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It gives me pleasure to recommend Dr. Amit Kumar Goyal for Sun Pharma Science Foundation and Research Award 2021. I know him since June, 2019 when he joined as a Professor at Department of Pharmacy, School of Chemical Sciences and Pharmacy, Central University of Rajasthan. Prof. Goyal is the Head, Department of Pharmacy and Dean, School of Chemical Sciences and Pharmacy at Central University of Rajasthan. He has more than 15 years of teaching and research experience at postgraduate and graduate level. As Vice Chancellor, I had an opportunity to gone through his credentials.

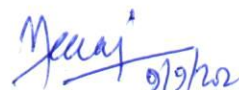
He has published more than 160 scientific articles in recognized journals and authored 03 books and 12 book chapters in the field of pharmaceutical and nano-sciences. Most of his research work is published in journal of international repute with cumulative impact factor of his publications figures nearly 400 when searched for some of his selective work. His work is highly cited by various authors especially for interpretation of results and methodology with Citation Index of 7721, H index 52, and I10 Index 145. Under his mentorship, 7 Ph.D. students and 63 M. Pharm has completed their degree and currently 05 Ph.D. students are continuing their research projects. The innovative character of his research activity is also reflected in 10 patents out of them 3 patented technologies is transferred to Govt. National Agency and reputed company.

He is a recipient of several awards such as "Sir C.V. Raman Award-2020" from SPIHER, Chennai, "APTI Young Teacher Award 2017" of Association of Pharmaceutical Teachers of India, Bangalore, "PTU's Best Teacher Award-2013" including all courses running under Punjab Technical University, Jalandhar, "OPPI Young Scientist Award-2012" from Organization of Pharmaceutical Producer of India, Mumbai and DBT's "Innovative Young Biotechnologist Award-2009" from Department of Biotechnology, Govt. of India, New Delhi. He has been responsible of many research projects (worth rupees ~ 2.5 Crores), funded by Govt. organizations, i.e. the DBT, DST, PBSCT & ICMR. The range of projects he has collaborated nationally and internationally shows that he bears a good team spirit as well as leadership qualities.

He is well versed with the national and international developments on pharmaceutical sciences for which he is regularly invited for public speaking. Being a trans-disciplinary and multi-disciplinary practitioner puts his in a great position for knowledge dissemination across disciplines, sectors and regions. Dr. Goyal is rightly walking on his mission to connect science with society. He is a young man of research orientation with an exceptional ability to solve scientific problems with his element of analytical approach.

He is an honest, conscientious and dependable colleague who takes his duties very seriously. In academic and administrative responsibilities, he has also contributed significantly in Central University of Rajasthan and lot of reforms has been initiated by him in different capacities. In my opinion he is an excellent educator and asset for making policies and other work for the betterment of education and output of the Pharmacy Education in India.

Considering his significant contribution in the research as well as academics I nominate his candidature for this prestigious award.


(Prof. Neeraj Gupta)
Vice Chancellor (i/c)