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Awards/Honours/ Scholarships /Fellowships	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ University merit scholarship (Ph.D.)S ✓ SERS Excellence in Research Award-2017 at Nanyang Technological University Singapore. ✓ Certification of Award of Innovative Team/Innovative Entrepreneur – 2018 at SKAUST-Jammu. ✓ Mahima Fellow of Society Award – 2019 at Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi, U. P.
Professional experience	19 years
Area of specialization	Storage Entomology and Economic Entomology
Research interests	Urban Entomology and Hermetic Storage Technologies
Total number of publications. Publications:	17
Selected publications (best five)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Rehana Akbar, Magdeshwar Sharma, Devinder Sharma, Raheeba Tun Nisa and Amreena Akhter (2023). Assessment of Quantative losses in different wheat varieties due to Rice weevil (<i>Sitophilus oryzae</i> L.) <i>Pollution Research</i> 42 (1): 33-37. ✓ Narinder Panotra, Romesh Kumar Salgotra, Vikas Sharma, Amrish Vaid, Vinod Gupta, Anil Bhat, Magdeshwar Sharma and Vishal Sharma (2022). Effect of age of seedlings and varieties on growth and yield parameters of transplanted wheat (<i>Triticum aestivum</i> L.) in irrigated sub-tropics of Jammu. <i>AMA-Agricultural Mechanization in Asia Africa and Latin America</i>. 53(12) : 10685-90. ✓ Rehana Akbar, Magdeshwar Sharma, Devinder Sharma, Summira Rafiq and Raheeba TunNisa(2021). Management of Rice Weevil, <i>Sitophylus oryzae</i> L.(coleopteran: curculinodae) by Boteanicals and inert dusts in stored wheat. <i>Biological Foram – An International Journal</i>. 13(4):367-372. ✓ Vishal Raina, Magdeshwar Sharma, Narinder Panotra, Amrish Vaid, Pardeep Wali, JP Sharma and Anjani Kumar Singh (2020). Capacity building and technology dissemination to enhance quality seed production through mega seed project SKUAST Jammu (J&K) <i>International Journal of ChemicalStudies</i>; 8(3): 1494-1496. ✓ Vishal Raina, Anjani Kumar Singh, Magdeshwar Sharma, Amrish Vaid, Pardeep Wali, Narinder Panotra and JP Sharama (2019). Improving the socio economic conditions of farmers by using quality seed and planting material. <i>Journal of Pharmacognosy and Phytochemistry</i>; 8(5): 716-718.

No. of Books/ Book Chapters/ manuals/ monographs	Book Chapter: 03 Compendium/Souvenir chapters: 06
Other achievements if any (please specify) <input type="checkbox"/>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ I Started career as Jr scientist in Entomology as well as occupied Seven years administrative as Scientist Incharge, at MBRSS, Poonch. ✓ Life member of Society for Bio Control Advancement, NBAII, Bangalore-560024. ✓ Life member of Society for Community Mobilization and Sustainable Development, Indian Agricultural Research Institute (Pusa), New Delhi-110012 ✓ Life member of Society for Integrated Development of Agriculture, Veterinary and Ecological Sciences. ✓ Life member of Scientific Educational Research Society, Meerut(UP) India Mahima Research Foundation and Social Welfare, BHU, Varanasi. ✓ Associated Member in variety improvement of “PHM- 12’ Single cross maize hybrid.