# ANKITA DATTA

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## ACADEMIC RECORD

## M.Tech **July2020**

### Rural Technology | Indian Institute of Technology, Guwahati, India

Principal Courses Undertaken:

**GPA 8.0/10** 

- Natural resource management
- Livelihood management and agro-technology
- Rural Entrepreneurship, policy making and IPR
- Solid waste management
- Energy economics and efficiency

**Thesis**: *Enzymatic assays for quality testing of soils polluted by* different kinds of anthropogenic wastes

May 2019- June 2020

B.Tech Biotechnology G.B. University of Agriculture & Technology, Uttarakhand, India,

**June2016** Principal Courses Undertaken:

- Vaccine technology, Microbiology
- Biochemistry, Immunology
- Principles of Molecular Genetics
- Bio-separation & Downstream process, Fermentation Technology

Thesis: Molecular docking of Withanolides (secondary metabolites) from withania somnifera (Ashwagandha-plant) against vimentin protein

*May 2015- June 2016* 

#### RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

## INDUSTRIAL TRAINING

#### **IUBILANT LIFE SCIENCE**

AUG2016-NOV2016

Plant roots microbes that help reduce chemical fertilizers and boost agriculture production

#### DABUR RESEARCH FOUNDATION

May 2014- June 2014

Conducting anti-oxidant studies and exposure to animal handling for hair growth studies

#### **ACADEMIC PROJECTS**

Bio-chemical methane potential trial for rice husk Agriculture Waste Anaerobic Digestion Bio-Methane Potential Rice Husk Prof. Ajay Kalamdhad, IIT Guwahati

Jan 2019- May 2019

- Soil analysis (Natural Resource Management) Organic Carbon Organic Matter Available Sodium Available Nitrogen Available Phosphorous Dr. Sudip Mitra, IIT Guwahati Feb 2019- May 2019
- Bethany society field survey, Meghalaya, India Sustainable livelihood Social Inclusion Inclusive Education Zero Waste Research methodology and field communication

Dr. Sudip Mitra and Dr. Siddhartha Singha, IIT Guwahati

March 2019

## **PUBLICATIONS**

- 2017 **Datta, A.,** Jain, G., Awashthi, H., Singh, M., & Agrawal, S. *Molecular Docking of Withanolides from Withania Somnifera against Vimentin Protein.* Indian Res. J. Genetics and Biotechnology. 9(4) 609-612
- 2019 **Datta, A.,** Gujre, N., & Mitra, S. *Soil Enzymes: A Diagnostic Tool for Indicating Soil Quality Affected by Municipal Solid Waste* (under review)
- 2019 **Proceeding** Published on International Conference on Waste Management, IIT Guwahati **Datta, A.,** Kumar, A., & Kalamdhad, A., *Bio-chemical Methane PotentialTrial for Rice Husk*

## **CONFERENCES**

April	International   International Conference on Emerging trends in Environment
2020	Science and Technology, Tezpur University, India.
	Ankita datta, Dr. Sudip Mitra. Soil Dehydrogenases Enzyme as a Potential Agent to
	Revitalize Soils Contaminated by Municipal Solid Waste.
'	Oral Presentation
February 2020	International   Waste Management, IIT Guwahati, India Ankita Datta, Anuj Kumar & Prof. Ajay Kalamdhad. <i>Bio-chemical Methane Potential Trial for Rice Husk.</i> Poster Presentation

March	ch   National  Research Conclave, IIT Guwahati, India			
2020	Ankita Datta, Dr. Sudip Mitra. Soil Enzyme Activity in Response to Heavy Metal			
	Concentration.			
	Poster Presentation			

July 2019	International   Field Diagnostic & Plant Clinic Operation, Centre for Agriculture & Bioscience International ( <b>CABI</b> ) in collaboration with MS Swaminathan Research Foundation ( <b>MSSRF</b> ). Module 1. Plant Wise Training Module 2. Giving Good Recommendation.
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## **PROFICIENCIES**

Technical		Analytical	
Expertise	UV-Visible Spectrophotometer	Techniques	Heavy Metals
	Atomic Absorption Spectroscopy		Biological Oxygen Demand
	High Performance Liquid Chromatography		ELISA
	Fluorescence Microscopy		Microbial Diversification
	Kjeldhal Method		DNA Extraction & Gel Run

Software Skills DATA Science (IIT Madras)
MS- OFFICE
C language Proficiency

## **ACHIEVMENTS**

2020	Stanford Medicine, The School of Stanford University School of Medicine Participated in "The science & status of COVID vaccines" secured 80%
2020	Harvard Medical School, participated in "Mental Health Effects of the COVID-19 Pandemic" Secured 92% got certified
2020	Record of Achievement from <b>World Health Organization</b> on participating in the Module of Pandemic Influenza Vaccines: National Deployment and Vaccination Plans
2018	Rank Holder in <b>Graduate Aptitude Test in Engineering</b> (GATE)
2014	$2^{ exttt{ND}}$ Rank Holder in <b>ACCOLADE</b> , University Level Technological Fest
2012	Rank Holder in <b>All India Engineering Entrance Examination</b> (AIEEE) 38 Thousand all India rank out of 11 Lakh

## **ACKNOWLEGMENT & CERTIFICATION**

- Rural Industrialization through Innovative Process Mechanization: seminar organized by THE INSTITUTE OF ENGINEERS (INDIA)
- RESEARCH CONCLAVE: participated in workshop on INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS, 2019
- PROSPECTS and **APPLICATION of BIOTECHNOLOGY in BIOMEDICAL SECTORS**: participated in seminar conducted by dept. of Molecular Biology and Genetic Engineering
- Participated in one-day workshop on MATLAB organized by The Institution of Engineer

## POSITION of RESPONSIBILITY

Jan 2020	Volunteer at Rural Dialogue-2020 IIT Guwahati
Dec 2019	Volunteer at INDUSTRY-ACADEMIA INTERFACE, IIT Guwahati
2015-16	General Secretary at University level in SPIC MACAY ( <a href="https://spicmacay.org/">https://spicmacay.org/</a> )
Mar 2016	Co- Convenor of Dharohar (National Level Fest) SPIC MACAY
2014-15	Volunteer at NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME

## **LANGUAGES**

English (Advanced) Hindi Bengali French (initial proficiency)

## **Research Interest**

Rural energy and bioenergy Sustainable development & livelihood Global poverty and economics Intellectual Property Rights

## **REFERENCES**

Deputy Director & Dr. Sudip Mitra
Prof. S.K. Kakoty Associate Prof.
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Prof. and Head Dr. Sanjeev Agrawal Biochemistry, GB Pant Uni. Of Agri & Tech. Uttarakhand sanjeevagrawal14@rediffmail.com