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Dr. Agja joined the University on 1994. He is a Senate Member of S.P. Uni. He is Director of Centre of Excellence for Ethics in Politics and Public Administration. He is serving as a Liaison Office of SC/ST Advisory Committee, S.P. Uni. He is a chairman of Board of Studies, Political Science and Member of Academic Council of S.P. Uni. He is a Hon. Chairman of Indian Institute of Public Administration, Local Branch, V.V. Nagar. He served as the Professor in-charge of Administrative Unit of Humanities & Social Sciences. He is a member of the Advisory Committee of the Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR) state level studies on Educational Status of Scheduled Castes. He has also worked as a UGC nominee for the Planning and Monitoring Board of Kannur University, Kerala. He has worked in several other committees as co-ordinator. He is co-ordinating the UGC Sponsored NET Coaching Centre for SC/ST, S.P. Uni. He also served as the superintendent and Rector of two Hostels of S.P. Uni. He has held academic positions such as Secretary in Gujarat Political Science Association and an Executive Member of Indian Political Science Association. He has worked in a number of S.P. Uni. recognized academic committees and is appointed as a member in a number of UGC approved Expert Committees. He has served as Co-ordinator of Examination and Central Assessment Centre in all M.A. Exam, Humanities Building, S.P. Uni. He is Advisor of Standard 11 Political Science (Year 2004) Textbook Board, Gandhinagar. He has won the Best Research Article Award 2005 Sardar Patel Chair, Sardar Patel University.

Dr. Baldev Agja is a man of Research and is a recognized Ph.D. Guide of Sardar Patel University. **12** Research Scholars have successfully completed their doctoral research under his guidance. **06** students are reading for Ph.D. under his guidance at present. **11** scholars have been awarded the degree of M.Phil under his guidance.

He has offered services as the director of **18** state/national/international level seminars, conferences, orientation programmes. He has attended **518** seminars, conferences, symposia and has delivered Expert Guest Lectures in many seminars. He holds membership of many academic and professional bodies. He is a member of the Vidyalaya Management Committee (VMC), Central School, Vallabh Vidyanagar. He is a member of International Inter Disciplinary Journal's Academic Review Committee and Advisory Board. He acted as a Programme Director about **18** Seminar and Net Coaching Centre's Orientation. He is a Vice President of Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribes Professor Academic and Non-teaching Staff Mahamandal, Visnagar. He is associated with many NGOs. He has authored **11** Books and edited **04** books, and **58** articles. He is a member of Academic Review Committee and Advisory Board Member in four International Research Journals.

Dr. Agja is serving on executive posts in various professional associations. He is a Founder General Secretary of Dr. Ambedkar Pragati Mandal, Akhaj, Dist. Mehsana. He is a President of 282 Rohit Samaj Trust, Ahmedabad. Life Member, Shri Sahith (Gol) Rohit Samaj Saikshanik ane Vividhlakshi Vikash Trust, Mehsana. He is a Life member of Gujarat Rohit Samaj Trust, Ahmedabad. He is a President of Bhim Education Sankalp Trust, Vallabh Vidyanagar. He is an intellectual activist, social office-bearer and held various posts in various institutions. He also works for weaker sections' human rights.