Curriculum Vitae

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EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS:

- Doctor of Philosophy in the subject of Microbiology at Sardar Patel University entitled "Studies on Bacterial Amylase from Natural isolate and its Application"
- Master of Science in the subject of Microbiology from Charotar University of Science and Technology with 63.07% (6.5 CGPA)
- Bachelor of Science in the subject of Microbiology from Gujarat University with 64.09%

WORK EXPERIENCE:

- Assistant Professor at P. D. Patel Institute of Applied Sciences, Charotar University of Science and Technology (March 2022- May 2023)
- As a Consultant, Xcelris labs ltd. at Department of Animal Biotechnology, AnandAgricultural University (April 2014-October 2014)
- Senior Research Fellow at Department of Animal Genetics and Breeding, Anand Agricultural University (November 2013- March 2014)

SKILLS AND/OR EXPERTISE:

- DNA extraction from bacterial samples and/or animal blood samples
- DNA quantification
- PCR-RFLP & multiplex PCR
- Gene Cloning and expression
- Agarose gel electrophoresis
- Gene sequencing
- Parentage assessment (microsatellite profiling)
- Plasmid isolation
- Enzymology, Amylase Assay, Protease Assay
- Bio-informatics analysis (softwares used: MEGA, Clone manager, BioEdit) (online servers used: I-TASSER, RaptorX, Phyre², PROCHECK, ProtParamTool)
- Cytogenetics: Chromosome preparation & Karyotyping and analysis

PRESENTATIONS / ACHIEVEMENTS / TRAINING:

- Industrial Training at MARCK BIOSCIENCES ltd. in the Quality Control Department of Microbiology in 2011.
- **Completed Dissertation P roject entitled** "Isolation and characterization of keratinase enzymefrom keratinase producing bacteria."
- Qualified ARS NET (I)-2016 conducted by AGRICULTURAL SCIENTISTS RECRUITMENT BOARD.
- Participated as Volunteer for International Conference on "Molecular Medicine (MOLMED-2011)" at P. D. Patel Institute of Applied Sciences (PDPIAS), Charotar University of Science and Technology, Changa.
- Worked as Resource person for short course on "Metagenomics Role of Next GenerationSequencing and Bioinformatics' (March, 2014).
- Served as Volunteer at C. C. Patel Community Science Centre (CSC) run by Sardar Patel University, Vallabh Vidyanagar.
- Poster presentation at international conference on "NEW HORIZONS IN BIOTECHNOLOGY" (NHBT-2015) topic entitled "Screening and Optimization Study of Amylase Producing Bacteria for Amylase Production"
- Poster presentation at national conference on "CURRENT TRENDS IN BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES-II" (CTBS-2018) topic entitled "Cost Effective Amylase Production using Kitchen Waste as Substrate by *Bacillus Amyloliquefaciens* KCP2"
- Poster presentation at national conference on "CURRENT TRENDS IN BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES - V" (CTBS-2020) topic entitled "Selection of Economical Fermentation Process using Kitchen Waste as Substrate for Amylase Production by Bacillus Amyloliquefaciens KCP2"
- Attended ONE DAY workshop on "Nanopore Sequencing & Analysis (2017)" by GenotypicTechnology Pvt. Ltd. at "ANAND AGRICULTURAL UNIVERSITY".
- Attended TWO DAY workshop on "Proteomics Workflow Sample Preparations to sequencing (2019)" at "GUJARAT UNIVERSITY" in association with BIO-RAD.".
- Attended hands on training on "Document Processing Software LyX" (April, 2022).
- Attended online workshop on "Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) & Patents and Design filing" (July, 2022).

PUBLICATIONS:

- <u>Bhatt B.M.</u>, Trivedi U.B., Patel K.C. (2020) Extremophilic Amylases: Microbial Production and Applications. In: Arora N., Mishra J., Mishra V. (eds) Microbial Enzymes: Roles and Applications in Industries. Microorganisms for Sustainability, vol 11. Springer, Singapore. https://doi.org/10.1007/978-981-15-1710-5_7
- Bhatt B.M., Prajapati V.S., Patel K.C., Trivedi U. B. (2020) Kitchen waste for economical amylase productionusing *Bacillus amyloliquefaciens* KCP2. Biocatalysis and Agricultural Biotechnology, 26. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.bcab.2020.101654

PERSONAL DETAIL:

Date of Birth	: 7 th July,1990
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