

## CURRICULUM VITAE

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### **Dr. Dhananjay Kumar Tiwari**

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### **❖ Brief Statement**

Dr. Dhananjay Kumar Tiwari (Assistant Professor) has been teaching various courses in Linguistics to undergraduate, postgraduate, and Ph.D. students at the Department of Linguistics, School of Humanities & Languages, Central University of Rajasthan, Bandarsindri, NH-8, District Ajmer, Rajasthan, (CURAJ) India, since 15th March 2023. His research interests include Language of the Law, Forensic Linguistics, Sociolinguistics, Syntax, and Language Teaching.

Dr. Tiwari completed his Ph.D. in Linguistics from the Department of Linguistics, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi, on the topic “*Efficacy of Legalese in the Indian Judiciary: A Linguistic Analysis with Special Reference to Provisions of Sexual Offenses against Women in IPC*”, under the guidance of Dr. Abhinav Kumar Mishra, Clinical & Forensic Linguist, Professor & Head, Department of Linguistics, BHU, Varanasi. His research aims to examine the impact of complex legal language on the administration of justice, identifying the linguistic features of legal English in the Indian legal system that contribute to complexity, conservatism, and the static nature of legalese.

In addition to his academic qualifications (B.A. in English and M.A. in Linguistics), Dr. Tiwari has qualified the UGC-NET Examination with Junior Research Fellowship (JRF), December 2020, and the GATE in Linguistics 2021, securing 16th All India Rank. He was also awarded the prestigious Doctoral Fellowship-2021 (DF) by the Dr. Ambedkar International Centre, New Delhi (DAIC), Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India.

Dr. Tiwari has published 10 research papers in UGC-listed journals and presented 15 research papers at national and international conferences and seminars to date

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## ❖ Academic & Professional Experience

### Assistant Professor

Department of Linguistics, Central University of Rajasthan  
**March 2023 – Present**

### Teaching Assistant

Department of Linguistics, Banaras Hindu University  
**2022 – 2023**

### Researcher

Department of Linguistics, Banaras Hindu University  
**January 2020 – 2023**

### Doctoral Fellow (DAIC)

Dr. Ambedkar International Centre, Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, GoI, New Delhi  
**2021 – 2023**

### Teaching Faculty

Sankalp Tutorial Pvt. Ltd., Varanasi  
**June 2016 – July 2018**

## ❖ Administrative Responsibilities

- Member, Departmental Research Committee (DRC), Department of Linguistics (2024–present)
- Head's Nominee in DRC, Department of Hindi, CURAJ (2023–present)
- Head's Nominee in DRC, Department of English, CURAJ (2023–present)
- NIRF Coordinator, Department of Linguistics, CURAJ (2024–present)
- Coordinating Member, Departmental Admission Committee, Department of Linguistics, CURAJ (2023–present)
- Member, Central Games & Sports Committee (2023–present)
- Game President, CURAJ Games Club:
  - **Cricket**
  - **Handball**

- **Kabaddi**
  - Co-Opted Member, University Orientation & Counselling Cell (2023–2024)
  - Member, NAAC Peer Team Visit Preparation Committee (2023–present)
  - Member, University Complaints Committee, Central University of Rajasthan, (POSH) (2024–2026)
  - Member, School Board, School of Humanities & Languages (2024–present)
  - Member of Monitoring Committee for Monitoring the Work of BVG India Ltd in the University Campus (2026- Present)
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## ❖ Educational Qualifications

### Research Training

- **Ph.D. in Linguistics (2023)**  
 Department of Linguistics, Faculty of Arts, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi-221005, India.  
 Topic: *Efficacy of Legalese in Indian Judiciary: A Linguistic Analysis with Special Reference to Provisions of Sexual Offenses against Women in IPC*  
 Supervisor: Dr. Abhinav Kumar Mishra, Clinical & Forensic Linguist, Associate Professor & Head, Department of Linguistics, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi.

### Post-Graduation

- **M.A. in Linguistics (2017–2019)**  
 Department of Linguistics, Faculty of Arts, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi-221005, India.  
 Result: First Division (CGPA: 8.19 / 77.4%).

### Graduation

- **B.A. (Hons.) English (2014–2017)**  
 Department of English, Faculty of Arts, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi-221005, India.  
 Result: First Division (CGPA: 7.18 / 67.3%).

### Higher Secondary & Matriculation

- **Intermediate of Science (ISC), 2010–2012**  
 PMJ College, Arrah, Bihar, under Bihar School Examination Board (BSEB), Patna.  
 First Division (66.4%).
- **Matriculation (10th), 2009–2010**  
 High School Jhawan Benwaniya, Arrah, Bihar, under Bihar School Examination Board (BSEB), Patna. First Division (66.6%).

## Other Qualifications

- Certificate in Yoga (1 month), Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi.
  - Diploma in Yoga (1 year), Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi.
  - Post Graduate Diploma in Translation (PGDT, 1 year), IGNOU, New Delhi.
  - Completed 2-year National Service Scheme (NSS) program, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi.
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## ❖ Academic Awards & Fellowships

1. UGC Non-NET Fellowship (2020–2021)
  2. Dr. Ambedkar International Doctoral Fellowship (DAIC), 2021
  3. UGC-NET (June 2019, Dec 2019, June 2020)
  4. UGC-NET with JRF (Dec 2020 & June 2021)
  5. GATE (Linguistics), AIR 16, 2021
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## ❖ Memberships

- Life Member, Linguistic Society of India (LSI-LM-09/22)
  - Life Member, Dravidian Linguistics Association of India (LM-1518/2022)
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## ❖ Publications (UGC-Listed / Peer-Reviewed)

1. Singh, B. P., & Tiwari, D. K. (2026). *Issues in stemming algorithms for English: An observation*. **International Journal of Research in English**, 8(3), xx–xx. <https://doi.org/10.33545/26648717.2026.v8.i3a.645>
  2. **Tiwari, D., Rathaur, S., & Mahendra, S.P. (2023)**. हिंदी काव्य में राष्ट्रीय भावना: विविध पक्ष, भावक पत्रिका (हिंदी साहित्य: सृजन एवं चिंतन के विविध आयामों पर आधारित), खंड 6, अंक 1. ISSN: 2582-2624.
  3. **Tiwari, D., & Mishra, A.K. (2024)**. भारतीय न्यायपालिका में हिंदी भाषा: एक भाषावैज्ञानिक दृष्टिकोण. *Graveshana Journal* (अनुशासित भाषाविज्ञान, भाषाशिक्षण तथा साहित्य चिंतन की पत्रिका), अंक 135. ISSN: 0435-1460.
  4. **Tiwari, D., Bhati, Y., & Mishra, R. (2024)**. Legal Translation: Issues and Mechanism with Special Reference to Legal Maxims. *International Journal for Multidisciplinary Research (IJFMR)*, 6(3), May–June 2024. E-ISSN: 2582-2160.
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5. **Tiwari, D., & Mishra, A.K. (2023).** Plain Language Movement in Judiciary: An Examination. Aligarh Journal of Linguistics (Refereed Annual Research Journal, UGC CARE Listed), Volume 13, 2023–2024. ISSN: 2249-1511.
6. **Tiwari, D. (2023).** Linguistic Features of Legal English: An Evaluation. Journal of Kolkata Society for Asian Studies (International Bilingual Journal of Social Science, UGC CARE). ISSN: 2454-5694.
7. **Tiwari, D. & Mishra, A.K. (2022).** न्यायपालिका में सरल/सादा भाषा आंदोलन: एक परिचयात्मक विश्लेषण. Graveshana Journal (अनुशासित भाषाविज्ञान, भाषाशिक्षण तथा साहित्य चिंतन की पत्रिका), अंक 129. ISSN: 0435-1460.
8. **Tiwari, D., & Singh, M. (2022).** Issues of Equivalence in Legal Translation: A Linguistic Study. Shodh Drishti: An International Peer-Reviewed Refereed Research Journal. ISSN: 0976-6650.
9. **Tiwari, D. (2020).** Socio-philosophical Sayings in Bhojpuri Language. Manviki (Peer-Reviewed International Journal). ISSN: 0975-7880.
10. **Tiwari, D. (2020).** An Inseparable Relation between Language, Person, Society, and Culture. Ayan (Peer-Reviewed International Journal). ISSN: 2347-4491.
11. **Tiwari, D. (2020).** Linguistic Characteristics of Legal English in India. The Eternity (Peer-Reviewed International Journal). ISSN: 0975-8690.

#### ❖ **Project Undertaken:**

**Project Title:** "भोजपुरी लोक-साहित्य: प्रलेखन, संरक्षण और पारिस्थितिक जागरूकता में इसकी भूमिका का अध्ययन"

Awarded By: Indian Council of Social Science Research  
Budget Approved Rs. 1000000 /- (Rupees Ten Lakh Only)  
Approved Duration of the Project (Months) 12 Months  
Status: ongoing

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#### ❖ **Courses Introduced**

- LIN 407: Introduction to Forensic Linguistics (4 credits)
- LIN 203: Language of Law and Administration (3 credits)

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#### ❖ **Courses Revised**

- Introduction to Language & Linguistics
- Basic Computational Linguistics

- Research Methodology in Linguistics
  - Applications of Computational Linguistics
  - Tools, Techniques & Terminology in Lexicography
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#### ❖ Research Supervision

- **Master's Theses:** 11 (Completed)
  - **Ph.D.: 02 (going on)**
    1. Ms. Shubham Kumar (2025PHDLI06): Area of Research – Indian Knowledge System
    2. Ms. Annushri Narayan (2025PHDLI): Area of Research- Forensic Linguistics
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#### ❖ Presented/ Participated in Seminars, Conferences & Workshops

1. Presented “**Knowledge transmission through Mother tongue: Analysis of Policy and Practice under India’s National Education Policy 2020**” in the International Conference on Reimagining Bhartiya Languages, Knowledge, and Interdisciplinarity: Philosophical Reflections and Educational Transformations Under NEP-2020 Organised by Faculty of Arts, Banaras Hindu University in collaboration with Bhartiya Bhasha Samiti, Ministry of Education & Central Institute of Indian Languages, Mysore, February 12-14, 2026
  2. Presented “**भारतीय ज्ञान परंपरा के आलोक में भारतीय आर्य भाषा परिवार की भाषिक और सांस्कृतिक संपदा का विश्लेषण**” at the International Conference on Viksit Bharat@ 2047: Towards a Synergy of Education, Culture and Innovation at Department of Journalism and Mass Communication, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi
  3. Presented “**Forensic Linguistic Investigation of Suicide Notes with Special Reference to Indian Teenagers**” in International Conference – VERSE 2025 on Intersecting Margins: Class, Disability, and the Pathways to Inclusion in the Global South scheduled for 27–28 November 2025 at Amity Institute of English Studies and Research, Amity University Patna.
  4. Presented “**कानूनी भाषा अनुवाद में समतुल्यता की समस्याएँ: एक भाषावैज्ञानिक अध्ययन**” in National Conference on the theme “**अनुवाद एवं मशीनी अनुवाद: भाषा तकनीक और भविष्य**” on dated 06-07 October 2025 held at Kendriya Hindi Sansthan Agara.
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5. Presented “The Inclusion of People with Disabilities Matters: from Social to Digital” at the National Conference on *NEP 2020: Challenges, Prospects, and Future Directions for Divyangjan*, Department of Humanities & Social Sciences, NIT Raipur.
6. Presented “Plain Language Movement in Judiciary: An Examination in 50<sup>th</sup> All India Dravidian Linguistics Association held at University of Kerla, India from 21<sup>st</sup> June to 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2023.
7. Presented “भारतीय न्यायपालिका में हिन्दी भाषा की स्थिति : एक भाषा वैज्ञानिक दृष्टिकोण” in two day’s National Seminar held at Department of Linguistics, Faculty of Arts, Banaras Hindu University, Varanasi from 30<sup>th</sup> September to 1<sup>st</sup> October 2023.
8. Presented “विभिन्न भाषायी विमर्शों में लिंग संवेदनशीलता :शब्दावली और भेदभाव in the seminar conducted at S.S.V College Hapur in the Collaboration of Scientific and Technical Terminology Commission, Ministry of Education from 10 to 11 Aug 2023.
9. Presented “Justice Vs. Natural Justice in the Eyes of K. Ravi: A Review” in the Seminar conducted at DayaNand College Ajmer in the collaboration of Tamil Cultural Research Center Kerla from 28th July to 29 th July 2023.
10. Presented “Plain Language Movement in Judiciary: An Examination” at the 45th International Conference of Linguistic Society of India, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh, 20–22 Nov 2023.
11. Presented “Plain Language Movement in Judiciary: An Evaluation from FL Perspective” at the 44th International Conference of Linguistic Society of India, Centurion University of Technology and Management (CUTM), Odisha, 24–26 Nov 2022.
12. Presented “Socio-semantic Study of Legal Salutations Used in Indian Legal System” at the 49th All India Dravidian Linguistics Association Conference, Banaras Hindu University, 28–30 June 2022.
13. Presented “Untranslatability of Legal Salutation: An Analytical Study” at the International Seminar on *Translation as Reconstruction*, EFL University, Hyderabad, 9–12 May 2022.
14. Presented “Issues of Equivalence in Legal Translation: A Linguistic Study” at the National Seminar on Translation and Knowledge Texts in India, University of Hyderabad, 25–26 March 2022.
15. Presented “Lexical Features of Legal English: A Brief Examination” in the International Webinar on Current Trends in Lexical Semantics, University of Kerala, 1–3 Feb 2022.
16. Presented “Socio-Philosophical Endangered Sayings in Bhojpuri Language” at the National Conference on Indigenous and Endangered Languages, NLU Delhi, 4 Feb 2018.

17. Participated in ICT & Forensic Linguistics Workshop, CDAC Kolkata & IIT Patna, 11–12 Jan 2019.
  18. Participated in Forensic and Corpus Linguistics Workshop, National Seminar on Linguistics and Language Science in India, JNU, 9–10 Aug 2019.
  19. Participated in Sharing Teaching Learning Experience Conference, Teaching–Learning Centre, IIT BHU, 8–9 Mar 2019.
  20. Participated and presented in the Seminar on Language for Empowerment, International Mother Tongue Day, 21 Feb 2019.
  21. Participated in 15-day Yoga Workshop, Malviya Bhawan, Banaras Hindu University, 6–20 June 2018.
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### ❖ **Invited Lectures**

1. Delivered lecture on “Legal Translation” at the Department of Hindi, School of Humanities & Language, 25–29 May 2023.
  2. Delivered lecture on “Research and Innovation in Humanities and Social Sciences” at Dev Samaj College for Women, Ferozpur City, Punjab, 29 Feb 2024.
  3. Delivered lecture on “Legal Translation: Issues & Mechanism” at the Department of Hindi, School of Humanities & Language, 29 May–3 June 2023.
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### ❖ **Induction / Orientation / Refresher / Faculty Development Programmes (FDPs)**

1. Participated and Successfully Completed Teacher Connect programme organized by MMTTC-Central University of Rajasthan during 29<sup>th</sup> Jan to 30<sup>th</sup> Jan 2026.
  2. Participated and Successfully Completed 5-day Capacity Building Programme on Indian Knowledge System, Central University of Rajasthan & NITTTR Bhopal, 24 Nov–28Nov. 2025.
  3. Participated and Successfully Completed in Rashtriya Karmayogi – Large Scale Jan Seva Programme (RK-LSJSP) on dated 18/09/2025 organized by Central University of Rajasthan
  4. Participated and Successfully Completed 5-day Capacity Building Programme on Wellness and Meditation, Central University of Rajasthan & NITTTR Bhopal, 30 Sept–4 Oct 2024.
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5. Participated and Successfully Completed 5-day Capacity Building Programme on Research Methodology & Ethics in Research Publications, Central University of Rajasthan & NITTTR Bhopal, 29 July–2 Aug 2024.
6. Participated and Successfully Completed 2-week Capacity Building Programme on Research Methodology and Quality Publications for Young Faculty, Central University of Rajasthan, 4–16 Mar 2024.
7. Participated and Successfully Completed 4-week Faculty Induction/Orientation Programme, Teaching Learning Centre, Ramanujan College, University of Delhi, under PMMMMNMTT.

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### ❖ **Contribution in Organizing Workshops / Conferences / University Events**

I have consistently contributed to the University's co-curricular, cultural, and sports-related activities, as and when deputed or assigned, including but not limited to the following:

1. Served as **Organizing Secretary** for a workshop organized by the **Department of Hindi** from **29 May to 3 June 2023**.
2. Served as **Organizing Secretary** for a workshop organized by the **Department of Hindi** from **25 May to 29 May 2023**.
3. Contribution to the organization of a **one-day seminar on “Forensic Linguistics: An Investigative Science”** held on **26 July 2023**.
4. Served as **Coordinator (Cycle Rally and 10 km Running)** during **Fit India Week**, observed on **11 December 2023**.
5. Contributed as a **Coordinating Member** to the celebration of **National Youth Day and the Annual Sports & Cultural Fest** held from **12 to 14 January 2024**.
6. Contributed to the organization of the **Inter-School Handball Tournament** held from **3 to 6 March 2024**.
7. Contributed to the organization of the **Inter-School Handball Tournament** held from **3 to 6 March 2024** at the **Central University of Rajasthan**.
8. Contributed to the organization of the **Inter-School Cricket Tournament** held from **3 to 29 March 2024** at the **Central University of Rajasthan**.
9. Contributed to the organization of the **Inter-School Male and Female Kabaddi Tournament** held from **12 to 17 March 2024**.
10. Contributed to the organization of the **Inter-School Cricket Tournament** held during **March 2024**.

11. Contributed as a **Coordinating Member** to the celebration of **Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj Jayanti** on **19 February 2024**.
12. Contributed as a **Coordinating Member** to the celebration of **Rajasthan Diwas** on **30 March 2024**.
13. Served as a **Member of the Sitting and Discipline Committee** during the **16th Foundation Day** of the University.
14. Served as **Organizing Secretary** for a workshop organized by the **Department of Hindi** from **29 May to 3 June 2024**.
15. Served as a **Member** in the organization of the **1st Desert Ball CURAJ National-Level Basketball Tournament** held from **17 to 19 October 2024**.
16. Represented the **Central University of Rajasthan** at **Vibrant India 2024 and PSEs Development and Achievement Expo**, held from **25 to 27 October 2024** at **Dilli Haat, New Delhi**.
17. Represented the University at the **Bharat Shiksha Expo**, held from **11 to 13 November 2024** at **India Expo Centre & Mart, Greater Noida**.
18. Contributed as a **Coordinating Member** to the celebration of **National Youth Day and the Annual Sports & Cultural Fest** held from **12 to 14 January 2025**.
19. Contributed as a **Coordinating Member** to the celebration of **Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj Jayanti** on **19 February 2025**.
20. Served as **Coordinating Officer** for the distribution of invitation cards for the **8th Convocation** held on **1 March 2025**.
21. Served as a **Member** in the organization of **Inter-Hostel Sports Events and Hostel Day Celebration** held from **24 to 26 March 2025**.
22. Contributed as a **Member** to the celebration of **Rajasthan Diwas** held on **30 March 2025**.
23. Served as **Coordinating Officer** for the distribution of invitation cards for the **9th Convocation** held on **19 June 2025**.
24. Contributed as a **Coordinating Member** to the celebration of **National Sports Day 2025**, held on **28 and 29 August 2025**.
25. Served as a **Member** in the organization of the **2nd Desert Ball CURAJ National-Level Basketball Tournament** held from **12 to 14 November 2025**.
26. Contributed as a **Coordinating Member** to the celebration of **National Youth Day and the Annual Sports & Cultural Fest** held from **12 to 14 January 2026**.

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❖ **Courses Instructed and Evaluated:**

Sl.N.	Title of the Course & Credits	Session (S)	Level
1.	Introduction to Language and Linguistics (4)	2024-25, 2025-26	UG
2.	Basics of Phonological Analysis (3)	2022-2023	UG
3.	Formal Semantics (3)	2022-2023	PG
4.	Language Family of India (4)	2022-2023,2024-2025,	UG
5.	Linguistic Typology: South Asia as a Linguistic Area (4)	2023-2024,	UG
6.	Language and Communication Skill (2)	2023-2024,	UG
7.	Basic Semantics and Pragmatics (4)	2023-2024,2024-2025, 2025-2026	UG
8.	Fundamentals of Linguistics (4)	2023-2024,	UG
9.	Professional Communication (2)	2023-2024	PG
10.	Language and Media (English) (2)	2023-2024	PG
11.	Research Methodology (4)	2023-2024,2024-2025, 2025-2026,	Ph.D.
12.	Morphology and Syntax (4)	2023-2024, 2024-2025	UG
13.	Lexicography (4)	2024-2025	PG
14.	Multilingualism, Education & Language Policy (4)	2025-2026	PG
15.	Basic of Computational Linguistics (4)	2023-2024, 2024-2025, 2025-2026	UG
16.	Translation Study (4)	2025-26,	PG

❖ **Cultural Awards Received:**

1. First Prize, Poetry Recitation (Hindi), Annual Cultural & Sports Fest 'SRIJAN', CURAJ, 12–14 Jan 2024.
2. First Prize, Hindi Poetry, Banaras Hindu University, 2016–2017.
3. Second Prize, Elocution, Banaras Hindu University, 2015–2016.
4. Second Prize, Poetry Recitation (Hindi), Banaras Hindu University, 2018.
5. First Prize, Hindi Poetry, Faculty of Arts, Banaras Hindu University, 2018.
6. Third Prize, Hindi Elocution, Annual Youth Festival, Faculty of Arts, Banaras Hindu University, 2016.

7. Third Prize, Short Play, Annual Youth Festival, Faculty of Arts, Banaras Hindu University, 2015.
  8. Second Prize, Poetry Recitation, Annual Youth Festival, Faculty of Arts, Banaras Hindu University, 2017.
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### ❖ **Skills & Interests**

- Writing Hindi Poetry
  - Public Speaking
  - Anchoring
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### ❖ **Computer Skills**

- Basic Computer Knowledge
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### ❖ **Languages Known**

- Bhojpuri — Native
  - Hindi — Native
  - English — Professional Working Proficiency
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### ❖ **Personal Details**

- **Date of Birth:** 02 March 1995
- **Nationality:** Indian
- **Marital Status:** Married (25 November 2024)

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❖ **Correspondence Address**

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**Declaration**

I hereby declare that the information provided above is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

**Place:**

**Date:**

**(Dr. Dhananjay Kumar Tiwari)**