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	Likely to join soon			

Employment History: all positions held - starting with your present employment and going back to the first						
Organization	Designation (Approx.	Key Responsibilities	Dates			
	Gross Annual Salary) *		From	То		
Bareilly College	1975 as Lecturer	Research and Teaching in the department	1975	1986		
Bareilly College	Associate Professor	Research and Teaching work in the department		Cont		
Present salary	/Botany, (1987)					
	71,890/ pm					
Bareilly College	1998 as In-charge in "P.G.D. Environmental Management"	-T eaching and supervising Environment Management Course in Bareilly College since 1998. Course was exclusively designed by me and opened in this center affiliated to M J P university. Students passed out are working in the industries.	1998	Conti. Enclo.		
		-Course involves teaching and research projects designing related to the water pollution, analysis and its treatment strategies, ground water conservation, river pollutants monitoring and analysis, Air and industrial stack sampling, air analysis, and its management. Course includes soil, waste and biomedical waste management strategies, climate change studies, carbon sequestration, alternative energy, Elevated CO_2 and Forest covers development.				
		-Supervising the P. G. Department. Environment Management, visiting industries as a consultant, on the environment issues, supervising research work on environmental related local problems,				
		-co-coordinating to inter-national scientific programs.				
Name, Address Organization:		Bareilly College, Bareilly				

Designation and Job Description:	(a) Associate Professor in Botany and Incharge of P. G. D. Environment Management.(*)				
	Department was established by me enrolls the 30 students every year for the environmental Education at graduate level. We teach ecology and different aspects of pollutions (air, water, industrial, noise, waste, radio-nuclides,) and their biological managements . It is to inform that we have all latest expensive instruments (personal and from the support of national funding agencies) used for the monitoring and analysis of water, air and industrial effluent parameters.				
Interest and specialization	(a)Ecology and different aspects of pollutions (air, water, industrial, noise, waster, radio-nuclides,) and their biological managements				
	(b) Carbon sequestration, C02 studies, Ozone studies, Climate change studies				
	Amongst the 80% instruments procured from different research projects belongs to PI (Dr Dinesh K Saxena), are: Atomic absorption spectrophotometer, UV-IR spectrophotometer, Metrological kit, Infra-red thermometer, GPS system with GPS track recorder, Photo System, Photosynthetic Efficiency Analyzer, X-ray Fluorescence, Growth chamber, note book, micro-Kjeldahl, Sauxhlet, Flame photometer, computers, BOD incubator with humidity control device, Flow meter, Light meter, Soil <i>p</i> H meter, Soil moisture meter, High volume air sampler for CO_2 , NOx and SOx RSPM, SPM, Stack monitor, <i>p</i> H meter, Soil moisture meter, Dissolved oxygen kit, Portable D. O. analyzer, D.O. electrode, -Modeling of Environmental parameters by Global Positioning satellite System (GPS).Growth chamber, turbidity meter,				

Current Employment: in

Associate Professor, Department of Botany &

Incharge: P. G. D. Environmental Management, Bareilly College, Bareilly, UP India

Also appointed as Chair Professor (Ford Foundation) Department of Environment Egineering, Kathmandu University, Nepal in 2009 (Salary offered: Rs 100,000/, Taxable)

Relevant Teaching Experience: Relevant experience possess by me relating to key aspects of the job has been given in the space below: 30 years in Botany & 10 years as incharge in P.G.D. Environment Management.

Advance Environment Training:

1- Advance training on "Aquatic Weed Management", U.S.A., Gainseville, University of Florida in 1984.

2- Application of Computer on Bryo-Ecology, Michigan Technological University, U. S. A. 1989.

3- Globe Environment Teachers Training by the support of Ministry of Environment and Forest, University of Columbia and NASA in 2005 at Shimla.

RESEARCH COMMITMENTS:

a) Completed Research Projects (National levels):

(i)	Department of Science and Technology, WIMCO effluent of Bareilly."	India: 1986-198	38 Rs	2.1	L "Analysis of effluent quality of
(ii)	University Grants Commission, India:	1989-1991	Rs	5.0	L "Ecological Study of Azolla."
(iii)	University Grants Commission, India:	1996-2000	Rs	7.9	L "Sphagnum for Air quality monitoring

(iii) Department of Biotechnology, India: 2002-2005 Rs 23.0 L "Monitoring of metals by mosses."

7 Rs 26.0 L "Large scale monitoring ... metals."

(v) Ministry of Environment & Forest, India. 2004-2007
b) On Going Research Projects (National Levels):

- (i) University Grants Commission: 2007-2010 Rs 9.0 L "Metals pollution in vegetables."
 (ii) Ministry of Environment & Forest, India profile of India."
 2009-2012 Rs 29.0 L) "Retrospective multi-elemental
- (iii) State Pollution Control Board , U.P 2009-2014 Rs 6.17 L/ per year "Monitoring of CO₂, N0x, TSP, R.S.P.M. of Bareilly" State Pollution Control Bord, Lucknow
- (iv) Central Pollution Control Board ,New Delhi **2009-2010** Rs. 8.4 L /y per each station (Nainital, Almora, Pithoragarh and Dehradoon) of Himalayan belt . "Monitoring of C0₂, N0x, TSP, R.S.P.M.
- (v) "C02 Sequestration study using bryophytes." Department of Science and Technology: **2009-2014** "Climate Change Studies –response of elevated C0₂ and its sequestration" –DST funded program

<u>Research Component</u>		Title Research Projects *	(<u>in years)</u>
Specialized Research Projects:			
1.	Department of Science and	1. "Analysis of effluent quality of WIMCO effluent of	1986-1988
	Technology, India	Bareilly."	
2.	University Grants Commission,	2. "Ecological Study of <i>Azolla</i> ."	1989-1991
	India		4004 0000
3.	University Grants Commission, India	3. "Sphagnum for Air quality monitoring"	1996-2000
4.	Department of Bio Technology,	4. "Monitoring of metals by mosses."	2002-2005
	India		
5.	Ministry of Environment, India	5. "Large scale monitoring metals."	2004-2007
6.	University Grants Commission,	6. "Metals pollution in vegetables."	2007-2010
	India		
7.	State Pollution Control Board,	7. "Monitoring C0 ₂ , N0x, TSP, R.S.P.M. of Bareilly"	2009-2012
8.		8.	2009-2013
a-PhD supervised		1-Eleven students	
b-Dissertation		2- Eight students from different Indian universities has	
		completed their projects successfully.	
		compreted and projects succession.	
Research Grant		 Ministry of Environment, Govt. of India 	
Assessor/Reviewer		 Department of Science and Technology SERC 	
		 University Grants Commission 	
		 Australia – India Strategic Research Fund, AISRF 	

	Hungarian Academy of Sciences	
	Central Pollution Control Board	
AWARDS	DST 1989	Enclo:
(1) Young scientist award		
(1b)Best paper award	1) 13 th Botanical Congress held in Australia, Awarded 100 \$	
	for as young participants .	Enclo:
(2) World Bank Award-development technology on environment	(2) "WORLD BANK" award of Rs 20,000 on "Development of Technology for use of Waste-Water instead of Bore Water for Car Washing at Automobile Showroom "". Out of 2500 projects submitted to world bank mine one was selected.	
	The function was chaired by Hon President of India- Dr Abdul Kalam. see enclosure. It is great honor to me. See webpage of President of India: <u>www.presidentofindia.co.in</u> dt. 28 May, 07 see or World Bank –IDM Award , 2007.	Enclos:
2.b Commonwealth Academic Fellowship Award, UK -2010.	-Selected for the Commonwealth Academic Award in 2010 by University Grants Commission, New Delhi. To work with professor Peter Hooda of the Kingston University, UK	
Completed Projects: (Inte	ernational)	I
1- DST-NTTK Hungary	1-Indo-Hungary Bilateral Research Program: 2002-	
2- INSA-HAS	2004. Funded by Department of Science and Technology, Ministry of Science and Technology, Govt. of India. A joint study was conducted in collaboration with Prof Zoltan Tuba, D. Sc., Head of Environment and Botany of Szent Istvan University, Godollo, Hungary on "Responses of elevated CO ₂ on mosses" 2-Indo-Hungary Bilateral Research Program: 2004- 2006 Project was again sanctioned by Indian National Academy of Sciences New Delhi and Hungarian Academy of Sciences in collaboration with Prof Zoltan Tuba, D. Sc., Head of Environment and Botany of Szent Istvan University, Godollo, Hungary. Study was conductd	Enclo: Enclo
On-Going International Research Projects	on "Effects of elevated CO_2 on metal tolerance"	
1-Indio-Russian- DST proposal .2011	Large scale monitoring of air pollutants in India, Nepal and in Russia with Prof Marina	
Visits of Foreign Scientists in 2010		
2- India-Poland (INSA-Poland collaboration)-2010	2010 Dr. Hazem M. Kalaji (Department of Plant Physiology, Faculty of Agriculture and Biology, Warsaw University of Life Science- SGGW, Nowoursynowska 159, 02-776 Warsaw, Poland ; "" Response of high CO₂ and metals on the vegetation and validation of the tolerant species for 'C' sequestration "., Prof Hazam visited my lab during from 15 th December to 15 th January, 2011	Enclosure :
3- Michael Luith (bryologist)	Visited in my lab d from 5 th to 31 st December 2010	
International Workshops Organized by me in 2007.	Organized an International Workshop-2007 An international workshop was organized in March 2007 by the support of the Prof Zoltan Tuba, D.Sc. on "Drought	Enclos:
"International Workshop on Metal Monitoring -2011"		Enclos:

Visited Abroad

(1984-2000)

- Several times in European Institutions (UK, Germany, Greece, Austria, Chech, France, Denmark, Swiss, Hungary) and three times in USA-
- * Aquatic Weed Research cent at Gainesville Florida University of Florida, 1984. Enclos:
- Two times at Michigan Technological University (1989 & 2000), USA. -Recently from 19th to 31st July, 2007. Enclos:

(2004-2009)

- ✤ 2004: Hungary at Szent Istvan University, Hungary
- 2005: Hungary, Again at Szent Istvan University by the INSA-DST bilateral exchange Program visiting Bilateral research Prog
- ✤ 2005 at Vienna to attend the International Bryological Meet.
- ♦ 2007 July, Malaya University to attend the International Bryological Conference. At Malaysia.
- ♦ 2007 September at Godollo Szent Istvan University, Hungary, INSA-HAS Bilateral Research Program
- ✤ 2007 December at Kathmandu University, for the invited lectures
- ✤ 2008 ABLS Meet in USA, 2008
- ✤ 2008 Ostrava Conference on Sustainable Environment in 2008 in Czech
- ✤ 2009 Germany in 2009 to attend the ICP meet in Feb 2-5th
- ✤ 2010 Belgium to attend the 23rd ICP meet. 1 to 4th Feb 2010 at Belgium
- 2010 Russia at Dubna Nuclear Research Facility to initiate bilateral research research with Prof Marina for the three weeks from the end of the March, 2010 to second week of the April.

Contribution to the Department:

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(6) Dr D K Singh, Deputy Director, Botanical Survey of India, Salt Lake, CGO Complex Kolkatta, 700064, <u>drdk@rediffmail.com</u>, 913323214050

Research Activities: Involve in research work since last 20 years.

Research Papers : 65

Research students: 11 awarded Ph D under my supervision, two have submitted, and 3 are ready to submit and 4 are registered .

Books Published : two, one in co-author ship of an American Professor Janice M Glime Other book is Funded by University Grants commission

Current research studies are focused at:

-Large scale bio-monitoring of trend of metal precipitation in India.

-Climate change, C02 sequestration studies

-Effect of elevated $C0_2$ on productivity of vegetables for the future., Carbon dioxide --Sequestration studies in collaboration with the Industry -Recycling of waste water for different uses.

-On line monitoring of the Gas (**RSPM, SPM, NOx, Sox, C02**) under **National Air Monitoring Program** of the **Central Pollution Control Board , New Delhi** at different places of UP, Garhwal, Kumaon, and in Himanchal

> **Collaborated Research Project with Industry: DST-TDS** (Environment Technology Development Program) 2007-2010

Research proposal with M/S Dwarikesh Sugar Industry, Bijnore has been taken to develop the technology on CO_2 sequestration and green fuel production.

Consultancy

Providing consultancy to different industries on Environment Parameters (Air, Water Effluent Testing and Carbon Credits.

- (a) Century Paper Mill, Lal Kuan
- (b) Dwarkesh Sugar Mills, Bijnore
- (c) Indian Farmer Fertilizer Co, Aonla
- (d) Central Pollution Control Board S9x, N0x, Ozone . RSPM monitoring

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Membership/Life Member Academic Bodies

National:

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- 2. Indian Botanical Society. (LM)
- 3. Society for Plant Research, publishing Journal (Vegetos). (LM)
- 4. Indian Bryological Society, Lucknow. (LM)
- 5. Tropical Ecology, Varanasi.
- 6. Indian Paleo-botanical Society, publishing Journal Geophytology. (LM)
- 7. Air Pollution Research Delhi Chapter, publishing Journal "Air Pollution Research
- 8. Ecology, Environment Conservation
- 9. Indian Association For Environment Management, NEERI publishing *Journal of Environment Engineering*. (LM) and Fellow
- 10. Society of Environment Awareness, Secretary by DKS

11. Environmental Botanist, N B R I, Lucknow (LF)

International:

- 1. International Bryological Society, USA
- 2. Biomapping Group, Vienna, Studies are related to Environmental Mapping.
- 3. Aquatic Weed Management Society, Gainesville, University of Florida. (LM)
- 4. Society for the Water Research, UK
- 5. International Association of Water Quality, UK
- 6. IAWPRC specialist group, U.K., Macrophytes water pollution control
- 7. International Association of Air Quality, UK
- 8. Australian Bryological Society
- 9. Bryo-Net Group, USA
- 10. UNEP new Group
- 11. International Association of Environmental Botanist, Lucknow
- 12. New York Academy of Sciences (Fellow)
- 13. EU-ECE (European Union of Economic Commission on Environment)
- 14. Tropical Ecology

E Society:

- 1. Bryonet
- 2. Australian Botanist news group
- 3. UNEP News group, USA
- 4. World-Bank Environment News group
- 5. Waste Management e, news group, US
- 6. Page Scientist, Switzerland
- 7. Globe (Global Environment Teachers, US\)

LM=Life member

RECENT ACHIEVEMENTS

My academic and research dedication is evident by that I am the person, prepared the DST–FIST proposal in March 2008 for the award of the funds from national funding organization "**Department of Science and Technology**" for development of the departmental infrastructure and , we got the grant (DST–FIST) in the year 2008 of Rs 0.42 crore.

- 1. Further I have a collaborating bilateral research program with the **Russian Nuclear Physicist** Scientist **Professor Marina**, by the support of the **DST –FNR** for the three years.
- 2. An industrial collaborative program in progress on the " $C0_2$ sequestration from the stack and its conversion in to hydrocarbon and fuel". This program is by the support of the DST and DBT.
- **3.** An inter national project on "Large scale national bio-mapping of metals" by the support of the International Cooperation Program funded by **UNECE. (United National Economic Commission on Environment) in 2009.**
- 4. A bilateral research program is under progress in collaboration with **Professor Kalaje** of **Polland** on "**Climate Change** studies : "Response of elevated C0₂ and metals on Productivity."
- 5. A collaborative DST DBT GITA-2010, a bilateral research program with Prof Liette of Canad has been approved
- 6. Another proposal has been approved under INSA and PAS (Polish Academy of Sciences) and a polish scientist Prof Hazem Kalaje is visiting in my lab to work from December 15, 2010.

Professor Peter Hooda from Kingston University, USA is visiting my lab from 5th August on the Energy Saving technology and monitoring of elevated C02.



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Dr. Dinesh Saxena Department of Botany and In-charge PGD Environmental Managemer Associate Professor in Botany Bareilly College Bareilly, UP India

Sub: Appointment Letter

Dear Dr. Saxena,

With reference to the advertisement published in various newspapers in Nepal, India, Pakistan and Bangladesh for the post of Chair Professor supported by Ford Foundation and the interview held on Dec 16, 2007 at Kathmandu University, Central Office, Dhulikhel. We are pleased to inform you that the Executive Council of Kathmandu University has decided to appoint you as a Chair Professor in Environmental Science. The terms and condition of your appointment is attached herewith.

We welcome you to participate in the University's academic program and hope that you will add significant value to the academic and professional activities of the University.

Thanking you

Yours sincerely,

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Prof. Dr. Bhadra Man Tuladhar Registrar

CC:

Office of the Vice Chancellor, Kathmandu University Office of the Registrar, Kathmandu University Dean, School of Science, Kathmandu University Dean, School of Engineering, Kathmandu University Finance Division, Kathmandu University Central Library, Kathmandu University The Ford Foundation, New Delhi



World Bank Award Ceremony: Dr Dinesh with Hon President of India (Dr A P J Kalam) on 27the May, 2009 www.presidentofindia.org

(award was given on the designing of the technology (recovery of car waste water for reuse)

Brief write up Dr Dinesh K Saxena

My self Dinesh, is working as Professor in Department of Botany" and Incharge of the P. G. D. Environment Management.

I have an experience of 20 years in teaching ecology and environment and as well as of 10 years as incharge and professor in P. G. D. Environment Management.

The course P G D Environment Management, was designed by me 14 years before and I was appointed as incharge of the same. Since then I am imparting theoretical and practical education to the students and as well as jobs through the career counseling in this field. HRD personals of the leading manufacturer units and industries are invited to train the students, give exposure on the issues related to the environment, facilitate environmental trainings for the students in the industries. Assistance is given to students for environment training, projects work and jobs.

Present Environment Course, is totally professional and job oriented deals with the **air**, **water**, industrial effluent, waste management, its analysis, issues related. An emphasis has been given to the studies related to the climate changes, **carbon trading, carbon sequestration**, **environmental technology (alternative energy: hydrogen, solar and energy from waste**). Important aspect is that we have modern instruments for the students to give exposure to handle and measure the all data related to the environment.

Passed out students are also trained to open their environmental consultancy.

In 2008, I was appointed as **Chair Professor** (Ford Foundation) in **Department of Environment and Engineering at Kathmandu University, Nepal** (see scan copy of appointment attached).

My field of research is given below: My brief contribution in the field of research is evident by the different research projects related to the environment were awarded to me by different national and international scientific funding agencies. A list of projects, successfully completed, has been enclosed along with current (on going) and pipe line projects. During research program, I was associated with scientists, research groups of Britain, Hungary, Russia, Germany and U.S.A. Field of research -Climate Change studies (forest cover and elevated C0₂ studies). -Carbon Sequestration studies by (a) exploring the species having high CO_2 fixation rate. (b) validating certain algae that can help in sequestration of the CO_2 and can utilize their biomass is for ethanol and other multiple use. -Responses of elevated CO₂ on the forest cover, vegetables, productivity and on tolerance -Online national monitoring of the atmospheric gas (S0_x, NO_y, C0₂, R S P M and T S P) -Large scale monitoring of metals to develop atmospheric multi-elemental profile of the country. -Develop the technology to retrieve past atmospheric metal profile using mosses and X-Ray Fluorescence analyzer (non-invasive technology). -Analysis of water, effluent quality and its management. TEACHING AND INCHARGE P G D ENVIRONMENT MANAGEMENT (Teaching and research commitments) Teaching experience: (a) 30 years, (b) Established new Department on P. G. D. Environment Management and at present looking as In charge of the P G D Environment Management Topic are being taught by me P. G. D. Environment Management: Principle of Ecology, - Environment, Ecology, Radioactive pollution Energy and Environment, Conservation, Waste Management (A) Water, Effluent, Waste water, Sustainability, Eco-friendly Treatment, Environment biotechnology Groundwater Hydrology, subsurface, flow, geological considerations, aguifers and wells. Physical, chemical and biological studies of water bodies Of drinking, industrial and waste water, Acid-base and redox chemistry, carbonate system, precipitation quantitative assessment of chemical composition and fate of contaminants. **Environment and Sustainability.** Concepts of green design. Involvement of the industries to develop the technology Water recycling technology-esuriently: such as in wastewater treatment Environmental Biotechnology: Molecular biology and microbiology applied to the design and treat wastewater, bioremediation, energy conversion. Water-treatment processes, membranes, advanced oxidation, principles and techniques of water desalination. **Demand Parameters Studies and analysis:** Dissolved Oxygen, Chemical Oxygen Demand. Biochemical Oxygen Demand **Nutrient Analysis:** Total Nitrogen, Ammonical Nitrogen, Nitrite, Nitrate, Phosphate Mineral Studies and Analysis: I Floatable, conductivity, Solids, Turbidity Mineral Studies Analysis: II Acidity, Alkalinity, Chlorides, Fluorides, silica, Sulphur, Sulphides, Total Cyanides, **Mineral Studies and Analysis: III** Hardness, Calcium and Magnesium, Sodium, Potassium, Iron, Manganese

Element analysis

Aluminum, Arsenic, Cadmium, Copper, Chromium, Copper, Lead, Mercury, Nickel, Zinc, Selenium,

Treatability Studies

Jar Testy, Chlorination, Adsorption, Activated Sludge Studies, Anaerobic Digestion

Analysis of Chemicals Used in Water and wastewater Treatment:

Alum, Bleaching agents, Caustic Soda, Copper Sulphate, Ferrous Sulphate, Filters, Sand and lime, active charcoal

Environmental Microbiology

Fundamentals of microbiology for the environment, physiology, microbial metabolism, basics of genetics, microbial growth processes, introduction to molecular biology. Illustrations from microbiology and pollutants, microbiology and disease, microbiology of

bioremediation, wastewater treatment, microbial fuel cells

Project related to the industries

Involvement of the Industries on Environmental issues

Research is in progress on:

-C02 sequestration studies with the co-operation of the industry.

- -Atmospheric Metal Biomoniotring: current and 100 years old data
- Effluent quality studies and recovery technology
- -Develop model on the used water of car wash from garage for the use in agriculture

-Hydrogen as fuel

Instruments Using

Atomic Absorption Spectrophotometer, *non invasive* X-ray Fluorescence analyzer, Induced Couple Plasma Spectrophotometer, Double beam UV IR Spectrophotometer, INAA, Mercury analyzer, Flame Photometer, pH meters, Sauxhlet, kjeldahl, B O D Incubator with humidity control, Photosystem, Chlorophyll Fluorescence Analyzer, Turbidity meter, High Volume Sampler, Stack Sampler, Global Positioning System, Growth Chamber, Ingra Red Gas Analyzer, Infra Red Thermometer.

(B) Air Pollution Studies

Air Pollution:

-Ecology, Environment,

Air pollutants (Suspended Particulate Matter, Acid gaseous (Sox, NOx, Cox)

Metals Radio-nuclides).

- -Introduction to outdoor and indoor air quality, measurement systems, fate of
- Contaminants

Practical Specialization:

-Analysis of Air samples: (SOX, NOX, Cox, metals suspended particulate matter, radio-nuclides)

-air pollution control systems, and particle transport on multiple scales

- -Use of industrialC02 from the stack for the ethanol production
- -SPM studies

-Involvement of the industries to develop technology to harvest the C02

- -Environmental Chemistry and Microbiology
- -Processes in Environmental Biotechnology
- -Atmospheric constituents, chemistry of airborne pollutants

Climate:

Fundamentals of global climate change, inputs and assumptions in climate change models, modeling and simulation of the carbon cycle

Sustainability

-aspects of sustainability, energy cycles and accounting. Carbon cycle, emissions and sequestration. -Energy saving houses.

(C) Technology Development and standardization related to the environment

(a) Carbon and metal sequestration of the atmosphere and from the stack of the industry and Development of Bio-fuel from algal biomass by the harvesting of the smoke from the industrial stack

(b) Hydrogen fuel for the hybrid car

(C) Developing model for the quantification of atmospheric retrospective metal profile

(D) Consultency

(a)

Carbon sequestration, carbon footprint, Energy saving Houses and buildings

Competency in Handling of Following Instruments

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General Instruments

B.O.D. Incubator, UV –IR Spectrophotometer, Flame Photometer, Light Meter, Refrigerated High Speed refrigerated Centrifuge, pH meter, Laminar Flow, micro-Kjeldahl Apparatus, Sauxhlet, Bacterial Colony Counter, Environment Chamber, rotatory evaporator,

(b) Environment Science

GPS system with GPS track recorder, High Volume Sampler (C02, NOx, SOX) Analyzer, Atomic Absorption Spectrophotometer, Portable Gas Analyzer, Infra-Red Thermometer, Mercury Analyzer, C02 analyzer, N0x Analyzer, CO analyzer, X-ray Fluorescence Metal Analyzer-XRF (*non invasive*), Turbidity and conductivity meters, Dissolved Oxygen, INAA (Induced Neutron Activation Analyzer used in Russia), Bomb Colorimeter to measure the energy

(C) Related to the Health of the Plants

Measuring the status of Plant health by Photosynthetic Analyzer, Chlorophyll Fluorescence Efficiency Analyzer to measure the efficiency of the plants, Chlorophyll measuring system (non invasive),

National Projects awarded to D K Saxena

A) Completed Research Projects:

(i) Department of Science and Technology, India: 1986-1988. Rs. 2.10,000 "Analysis of effluent quality of WIMCO effluent of Bareilly."

(ii) University Grants Commission, India: 1989-1991, Rs. 5.00, 000 "Taxonomic Study of Azolla and water quality."

(iii) University Grants Commission, India: 1996-2000, Rs. 6.90,000 "Sphagnum for Air quality monitoring"

(iv) Department of Biotechnology, India: 2002-2005 Rs. 23,00,000

L "Monitoring of metals by mosses."

(iv) Ministry of Environment & Forest, India. 2004-2007. Rs 22,00,000 "Large scale monitoring ... metals in Kumaon regions.."

B) On Going Research Projects:

1. University Grants Commission 2007-2010. Rs. 9.00,000 "Metals pollution in vegetables of Bareilly."

2. Ministry of Environment & Forest, India. 2009-2012. Rs. 25,00,00 0. "Retrospective atmospheric metal data from India."

3. Central Pollution Control Board. 2009-2014. Rs. 6.17,000 /year "On Line Monitoring CO2, NOX, T.S.P., R.S.P.M. of Bareilly"

4. Central Pollution Control Board. 2009-2014. Rs. 6.77 L/ per /per station/year "Large scale monitoring C02, N0x, TSP, R.S.P.M. of Himalayan regions"

5 Prepared and submitted proposal to develop infra-structure for the basic and research facility from the **DST-FIST for the department and** got grant f Rs 0.42 crore from DST to develop the same in 2009. Sophisticated equipments are being purchased

INTERNATIONAL PROJECTS

(a) COMPLETED PROJECTS

1. DST-NTTK Hungary: Indo-Hungary Bilateral Research Program: 2002-2004. Funded by **Department of Science and Technology, Ministry of Science and Technology, Govt. of India**. A joint study was conducted in collaboration with Prof Zoltan Tuba, D. Sc., Head of Environment and Botany of Szent Istvan University, Godollo, Hungary on "*Responses of elevated CO2 on forest cover, productivity parameters*" **Both scientists visited to other countries.**

2. INSA-HAS: **Indo-Hungary Bilateral Research Program: 2004-2006**- Project was again sanctioned by **Indian National Academy of Sciences New Delhi** and **Hungarian Academy of Sciences** in collaboration with Prof Zoltan Tuba, D. Sc., Head of Environment and Botany of Szent Istvan University, Godollo, Hungary. Study was conducted on "*Effects of elevated CO2 on metal tolerance in mosses*" **Both group of scientists visited to other countries.**

(b) CURRENT PROJECTS

(1). Indo-Russian Bilateral Research Program: (2011) A research proposal has been sanctioned by Department of Science and Technology Govt. of India and Russian Science Technology FDR, Dubna, Russia on "*Bio-mapping studies of elevated metals in India, Russia and Nepal*" in collaboration with Prof Marina using the Induced Neutron Technology.

(2) -Participation in the ICP – Vegetation Program 2008-cont (international collaborative program supported by *European Union of Economic Commission on Environment*) : has inducted this center (me) for regular monitoring of the atmospheric metal precipitation from India. Such studies has been taken up for the first time from India and never done before. Since, this region (India) does not has any record on atmospheric metal data, this information will be quite useful for the nation and will be available on ICP-ECE web site. About 36 nations are attached to this program. Professor Herman, Institute of Ecology, Bangor, is co-coordinator for this program. (ICP Vegetation Annual Report 2009/2010=page 40).

(3) INSA- Indo-Poland collaboration:2010 Dr. Hazem M. Kalaji (Department of Plant Physiology, Faculty of Agriculture and Biology, Warsaw University of Life Science- SGGW, Nowoursynowska 159, 02-776 Warsaw, Poland ; "" Response of high CO₂ and metals on the vegetation and validation of the tolerant species for 'C' sequestration"., Prof Hazam is visiting in December 2010

(4) Indo-Hungary collaboration:2010 "Climate change project" in collaboration with Professor Dr. Laszlo Levai PhD, Head of Division of Agricultural Botany and Crop Physiology, Debrecen University, Center of Agricultural Sciences, Boszormenyi u. 138, Debrecen, Hungary, to work and stay my department, for a period of 3 weeks or more (in December 2010. The aim of this visit is to develop bilateral research proposal on the topic "EFFECTS OF ENVIRONMENTAL FACTORS ON HEAVY METAL CONTENTS IN PLANTS. Scientist will meet in December 2010

PROJECTS IN PIPELINE

(1)Fulbright Nehru Research Program with Professor Philip of USA (2009-2010) on the "*Develop methodology to validate the metal profile of past 100 years by using mosses.*"

(2)Indo-Russian Proposal: DST –FNR, with professor Marina of nuclear research facility, Russia, Dubna, on large scale biomonitoring of metals in India, Russia and in Nepal

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