotion Agriculture & Livelihood Development: Dryland farming, organic farming, horticulture, and farm/non-farm enterprises Participatory Irrigation & Natural Resource Management: PIM, lift irrigation cooperatives, and watershed management Market Linkages & Value Chain Development, including Farmer-Producer Organizations (FPOs) Strategic Planning, Project Management, and Implementation Monitoring, Evaluation, Reporting, and Financial Management Stakeholder Partnership Building, Team Coordination, and Supervision
10. Extra Curricular Activities		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Earned 'B' Certificate, National Cadet Corps (NCC). Participated in XXVIII National School Games (Winter Meet), Jalandhar, Punjab (1989). Participated in Rovers & Rangers Meets, Shri Durga Ji P.G. College, Azamgarh (1995) and U.P. College, Varanasi (1996). Attended National Service Scheme (NSS) camps, P.G. College Ghazipur, Uttar Pradesh (1995–1996). Participated in East Zone Youth Festival, Indira Gandhi Agricultural University, Raipur (1999).
11. Project Handle as a Project Investigator		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> “Training Cum Demonstration on Mushroom Production Technology to the Entrepreneurs”. The project funded by the C.G. Council of Science Technology, Raipur (C.G.) “Training Cum Demonstration on Vermi Compost Production Technology to the Entrepreneurs”. The project funded by the C.G. Council of Science Technology, Raipur (C.G.)
12. Research		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Thesis “Availability, Utilization and Repaying capacity of crop loan: A Discriminate function analysis” submitted to IGAU, Raipur, for the award of M.Sc. (Ag.) Economics degree. Thesis “Problem of Overdue in District Central Cooperative Bank, Raipur of Chhattisgarh State: An Economic Analysis (Period: 1991-92 to 2001-02)” submitted to IGKVV, Raipur, for the award of Doctor of Philosophy in Agricultural Economics.
13. List of Publications		

- Banafar, K.N.S., Gouraha, A.K., & Singh, A.K. (2004). *Economic analysis of production and major constraints in lentil: A case study*. **Indian Economic Panorama**, 14(3), 25–29.
- Mathankar, S.K., & Singh, A.K. (2004). *Sources of information on improved crop production technology and its valuation in Madhya Pradesh*. **Indian Journal of Agricultural Economics**, 54(1), 521–528.
- Singh, A.K., & Banafar, K.N.S. (2003). *Economic analysis of the production and marketing of milk in the Raipur district of Chhattisgarh*. **Bihar Journal of Agricultural Marketing**, 9(1–2), 34–41.
- Singh, A.K., & Banafar, K.N.S. (2005). *Impact of crop loan on adoption of improved technology in paddy production in Raipur district of Chhattisgarh*. **Indian Cooperative Review**, 42(3), 266–271.
- Singh, A.K., Banafar, K.N.S., & Bhardwaj, J.L. (2005). *Participation of farm women in agricultural decision-making: A micro-level study*. **Indian Economic Panorama**, 15(1), 56–58.
- Singh, A.K., & Banafar, K.N.S. (2006). *Economic analysis of production and marketing of cauliflower in Durg district of Chhattisgarh*. **Agricultural Marketing**, 17(3), 37–42.
- Singh, A.K., & Bhardwaj, J.L. (2004). *Role of cooperative credit institutions in the adoption of improved paddy technology in the Raipur district of Chhattisgarh*. **Indian Economic Panorama**, 14(4), 48–49.
- Singh, A.K., Koshta, A.K., & Chandrakar, M.R. (2004). *Availability, utilization, and repayment of crop loans: A case study of rice growers in Raipur*. **Indian Cooperative Review**, 2, 139–148.
- Singh, A.K., Koshta, A.K., & Chandrakar, M.R. (2007). *Economic performance of District Central Cooperative Bank, Raipur, Chhattisgarh*. **Finance India**, 21(2), 561–566.
- Singh, A.K., Koshta, A.K., & Chandrakar, M.R. (2003). *Socio-economic characteristics of borrowers responsible for crop loan default: A discriminant function analysis*. **Cooperative Perspective**, 37(4), 11–18.
- Singh, R.S., & Singh, A.K. (2003). *Literacy, technology adoption, factor demand, and productivity: An economic analysis*. **Journal of Agricultural Education & Extension**, 21(1), 490–499.
- Singh, R.S., & Singh, A.K. (2003). *Farm power availability pattern and its impact on food grain productivity in Madhya Pradesh*. **Journal of Agricultural Engineering**, 39(3), 12–25.


14 B. **Popular Articles :(Hindi & English)**

- Singh, A.K., & Gupta, M. (2004). *World Trade Organization and its impact on Indian agriculture and economy*. **Indian Economic Panorama**, 14(1), 36–38.
- Singh, A.K., & Pandey, P.K. (2005). *Export marketing of fruits and vegetables in the post-WTO regime*. **Indian Economic Panorama**, 15(3), 56–60.
- Singh, A.K., & Pandey, P.K. (2004). *Matsya Sahkarita in Chhattisgarh*. **Sahyog Darshan**, Issue 5, October, pp. 1–4.
- Singh, A.K. (2004). *Role of cooperation in rural development*. **Sahyog Darshan**, Issue 3, August, pp. 9–10.
- Singh, A.K., & Rai, S.K. (2004). *Impact of improved paddy cultivation methods*. **Chhattisgarh Kheti**, Issue 3, July–September, pp. 10–11.
- Kumar, P., Jasveer, S., Kaushik, D., & Singh, A.K. (2004). *Identification and control of harmful aquatic pests in fish farming*. **Agriwatch**, Issue 5, New Delhi, pp. 19–21.
- Kumar, P., & Singh, A.K. (2005). *Integrated fish farming (duck-cum-fish): An economic analysis*. **Sahyog Darshan**, Issue 17–19.
- Singh, A.K., & Kumar, P. (2005). *Role of cooperation in strengthening self-help groups*. **Sahyog Darshan**, Issue 19–20.
- Kumar, P., & Singh, A.K. (2006). *Importance and balanced use of fertilizers in fish farming*. **Sahyog Darshan**, Issue 20, January 24.
- Singh, A.K. – Member of the editorial board of “Kisan Sangwari”, a quarterly magazine published under the Chhattisgarh Irrigation Development Project.

14C. **Extension Publications (Bulletins)**

- Yantrik Dhan Ropai (Hindi) – CIAE/AMD/RWMP (NATP)/2003/14.
- Self-Propelled Rice Transplanter for Mechanized Transplantation of Rice – CIAE/FIM/2003/23.
- Raised Bed Planter for Bed Planting of Wheat – CIAE/FIM/2003/29.
- Tractor-Mounted Zero-Till Seed-Cum-Fertilizer Drill – CIAE/FIM/2003/28.
- Rabi Crops of Chhattisgarh – Chhattisgarh Irrigation Development Project, Raipur

Other Curriculum: SPSS-based statistical analysis, AI-assisted research and reporting, prompt engineering, and data-driven agriculture insights.

<p>15. Extra work experience:</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Subject Matter Specialist – Agronomy, CropIn Technology Solutions, Bengaluru (Sept 2017 – Dec 2019): Provided technical guidance under the Sustainable Livelihood & Adaptation to Climate Change project (funded by GEC/World Bank & NRLM). Supported mobile-based crop advisory systems, climate-resilient agriculture, organic farming, weather-based crop forecasting, crop modelling, and preparation of crop-specific packages of practices for the State Rural Livelihood Mission, Bhopal. • Agriculture & Horticulture Knowledge Specialist (Consultant), Asian Development Bank (ADB), Philippines (Oct 2025 – Present): Supporting the Agriculture, Food, Nature and Rural Development (AFNR) Sector – Water Resources Operations across Chhattisgarh, Madhya Pradesh, and Rajasthan. • Part-Time Senior Consultant, Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO), Italy (Jan 2025 – Present): Contributing to the project Investing in Climate Resilient Agriculture in Chhattisgarh, supporting climate-resilient agriculture initiatives in the state.
<p>16. Award</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 2005. Received the prestigious Young Scientist Award from the Chhattisgarh Council of Science and Technology, Raipur, for exemplary achievements within the domain of Social Science. • 2018. Bestowed with the Young Scientist Award by the esteemed Society of Krishi Vigyan Association of Aquaculture, ICAR-CIFA, Bhubaneswar, Odisha, in recognition of noteworthy contributions to the field of Social Science (Aquaculture). • Best Social Worker Award (2024) presented by the Chief Minister of Chhattisgarh, Govt. of Chhattisgarh, in recognition of social development works related to livelihood promotion through agriculture-based activities in Tribal areas over the past 20 years. • 2024 Recognition for Social Impact by the Minister of Agriculture, ST, SC, OBC & Minority Development, Govt. of Chhattisgarh. Awarded for spearheading successful livelihood promotion initiatives through agriculture in tribal communities for the past two decades.
<p>17. Certification:</p>	<p>I understand that any wilful misstatement described herein may lead to disqualification or dismissal, and/or any other disciplinary action being taken by Employer.</p>  <p>Akhilesh K. Singh (14/03/2026)</p>