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EDUCATION

Dr. Pathak obtained BSc (Ag) from Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi; and MSc and PhD in Soil Science and Agricultural Chemistry from Indian Agricultural Research Institute (IARI), New Delhi. His research areas include climate change and agriculture, soil science and rice-wheat system.

PROFESSIONAL HISTORY

Dr. Pathak served as Scientist, Senior Scientist, Principal Scientist and Professor at IARI, New Delhi. He worked as a visiting scientist in the University of Essex, United Kingdom; International Rice Research Institute (IRRI), Philippines; CSIRO Land and Water, Australia and Institute of Meteorology and Climate Research, Germany. He served as Co-Facilitator, Rice-Wheat Consortium, International Rice Research Institute-India, New Delhi.

AWARDS & RECOGNITIONS

Dr. Pathak is a Fellow of Indian National Science Academy (FNA); National Academy of Sciences, India (FNASc); National Academy of Agricultural Sciences (FNAAS) and West Bengal Academy of Science and Technology (FAScT). He is the recipient of the Alexander von Humboldt Fellowship (FAvH) of Germany, Dr. BC Deb Memorial Award of Indian Science Congress Association (ISCA), Golden Jubilee Commemoration Young Scientist Award of the Indian Society of Soil Science, BOYSCAST Fellowship of Department of Science and Technology, Govt. of India, Young Scientist Award and Prof. SK Mukherjee Commemoration Award of ISCA. He was the Lead Author for the Inter-Governmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) 5th Assessment Report and the President of Agriculture and Forestry Sciences Section of Indian Science Congress. Currently he is Editor, Greenhouse gases: Science and Technology; Indian Journal of Agronomy and Agricultural Research.

PUBLICATIONS

He has published more than 200 research papers and 11 books and has h-index of 42, i10-index of 101 with about 6500 citations in international literature.