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ABOUT ME

I am a PhD candidate in the Institute of Plant Breeding, Genetics, and Genomics at the University of Georgia. I am a member of van der Knaap lab,

I am passionate about plant breeding, genetics and bioinformatics. I call myself a grounded and solution-oriented plant scientist with wide variety of research experiences. I possess 4 plus years of experience in traditional gene cloning, QTL mapping, molecular cloning, gene editing and bioinformatics. I am adept at motivating self and others. I am also highly organized, detail oriented and capable of taking leadership role to carry out assigned projects. I call myself an excellent team player and believe that we can achieve huge success working together. I am known as being very helpful and versatile among my colleagues.

BIO

Birth Date

15 June 1993

Nationality

Nepal

Location

Athens, GA, USA

Language

English, Nepali, Hindi

EDUCATION

2017-23 University of Georgia

Institute of Plant Breeding, Genetics and Genomics Athens, GA, USA

2012-16

Tribhuvan University

B.S. Agriculture Institute of Agriculture and Animal Sciences Chitwan, Nepal

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Graduate Research Assistant

Institute of Plant Breeding, Genetics and Genomics, UGA

August 2017- Present

Supervisor: Dr. Esther van der Knaap

Research Technician

International Maize and Wheat Improvement Centre (CIMMYT), Nepal

November 2016- June 2017

Supervisor: Dr. Ajanahalli Ramaiah Sadananda

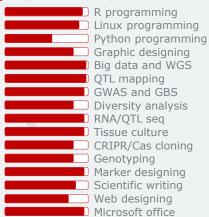
Research Intern

Wheat Breeding Unit, Nepal Agriculture Research Council, Nepal

April 2016- November 2016

Supervisor: Dr. Dhruba Bahadur Thapa

SKILLS



FELLOWSHIP

The Roger and Cindy Boerma Plant Breeding Excellence Scholarship Award 2022

The John Ingle Innovation in Plant Breeding Award 2021

🔉 AWARDS

- 2nd place, PhD poster competition, 2022 PBGG Retreat
- 3rd place, PhD poster competition, 2020 PBGG Retreat
- 1st place, PhD poster, 2019 PBGG Retreat
- Travel award, 3rd Annual University of Florida Plant Science Symposium











