Profile

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Present designation: Professor & Head (Genetics & Plant Breeding)

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Academic Qualifications: M.Sc.(Ag) in Ag. Botany, Ph.D. (Genetics Plant Breeding)

Area of Specialization: Crop Improvement

Teaching: Teaching P.G. & Ph.D. Courses of the Department

Advisement of Students : M..Sc. (Ag.) 03 Guided, 01 Under Guidance

Ph.D. 01 Guided, 05 Under Guidance

Research: On wheat and forage crops.

Additional duties HOD, Department of Agricultural Biotechnology

Publications: (a) Research papers: 44

(b) Popular articles: 16

(c) Review papers: 04

Awards: (i) "Best Research Meritorious Scientist Award" of ANGRAU,

Hyderabad for the Year 2005

(ii) "Scientist of the Year 2006"

Training: 04

Extension Activities : Participation and contribution in extension activities organization by the

university

Varieties developed and

released:

: A total of 13 varieties/hybrids were developed and released.

Registered with NBPGR,

New Delhi

(i) Sorghum variety PSV-1 Reg. No. (IC-550165)

(ii) Sorghum variety Palem-2 Reg. No. (IC-550166)

External Funded Projects: 1. Identification and development of thermo-tolerant wheat varieties suitable

for different agro climatic zones of Uttar Pradesh. [PI]

2. Development of high yielding and disease resistant varieties with good

nutritional quality in forage crops. [Co-PI]

Research Paper Published

in referred journals

Best five research papers

Pooran Chand (1997). Model plant architecture through association and path coefficient analysis in biparental blackgram-II. *Legume Research*

20(3/4): 198-202

- 2. Pooran Chand (2000). Analysis of gene effects for yield determining factors in biparental blackgram (*Vigna mungo* (L) Hepper). *Legume Research* 23(3): 180 -182
- 3. Pooran Chand and C. Raghunadha Rao (2000). Impact of different mating approaches in blackgram. *Legume Research* 24(3): 174-177
- 4. Pooran Chand (2001). Effect of biparental mating in blackgram (*Vigna mungo* (L) Hepper). *Indian Journal of Agric. Science* 71(8): 553-555
- 5. Pooran Chand and C. Raghunadha Rao (2002) Studies on gene action in biparental cross of blackgram (*Vigna mungo* (L.) Hepper.). *Indian. J. Genet* 62(4): 347-348

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