# Prateek Kumar Sahu

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#### **Education**

• University of Alberta

MSc, Department of Psychology

Edmonton, Canada 2019 - Now

• Indian Institute of Science Education and Research BS-MS, Department of Biological Sciences

Kolkata, India 2013 - 2018

## **Experience**

ullet Bioacoustic analysis of distance calls and role of feed window duration on acoustic perception in zebra finches Masters' thesis  $Dr.Christopher\ Sturdy$  2019-now

• Neural basis of sugar elicited search behaviour of Drosophila Dr. Axel Brockmann Research Project 2018-2019

• Understanding reunification dynamics in ant colonies *Dr.Sumana Annagiri*  Summer Project, Masters' thesis 2015,2017-2018

• Consistancy in personality traits of the shoals of climbing perch Dr. V. V. Binoy

Summer Project 2016

#### Awards & Honours

Scholarship from Department of Psychology, University of Alberta	9- 2021
INSPIRE Fellowship	3- 2018
National Means cum Merit Scholarship	8- 2010

## **Conferences**

• International Conference On Comparative Cognition	2021
• Animal Behaviour Society Conference	2020
• Virtual ROYCE Conference	2020
• Insect Multisensory Integration Workshop	2019
• 2nd Bangalore Meeting on Asian Bees	2019

• Preparatory School on Population Genetics and Evolution	2019
• Understanding Behaviour	2019
• Workshop on Cyberspace and Cyber Security	2017
• The Ambassadors of Evolution Workshop	2017
$\bullet$ The 10th Year Celebration of IISER Kolkata Advances in Life Sciences	2017
• The Frontiers in Modern Biology (FIMB) symposium	2015

## **Papers**

 Sahu, P.K, Kolay, S. & Annagiri, S.(2019) To reunite or not: A study of artificially fragmented Diacamma indicum ant colonies, Behavioural Processes 158, 4-10 https://doi.org/10.1016/j.beproc.2018.10.017

#### **Skills**

Animal care, handling birds	University of Alberta, 2019-now
Raising and handling Drosophila	National Centre for Biological Sciences, 2018-19
Insect(Ants, Bees) research and basics of insect bid	ology IISER-K,NCBS 2015-19
Handling fishes	National Institute of Advanced Studies, 2016
Coding and Statistics	"R","Python", "Matlab"
Graphics Designing	"Photoshop", "Illustrator"

#### References

• Dr. Christopher Sturdy Professor Department of Psychology University of Alberta, CA email: csturdy@ualberta.ca

• Dr. Sumana Annagiri

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• Dr. Axel Brockmann

Assistant Professor

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