# **Brief Biodata**

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## Research Area/ Interest

Aerosol atmospheric chemistry and physics, gas and particulate metrology, air quality measurements and instrumentation, control technology development and measurement

## **Educational Qualifications**

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Degree	Subject	University/ Institute	Year
Ph.D.	Chemistry	Pt. Ravishankar University, Raipur	1999
PGDCA	C, FORTRAN, COBOL,UNIX	Pt. Ravishankar University, Raipur	1994
M.Sc.	Chemistry	Pt. Ravishankar University, Raipur	1992
B.Sc.	Physics, Chemistry, Physics	Pt. Ravishankar University, Raipur	1990

## **Academic / Research Experience**

Grade /	Institute	Duration		Research Field
Post		From	То	
Chief Scientist	CSIR-National Physical Laboratory	April 2022	Till date	Particle and gas metrology, aerosol chemistry and physics, air quality measurement and instrumentation, control technology development and measurement

Senior Principal Scientist	CSIR-National Physical Laboratory	April 2017	April 2022	Particle and gas metrology, aerosol chemistry and physics, air quality measurement and instrumentation, control technology development and measurement
Principal Scientist	CSIR-National Physical Laboratory	April 2013	April 2017	Particle and gas metrology, aerosol chemistry and physics, air quality measurement and instrumentation, control technology development and measurement
Senior Scientist	CSIR-National Physical Laboratory	April 2009	April 2013	Particle and gas metrology, aerosol chemistry and physics, air quality measurement, metrology in chemistry
University post doctoral fellow	Hokkaido University, Japan	May 2007	March 2009	Aerosol Micro-Physical and Molecular Chemical, Isotope Characterization
JSPS fellow	Hokkaido University, Japan	May 2005	April 2007	Aerosol Micro-Physical and Molecular Chemical, Isotope Characterization
Researcher	Industrial Technology Research Institute (DI), Taiwan	December 2002	April 2005	Stake emission measurement, control technology
CSIR-RA	Pt Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur, India	April 2000	September 2001	Atmospheric chemistry
NSC post doctoral fellow	National ChiaoTung Univeristy, Hsinchu, Taiwan	October 2001	September 2002	Aerosol physics, control technology
CSIR-RA	Pt Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur, India	April 2000	September 2001	Atmospheric chemistry

#### No. of Publications

No. of Publications in SCI Journals	No. of Publications in non-SCI Journals	No. of Publications in Conference Proceedings/Reports	Books	Total
>130	>15	>150	5	>300

#### **Selected Publications**

#### • Emission monitoring and control technology

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HungMin Chein, Yu-Du Hsu, Shankar G. Aggarwal, Tzu-Ming Chen, Chun-Chao Huang, Evaluation of arsenical emission from semiconductor and opto-electronics facilities in Hsinchu, Taiwan, Atmospheric Environment, 40(10), 1901-1907, 2006.

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B. Sarangi, S.G. Aggarwal, B. Kunwar, S. Kumar, R. Kaur, D. Sinha, S. Tiwari, K. Kawamura, Nighttime particle growth observed during spring in New Delhi: Evidences for the aqueous phase oxidation of SO2, Atmos. Environ., 188, 82–96, 2018.

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#### Scientific implementation based on aerosol chemical and isotope analysis

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Rishu Agarwal, Kritika Shukla, Sudhanshu Kumar, Shankar G. Aggarwal and Kimitaka Kawamura, Chemical composition of waste burning organic aerosols at landfill and urban sites in Delhi, Atmospheric Pollution Research, Volume 11, Issue 3 (2020): Pages 554–565.

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Particulate matter sampler, US Patent, No. US 10782212 B2, Date: 22.09.2020

Tangential six-inlet co-cylindrical cyclone for PM10 sampling, Indian Patent, No. 202111014940, Date: 31.03.2021

A mask testing setup, Indian Patent, No. 202111045226, Date: 05.10.2021

UVC based air microbial disinfection unit, Indian Patent, No. 46NF2021, Date: 03.03.2021

Design and development of a high volume PM2.5 impactor, Indian Patent, No 464709, Date: 01.11.2023

#### **Current Activities**

(Not more than 100 words)

- Dr. Shankar's current research focus is "metrology for national ambient air quality standards (NAAQS)" in which he involves in preparation of gas standards, PM sampler development and its calibration work, performance evaluation of air monitoring instruments, sensors, etc. Also, they have designed and developed an aerosol wind tunnel facility at CSIR-NPL for cutoff size calibration of aerosol samplers. About 10 Ph.D. thesis have been done so far on above subject area:
- "Physico-Chemical Characterization of Urban Aerosols", Bighnaraj Sarangi, Academy of Scientific and Innovative Research (AcSIR), Ghaziabad, 2016
- "Understanding Aerosol Sources and Chemistry Using Selective Markers and Stable Isotopes Analyses", Sudhanshu Kumar, Academy of Scientific and Innovative Research (AcSIR), Ghaziabad, 2016
- "A Study on Online and Offline Measurements of PM10 and PM2.5 in an Urban City, Raipur", Jaya Dammani, Pt. Ravishankar Shukla University, Raipur, 2019
- "Uncertainty Calculation in Aerosol Measurements", Jyoti Pokhariyal, Delhi Technological University, Delhi, 2020
- "Designing and Development of PM2.5 Impactor and PM10 Cyclone Samplers, and Study on their Cutoff Size Performances", Prashant Patel, Academy of Scientific and Innovative Research (AcSIR), Ghaziabad, 2023
- "Study on the Measurement and Chemistry of Gaseous and Particulate Pollutant in an Urban Atmosphere", Rishu Agarwal, Academy of Scientific and Innovative Research (AcSIR), Ghaziabad, 2023.
- "Gravimetric Preparation of Benzene Gas Standards for Emission and Ambient Monitoring Applications", Poonam Kumari, Academy of Scientific and Innovative Research (AcSIR), Ghaziabad. 2023.
- "Performance Study of Beta Attenuation Method for PM2.5 Measurement Under India Conditions and its Suggested Design and Development", Kritika Shukla, Academy of Scientific and Innovative Research (AcSIR), Ghaziabad, 2023.
- "Black Carbon Measurements in Urban Air", Arpit Malik, Academy of Scientific and Innovative Research (AcSIR), Ghaziabad, 2024.
- "Study on Brown Carbon and Secondary Organic Aerosol in Urban Atmosphere", Ashmeet Kaur Alang, Academy of Scientific and Innovative Research (AcSIR), Ghaziabad, 2024
- "Development and design validations of particle filtration, control and sampling devices", Baban Kumar, Academy of Scientific and Innovative Research (AcSIR), Ghaziabad, 2025 (Submitted)

## Honour(s)/ Award(s)/ Fellowship(s)

S.	Name of the	Year	Awarding Org./	Brief citation of the award
No.	award/recognition		Inst. CSIR, India	work/remarks

1	RA award	2000	CSIR, New Delhi	Detected As contamination in ground water and acidification of surface water in central India
2	PDF award	2001	NSC, Taiwan	Studied thermophoretic deposition technique for particle deposition from industrial waste gas
3	Best research team member award, ITRI, Taiwan	2004	ITRI, Taiwan	Developed waste gas treatment technology for TSMC, Taiwan
4	JSPS award	2005	JSPS, Japan	Studied/development of HTDMA for hygroscopicity measurement of aerosol particles, studied CCN activity of particles
5	Best paper award in AAC2011, Xi'an, China	2011	Asian Aerosol Research Assembly	Isotopic changes in aged atmospheric aerosols as indicator for their photochemical aging
6	Associate Editor of MAPAN	2014	Publisher: Springer	Journal theme is "Metrology"
7	CITAC best paper award -2013, France	2015	Cooperation on International Traceability in Analytical Chemistry	Traceability Issue in PM2.5 and PM10 Measurements
8	Technology Licensed Award	2017	CSIR-National Physical Laboratory	High-Volume PM2.5 Impactor Sampler
9	Associate Editor of Asian Journal of Atmospheric Environment	2022	Publisher: Springer	Journal theme is "Atmospheric Monitoring and Measurements, Instrumentation, Chemistry, Physiscs, etc."
10	Technology Transfer Award	2025	CSIR-National Physical Laboratory	High-Volume PM10 Sampler

S. No.	Professional development/Place of Training	Duration	Year	Brief description
1	Lucknow	11-15 January	2010	Metrology in Chemistry (MiC) organized by Indo-German technical cooperation in the field of Metrology in Chemistry
2	New Delhi	01-04 February	2011	CRM Production & Certification Workshop organized by Indo-German technical cooperation in the field of Metrology in Chemistry
3	PTB, Berlin, Germany	09-13 May	2011	Training on Isotope Dilution Mass Spectrometry technique
4	Imperial College, London, UK	16-20 May	2011	Training on Inductive Coupled Plasma- Mass Spectrometry technique
5	Nu Instruments Ltd., UK	23-27 May	2011	Hands on training on Nu Instruments ATTOM ICP-HRMS
6	CSIR-NPL, New Delhi	22-24 August	2012	Quality System – Laboratory Management, Need for Calibration/Accreditation as per IS/ISO/IEC – 17025:2005
7	Mumbai	6-10 July	2015	Reference Material Producer Assessor Course As per ISO Guide 34:2009
8	New Delhi	24-28 August	2015	Laboratory Assessor Course as per ISO/IEC 17025:2005
9	New Delhi	23-26 October	2018	General Requirements for Proficiency Testing as per ISO/IEC 17043:2010
10	New Delhi	28-29 January	2025	Workshop on Green Hydrogen (Organized by BSI & BIS)

## Contributions to AcSIR

Professor in AcSIR since 2017. Course coordinator of Ph.D. credit course "Air Quality Measurement Science and Technology" for AcSIR. Also he is the faculty member of other 3 courses of AcSIR.

## Membership of Professional Societies/ Institutions

He is the member of gas and air pollution related committees of BIS, NABL, CPCB, CAQM. He is the Associate Editor of 2 international journals. He is a life member of several scientific societies including: MSI, IASTA, ISAS, IAAPC, etc.

#### **Any other Information**

(Not more than 100 words)

He is the PI /Co-PI of several national and international scientific projects/industrial projects. He also serves his duties as assessor (ISO 17034: 2016 and ISO/IEC 17025:2017) for National Accreditation Board for Testing and Calibration Laboratories (NABL). <u>As PI, three technologies which have been developed in last few years are transferred to the Indian manufacturer and commercialized successfully:</u>

"High-volume PM2.5 impactor sampler": Ideal for source apportionment study and under Indian conditions (all weather conditions with low to very high particulate matter mass loading)

M/s Environmental Solutions, Noida (UP), https://envsolutions.in/

"Six-stage bioaerosol sampler": Ideal for indoor and outdoor sampling for both particle mass and colony counting simultaneously. Designed specifically for uniform particle distribution on collection surface and sharp cutoff size of the stages.

M/s Envirotech Instrumrnts Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi, https://envirotechindia.com/

"High-volume PM10 cyclone sampler": Ideal for source apportionment study and under Indian conditions (all weather conditions with low to very high particulate matter mass loading). Importantly, it has cutoff size of 10 micrometre (not like respiratory dust sampler PM10 which has cutoff size of 4 micrometre).

M/s Biom Tech Pvt. Ltd., Delhi, <a href="https://biomtech.in/">https://biomtech.in/</a>