

CURRICULUM VITAE

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PERSONAL DETAILS

Date of Birth : 28.03.2001

Nationality : Indian

Gender : Male

CAREER OBJECTIVE

A passionate professional in Genetics and Plant Breeding with a keen interest and practical exposure in molecular genetics and field trials, aiming to contribute to sustainable agriculture through innovative seed development and crop improvement. I seek to apply my skills in a progressive research environment focused on developing high-yielding and climate-resilient crop varieties.

EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

DEGREE/ STANDARD	YEAR OF PASSING	UNIVERSITY/ BOARD	OGPA / %
M.Sc.(Agriculture) Genetics and Plant Breeding	2025	Annamalai University, Faculty of Agriculture, Chidambaram, Tamilnadu, India	9.30
B.Sc.(Hons) Agriculture	2022	Annamalai University, Faculty of Agriculture, Chidambaram, Tamilnadu, India	8.96
12 th (HSC)	2018	The Namakkal Teachers Vidhyaashram, Pallikonda, Vellore, Tamilnadu, India	88.75%
10 th (SSLC)	2016	Ambur Co-operative Sugarmills Hr. Sec. School, Vadapudhupet, Ambur, Tamilnadu, India	93.2%

PROJECTS

- **Master's Thesis** : “Genetic studies in Rice (*Oryza sativa* L.) under drought stress condition”
- Project on preparations of compost using Tea shop waste - during undergraduate - 2022

ACHIEVEMENTS & AWARDS

- Awarded achievement on **Excellence in Experimental Learning in Soil Science** during B.Sc.(Hons) Agriculture.

TRAININGS AND WORKSHOPS ATTENDED

- CSIR sponsored Workshop on Proteomics for Crop Improvement at ICAR-Indian Agricultural Research Institute (IARI) - Rice Breeding & Genetics Research Centre (RBGRC), Aduthurai, Tamil Nadu -2025
- Hands-on Training in Next Generation Sequencing Techniques, conducted by ONEOMICS Private Limited, Trichirappalli, India – 2025
- National Level Workshop on Basic Statistical Data Analysis using R Studio, organized by the Department of Social Sciences, SRM College of Agricultural Sciences, SRMIST, Tamil Nadu – 2025
- Workshop on Climate Change and Its Associated Variations (CCAIAV - 2025), sponsored by Tamil Nadu Climate Change Mission, organized by Department of Botany, Annamalai University, Tamil Nadu – 2025

CONFERENCES ATTENDED

- National Conference on Integration of Multi-Omics Approaches for Crop Improvement, organized by the Centre for Plant Molecular Biology and Biotechnology, Tamil Nadu Agricultural University, Coimbatore – 2024

AREA OF INTEREST

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| • Plant Breeding Techniques | • Crop Physiology | • Cell and Molecular biology |
| • Genetics and Cytogenetics | • Quantitative genetics | • Molecular Breeding |

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Field trial management
- Emasculation and Hybridization techniques
- Lab skills – DNA and Protein Isolation, PCR, Western blotting
- Data analysis and data management
- R - Programme
- MS Office (MS Word, MS Excel, MS Powerpoint)

LANGUAGES KNOWN

- ✓ English
- ✓ Tamil
- ✓ Telugu

REFERENCE

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