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ACADEMIC BACKGROUND

Degree	University	Year
Ph.D	Tamil Nadu Agricultural University	1998
MSc (Ag).	Tamil Nadu Agricultural University	1991
BSc (Ag).	Tamil Nadu Agricultural University	1989
CAIIB (Banking Diploma)	Indian Institute of Banking & Finance	2005

COURSES TAUGHT

- Rural Sociology and Educational Psychology
 - Fundamentals of Agricultural Extension Education
 - Communication Skills and Personality Development
 - Agricultural Finance Finance and Cooperation
 - Agricultural Marketing, Trade and Price
 - Entrepreneurship and Business Management
 - Fundamentals of Agricultural Economics
 - Rural Agricultural Work Experience (RAWE)
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RESEARCH INTERESTS

- Farmers' Training
- Climate Adaptation
- Agricultural Finance & Microfinance
- Rural Livelihoods
- Innovation Adoption

MEMBERSHIPS IN PROFESSIONAL BODIES

- Life member in Indian Society of Extension Education
- Certified Associate of Indian Institute of Banking

CONSULTANCY

- Ethiopian Microfinance – Sector Report (Addis Ababa)

AWARD WON:

One (2021)

MOST RECENT PUBLICATIONS

- Book: Ethiopian Rural Women – Juggling Between Utilization and Repayment of Microcredit (*LAMBERT Publication, 2018*).
- Vulnerability to climate change among maize-dependent smallholders in three districts of Ethiopia, *Environ Dev. Sustainability (2018)*.
- Perception of and response to climate change by maize-dependent smallholders, *Climate Research Journal (2018)*.
- Adoption of climate change adaptation strategies by maize-dependent smallholders in Ethiopia, *Wageningen Journal of Life sciences (2018)*.