

# CURRICULUM VITAE

## Personal Details:

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## Academic Qualifications:

Course	Institution/University	Year of Passing	Average Percentage
Bachelor of Education	Kuvempu University, Shankaraghatta	2021	89%
MSc Wildlife and Management	Kuvempu University, Shankaraghatta	2018	76%
BSC (CBZ)	Smt. Indira Gandhi Govt. First Grade Women's College Sagar	2016	86.5
PUC (11 <sup>th</sup> & 12 <sup>th</sup> )	NIPUSRC Konandur	2013	54.83
SSLC (10 <sup>th</sup> )	NES Konandur	2011	64.64

## Work Experience:

Working as Faculty at Department of Wildlife and Management, Kuvempu University from January 2022 till date.

## Additional Qualifications:

### Workshops Attended

1. 6-day workshop on **Field Techniques and Scientific Approach in Wildlife Studies** organized by Kuvempu University in association with the **Nature Conservation Foundation, Bangalore**. From 13 March 2017 - 18 March 2017.
2. One day workshop on **How to be a Birding Buddy: a workshop for bird educators** organized by **Nature Conservation Foundation, Bangalore** on 25 March 2018.
3. One Week workshop on **"Field techniques in Wildlife Studies"** organized by Kuvempu University in association with the **Nature Conservation Foundation, Bangalore**, from 13 March 2023 - 18 March 2023.

4. Three days National workshop on “**Literature Review and References**” organized by **HI Learn Edutech Institute, Bijapur** from 17 November 2023 - 19 November 2023.
5. Three days workshop on “**Field techniques in Wildlife Studies**” organized by Kuvempu University in association with the **Nature Conservation Foundation, Bangalore**, from 5 March 2023 - 7 March 2023.
6. Participated in “**11<sup>th</sup> Karnataka Bird Festival**”, organised by **Karnataka Ecotourism Development Board in association with Bhadra Tiger reserve, Karnataka Forest department and Kuvempu University** at Chikkamagaluru from 14 June 2024 - 16 June 2024.
7. Attended one day “**Workshop on Eco-Awakening: Monitoring and Protecting the Western Ghat’s Biodiversity**” organized by the department of Environmental Science on 11<sup>th</sup> June 2024.
8. Attended two days “**Workshop on Herpetofauna world**” organized by The Nature’s Eye on 20<sup>th</sup> July 2024 to 21<sup>st</sup> July 2024.
9. Attended two days “**National Workshop on Conservation of Horseshoe Crabs and associated organisms cum Inception Programme of Horseshoe crabs Tagging**” organized by CRCIHSC, Department of Zoology, Department of Bioscience and Biotechnology, Fakir Mohan University and ZSI on 18<sup>th</sup> August 2024 to 19<sup>th</sup> August 2024.
10. Attended one day “**Workshop on Greening the Future: Pathway to a sustainable campus**” organized by department of Environmental Science, Kuvempu University on 10<sup>th</sup> January 2025.
11. Attended one day “**Workshop on Bioprospecting of Medicinal Plants and their Metabolites on Mucormycosis (Black Fungus)**” organized by department of Microbiology Kuvempu University on 10<sup>th</sup> January 2025.3.22

### **Training Course**

1. Training on “**Introduction to Kaleidoscope for Birds and Land Animals**” organized by Wildlife Acoustics on 10<sup>th</sup> October 2023.
2. Training on “**Introduction to Signal Extraction in Kaleidoscope Lite (Intermediate)**” organized by Wildlife Acoustics on 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2023.
3. Training on “**Introduction to Kaleidoscope for Bat Analysis (Beginner)**” organized by Wildlife Acoustics on 28<sup>th</sup> November 2023.
4. Completed “**Certified Naturalist Training Programme**” organised by Karnataka Ecotourism Development Board and Bhadra Tiger Reserve during September 2024.
5. Three days basic course in “**Field Ornithology and Bird Migration Studies**” organized by BNHS on 24<sup>th</sup> January 2025 to 26<sup>th</sup> January 2025.

### **Conference Attended**

#### **International**

1. Presented paper in the International Conference on “**4<sup>th</sup> World Environmental Summit 2023**” organised by ESDA Delhi (India) and Galgotias University, Greater Noida, U. P. (India) in association with MOEFCC, G2 India, UN Environment from 4<sup>th</sup> November 2023 - 6<sup>th</sup> November 2023 on the topic “**Study on**

**Feeding Ecology of Malabar Giant Squirrel (*Ratufa Indica*) at Ammanaghatta Sacred Grove, Central Westren Ghats, Hosanagara Taluk, Shivamogga District”**

2. Presented paper in the International Conference on **“Climate Change Action, Ecology and Environment”** Organized by the Department of Environmental Studies, MIT-WPU, Pune on 1<sup>st</sup> March 2024.
3. Presented paper in the International Conference on **“Sustainable Development Towards 2030”** organised by Department of Environmental Science, Bishop Heber College (Autonomous), Tiruchirappalli, Tamil Nadu, India from 5<sup>th</sup> March 2024 - 7<sup>th</sup> March 2024 on the topic **“Preliminary survey on Human Wildboar (*Sus Scrofa*) interaction in selected areas of Humcha Hobali, Hosanagara Taluk, Shimoga District, Karnataka.”**
4. Presented paper in the International Conference on **“Monitoring Biodiversity for Action”** organised by Department of Zoology, University of Kashmir, India on the topic **“ Preliminary survey on Human-Wildlife interaction with special focus on Bonnet Macaque (*Macaca radiata*) in selected areas of Huligadde grama, Hosanagar tauk, Shiomoga District, Karnataka, India”**.
5. Presented paper in the International Conference on **“5<sup>th</sup> World Environmental Summit 2024”** organised by ESDA Delhi (India) and Hansraj college, University of Delhi University, in association with MHFW, Indian Council of Medical Research, UN Environment from 16<sup>th</sup> to 18<sup>th</sup> November 2024 on the topic **“Nesting host plant preference by the Woodpecker (*Piciformes*) with special focus on importance of deadwood trees in the forest ecosystem of some selected villages of Hosanagara taluk, Shimoga district, Krnataka, India.”**
6. Presented **two** paper in the 14<sup>th</sup> International Conference on **“Sustainable Waste Management- Circular Economy and IPLA Global Forum 2024”** by International Society of Waste Management Air and Water, GITAM Visakhapatnam, India from 28<sup>th</sup> November 2024 to 1<sup>st</sup> December 2024 on the topic **“Preliminary survey on crop management techniques followed by farmers to mitigate the Human-Monkey conflict in selected areas of Hosanagara taluk, Shimoga district, Karnataka, India”**.
7. Presented **two** paper in the 14<sup>th</sup> International Conference on **“Sustainable Waste Management- Circular Economy and IPLA Global Forum 2024”** by International Society of Waste Management Air and Water, GITAM Visakhapatnam, India from 28<sup>th</sup> November 2024 to 1<sup>st</sup> December 2024 on the topic **“Niche sharing and niche partitioning of some terrestrial birds of monoculture forest patches of Gandralli village, Hosanagara taluk, Shimoga district, Karnataka, India”**
8. Presented paper in the International Conference on **“The Art of Science: Oppertunities and Challenges”** Organized by the Department of Botany in collaboration with IQAC, Vivekananda Mahavidyalaya, Sripally, West Bengal India, on 22<sup>nd</sup> January 2025 on the topic **“Diversity and distribution of Moths (order Lepidoptera) in selected habitats of Hosanagar taluk, Shimoga District, Karnatak, India”**.
9. Presented paper in the 3<sup>rd</sup> International Conference on **“Biodiversity: Exploration, Exploitation and Conservation for Sustainable Development (ICB-03)”** organized by Dept. of Botany in association with ANRF, CSIR from 6<sup>th</sup> to 7<sup>th</sup> March 2025 on the topic **“ Comparatives study on cavity nesting of Woodpeckers (*Piciformes*) and importance of dead wood trees in the forest ecosystem of selected villages of Hosanagar taluk, Shimoga District, Karnatak, India”**.

**National**

1. Two days National conference on “**Biodiversity Conservation - Recent Development and Future Strategies**” organized by **Kuvempu University in association with Karnataka Biodiversity Board**. From 16<sup>th</sup> November 2018 - 17<sup>th</sup> November 2018.

### **Seminar Attended**

1. One day National Seminar on “**Green Solutions**” organized by **Department of Environmental Science , Kuvempu University, Shankaraghatta, 21<sup>st</sup> March 2024**.

### **Research Experience:**

1. Completed a minor project report on Preliminary study on diversity of woodpeckers at Ammanaghatta Sacred Grove, Hosanagara (t), Shivamogga (d).
2. Completed a major project report on Documentation of moth Diversity in Rainforest Retreat, Madikeri, Coorg District, Southern Western Ghats of Karnataka, India.
3. Presented paper in International conference “Sustainable Development- Towards 2030” on “**Preliminary survey on Human Wildboar (*Sus Scrofa*) interaction in selected areas of Humcha Hobali, Hosanagara Taluk, Shimoga District, Karnataka.**” on 6<sup>th</sup> march 2024.
4. Presented paper in International conference “4<sup>th</sup> World Environmental Summit 2023” on “**Study on Feeding Ecology of Malabar Giant Squirrel (*Ratufa Indica*) at Ammanaghatta Sacred Grove, Central Westren Ghats, Hosanagara Taluk, Shivamogga District**”. On 5<sup>th</sup> November 2023.

### **Article Published**

1. Deepak. K. P, J. S. Chandrashekhar and G. R. Sowmya. (2024). “**Avifaunal Diversity in Western Ghats of Umbleylu Village, District Shivamogga, Karnataka, India**”. Bioinfolet 21 (1): 123-131.

### **General Skills:**

Wildlife field techniques

Plant and animal identification

Ornithological studies

Wildlife Acoustics

Computer applications: MS Word, Excel, Powerpoint

Basic GIS applications (ArcGIS, QGIS, Google Earth)

### **Interests and Hobbies:**

Reading, Listening to music, Bird Watching and Photography, Stone painting

### **Declaration:**

I hereby declare that the above mentioned information is correct up to my knowledge and I bear the responsibility for the correctness of the above mentioned particulars.

**(Sowmya G. R.)**

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