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Biography

My research is focused on various aspects of plant tissue culture, be it development of micropropagation technologies for different plant species, selection of genetically superior cell lines for various traits, optimization of tissue culture protocols for use in genetic development of cell culture technologies for production phytopharmaceuticals in high value medicinal plants. I was conferred with **Indian Science** Congress Young Scientist Award in 2011 for my PhD research work. I have developed successful micropropagation technology in my lab for 16 different plant species and others are in progress. I am presently focusing on sharing these developed technologies for endangered plants with farmers for improving their socio economic status. I was awarded with International Scholarship by the Israel's Agency for International Development Cooperation (MASHAV) Israel's Ministry of Foreign Affairs which was availed at The Hebrew University of Jerusalem. I have 04 Granted Patents as lead inventor from Govt. of India. CII nominated me among 125 women luminaries in STEM and showcased my scientific contributions and achievements along with 125 women luminaries including academicians, researchers, policymakers, business strategists, tech leaders, entrepreneurs, innovators and pioneers with technology and skills necessary for a better future and who have made a significant mark in the arena of Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics. Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan Distinguished Associate Professor & Researcher Award 2023 in Plant Biotechnology which was given to me by the Center for Professional Advancement Executive Council and the National Teachers Day Awards 2023

Committee at the Center for Professional Advancement International Campus, India on September 5th 2023.

A. Details of Educational Qualification

Degree	Subjects	Year of Passing	Name of Institution/ University
Post Graduate diploma IPR	Intellectual Property Rights	2012	IGNOU and WIPO Geneva
Ph.D.	Biotechnology &	2009	Jaypee University of Information
(Biotechnology)	Bioinformatics	2009	Technology, Waknaghat, Solan H.P
M.Sc.	Plant	2001	University of Horticulture & Forestry,
(Biotechnology)	Biotechnology	2001	Nauni, Solan, H.P
B.Sc.	General	1999	H.P. University, Shimla
(Biotechnology)	Biotechnology	1777	11.F. Oniversity, Similia

B. Professional Experience: 18 years and 10 months

Name & Address of the Employer	Nature of Work	Period	
		From	То
Jaypee University of Information	Professor	Ist July, 2024	Till Date
Technology, Waknaghat, Solan H.P			
Jaypee University of Information	Associate Professor	30 th	30 th June2024
Technology, Waknaghat, Solan H.P		September,	
		2017	
Jaypee University of Information	Assistant Professor	1 st August,	29 th
Technology, Waknaghat, Solan H.P	(Senior Grade)	2013	September2017
Jaypee University of Information	Assistant Professor	1 st Sept, 2011	31 st July, 2013
Technology, Waknaghat, Solan H.P	(Grade-II)		
Jaypee University of Information	Lecturer	27 August,	31 st August,
Technology, Waknaghat, Solan H.P		2009	2011
Jaypee University of Information	Research Scholar	July, 2006	May, 2009
Technology, Waknaghat, Solan H.P	(Teaching and		
	Research on Plant		
	Tissue Culture)		
HP University, Govt. College,	Guest Faculty in	August, 2001	Dec. 2004
Mandi, (H.P)	Biotechnology to		
	teach UG students		

C. Awards and Honours

1. INDIAN SCIENCE CONGRESS ASSOCIATION YOUNG SCIENTIST AWARD FOR THE YEAR 2010-11(Plant Sciences) was conferred by Dr. Venkataraman Ramakrishnan, 2009 Nobel Laureate in Chemistry, Cambridge.

- 2. Awarded International Scholarship by the Israel's Agency for International Development Cooperation (MASHAV) Israel's Ministry of Foreign Affairs availed at The Hebrew University of Jerusalem (August 28 to Sept. 20, 2017)
- 3. Providing consultancy to Stevia Biotech Pvt. Ltd.,Baddi and received Rs10,000 consultancy honorarium March 2019.
- 4. Awarded with Silver medal in NPTEL online course and FDP on Managing Intellectual property in University scheduled from September 2020 to October 2020 conducted by NPTEL, IIT Madras and SWAYAM, Funded by the Ministry of HRD,Govt of India
- 5. CII nominated **Dr Hemant Sood** among 125 women luminaries in STEM and showcased her success stories and achievements along with 125 women luminaries including academicians, researchers, policymakers, business strategists, tech leaders, entrepreneurs, innovators and pioneers with technology and skills necessary for a better future and who have made a significant mark in the arena of Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics and released compendium **Women in STEM: Vanguards of India@75** on **22nd July 2022**, at **Women in STEM Summit** organized by Confederation of Indian Industry (CII) N.Delhi with Govt. partners. https://www.vivifymedia.in/women-in-stem/
- 6. Dr. Hemant Sood, Associate Professor, Department of BT and BI has been selected for Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan Distinguished Associate Professor & Researcher Award 2023 in Plant Biotechnology which was given by the Center for Professional Advancement Executive Council and the National Teachers Day Awards 2023 Committee at the Center for Professional Advancement International Campus, India on September 5th 2023.
- 7. **Dr Hemant Sood** is nominated as Advisor and Editorial & Reviewer Team member of The Progress Journals, a peer reviewed quarterly Journal, ISSN :2584-0517. A multidisciplinary Journal exclusively covering 17 UNDP SDGs on 24th Feb2024

D. Granted Patent: 04

- **1. Hemant Sood** and RS Chauhan . Patent Application No. 163/DEL/2009 filed in India on "A process of enriching the amount of medicinal compound, Picroside-1 in shoots of medicinal herb, *Picrorhiza kurroa*". Publication Date: (06/08/2010). Journal No.-32/2010 granted by Govt. of India with Patent No. 295996 on **23rd April,2018**
- 2. Hemant Sood, Varun Kumar and RS Chauhan .Patent Application No. 551/DEL/2012 filed in India on "Isolation and purification of Picroside-I and Picroside-II". Publication Date: 14/02/2014. Journal No. 07/2014 granted by Govt. of India with Patent No. 327618 on 18th Dec,2019.
- **3. Hemant Sood**, S Gulati, S Bakshi, BS Sandhu, V Kumar and RS Chauhan .Patent application No.362/DEL/2013. "A process of preparation of nutrient medium useful in enriching medicinal constituents in shoot culture of Swertiya chirayita" Publication Date: 29/08/2014. Granted by Govt. of India with Patent No.339128 on **23rd June 2020**.
- **4. Hemant Sood and RS Chauhan** International Patent No. 2023/02615 has been granted on A Media Composition and A Method of Developing a Micropropagation Technology for

Picrorhiza kurroa Herb"by the Republic of South Africa on May 31, 2023 and was filed on 27th Feburary2023.

Design Granted

1. Shivam Sharma, **Hemant Sood**, and Jaypee University of Information Technology filed for the Design application for "Phytoreactor" on 22May,2024 with Application no. 417682-001 a granted by The Patent Office, Govt. of India on 4th July 2024.

E. Published Patent Application: 02

- 1. Sirina Kalia, Naina Puri, Khushboo Pandey, **Hemant Sood** and Udayabanu M. Aromatic Herbal Formulation For Dementia Management through Olfactory Induction. Application No. 202411004565 (Filling date: January23,2024) Feb09,2024 published
- 2. Rolika Gupta and **Hemant Sood** (2024). A method for producing tissue-grown Swertia Chirayita-based formulation for curing diabetes and cancer. Application No.202411019524 (Filling date:16-03-24), Published on 12-04-2024.

F. NBPGR Submissions

Generated tissue cultures of high value endangered medicinal herbs and deposited with the National Bureau of Plant Genetic Resources (NBPGR), New Delhi. The following accession numbers were alloted by the NBPGR, New Delhi. These cultures have been deposited for the time in India as a result are a permanent resource for any R&D activity across India or even abroad.

- 1. Swertia chirayita Acc. No. IC-594053
- 2. Picrorhiza kurroa Acc. No. IC-0597952
- 3. Gentiana kurroo Acc. No. IC -0612563
- 4. Hypericum perforatum Acc. No. IC -0612564

G. NCBI GenBank submission

- 1. **KP299959** MYB Family transcription factor (PhMYB) mRNA, partial cds
- 2. KP299960- bZIP Family transcription factor (PhbZIP) mRNA, partial cds
- 3. KP299961- WRKY Family transcription factor (PhWRKY) mRNA, partial cds

H. Best research Paper Awards in the International Conferences

1. **Hemant Sood H** and RS Chauhan (2008). Optimization of tissue culture conditions for conservation of an endangered medicinal herb (*Picrorhiza kurroa*) of North–Western Himalayas. International Society of BioTechnology Conference (ISBT-2008) at Sikkim Manipal Institute of Technology (SMIT), Majitar, Gangtok, SIKKIM, India, Dec. 28-30, 2008.

- 2. **Hemant Sood** and Rajinder Singh Chauhan (2008). Callus induction and regeneration from different explants of a medicinal herb (*Picrorhiza kurroa*), for utilization in cell line selection. International Conference on Novel Approaches for Food and Health Security in High Altitudes, September 7-10, DIHAR, DRDO, Leh-Ladakh, India.
- 3. Pawan Kumar, Tarun Pal, Varun Jaiswal, **Hemant Sood** and Rajinder S. Chauhan (2014). Computational mining of transcriptomes for transcription factors controlling various biological processes in *Podophyllum* spp. 2nd International Conference on Agricultural and Horticultural Sciences (Omics Group), Hyderabad, India February 03-05, 2014
- 4. Ankush Verma, Utkarsha Shrivastva and Hemant Sood "Effect of different culture conditions for propagation and organic components on hardening of medicinal herb *Valeriana jatamansi*" got Best Presentation Award in International (Online) Conference Agriculture, Biological and Life Sciences (ICABLS-2021) Organized by Vidya Kutir Foundation, New Delhi, India on 25 th -26 th September, 2021. Pp61 ISBN:978-93-92403-01-9 https://vidyakutirfoundation.org/books.html
- 5. Ipshita Dutta and **Hemant Sood** 2022. Screening of Phytochemicals in Shoot Cultures of Endangered Herb- *Gentiana kurroo* Royle" has been awarded as the "Best Paper Award" by 23rd AAACU Biennial Conference with International Forum on Agricultural Innovation, Sustainability, Entrepreneurship and Networking (i-FAISEN) held at Chiang Mai, Thailand from 4th-8th July 2022.

I. Best Poster Presentation Award in the National Conference

- **1.** Sanya Bakshi, Sneha Gulati, Bhupinder Singh Sandhu, Pooja Tandon, Varun Kumar, Rajinder Chauhan and **Hemant Sood** 2012. Large-scale *invitro* multiplication of critically endangered herb *Swertia chirayita* in suspension cultures. National Seminar on Plant Cell Tissue and Organ Culture: Emerging Trends, Deptt. Of Botany, Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh, India, March10-11, 2012.
- **2.** Devanshi popli and **Hemant Sood**. 2016. Optimization of liquid media for enrichment of shoot biomass of critically endangered herb of Trans Himalayan region *Dactylorhiza hatagyeria*. 3rd prize in IEEE project presentation. 14th May, 2016. JUIT Waknaghat.Solan
- **3.** Rhythem Sharma, Satyam Singh and Hemant Sood. 2018 Effect of Polychromatic LED's on growth and development of Micropropagated Shoots of *Picrorhiza kurroa*.2nd prize in poster competiton in Student Research Convention organized by TIED cell and ACM JUIT on 9th-10th Feburary,2018 at JUIT Waknaghat,Solan

J. Session Chair

1. Chaired a session in International Conference "ICBBB 2012: International Conference on Bioscience, Biotechnology, and Biochemistry" Venice, Italy on 12 April, 2012

- 2. Chaired a session in International Conference on Recent Trends in Biotechnology and Bioinformatics" organized at Jaypee University of Information Technology, Waknaghat 1-3 August, 2019
- 3. Chaired a session in virtual **International conference on "Technologies for Environmental Sustainability and Smart Agriculture"** organized by Centre of Excellence in Sustainable Technologies for Rural Development [CESTRD], Department of Biotechnology and Bioinformatics, Jaypee University of Information Technology during September 18 & 19, 2020
- 4. Chaired a session in 6th International Conference on signal processing, computing and control (ISPCC2K21)" the Electronics & Communication Engineering department of Jaypee University of Information Technology (JUIT), Waknaghat, Himachal Pradesh, India on Oct (7-9), 2021 in Online Mode.
- 5. Chaired a session in **Virtual International Conference on Technological Intervention in Renewable Energy for Sustainable Environment** (RESE-2021) on 24th and 25th November 2021 organized by TIEDC and CESTRD at the Department of BT&BI Jaypee University of Information Technology Waknaghat, Solan INDIA (173234).
- 6. Chaired a session in 2nd Emergent Converging Technologies and Biomedical Sysytems (ETBS2022))" organized by the Department of Electronics & Communication Engineering and Department of Physics and Material Sciences Jaypee University of Information Technology (JUIT), Waknaghat, Himachal Pradesh, India on Sept (23-24), 2022
- 7. Chaired a session and Moderator in **7th Edition of Global Congress on Plant Biology and Biotechnology** on 16th March, 2023 organized by **Magnus group**, **USA** on virtual mode from 16-17th March 2023.
- 8. Chaired a session in "3rd International Conference on Emergent Converging Technologies and Biomedical Systems (ETBS 2023)" organized by The Department of Electronics and Communication Engineering and Department of Computer Sciences and Engineering & Information Technology, Jaypee University of Information Technology, Solan, Himachal Pradesh in collaboration with DST iHub-AWaDH and Indian Institute of Technology Ropar at Jaypee University of Information Technology (JUIT), Waknaghat from May 15-17, 2023.
- 9. Chaired a session in "2rd International Conference on Biotechnology and Bioinfromatics (ICBAB-2023)" organized by The Department of Btand BI, Jaypee University of Information Technology, Solan, Himachal Pradesh supported by DST-SERB at Jaypee University of Information Technology (JUIT), Waknaghat from 11-13 july,2023.

K. Books published

- **1. Hemant Sood and R S Chauhan 2016.**Cell Culture Technologies in a medicinal Herb, *Picrorhiza kurroa*.LAP LABERT Academic Publishing ,OmniScriptum GmbH& Co. KG,Germany ISBN(978-3-659-93498-8) https://www.morebooks.de/store/gb/book/cell-culture-technologies-in-a-medicinal-herb,-picrorhiza-kurroa/isbn/978-3-659-93498-8
- 2. Shivam Sharma and Hemant Sood 2019 Analysis of Diosgenin Content and Pharmacological Explorations (Endangered medicinal herb *Trillium govanianum*) LAP LABERT Academic Publishing, member of Omniscriptum, Singapore ISBN 978-620-0-30926-6.) Sep.2019 https://www.lap-publishing.com/catalog/details/store/gb/book/978-620-0-30926-6/analysis-of-diosgenin-content-and-pharmacological-exploration

L. Book chapter

- 1. Anshu Alok, Shivam Sharma, Jitesh Kumar, Subodh Verma and **Hemant Sood**. 2017. **Engineering in Plant Genome Using** *Agrobacterium***:Progress and Future** .Metabolic Engineering from Bioactive compounds: Strategies and Process. Springer Singapore.pp91-112 ISBN 978-981-10-5511-9.
- **2. Hemant Sood** (2020).Production of Medicinal Compounds from Endangered and Commercially Important Medicinal Plants Through Cell and Tissue Culture Technology for Herbal Industry. Kavita Sharma Corina Denciu. *Bioactive Compounds in nutraceuticals and food for good human health*, *Intechopen*, London, UK. ebook (ISBN 978-1-83880-887-7).
- **3**. Utkarsha Srivastva and **Hemant Sood** (2020). Propagation of *Podophyllum hexandrum* Royle to enhance production of podophyllotoxin. Sangeet Kumar, *Endangered Plants Intechopen Limited*, London, UK,DOI: 10.5772/intechopen.93704 ISBN :978-1--83962-894-8, ebook ISBN:978-1-83962-899-3.
- **4.** Archit Pundir, Anaida Kad and **Hemant Sood** (2021).Rhodiola imbricata. Nikhil Malthora and Mohar Singh, *Himalayan Medicinal Plants: Advances in botany, production and research* (International, pp. 151-167). *Elsevier, Academic Publisher* (ISBN: 978-0-12-823151-7, eBook ISBN: 9780128234303).
- **5**. Neha Sharma and **Hemant Sood** (2021).Plant-microbe interaction and recent trends in biotechnology for secondary metabolites production in medicinal plants. Swati Tyagi, Robin Kumar, Baljeet Saharan and Ashok K. Nadda, *Plant-Microbial Interactions and Smart Agricultural Biotechnology*(International, pp 199-216).: *CRC press Taylor and Francis USA*.(ISBN 9781032100418)
- **6.** Neha Sharma and **Hemant Sood**(2022). In Vitro Production of Medicinal Compounds from Endangered and Commercially Important Medicinal Plants. Dinesh K. Srivastava, Ajay K. Thakur and Pankaj Kumar, *Agricultural Biotechnology: Latest Research and Trends* (international, pp53-74). *Springer Nature India*. (ISBN: 978-981-16-2339-4)
- 7. Rolika Gupta and **Hemant Sood** (2022) Trillium: An unexplored medicinal herb of Himalayan Region.Rajesh Panwar and Alok P.Jain, *Recent Advances in Pharmaceutical Sciences* (*National*, pp 47-58.) Innovare Academic Sciences.(ISBN 978-81-952065-7-5).

M. International and National Publications (Accepted & Communicated, Read Hemant Gautam as Hemant Sood)

1. Parul Katoch, Rolika Gupta, Ashish Jaiswal,Shriyanshu Thakur, and **Hemant Sood**,"Effect of LEDs in phytochemical accumulation and biomass production in callus cultures of Podophyllum hexandrum" *Journal of Chemical Health Risks*, vol.14(1),pp.1681-1690 Jan2024 (ISSN:2251-6727) (Scopus, IF :0.1) https://jchr.org/index.php/JCHR/article/view/2685

- Rolika Gupta and Hemant Sood, "Emerging Technologies for the Production of In Vitro Raised Quality Rich Swertia chirayita by Using LED Lights," Sustainability, vol. 15 (2), pp. 1-14, Jan 2023 1714; https://doi.org/10.3390/su15021714. (ISSN 2071-1050 [IF:3.88] (SCOPUS, SCIE).
- 3. Sunainy Ajrawat , Chhavi Thakur and **Hemant Sood** 2023"An integrated in silico approach to identify bioactive Phytochemicals in *Bauhinia variegata* plant as potential lead candidates against SARS-CoV-2 transmission targets", *European Journal of Molecular and Clinical Medicine* 10(1)pp 570-580 Jan 2023 ISSN: 2515-8260 (WOS/ESCI) https://ejmcm.com/uploads/paper/3288d0f2b8c8df13ba79daaf730e3f58.pdf
- 4. Rolika Gupta and **Hemant Sood**.2022. "Artificial seed production and cryopreservation by encapsulation dehydration for medicinal herb of Himalayan region, *Swertia chirayita*", *Cryoletters*, 43(5)pp295-302. Scopus and SCI DOI: https://doi.org/10.54680/fr22510110612 ISSN 0143-2044 (Print); ISSN 1742-0644 (Online), Q2 IF(1.01/0.89)
- 5. Rolika Gupta and Hemant Sood.2022. Optimizing nutrient media conditions for continuous production of shoot biomass enriched in major medicinal constituents, amarogentin and mangiferin of endangered medicinal herb, *Swertia chirayita*. Vegetos. DOI:10.1007/s42535-022-00464-6. Scopus /WOS Aug2022 ISSN: 2229-4473, Q4 IF
- 6. Pandey Roma, Ashish Sharma, **Hemant Sood**, Rajinder Singh Chauhan. 2022. ABC Transporters Mined Through Comparative Transcriptomics Associate With Organ-Specific Accumulation of Picrosides in a Medicinal Herb, Picrorhiza kurroa. *Protoplasma*,260(2)pp453-466 DOI: 10.1007/s00709-022-01786-7 (IF: 3.36) **SCI&Q2**.
- 7. Utkarsha Srivastva and **Hemant Sood**.2022 Computational analysis for regulation of Podophyllotoxin biosynthesis pathways in Podophylum hexandrum with potential substitute species. **Defence Life Science Journal** .7(2) 97-102 (June 2022) **Scopus &Q4** (IF0.3) DOI: 10.14429/dlsj.7.17445
- 8. Sharma Ashish, Shilpa Sharma, **Hemant Sood**, Rajinder Singh Chauhan. 2022. Comparative coexpression networks pinpoint acyltransferases decorating structures of major iridoid glycosides in a medicinal herb, Picrorhiza kurroa. **Plant Gene**. 31: 10366 DOI.org/10.1016/j.plgene.2022.100366 (IF: 2.57) (**SCImago and Q2**) June
- 9. Nikhil Malhotra,Paras Sharma,**Hemant Sood**,Rahul Chandora,Mamta Arya,Jai Chand Rana,and Mohar Singh .2022 Agro-morphological characterization and nutritional profiling of traditional Himalayan crop landraces for their promotion towards mainstream agriculture. **Frontiers in Plant Science**. 31: doi: 10.3389/fpls.2022.898220 (22nd june 2022) **SCI** (IF6.62) Q1
- 10. Sahil Kapoor, **Hemant Sood**, Shweta Saxena and Om Prakash Chaurasia.2022 Green synthesis of silver nanoparticles using *Rhodiola imbricate* and *Withania somnifera* root extract and their potential catalytic, antioxidant, cytotoxic and growth-promoting activities. **Bioprocess and Biosystems Engineering**.45(2):365-380. DOI: 10.1007/s00449-021-02666-9 https://link.springer.com/content/pdf/10.1007/s00449-021-02666-9.pdf IF(3.2) (Jan2022) SCImago and Scopus Q2
 - 11. Rolika Gupta, Deepak Sharma and **Hemant Sood**.2021. Micropropagation of critically endangered herb of Himlayan region: Trillium govanianum for in vitro shoot proliferation and production of Diosgenin. **Research Journal of biotechnology**.16(2):173-178. Scopus

- /WOS /SCI impact factor:0.23 https://worldresearchersassociations.com/biotechcurrissue/23.pdf 4535 Print ISSN: 0973-6263 (Word researcher organization) Feb Q4
- 12. Archit Pundir, Anaida Kad and Hemant Sood (2019) Elicitation of salidroside under tissue culture conditions in the Trans-Himalayan plant *Rhodiola imbricate*. WSCAS Transaction on Biology and Biomedicine. 16:75-89. **Print ISSN:** 1109-9518 **E-ISSN:** 2224-2902 http://wseas.org/wseas/cms.action?id=20235 Scopus Q4
- 13. Satyam Singh and Rhythem Sharma and **Hemant Sood** (2019). Effect of LEDs on micropropagated shoots of Picrorhiza kurroa vis-a-vis biosynthesis of Picroside-1. WSCAS Transaction on Biology and Biomedicine. **Print ISSN:** 1109-9518 **E-ISSN:** 2224-2902 16 (1):90-96 (O) Scopus Q4
- 14. Saveena Solanki, Anubhavi Singh, and **Hemant Sood**. 2018. GC Analysis of Invitro Developed Shoots of Stevia Rebaudiana Through Rapid Tissue Culture. International Conference on New Horizons in Green Chemistry & Technology (ICGCT) 2018. Available atSSRN: https://ssrn.com/abstract=3298672 or https://ssrn.com/abstract=3298672 or https://ssrn.com/abstract=3298672 or https://ssrn.com/abstract=3298672 or https://dx.doi.org/10.2139/ssrn.3298672 (Dec, 102018) 27-28 November 2018, Vol. 1 No. 3 03/06/2019 (e- journal) Elsevier
- 15. Sahil Kapoor, Amita Sharma, Pusphpender Bharadwaj, **Hemant Sood**, Shweta Saxena, Om Prakash Chaurasia.2019 Enhanced production of phenolic compounds in compact callus (aggregate suspension cultures of Rhodiola imbricata Edgew. Applied biochemistry and biotechnology .187(3) 817-837 DOI: 10.1007/s12010-018-2851-y IF(1.797) (march) SCI and Scopus Q2
- 16. Shivam Sharma, Vineet Mehta, Parul Sharma, Kritika Jaggi,Udayabanu Malairaman and **Hemant Sood.**2018. Anti- fertility activity and contraceptive potential of the hydroalcholoic rhizome extract of *Trillium govanianum* in female wistar rats. Asian Journal of Pharmaceutical and clinical research.11(11):329-332. DOI10.22159/ajpcr.2017.v11i11.27420 IF (0.42) Scopus (July) Q4
- 17. Sahil Kapoor, Rinky Raghuvanshi, Pushpender Bhardwaj, **Hemant Sood**, Sheweta Saxena, and Om prakesh Chaurasia.2018 Influence of light quality on growth,secondarymetabolites production and antioxidant activity in callus cultures of *Rhodiola imbricate* Edgew.Journal of Photochemistry and Photobiology.183:258-265 https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jphotobiol.2018.04.018 IF(3.1625) Scopus and SCI Q1 ISSN: 1010-6030 April
- 18. Arun Sharma, Ankita Rajata, Udayabanu Malairaman and **Hemant Sood**.2018 Hydroalcoholic extraction of shoot cultures from *Nothapodyte nimmoniana* and its antiproliferative analysis. Inernational journal of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical sciences. 10(6): 32-37. IF(0.51) Scopus Index
- 19. Jibesh Kumar Padhan, Tarun Pal, Pawan Kumar, **Hemant Sood**, Rajinder S. Chauhan.2018 Comparative Transcriptomics Uncovers Differences in Photoautotrophic versus Photoheterotrophic Modes of Nutrition in relation to Secondary Metabolites Biosynthesis in *Swertia chirayita*. Molecular Biology Reports. *45* (2): 77-98. DOI: 10.1007/s11033-017-4135-y (IF: 1.82) SCI and Scopus .ISSN 03014851 Q3

- 20. Payal Kotvi, Rhythem Sharma, Satyam Singh and Hemant Sood*2017 Gentipicroside Elicitation in Shoot Cultures of *Gentiana kurroo* and *Swertia chirayita* with Molecular Authentication. Proceedings for the International Conference on Biotechnology And Biomedicine organized by National Institute for Engineering and Research Hyderabad.13August 2017 .DOI 01.1617/vol4iss7pid47186 ISBN:9788192958012
- 21. **Hemant Sood** (2017). Cultured cambial meristematic cells a sustainable route towards in vitro production of phytochemicals. Adv Cell Sci Tissue Cult.1(1):1-2 **DOI**: 10.35841/cell-science.1.1.3-4 12 Jan, 2017
- 22. Ankita Rajata, Devanshi Popli Payal Kotvi and **Hemant Sood** (2017). Optimization of culture conditions for the production and germination of artifical seed in an important medicinal plant *Nothapodytes nimoniana*. International Journal Of Innovative Research in Science and Engineering.3(1):70-77.ISSN(O) 2454-9665 ISSN(P) 2454-0663.Google citation www.ijirse.com
- 23. Anaida Kad, Archit Pundir Shubham Sharma, and **Hemant Sood** (2017). Development of suspension cultures and ex-vitro rooting in *Rauwolfia sepentina* for rapid and large scale multiplication. International Journal Of Innovative Research in Science and Engineering.3(1):135-143.ISSN(O) 2454-9665 ISSN(P) 2454-0663.Google citation www.ijirse.com
- 24. Shubham Sharma, Devanshi Popli Neha Sharma, O P Chaurasia and **Hemant Sood** (2016). Effect of temperature on *in vitro* organogenesis of *Rhodiola imbricate* Edgew-a medicinal herb. World Journal of Pharmacy and Pharmaceutical Sciences. 5(12):1228-43. ISSN 2278-4357DOI:10.20959/wjpps201612-8266 SJIF (IF:6.041 Dec.)Google citation
- 25. Shivam Sharma, Nikhil Malthora and Hemant Sood (2016) Expression analysis of steroid pathway genes revealed positive correlation with diosgenin biosynthesis in *T. govanianum*. Acta Physiolgiae Plantarum. 38(11):1-8 DOI: 10.1007/s11738-016-2289-1 IF(1.62) Print ISSN 0137-5881 (SCI & Q1)
- **26.** Jibesh K. Padhan, Pawan Kumar, **Hemant Sood**, Rajinder S. Chauhan (2016). Prospecting NGS-transcriptomes to asses regulation of miRNA —mediated secondary metabolites biosynthesis in Swertia chirayita, a medicinal herb of the N-W Himalayas biosynthesis. **Medicinal Plants- International Journal of Phytomedicines and related Industries.8(3)219-228.** Doi: 10.5958/0975-6892.2016.00029 (IF-0.8) Scopus and 04
- **27.** Ira Vashisht, Tarun pal, **Hemant Sood** and Rajinder Chauhan (2016 Comparative transcriptome analysis in different tissues of a medicinal herb, *Picrorhiza kurroa* pinpoints transcription factors regulating picrosides biosynthesis. **Mol Bio Reports** .43 (12):1395-1409.DOI 10.1007/s11033-016-4073-0 (IF:1.6) (Scopus and SCI) Q3
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O. Expert Lecture in the Workshop/Webinars

1. **Hemant Sood** was an Expert for 2 Days Workshop on IPR and PATENT and took sessions on IPR and Commercilaization on 15th June and Patent process overview on 16th June,2024 organized by The Progress Research and Publication An initiative of Sri Aurobindo Yoga and Knowledge Foundation and Research Centre: Sri Aurobindo Yoga and Knowledge Foundation, Chattisgarh on 15-16th June2024.

- 2. Hemant Sood delivered expert lecture in The Progress Research and Publication Workshop on "Ethical consisterations in Reasearch IPR organised An initiative of Sri Aurobindo Yoga and Knowledge Foundation (Powered by IIT, Bhilai) and Research Centre: Sri Aurobindo Yoga and Knowledge Foundation, Village Funda, Chattisgarh on 20th May, 2024.
- **3. Hemant Sood** delivered expert lecture on "IPR management and Commercialization nt in Training–cum-workshop on IPR organised by RKMVShimla in collabotation with HIMCOSTE from March 21-28, 2024 at RKMV, Shimla on 22nd March 2024.
- **4. Hemant Sood** delivered expert lecture on "IPR management and Commercialization in a one-week Faculty Development Program on "Women in Innovation and Entrepreneur Development (WIED) organised by Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) cell and Institution's Innovation Council (IIC) JUIT from March 11-15, 2024 in online mode at JUIT Waknaghat on 14th March2024.
- 5. **Hemant Sood** delivered expert lecture on "Intellectual property Rights &Building Knoweldge economy" for In-service Teaching Training Programm for lectuers and PGTorganised by SCERT, Solan HP 2nd March 2024
- 6. **Hemant Sood** delivered expert lecture on "Entrepreneur unleashed A journey from ideas to impact" at IIC, JUIT Waknaghat " at JUIT Waknagaht on 1st March,2024
- 7. **Hemant Sood** delivered expert lecture on Trends and Prospects in Plant Biotechnology in webinar organized for providing counseling and future insight to students during admission times by Department of BT and BI at JUIT Waknagaht on 19 th June 2023.
- 8. **Hemant Sood** delivered expert lecture on "Intellectual property Rights &Building Knoweldge economy" for faculty and PG students in FDP on Teaching and Research Practices organized by Department of BT and BI, at JUIT Waknagaht from 05-10th June 2023
- 9. **Hemant Sood** delivered expert lecture on "Intellectual property Rights" for faculty and PG students of HPU organized by Department of education & UGC-Human Resource development Centre HPU, Shimla on 31st March, 2023.
- 10. **Hemant Sood** delivered expert lecture on "IPR for building knowledge economy" in 2week refresher course (13thFeb to 25th Feb2023) for College /University faculties" organized by UGC-Human Resource development Centre HPU,Shimla on 16th Feb2023.
- 11. **Hemant Sood** delivered expert lecture on "Production of medicinal compounds from medicinal plants by using tissue culture technologies" in DST STUTI ICT 7days workshop on Approaches for Screening and Characterization of Pre-Clinical Drug Candidates" organized by The Institute of Chemical Technology, Mumbai in collaboration with "JAYPEE UNIVERSITY OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY, Waknagaht from December 8-14,2022
- 12. **Hemant Sood** delivered expert lecture on "Effects of UV Radiation in Crops" on the occasion of World Ozone Day organized by Himachal Pradesh Council for Science,

- Technology and Enviornment (HIMCOSTE)" in collaboration with Jaypee University of Information Technology (JUIT) Waknagaht on 16th Sep,2022
- 13. **Hemant Sood organized a webinar on Scopes of BT and BI** to 12th class school students of Paradise Public School in Sundernagar, Mandi on 12th March, 2022.
- 14. **Hemant Sood as a resource person in collaborative** Workshop organized on National science Day 2022 by Department of Biotechnology at Khalsa College, Patiala with Department of BT and BI, JUIT, Waknagaht on 28th Feb, 2022.
- 15. Hemant Sood organized a virtual Workshop of Plant Tissue Culture Techniques and their applications to B Sc final yr students (250) of Vallabh Govt College ,Mandi on 18th Nov 2021 at JUIT Waknaghat
- 16. **Hemant Sood** as Speaker in Departmental Webinar Series on topic "Trends and scope of Plant Biotechnology" organized by Department of BT and BI, JUIT Waknaghat on 21September, 2021.
- **17. Hemant Sood** as Speaker on Different techniques of Plant tissue culture and their application for the participants of Skill Vigyan Project Feb 2021 to May 2021
- 18. **Hemant Sood** as Speaker on issue of Women Equality organized by ICC of JUIT for celebrating Women Equality day on 26th August 2021.
- 19. **Hemant Sood (2021). Production of secondary metabolites.** College Of Horticulture and Forestry, DR. Y.S. PARMAR UNIVERSITY OF HORTICULTURE AND FORESTRY NERI, Hamirpur (HP) on 05th July,2021(online)
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P. Research and Development projects

R&D Project (Completed)

Project Title	Status and Sanction no. with date	Funding Agency and amount Rs in lakhs	Duration
1. Programme support on elucidation of biosynthetic pathwaysand development of gene markers for high value endangered medicinal herbof N-W Himalayas.(Phase-1) a. Identification of elite chemotypes and optimization of differential accumulation conditions for major and desired chemical constituents of three medicinal plant (P. kurroa, A.	PI (BT/01/CEIB/09/V/02) 8 th Sep,2010	DBT (COE) Rs 398.75 Laks) a. 60.00 lakhs	2010-15 U/C-7th Sep 2015
hetrophyllumand S. chirayita)			
2. Identification of genetically superior strains of medicinal plants, <i>Picrorhiza kurroa</i>	Co-PI (No.Z 18017/187/Pr. GO/HP-03/2009	National Medicinal Plants Board, Deptt. of AYUSH, Ministry of	2009- 2013(U/C 31/3/2013)

and Valeriana jatamansi by screening different populations from North-Western Himalayas		Health and Family Welfare, Govt. of India.(16.50 lakhs)	
3. Molecular Dissection of Biosynthesis of Pharmacologically Important Phenol Glycosides in a High Value Medicinal Plant (Rhodiol aimbricata) from Trans- Himalayan Region of Ladakh	13 th Feb 2015	DRDO, Ministry of Defense, Govt of India (9.8lakhs)	2015-17 U/C- 26/4/2018
4. Socio Economic upliftment of high altitude farmers of Himachal Pradesh through transfer of micro-propagation technologies for high value medicinal herbs	PI (No. SP/YO/017/2015) 24 th July 2015	Science for Equity, Empowerment and Development (SEED) Division DST, Ministry of Science & Technology, Govt. of India (14.5 lakh)	2015-2019 U/C - 15/5/2019
5. Programme support on elucidation of biosynthetic pathways and development of gene markers for high value endangered medicinal herbof N-W	Co-PI (BT/COE/34/SP15268/2015) 16 th Nov.2015	DBT, Ministry of Science & Technology, Govt. of India	2015-2020 UCID: 18179244 and 18179246

Himalayas.(Phase-			
2)			
(Functional			
Validation of of			
Picrosides			
Biosynthetic			
Pathway and Development of			
Development of Gene Markers for			
Elite Chemotypes			
of Picrorhiza			
kurroa)			
6. Herbal formulation	Mentor	Directorate of	3 rd March
for the treatment	DRID/IIP/06/2023	Research,	2023-2024
and prevention of		Innovation and	
Dementia		Development,	
		JUS,JIIT	
		Nodia(50,000)	
7. Developing	Collaborator	Department of	6 th Nov.2023-
Nutrient-	BT/PR45197/NER/95/1928/2022	Biotechnology	Oct 2026
Enrichment		,Delhi	
Technologies &			
Products of			
Commercial Value			
in a Nutraceutical			
Food Crop,			
Buckwheat			
(Fagopyrum spp.)			

Q.<u>Professional Development Through International/National</u> Courses/Trainings/Workshops:

- Hemant Sood participated in 3R's Research and Progress International Conference Series -4th International Conference on Patient Derived Tumoroids and Humanized Mice on 4th May,2024
- **2.** Hemant Sood participated one week Short Term Course titled "Sustainable Construction Practices for Sustainable Environment" organized by The Department of Civil engineering, JUIT from April 22-27, 2024.
- **3.** Hemant Sood participated in IPR awareness/training program organized by "National Intellectual Property Awareness Mission (NIPAM) and National IP Awareness Mission Office of Controller General of Patents, Designs and Trade Marks, at JUIT on 14th March 2024.
- **4.** Hemant Sood participated in faculty Development program on Women in innovation and Entrepreneuer Devlopment (WIED) organized by IPR Cell and IIC of JUIT, at JUIT from 11-15th March.2024.
- **5.** Hemant Sood participated in Online FDP on the theme NEP2020 orientation and sensitization Program by Malaviya Mission Teacher Training Programme(MM-TTP) of

- UGC organized by Malviya Mission Training Centre, HPU, Shimla from 2^{3rd} January-^{2nd} Feb2024.
- **6.** Hemant Sood participated in Online FDP on the theme ""Role of Intellectual Property Rights in Higher Education organized by Shri Vaishnav Vidyapeeth Vishwavidyalaya, Indore under the aegis of AIU-AADC" from 20th November 2023 to 24 November 2023.
- 7. Hemant Sood member of Advisory Committee of International Conference on Synergetic Innovations &Biotechnological Advancement for Sustainable Development (Plant, Food and Chemical sciences)(SIBA_SD-2023) organized by School of Applied and Life sciences, Uttaranchal Univ.,Dehradun.29-30th Sep,2023.
- **8.** Hemant Sood participated in IP Training Program organized India patent Office by JUIT Waknaghat on 16th March,2023
- **9.** Hemant Sood participated in FDP on Utkarsh-Take Flight, a two-day Faculty Development Program (FDP) organized by JUIT Waknaghat from 22-23rd Dec, 2022.
- **10.** Hemant Sood Organized a webinar on Ethics in Science by Prof. Om P Sharma as a member of Ethics Committee JUIT on November 19, 2022
- **11.** Hemant Sood selected **for the online training program** on **RESEARCH TRAINING** Organized by MSME-Technology Development Centre, PPDC Agra, Ministry of MSME, Govt. of India Society Nov7-18th ,2022(evening session from 7to 8:30 pm)
- **12.** Hemant Sood Judged judging The Three Minute Thesis competition organised by TIEDC and Civil engineering department, JUIT on 24 September, 2022
- **13.** Hemant Sood coordinated the signing of MoU with Directorate Technical Education Sundernagar at JUIT on 24 September, 2022
- **14.** Hemant Sood participated in FDP on Innovations in Drug Delivery Technologies. organized by Dept. of Biotechnology, JIIT, Noida from 25-30th July, 2022
- **15.** Hemant Sood participated in Two week Course on Entrepreneurship organized by Turnip Innovations ,Kolkata from 20th July to 02 August, 2022.
- **16.** Hemant Sood participated in a one week FDP on Computer Diligence in Civil Engineering and Applications for Sustainable Development organized by Dept. of Civil Engineering, JUIT, Waknaghat on 11-15th July 2022 (Online Mode)
- 17. Hemant Sood participated in a one day Workshop on "Environment and Sustainability" organized by Dept. of Biotechnology, JIIT, in collaboration with Dept. of Biotechnology & Bioinformatics, JUIT, Waknaghat on June 9, 2022
- **18.** Hemant Sood attended one-week online FDP on "NEP 2020 Implementation in Higher Education Institutes" organized by the Department of Curriculum Development Centre, National Institute of Technical Teachers Training and Research (NITTTR) Chandigarh from May 9-13, 2022.
- 19. Hemant Sood presented Production of Medicinal Compounds from Endangered and Commercially Important Medicinal Plants of Himalayas Through Cell and Tissue Culture Technology for Herbal Industry in Plant Virtual Summit 2022 "Webinar on Plant Science and Agricultural Research" organized by Irish Scientific Group on March 24, 2022

- 20. Hemant Sood participated in Shodh Shikhar 2022 with project title Brown Gold: An alternative and cost effective solution to pulp and paper production organized by United Nations Development Programme with Rabindranath Tagore University Bhopal,25-26 March2022
- 21. Hemant Sood participated in the International e Conclave on Women Scientist in Science and Technology with Special Reference to Biotechnology organized by Nano & Biomaterials Association, School of Life Sciences, B.S. Abdur Rahman Crescent Institute of Science and Technology, Chennai in association with the Biotech Research Society, India (BRSI) held on March 08-10, 2022
- **22.** Hemant Sood organized **webinar** on "Conscious Transformation Through Sustainability" "on International women day and **slogan witting competition** as member of ICC and Committee Against Caste Based Discrimination, of JUIT from 24th Feb-8th March 2022.
- **23.** Hemant Sood participated in Plant biotechnology forum Spain –UK organized by The Society of Spanish researcher and the embassy of Spain in London on 22nd -23rd Feb 2022
- **24.** Hemant Sood participated in 3day IPR Awareness workshop organized by PUSA KRISHI, Pusa Campus, New Delhi from 21st to 23rd Feb, 2022.
- **25.** Hemant Sood participated in virtual session on Various Aspects of Green Building Design organized by the Department of Civil Engineering, Jaypee University of Information Technology on 25th January, 2022.
- **26.** Hemant Sood participated in the International e-Lecture Workshop on Innovation in Biotechnology organized by School of Life Sciences, B.S. Abdur Rahman Crescent Institute of Science and Technology, Chennai and Crescent Educational Institutions, Madurai Campus in association with the Biotech Research Society, India (BRSI).on 19th-20th January, 2022.
- **27.** Hemant Sood participated in Online Workshop for Universities and Colleges on Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) " under 75-week long campaign 'Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav' organised by the Ministry of Education and UGC on 17th January, 2022
- **28.** Hemant Sood participated in Sensitization Webinar on Cybersecurity Empowerment of Higher Education Institutions (HEIs)" organised by the Ministry of Education and UGC on 13th January, 2022.
- **29.** Hemant Sood participated WoLT 2021 International Webinar on Women Leading Technology Organised by IEEE GUJRAT SESSIONON 13th &14th Dec. 2021.
- **30.** Hemant Sood participated as mentor from TIEDC for CII Himachal Pradesh will be organising an exclusive Virtual Start up session CII Himachal Pradesh Session on Startup and Entrepreneurship 2021 on 29 November 2021.
- **31.** Hemant as External Examiner for Ph.D and M.Sc thesis evaluation and viva-voice at UHF, Nauni on 24th November 2021
- **32.** Hemant Sood presented **Sharing best practices** in JUIT at The Vice Chancellor's meet called by HPPERC of all the state private universities of Himachal Pradesh organized by **Bahra University** on 27-10-2021 at Hotel Holiday Home, Shimla.
- **33.** Hemant Sood was participated as Jury member for **Ideathon E Summit' 21** organized by AIRMEET and E Cell of TIEDC JUIT, **on** 15-18th Oct2021

- **34.** Hemant Sood organized webinar on "Why women needs to be empower" as member of ICC and Committee Against Caste Based Discrimination, of JUIT on 1^{6th} Oct,2021
- **35.** Hemant Sood has accomplished NPTEL-AICTE **Faculty development programme** on Entrepreneurship and IP strategy scheduled from 26th July to 18th Sep 2021 conducted by **NPTEL,IIT Kharagpur, Funded by the Ministry of HRD,Govt of India on 26th Sep2021.**
- **36.** Hemant Sood participated in the International Webinar Series-II on research and technological advancements in Bioinformatics topic Research Data Management and FAIR Principles for Healthcare Data by Dr. Gurnoor Singh, Center for Molecular and Biomolecular Informatics, Radboud UMC, Nijmegen, Netherlands organized by Centre of Excellence in Healthcare Technologies and Informatics (CEHTI), Department of Biotechnology and Bioinformatics, Jaypee University of Information technology (JUIT), Waknaghat, Solan, H.P., INDIA on 9th Oct, 2021.
- **37.** Hemant Sood organized e-essay contest on **My Vision of India 2025** as member of ICC and Committee Against Caste Based Discrimination , of JUIT from 6th to 16th Oct,2021
- **38.** Hemant Sood participated in a Webinar on "Attracting grants and funds for research" by Dr. Veena Joshi organized Wiley Publishers on 14th Sep,2021
- **39.** Hemant Sood participated in a Webinar on "Realizing potential of commercial Plant tissue culture: Challenges and way forward organized by Biotech Consortium India Ltd on 9th Sep,2021
- **40.** Hemant Sood participated in the International Webinar Series-II on research and technological advancements in Bioinformatics topic AI platform to catalog unconventional stress proteins for deep exploration of space organized by Centre of Excellence in Healthcare Technologies and Informatics (CEHTI), Department of Biotechnology and Bioinformatics, Jaypee University of Information technology (JUIT), Waknaghat, Solan, H.P., INDIA on 11th September 2021
- **41.** Hemant Sood as **Research Advisor** for evaluating research project in Research Advisory Group Meeting of HFRI, Shimla on 18th August 2021
- **42.** Hemant Sood participated in webinar Copyright protection organized by National Productivity Council (NPC) an Autonomous Organization under Department for Promotion of Industry and Internal Trade (DPIIT), Ministry of Commerce and Industry, Government of India, in collaboration with Innovation-Technology Transfer Office, an external tech transfer office at Foundation for Innovation and Technology Transfer supported by National Biopharma Mission, BIRAC 25th August 2021
- **43.** Hemant Sood participated in Safe Campus Proframme organized by Association of Indian Universities (AIU) and Martha Farrell Foundation (MFF) on 30-31st July2021
- **44.** Hemant Sood participated in a Webinar on "Copyright Policies for Digital Content" by Dr. K.S. Giridharan, Associate Professor, Department of Engineering Education,

- NITTTR Chennai organized by Online Education Cell, Jaypee Universities, on 7th July, 2021
- **45.** Hemant Sood Coordinated a Webinar on "Women Safety" as a member of Internal Complaint Committee, of JUIT on 24th June ,2021
- **46.** Hemant Sood conducted **thesis evaluation and viva-voce of** Ms Shipra Sharma, MSc student of Department of Biotechnology, COH&F, Neri, Hamirpur on 30th March 2021
- **47.** Hemant Sood participated **in one week workshop on "**Women Innovations and IPR", organized by IPR Cell, Jaypee University of Information Technology, from March 08 13, 2021
- **48.** Hemant Sood organized e-essay contest on **Role of women in Science and Technology** as member of Committee Against Caste Based Discrimination , of JUIT from 22nd to 27th Feb,2021
- **49.** Hemant Sood participated in the International Webinar Series on topic Multi modal data integration in medicine organized by Centre of Excellence in Healthcare Technologies and Informatics (CEHTI), Department of Biotechnology and Bioinformatics, Jaypee University of Information technology (JUIT), Waknaghat, Solan, H.P., INDIA on 12th January, 2021
- **50.** Hemant Sood has done NPTEL-AICTE **Faculty development programme** on Managing Intellectual property in University scheduled from September 2020 to October 2020 conducted by **NPTEL,IIT Madras, Funded by the Ministry of HRD,Govt of India**
- **51.** Hemant Sood **organized a Webinar on "Women Empowerment**" as member of caste Based Discrimination Committee of JUIT talk by Aushima Thakur ,CEO, Philip Netherlands on 17th Oct.2020.
- **52.** Hemant Sood organized **a e-Poster Contest "La Peinture** as member of caste Based Discrimination Committee of JUIT on 10 th Oct.2020.
- **53.** Hemant Sood participated in webinar on "Webinar on "Patents, Innovations, and Startups" organized by IPR Cell, Jaypee University of Information technology (JUIT), Waknaghat, Solan, H.P., INDIA on 17th Oct,2020
- **54.** Hemant Sood participated in webinar on "Teaching and Learning Practices" organized by the Department of Biotechnology and Bioinformatics, Jaypee University of Information technology (JUIT), Waknaghat, Solan, H.P., INDIA on 17 Oct, 2020
- **55.** Hemant Sood participated in webinar on "DBT Webinar: Showcasing Demonstrated Waste-To-Value Technologies organized by India Alliance with DBT and BIRAC on 1st October20
- **56.** Hemant Sood organized a Webinar on **"She is Empowered"** as member of Internal Complaint Committee of JUIT on 17th Sep.2020.
- **57.** Hemant Sood participated in the International Webinar Series on topic Flexible Sensors for Biomedical Applications organized by Centre of Excellence in Healthcare Technologies and Informatics (CEHTI), Department of Biotechnology and

- Bioinformatics, Jaypee University of Information technology (JUIT), Waknaghat, Solan, H.P., INDIA on 8th September 2020
- 58. Hemant Sood participated in webinar on "Saluting the Teachers Makers of the Nation" by Prof. S.C. Sharma, Director, NAAC organized by National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC) Bengaluru, INDIA on 5th September 2020
- **59.** Hemant Sood participated in webinar on "Webinar on Nutrition for general health and fitness 29 August 2020 organised by Jaypee University of Information technology (JUIT), Waknaghat, Solan, H.P., INDIA on 29th August 2020
- **60.** Hemant Sood participated in webinar on "Webinar on New Education Policy 2020 organised by Jaypee University of Information technology (JUIT), Waknaghat, Solan, H.P., INDIA from 28th 31th August 2020
- **61.** Hemant Sood as **a resource person** in Webinar for Entrepreneurship: An opportunity for young aspirants organized by TIEDC, JUIT campus on 14th August 2020
- **62.** Hemant Sood participated in webinar on "Open Research Publishing" Taylor and Francis Group and Delcon (DBT e Libraray consortium) on Aug 11, 2020 from USA
- **63.** Hemant Sood participated in webinar on "Publishing Ethics" organized Taylor and Francis Group and Delcon (DBT e Libraray consortium) on Aug 5, 2020 from USA
- **64.** Hemant Sood participated in the International Webinar Series Centre of Excellence organized bv in Healthcare **Technologies** Informatics (CEHTI), Department of Biotechnology and Bioinformatics, Jaypee University of Information technology (JUIT), Waknaghat, Solan, H.P., INDIA on 4th August 2020
- **65.** Hemant Sood participated **Faculty development programme** on Strategic Planning for Entrepreneurship Promotion scheduled from 27th July 2020 to 31st July 2020 organized by **NITTTR, Chandigarh**.
- **66.** Hemant Sood participated Webinar on 'Can India Solve its Framer's Plight and become Food Bowl of the World? organized by 'Biotecnika info labs Pvt. Ltd on 23rd July 2020
- 67. Hemant Sood coordinated a series of webinar on topic "JUIT is Holding Series of Admission Webinars" organised by JUIT, Solan from 15th -17th June 2020
- **68.** Hemant Sood attended a Webinar on 'Online Training on Turnitin Originality Check' organized by 'Turnitin India Education Pvt. Ltd in association with Learning Resource Center (LRC) JUIT, Solan on 10th of June 2020
- **69.** Hemant Sood participated a webinar on **Effective Use of Subscribed e-Resources'** organized by Knimbus Digital Library Platform in association with Learning Resource Center (LRC) JUIT, Solan **on 2nd June,2020.**

- **70.** Hemant Sood as **external expert** of selection committee framed by ICAR NBPGR Shimla for project entitled **Integrated genomic strategy for accelerating domestication of rice bean(Vigna umbellate**) on 2nd march 2020
- **71.** Hemant Sood **participated** in **Perception towards IPR** workshop organized by IPR cell of JUIT and Himachal Pradesh Council for Science Technology &Environment (HIMCOSTE) at JUIT Waknaghat from Feb 10- 12th 2020.
- **72.** Hemant Sood **coordinated** interaction sessions for sustainable technologies with medical and non-medical students of **Army Public school, Ambala Cantt** in Ambala on 20th Nov, 2019
- 73. Hemant Sood attended a webinar on **How universities can leverage Arificial**Intelligence to accelerate Innovation and Commercialization of Patents organized by XLPAT Labs on 14th Nov. 2019.
- **74.** Hemant Sood Co-coordinated in sustainable technology workshop for demonstration in glass house and plant tissue culture section for **Organizing a week on sustainable technologies for rural development** from 4th Nov 2019 to 9th Nov 2019 organized by CSTRD from Department BT&BI at JUIT
- 75. Hemant Sood member of Advisory Committee of National Seminar on Strategies for Conservation & Sustained utilization for Biodiversity organized by Department of BT, School of Applied and Life sciences, Uttaranchal Univ., Dehradun and Uttrakhand Science Education and Research Centre, DST(Government Of Uttarakhand.18th -19th Oct, 2019
- **76.** Hemant Sood **organized poster and model presentation** on **Swatch Bharat Mission** of school students by Department of BT & BI in JUIT campus on 1st Oct, 2019 on 150th Birth Anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi.
- 77. Hemant Sood participated in **Annual Entrepreneurship Summit (E-summit'19)**, organized by TIEDC, JUIT campus on **28-29 Sept.2019**.
- **78.** Hemant Sood **coordinated** visit of medical and non medical students of Pinegrove school, Solan to Department of BT & BI and JUIT campus on 13th September, 2019
- **79.** Hemant Sood participated in NPTEL workshop organized by IIT Roorkee and JUIT on 15th June 2019.
- **80.** Hemant Sood represented JUIT in **Veterans Outreach Programme-2019**, Solan Organized by Pine Divand Viajra Corps at Military Station Solan on 24th March, 2019.
- **81.** Hemant Sood **coordinated** one day **Workshop cum Exposure Visit of 104 medical students of Govt College Solan** to JUIT, Waknagaht on 7th March,2019.
- 82. Hemant Sood as a resource person in one day Workshop for National Science Day at St. Bede's Shimla for demonstrating plant tissue culture techniques.28th Feb,2019.
- **83.** Hemant Sood coordinated two days **Awarness and Exposure Visit of Farmers For Their Socio-economic Improvement to JUIT, Waknagaht. It is organised at JUIT in collaboration with DST-SYST Funded Project On "Socio-Economic Upliftment of High Altitude Farmers of Himachal Pradesh Through Transfer of Micropropagation Technologies for High Value Medicinal Herbs" On 25th and 26th December,2018**

- **84.** Hemant Sood attended **Conclave of Chief Ministers and Parliamentarians of Himalayan** States on 5th October 2018 organized by Himachal Pradesh Council for Science Technology & Environment (HIMCOSTE) at Peterhoff Shimla,
- **85.** Hemant Sood attended workshop **on Patent Filling procedure and GI of HP** on 30th November 2018 organized by IPR cell of JUIT and Himachal Pradesh Council for Science Technology &Environment (HIMCOSTE) at JUIT Waknaghat.
- **86.** Hemant Sood **organized/coordinated** three day workshop Techstar Startup weekend powdered ny Google for Enrepreneurs from 14th 16th September, 2018 supported by TIEDC of JUIT and HPCED Shimla at JUIT Waknaghat
- **87.** Hemant Sood **done mentoring for the startup projects in** three day workshop Techstar Startup weekend powdered by Google for Entrepreneurs from 14th 16th September, 2018 supported by TIEDC of JUIT and HPCED Shimla at JUIT Waknaghat
- **88.** Hemant Sood **organised** one day workshop on Cultivation of high value medicinal plants through micropropagation technology on 7th May, 2018 supported by JUIT in collaboration with DST –SYST funded project at Archhandi, Kullu, H.P.
- **89.** Hemant Sood attended State level workshop on National Biodiversity Action Plan, National Biodiversity Targets and India's Sixth National Report To Convention On Biological Diversity, organized by Himachal Pradesh State Biodiversity Board at Regency Hall, HHH, Shimla on 19th Feburary 2018.
- **90.** Hemant Sood attended a National Symposium on" Medical Image Acquisition, Processing and Analysis" from 20-22nd Nov.,2017 organized by Department of Biotechnology &Bioinformatics and Department of Computer Science Engineering and Information Technology JUIT at JUIT Waknaghat, Solan
- **91.** Hemant Sood attended a workshop on "Patent Drafting" on 13th Oct,2017 organized by JUIT Waknaghat, Solan
- **92.** International Post-Graduate Course with "Excellence" on Nutrition in a Changing Global Environment at The Hebrew University of Jerusalem The Robert S. Smith Faculty of Agriculture, Food & Environment, The International School of Agriculture Sciences, Israel, August 28 to Sept. 20, 2017
- **93.** Hemant Sood Attended **Faculty Development programme** organized by JUIT 14th -19th July, 2015
- **94.** Hemant Sood Attended **Faculty Development programme** Outcome-based education in Biotechnology organized by Department of Biotechnology and Bioinformatics, JUIT dated 24th to 30th December, 2014
- 95. Hemant Sood attended a workshop on "Essential oil perfumery and aromatherapy from $12^{th}-14^{th}$ March 2016 organized by MSME-Technology Development Center, Fragrance and Flavor development Centre, Kannauj-209726, at New Delhi, INDIA
- **96.** Hemant Sood attended a workshop on "Innovation and Intellectual Property Rights" on 9th December 2016 organized by TIFAC and JUIT Waknaghat Solan
- **97.** Hemant Sood attended a workshop on "Patent Filing and Geograhical Indications" on 27th Feburary, 2017 organized by TIFAC and JUIT Waknaghat Solan
- **98.** Hemant Sood attended a workshop on "Startups and Innovative Projects" on 16th May,2017 organized by TIEDC ,HPCED and JUIT Waknaghat Solan

R. Memberships

- 1. Lifetime Member of The Indian Science Congress Association (India)(ISCA-L15796)
- 2. Life Member in Biotech Research Society of India (BRSI LM-987)
- 3. Life Member of Association of Bio-Pharma Professionals (ABP/LM/136)
- 4. Life Membership in The Orchid Society Of India
- 5. IEEE membership (97797661) Sep2021 to Dec2022
- 6. Society for Biotechnologists (India) LM-1106 from August, 2022

S. Students Supervised/under supervision

1. B. Tech Biotech-30 (Pooja Tandon (2015) and Anaida (2018 got Vice Chancellor's and Chancellor's Gold medal)

2. M.Tech/M.Sc -26/08 (Shubham Sharma Gold medal)

3. A) PhDs (Awarded as a Supervisor):

- i) Mr. Ashish Warghat (25th September, 2015)
- ii) Ms. Amisha (26th August, 2016)
- iii) Mrs. Neha Sharma (30th Nov.2017)(Post –doc-DST SERB)
- iv) Mr. Amit Sud (29th January,2018)
- v) Mr. Shivam Sharma (22nd September 2018)
- vi) Rolika Gupta, JUIT (Awarded 04Dec.2023)

B) PhDs(Awarded as a Co-supervisor):

- i) Mr. Saurabh Pandit (awarded january2014)
- ii) Mr. Kirti Shitiz (awarded 3rd September 2016)
- iii) Mr. Nikhil Malhotra (awarded13th Feb,2017)
- iv) Mr. Pawan Kumar (awarded 16th Dec 2017)
- v) Mrs. Ira Vashisht (Awarded 29th march.2018) Post –doc-DST SERB-2020
- vi) Mr. Jibesh Padhan (Awarded 29th march.2018)
- vii) Mr. Sahil kapoor DRDO(Awarded 16th September 2020)

C) Ph D on going

- i) Pankaj, CE, JUIT(Sep.2022 pursuing) as Co-guide
- ii) Deepika Sharma, BT,CUH (Sep.2022pursuing) as Co-guide
- iii) Kritika Singh, BT, JUIT (Aug.2023 pursuing) as Supervisor
- iv) Faizal Firdous, CSE, JUIT (Oct2023, Pursuing) Co-guide

T. Reviewer of national and international journals

- 1. Journal of Ayurveda and Integrative Medicine
- 2. Phytochemistry Elsevier Sep
- 3. Plant Physiology and Biochemistry
- 4. Journal of Proteome Research
- 5. Industrial Crops and Products
- 6. Plant Gene

- 7. Gene
- 8. Plant Biosystems (International Taylor and Francis online)
- 9. Journal of Applied Phycology (International Springer)
- 10. Journal of Medicinal Plant Research (International Academic Journals)
- 11. Journal of Plant Biotechnology and Biochemistry (Springer)
- 12. Springer Plus (Scopus index Thomson Reuters)
- 13. Amity Journal of Research, Innovation & Commercialization
- 14. BMC Biotechnology
- 15. BMC Genomics

U. Contribution in the Department Activities

- 1. Hemant Sood Faculty coordinator for BTech. BT and BI admission at JUIT Waknaghat for 2024-2025
- **2.** Hemant Sood coordinated the visit of students from DWPS, Kandaghat in the labs of BT and BI Deaprtemnt on 22nd May 2024
- **3.** Hemant Sood was coordinator of Educational tour to JUIT Campus and all labs for the Students of DAV Public School Tutu, Shimal on 29th April, 2024
- **4.** Hemant Sood was coordinator of organizing committee and resource person of PTC workshop for faculty on "Third National Science Day Symposium (NSDS) 2024" on 28th Feburary,2024
- **5.** Hemant Sood organized a Joint Workshop on Molecular and Plant Tissue Culture Techniques of Department of BT and BI,JUIT and Department of Biotechnology ,GSSDSS at Giani Shivdev Singh Dewan Gurbachan Singh Khalsa College, Patiala, Punjab on 27th Feburary,2024
- **6.** Hemant Sood organized a Joint Workshop on Molecular and Plant Tissue Culture Techniques of Department of BT and BI,JUIT Waknagaht and Department of Zoology,RKMV at RKMV,Shimla on 20th Feburary,2024
- **7.** Coordinator for Hands on training on Plant Tissue Culture Techniques to B.Sc.(Medical) students from Govt. College Sanjauli, Shimla on 8th Dec,2023.
- **8.** Organized a Virtual session with the Reckitt Benckiser team on 30th Oct'23 at 02:30 PM with students of pharmacy of GCP,Rohru for placement orientation at JUIT.
- **9.** Faculty Coordinator Incipere 2023, Biolclub annual event on 21st Sep, 2023
- **10.** Coordinator of MOU with Govt. College of Pharmacy, Rohru, Shimla from 5th Sep 2023.
- **11.** Organized One day Training Workshop on "Chemistry Innovations at Department of BT/BI under Scientific Social Responsibility Scheme of DST SERB sponsored project of Jaypee university of Information technology, Waknaghat (HP) on 18th August 2023
- 12. Organized One Week FDP on Teaching and Research Practices from 05-10 June, 2023.
- 13. Faculty Coordinator Incipere 2023, Biolclub annual event on 13th April 2023

- **14.** Provide PTC training to 62UG students from RKMV in Molecular Biology& Biotechnological Techniques Workshop organized by Department of BTand BI on 24th Feburary2023.
- **15.** Member of committees for project evaluation and viva voice for B.Tech (BT&BI),MSc (BT&Micro) 2022
- **16.** Co-coordinated the visit of UG and PG Biotech Students of Khalsa College, Patiala on 31st Oct.2022
- **17.** Co-ordinated visit of students and faculty of DPS Bahadurgarh, Haryana organized by Department of BT& BI on 24 September, 2022
- **18.** Coordinator from BT and BI for bridge course for biology 2022
- **19.** Nominated Judge to evaluate the declamation and quiz contest in the event "Remembering Hargobind Khorana the legendary biochemist on his birth centenary" organized by Department of Bt and BI at JUIT Waknaghat on 8th August,2022
- **20.** Coordinated visit of Dayanand Adarsh Vidyalaya Kandaghat school students on 26th April, 2022
- 21. Faculty Coordinator INCIPERE 2022, bioclub event on 13th April 2022
- 22. Coordinated visit of GSSS, Chota Shimla school students on 4th March2022.
- 23. Co- coordinator for bridge course for biology started from 10th September2021,.
- **24.** Nominated as panel members for assessment of Summer Industrial Training of BTech students of Biotechnology for conducting viva in August 2021
- **25.** Faculty Coordinator BioNera 2021, bioclub event on 15th May 2021
- **26.** Faculty Coordinator webinar with South Dakota Students on 8th May 2021.
- 27. Faculty Coordinator INCIPERE 2021, bioclub event on 27th march 2021
- **28.** Faculty Coordinator for providing training on Plant tissue culture and quality management in **Skill Vigyan** departmental project on 12th and 18th Jan, 2020 onwards
- 29. Faculty Coordinator Biomodelling SYNAPSE 2020, bioclub event on 18th August,2020
- **30.** Faculty Coordinator SYNAPSE Newsletter August 2020 onwards
- 31. Faculty Coordinator SYNAPSE WEBINAR SERIES from 14th ,28th June and 5th July 2020
- **32.** Faculty Coordinator INCIPERE 2020, bioclub event on 6th Feburary 2020
- 33. Faculty incharge of Departmental website Jan 2020
- 34. Faculty Coordinator for bioclub SYNAPSE 2019
- **35.** Department Faculty coordinator for Hilly Rambling-A JUIT Newsletter http://www.juit.ac.in/lrc/hilly-ramblings.php. from 2015 onwards
- **36.** Conducted 4-weeks summer trainings for students from different institutes of the country and imparted hands on trainings on different techniques of Plant Tissue Culture and secondary metabolite production 2015 onwards..
- **37.** Coordinator of Solan Outreach activities of the department where lectures on BT and BI awareness has been carried out in schools and facilitating the student visit in Department and University2017 onwards...
- **38.** Teaching assignments: Plant Cell Culture Technology, Intellectual Property Rights and Bioethics, Industrial Plant Tissue culture, Cell Biology
- **39.** Member of Department BT&BI Students Consultative Committee 2018-2019-2020
- **40.** Helping in preparation of new B.Tech. Biotech Curriculum(2018)

- **41.** Prepared laboratory manual for plant tissue culture for BTech/BTDD 2nd year students 2015 onwards.
- **42.** Conducted summer trainings where students enrolled from all over India provided with hands on trainings on different techniques of Plant Tissue Culture and secondary metabolite production for the duration of 30days.
- 43. Developed successful micropropagation technology for 18 different plant species in BT lab
- **44.** Synapse (Bio student club):coordinating industry visits and interactions for Btech and M.Tech students.
- **45.** Coordinated 1st interdepartmental Declamation event on 26th January 2016 for UG students of JUIT.
- **46.** Conducted outreach activities for biotech admission drives in different schools of Shimla and Solan.
- **47.** Member, Board of Studies (BoS) for BTech Biotech & Bioinformatics programmes of the Department2015,2016
- **48.** Academic mentor for 1st year students of BTech Biotech & Bioinformatics programmes 2017
- **49.** Mentoring of low OGPA students of all years BTech Biotechnology and Bioinformatics January2018
- **50.** Coordinator Departmental greenhouse for showcasing visitors and Plant Tissue Culture Lab
- **51.** Coordinator of IQAC Academic and Research section of the Department 2017onwards
- **52.** Coordinator of Annual Report of BT and BI 2017-2018 onwards
 - **53.** Mentoring GATE students of the department for 2018
 - **54.** Consultative Committee member of the Department 2018,2019
 - **55.** Co-ordinated educational tour of XI and XII students(75 medical and 35 non medical) of Loreto Convent Tara Hall to Departmental Labs and University on 31st May 2019

V. Contribution in the University Activities

- 1. Nodal officer of Gender Champions Committee at JUIT from 2023-2024-2025.
- 2. SIGHT IEEE Counsellor of JUIT from 15th July2024 onwards.
- 3. Member of Internal Complaint Committee at JUIT from 2023- 2024-2025.
- 4. Master of the ceremony and Covenor of the Committee for VC report and Dias committee of Convocation at JUIT on 6th July,2024.
- 5. Member of COMMITTEE FOR HEALTHY INTERACTION FACILITATION BETWEEN SENIORS AND FRESHERS from 27th May2024
- 6. Organised Interactive and career counseling sessions with students of Govt. Sr. Sec. School, Domehar on 9th May 2024.

- 7. Organized The First Phase of "RIDE-Hack'24" and judged the start-up projects at JUIT Solan from 25th April 2024, 11 AM onwards to 27th April 2024, 11 AM The theme of the RIDE-Hack24 is Build Your Own Startup.
- **3.** Organized Technical Interactive Workshop with Principals of Government Polytechnics of H.P. at JUIT on 5th April, 2024.
- **4.** Organized Gender Sensitization and Legal Awareness Camp at JUIT, Waknaghat on behalf of Gender Champions Club and ICC of JUIT where Mrs Sheetal Vyas (High Court advocate) was the expert on 6th th March 2024.
- 5. Mentor of startup projectson Buransh Bliss of Vipasha from Department of Industries H P in TIEDC, JUIT, 1st March 2024
- **6.** Organised article writing competition on topic "Challenges for women in STEM and Sociological Perspective on gender inequality" as nodal officer GCC and member ICC from 12th Feb-28th Feb2024.
- 7. Reviewer of startup projects of Vipasha from Department of Industries H P in TIEDC, JUIT, 8th Dec 2023
- **8.** Reviewer of startup projects of Yash Tripathi from Department of Industries H P in TIEDC, JUIT, 8th Dec 2023.
- Organised UMANG—an open mic extravaganza presented by the Omega Leo Club of Waknaghat (Leo district 321a2) in collaboration with the Gender Champions Club on 4th Dec2023.
- **10.** Coordinated visit of Govt. Sr. Sec. School Ghaini to the JUIT University on 1ST Dec23
- **11.** Organized vigilance awareness week as member of ethics Committee from 30th Oct. to 05th Nov. 2023.
- **12.** Cordinator of Multidisiciplanry & Holistic education and Equitable &Inclusive Education for undertaking transformative strategy and Action in HEI(UTSAH) Nov2023
- **13.** Organized Plantation drive on Gandhi and Shastri Jayanti -at Govt. Primary School, Dabrera, Kandaghat, Solan on 02Oct,2023.
- **14.** NAAC 3rd cyle core team Convenor of section 6 at JUIT Oct23.
- 15. Convener of Section 6 (Governance Leadership and Management) IQAC.
- **16.** Nominated IPR Expert in Institute Innovation Council of ABVGIET Pragatinagar, Shimla from 4th Sep,2023
- **17.** Organized a Donation Drive as a Faculty coordinator of Omega Leo Club Waknagaht at JUIT Waknaghat on 30th Sep.2023.
- **18.** Member of Editorial Board of Hilly Rambling for BT and BI (News letter of JUIT)
- 19. Nodal faculty incharge for Gender Champions Club JUIT from 9th August,2023.

- **20.** BoS member for Department of Civil Engineering 12th June,2023 onwards.
- 21. Registered as mentor under CM startup scheme, Department Industries, HP (April 2023)
- **22.** Organized Practical sessions in Computer Science and Electronics Communication and Engineering Techniques for Students (41 no.) of Govt. Polytechnic Sundernagar on 24th March 2023.
- **23.** Organized One Day Workshop on Practices of Engineering Techniques for Students of Govt. Polytechnic for Women Kandaghat on 17th March 2023.
- **24.** Organized Gender Sensitization and Legal Awareness Camp at JUIT, Waknaghat on behalf of Gender Champions Club and ICC of JUIT where Mrs Sheetal Vyas (High Court advocate) was the expert on 15th March 2023
- **25.** Expert for providing awareness to UG and PG students on Zero discrimination day celebrated by Committee for complaint against caste based discrimination on 1st March 2023
- **26.** Member of evaluation panel for poster competition in Second National Science Day symposium (NSDS-2023) organized by Department of Physics and Material Sciences and Department of BT and BI on 24th February2023
- **27.** Expert in workshop on Gardening for Beginners organized by Gender Champion club and ICC JUIT on 24th Feb 2023
- **28.** Member of IQAC of Jaypee University of Information Technology, Waknaghat, Solan w.e.f. 1st Jan, 2023
- **29.** Organized a Blood Donation Camp as a Faculty coordinator with Lions Club Solan at JUIT Waknaghat on 26th Nov.2022
- **30.** Organized webinar on Ethics in Science by Prof. Om P Sharma as a member of Ethics Committee JUIT on November 19, 2022
- **31.** Member of Ethics Committee of JUIT,1st August 2022 onwards.
- **32.** Coordinated the MoU signing event of JUIT with IIT Ropar on 11th Nov,2022
- **33.** Coordinated the event Treasure hunt organized by Omega leo club 8th Nov,2022
- **34.** Coordinated a **Digital Poster Design competition** on different topics of the **Code of Ethics as a member of** Caste Based Discrimination Committee and Ethics Committee of JUIT from 1-7th Nov,2022
- **35.** Faculty in charge for Admission cell JUIT 2023 w.e.f 1st Nov,2022
- **36.** Faculty Coordinator for Omega Leo Club at JUIT from 13th October, 2022 -2024.

- **37.** Chairperson of the Committee for strengthening the activities under signed MoUs from 27th September, 2022.
- **38.** Member of Anti-ragging Committee of JUIT w.e.f. 20th August 2022 to 2024
- **39.** Member of Screening Committee for Empanelled Incubator at JUIT from 3rd August, 2022
- 40. Team coordinator for Education expo at Pragati Maidan, Delhi 2-3 July, 2022
- 41. Admission Cell Faculty Coordinator of the JUIT from December 2021 -2022
- **42.** NAAC core committee Convener for Governance leadership and management section 6 for 2022.
- **43.** Coordinated departmental visit of JNV Solan girl students of classes 10 and 12 as a part of Vigyan Jyoti Programme (an initiative by the Department of Science & Technology (DST) on 7th March 2022
- **44.** Convener for NEP Task Force -2 of JUIT, July 2022.
- 45. Reviewer and Mentor of Mr Ishaan startup projects from Department of Industries H P in TIEDC, JUIT, Dec2021 till now
- **46.** Coordinating HPPERC Chairperson visit in department as per verbal orders from registrar sir on 6th Oct 2021.
- 47. Member of JYC student member selection committee 2021-2022
- **48.** Reviewer of startup projects of Rahul Sharma from Department of Industries H P in TIEDC, JUIT, 13th Sep 2021
- **49.** Convener of IQAC Subcommittee(Governance Leadership& management)(2021-2022)
- **50.** Convener of IQAC Subcommittee(Institutional Values and Best practices) (2021-2022)
- **51.** Member of IQAC Core JUIT Sep10,2021 -2022
- **52.** Member of International collaboration centre, JUIT, July 2021 till today.
- 53. Member of Research Integrity Committee of JUIT 21st June,2021.
- 54. Member of Jaypee Universities of group4 created to explore tie –ups with International Universities under and for attracting foreign students to JUs from 1st Feb2021.
- 55. Member of Covid-19 safety committee in JUIT campus 8^{th} Feb 2021
- 56. Member of CARE (Consortium for academic research and ethics) task group as per UGC from $18^{\rm th}$ September 2020
- 57. Reviewer and Mentor of Mr Shubham startup projects from Department of Industries H P in TIEDC, JUIT, 2020 -2021 Dec.
- 58. Coordinator of off-page content of all departments for University new website authority building from September 2020 onwards
- **59.** Faculty incharge for University new website development, 2020 Jan 2022

- 60. Faculty member of Fitness Club of JUIT as part of the Fit India Campaign from March 2020,2021
- 61. Member of CARE committee of the JUIT Sep18th 2020 onwards.
- **62.** Reviewer of startup projects in TIEDC, JUIT, 2019
- **63.** Departmental Faculty in-charge for conducting Le Fiestus 2020
- **64.** Judged "Hindi Debate Competition" organized by the Literary and Dramatics Club of JYC on the occasion of "Hindi Diwas" i.e. 14th September 2019.
- **65.** Member of Internal Complaint Committee for Prohibition and Prevention of Sexual harassment of women as staff, faculty and students of JUIT July 16,2019,Sep2020,2021,2022,2023
- **66.** Admission Faculty Coordinator of the JUIT from December 2018 -2019-2020
- **67.** Mentor and Internal reviewer for Technology Incubation and Entrepreneurship Development Cell ,JUIT 2019-2020 (http://www.juit.ac.in/tiedc/InternalReview.php)
- 68. Reviewer of Start up project of Mr Arun Sharma from TIEDC, JUIT March, 2019
- **69.** Reviewer of Start up project *SVAP* (*Safe and Vigilante Anti-Rape Product*) from the Department of Industries HP and TIEDC JUIT on 14th Feb 2019
- **70.** Reviewer of Start up project UP from the Department of Industries HP and TIEDC JUIT on Organic Manure on 11th Dec 2018
- **71.** Participated in Conclave of Chief Ministers and Parliamentarians of Himalayan States on 5th October2018 at Peterhoff Shimla
- **72.** Committee member for complaints against Caste based discrimination September 26th 2018 and Sep 2020,2021,2022,2023.
- **73.** Coordinated 3days workshop on "Solan Startup weekend powdered by Google for entrepreneurs organized by Techstars, TIEDC of JUIT and HPCED from 14-16th Sep,2018
- **74.** Webmaster of JUIT from Feburary 2018 onwards
- **75.** University grievance redressal committee member 2017-2018-2019
- **76.** Sexual harassment committee member of JUIT 2017
- **77.** Anti ragging committee member of JUIT 2018-2019,2020,2021,2022
- 78. AQAR and IQACR 's Academic and Research committee 2017-2018-2019-2020
- **79.** Outlook Survey -17 compilation of university data.
- **80.** JYC faculty in-charge for conducting MNP and Le Festus 15 and 16 events of JYC

X. Research profile

1. Link for accessing details at JUIT website: https://www.juit.ac.in/faculty.php?id=117&dep=bio&page=0

- 2. Google scholar link Hemant Sood: https://scholar.google.co.in/citations?user=lwVkFbUAAAAJ&hl=en
- 3. Orchid Id:0000-0003-0001-4317
- 4. Scopus ID link https://www.scopus.com/authid/detail.uri?authorId=26641313800
- 5. Research Gate: https://www.researchgate.net/profile/Dr-Hemant-Sood

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