

Curriculum Vitae



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DESIGNATION : **Associate Professor**

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INSTITUTION : Department of Botany,
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NATIONALITY : Indian

CATEGORY : OBC

- **Ph. D. Research Topic:** “Taxonomical Studies on Grasses of Maharashtra”

- **EXPERIENCE: (UG – 15 years and PG - 2 years)**

Assistant Professor in the Department of Botany, Yashwantrao Chavan College of Science, Karad, Dist. Satara from 23rd January 2007 to date.

- **PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION, AWARDS, FELLOWSHIPS RECEIVED:**

1. Elected as Fellow of the Indian Association for Angiosperm Taxonomy (FIAAT) in 2014 for contribution in the field of Angiosperm Taxonomy.
2. Recognition as a Post Graduate Teacher and M. Phil. Guide. of Shivaji University, Kolhapur
3. Recognition as a Research Guide for M. Phil. Ph. D. of Shivaji University, Kolhapur

- **RESEARCH PROJECTS: 2 Completed**

Major	DST SERB	Rs. 20,56,855/-	Completed
Minor	UGC	Rs. 1,20,000/-	Completed

1. A major research project sanctioned by Science & Engineering Research Board (SERB), Government of India, New Delhi titled "Studies in Genus *Dichanthium* Willemet (Poaceae) of India". Amount Sanctioned Rs. 20,56,855/- Sanction Date 22 February, 2017 (Completed 13th January 2021)
2. A minor research project sanctioned by University Grants Commission (UGC) entitled "Floristic Survey of Agashiva Hills". Amount: Rs. 1,20,000/- (Completed 5-2-16).

● **BOOKS PUBLISHED: 10**

Reference Books	2
Text Books (B.Sc. I, II, III) Practical and Theory	8

1. Contributory Author – 'Know your Grass Genera Through Hand Lens' 2010. (Edited by S. R. Yadav), Shivaji University, Kolhapur. (ISBN – 978-81-8486-331-4)
2. Potdar, G. G., C. B. Salunkhe and S. R. Yadav. 2012. Grasses of Maharashtra, Shivaji University, Kolhapur. Total pages 656. (ISBN: 978-81-8486-450-2).
3. Sathe, S. S., R. A. Lavate, V. B. Shimpale and G. G. Potdar. 2014. A Handbook of Practical Botany B. Sc. I M/s. Jain Siddhant Publication Sangli (ISBN 978-81-907287-4-4).
4. Khade, S. K., N. A. Kulkarni, V. B. Shimpale and G. G. Potdar 2015. A Handbook of Practical Botany B. Sc. II Tejas Publication, Kolhapur. (ISBN 978-81-930142-9-5).
5. Khade, S. K., N. A. Kulkarni, V. B. Shimpale and G. G. Potdar 2018. A Text Book of Botany B. Sc. I Paper I & II Nirali Prakashan, Pune. (ISBN 978-93-88293-06-8).
6. Khade, S. K., N. A. Kulkarni, V. B. Shimpale and G. G. Potdar 2019. A Text Book of Botany B. Sc. I Paper III & IV Nirali Prakashan, Pune. (ISBN 978-93-88706-51-3).
7. Khade, S. K., N. A. Kulkarni, V. B. Shimpale and G. G. Potdar 2020. A Text Book of Botany B. Sc. II Paper VII & VIII Nirali Prakashan, Pune. (ISBN 978-93-89944-29-7).
8. Shimpale V. B., N. A. Kulkarni, S. K. Khade, G. G. Potdar and S. S. Khot 2021. Practical Botany B.Sc. III Sem V & VI Nirali Prakashan, Pune. (ISBN 978-93-5451-132-5).
9. Potdar, G. G., S. S. Khot, V. B. Shimpale, S. K. Khade and N. A. Kulkarni. 2023 A Text Book of Botany B. Sc. I Paper I & II Nirali Prakashan, Pune. (ISBN 978-93-5451-839-3).

10. Potdar, G. G., S. S. Khot, V. B. Shimpale, S. K. Khade and N. A. Kulkarni. 2023. Practical Botany B.Sc. II Sem III & IV Nirali Prakashan, Pune. (ISBN 978-81-19116-68-3).

• **EDITING OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE SEMINAR / SYMPOSIUM / CONFERENCE / WORKSHOPS:**

1. Co-editor – **Proceedings of the National Conference Recent Trends in Plant Sciences, Its future Prospects and Biodiversity Conservation** 29-30 November 2013 Atharva Publications, Jalgaon. (ISBN 978-93-82795-02-5).

• **PAPERS PUBLISHED: 22**

International	16
National	8
Proceedings	3

- Potdar, G. G., C. B. Salunkhe and S. R. Yadav. 2003. A new species of *Themeda* Forssk. (Poaceae) from India. **Kew Bulletin** Vol.: 58 (1): 243-246. (ISSN: 0075-5974)
- Potdar, G. G., C. B. Salunkhe and S. R. Yadav. 2002. Rediscovery of the grass genus *Hubbardia*. **Species** Vol.: 38 pp. 12.
- Salunkhe, C. B., G. G. Potdar and S. R. Yadav. 2002. *Brachiaria villosa* var. *barbata* Bor (Poaceae) – a new record for India. **Rheedea** Vol. 12 (2): 175-177. (ISSN: 0971-2313)
- Potdar, G. G., C. B. Salunkhe and S. R. Yadav. 2003. Rediscovery of a long lost Monotypic, Endemic Grass Genus *Hubbardia* Bor of Western Ghats. **Proceedings of Plant Diversity, Human Welfare and Conservation** pp. 317-320.
- Salunkhe, C. B. and G. G. Potdar. 2004. *Eulalia shrirangii*, a new species of Poaceae from India. **Kew Bulletin**. Vol.: 59 (4): 625-627. (ISSN: 0075-5974)
- Potdar, G. G., S. P. Gaikwad, C. B. Salunkhe and S. R. Yadav. 2004. A new species of *Mnesithea* Kunth (Poaceae) from India. **Kew Bulletin**. Vol.: 59 (4): 629-631. (ISSN: 0075-5974).
- Potdar, G. G., P. D. Mahekar and S. R. Yadav. 2005. New Generic records of grasses for Maharashtra. **J. Bom. nat. Hist. Soc.** Vol.: 102 (3): 365-368. ISSN : 0006-6982

8. Rani Bhagat, V. B. Shimpale, G. G. Potdar and R. B. Deshmukh. 2007 (2008). New records for Indian States – Maharashtra. **Rheedea** Vol. 17 (1& 2): 55. (ISSN: 0971 – 2313).
9. Yadav S. R., G. G. Potdar, Anil Kumar, A. M. Otaghvari & Anand Sonkar. 2008. *Eriocaulon epedunculatum*, a new species of Eriocaulaceae from Western Ghats of India. **Kew Bulletin**. Vol. 63: 503-505. (ISSN: 0075-5974)
10. Veldkamp, J. F., G. G. Potdar and S. R. Yadav. 2008 (2010) Notes on 3-flowered Paniceae (Poaceae) from India and the Cape Verde. **Rheedea**. 18 (2): 91-93. (ISSN:0971-2313)
11. G. G. Potdar and S. R. Yadav. 2011. A new species and a new variety of *Glyphochloa* (Poaceae) from Western Ghats of India. **Kew Bulletin**. 66: 1–4. (ISSN: 0075-5974)
12. Potdar, G. G. 2012. *Eriocaulon rajendrababui* Ansari & Balakr. (Eriocaulaceae): A New Record for Maharashtra State, **The Indian Forester**, 138 (8): 761-762. (ISSN: 0019-4816)
13. Potdar, G. G. 2014. *Hybanthus stellarioides* (Violaceae), a new record for Maharashtra. **Proceedings of the National Conference “Recent Trends in Plant Sciences, Its Future Prospects and Biodiversity Conservation”** pp. 124–125. (ISBN: 978-93-82795-025).
14. Potdar, G. G. 2015. A review of Medicinal Plants used as Natural Antioxidants in Rural Maharashtra. Proceedings of National Conference “Modern Trends in rural Management and Development” pp. 60–65. (ISBN: 978–81–9067732–6–6)
15. Patil, A. M. and G. G. Potdar. 2015. ‘Preliminary Phytochemical Screening of Some Important Medicinal Plants’ **Bionano Frontier**, 8 (3): 243–247. (ISSN: 0974–0678)
16. Hansraj Gautam, G. G. Potdar & T.N.C. Vidya. 2017. Using visual estimation of cover for rapid assessment of graminoid abundance in forest and grassland habitats in studies of animal foraging. **Phytocoenologia** 47 (4): 315–327. (ISSN: 0340-269X)
17. Shaikh T. J. & Potdar G. G. 2018. Micro-morphological studies in some species of *Dichanthium* Willemet (Poaceae) from Maharashtra, India. **Annals of Plant Sciences** 7 (4): 2150-2155. <http://dx.doi.org/10.21746/aps.2018.7.4.13>. [ISSN : 2287-688X]
18. Shaikh Tarbej, Pooja Mane and Girish Potdar 2020. *Chrysopogon shrirangii* sp. nov. (Poaceae: Andropogoneae) from Karnataka, India. **Nordic Journal of Botany**. 38 (7): 1-7 (<https://doi.org/10.1111/njb.02753>). (Online ISSN:1756-1051).

19. Tarbej Shaikh, Pooja Mane and Girish Potdar 2021. Composition of Essential Oils in *Bothriochloa bladhii* from Maharashtra. **Bioinfolet** 18 (1 B): 137 – 138.
 20. Shaikh Tarbej and Girish Potdar 2021. *Capillipedium yashwantraoi*, a new species of Poaceae from Madhya Pradesh, India. **Phytotaxa**. 502 (2): 179-184 (<https://doi.org/10.11646/phytotaxa.502.2.6>). [ISSN 1179-3163 (online edition)].
 21. Tarbej Shaikh, Raghunath Ghalme & Girish Potdar 2022. Typifications in the genus *Dichanthium* (Andropogoneae: Poaceae) **Phytotaxa** 530 (1): 103–110. (<https://doi.org/10.11646/phytotaxa.530.1.9>) ISSN 1179-3155 (print edition)
 22. Pooja Mane, Chandrakant Salunkhe, Girish Potdar 2022. Lectotypification of *Andropogon compressus* Hook.f. basionym of *Bothriochloa compressa* (Hook.f.) Henrard (Andropogoneae: Poaceae) **Int. J. Curr. Res. Biosci. Plant Biol.** 9(1), 42-44 (<https://doi.org/10.20546/ijcrbp.2022.901.005>) ISSN: 2349-8080 (Online).
 23. Pooja R. Mane , J. Swamy, C. B. Salunkhe, T. J. Shaikh, G. G. Potdar 2022. *Datura discolor* (Solanaceae): An Addition to the Flora of Maharashtra, India **The Indian Forester** 148 (1) : 99-100. (<http://dx.doi.org/10.36808/if%2F2022%2Fv148i1%2F157037>) ISSN: 0019-4816
 24. P R Mane, J Swamy, C B Salunkhe, G G Potdar. *Bothriochloa ischaemum* (poaceae: andropogoneae): An addition to the flora of eastern ghats, India **The Journal of Indian Botanical Society** 102 (2): 181-183.
 25. Pawar Shital S., Khandare Nilkanth K., Potdar Girish G. Cultural and Morphological Characterisation of *Alternaria brassicicola* Schwein. & Wiltshire. Associated with Leaf Spot Disease of Cabbage **Bioinfolet** 20 (2 A): 195 – 197. (4 July 2023)
 26. Tarbej Shaikh, Pooja Mane, Salunkhe Chandrakant and Potdar Girish 2023. Two new distributional records of grasses for Maharashtra State. **Indian Forester**, 149 (9) : 976-979. (DOI: 10.36808/if/2023/v149i9/167313).
 27. Tarbej J. Shaikh, R. L. Ghalme, Uday L. Chougule and Girish G. Potdar 2023. *Capillipedium parviflorum* and *Hemisorghum venustum* (Andropogoneane: Poaceae): Occurrence in India, notes on identity and typification. **Feddes Repertorium**. 2023;00:1–8.
- **Ph.D. THESIS EVALUATION AND VIVA VOCE CONDUCTED:**
 1. Conducted Ph. D. Open Defense Viva of Ms. S. S. Tathod at S. S. S K. Ramchandra Innani Mahavidyalaya, Karanja, Washim on 31st August 2019.
 - **REFRESHER / ORIENTATION/SHORT TERM COURSES/FDP COMPLETED:**

1. Refresher course in Life Sciences conducted by the UGC –Academic Staff College, University of Kerala, Kariavattom from 26-05-2011 to 16-06-2011.
2. Orientation course conducted by UGC–Academic Staff College, Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Marathwada University, Aurangabad from 02-06-2014 to 28-06-2014.
3. Refresher course in Life Sciences conducted by the Human Resource Development Centre, Saurashtra University, Rajkot from 06-06-2016 to 26-06-2016.
4. Short Term Faculty Development Programme of one week (7 days) duration on Train the Trainers (Botany) conducted by Faculty development Centere, UGC-HRDC, Savitribai Phule Pune University, Pune from 9/1/2019 to 15/1/2019.
5. One Week Faculty Development Program on ‘Cyber Security organized by Faculty Development Centre in Cyber Security and Data Sciences, Shivaji University, Kolhapur hosted by Yashwantrao Chavan College of Science, Karad conducted by FDC PMMMMTT during 2nd July -8th July 2019.
6. Two Weeks Faculty Development Programme on “Managing Online Classes and Co-creating MOOCS" organised by Teaching Learning Centre, Ramanujan College (University of Delhi) sponsored by MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT PANDIT MADAN MOHAN MALAVIYA NATIONAL MISSION ON TEACHERS AND TEACHING from 2nd April 2020 to 6th May 2020
7. One Week Faculty Development Program ‘Multimedia enriched e-Content Development’ jointly organized by Guru Angad Dev Teaching Learning Centre SGTB Khalsa College, University of Delhi under the Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya National Mission on Teachers and Teaching (PMMMNMTT) of MHRD on 21st -26th May 2020.
8. One Week Faculty Development Program ‘Development and Management of MOOCs and Online Courses using LMS – Moodle’ jointly organized by Guru Angad Dev Teaching Learning Centre SGTB Khalsa College, University of Delhi under the Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya National Mission on Teachers and Teaching (PMMMNMTT) of MHRD from 30th June 2020 - 4th July 2020.
9. UGC-HRDC sponsored Workshop/Short Term Course on ‘Research Methodology organised by UGC-HRDC, Punjabi University , Patiala from 2-11-2020 to 9-11-2020.
10. Completed Online one week Faculty Development Programme on “ACADEMIC ADMINISTRATION” from 07 - 13 November, 2022 organized by Teaching Learning Centre, Ramanujan College University of Delhi under the aegis of Ministry of Education Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya National Mission on Teachers and Teaching

● **RESOURCE PERSON:**

1. “Medicinal Plants” delivered lecture under Lead college Activity at Balwant College, Vita on 26th September 2014.
2. “Biodiversity of India” delivered lecture at Late Sheth Ramvilas Kisanlal Lahoti Kanya Prashala, Karad on 8th August 2015.
3. Served as a Resource person and delivered a lecture on “General Grass Morphology” in National Workshop on Grass Systematics organized by Department of Botany, Shivaji University, Kolhapur on 3rd January 2017.
4. Served as a Resource person and delivered a lecture on “Identification of Grasses and their importance in Forest Management” at The State Forestry Training Society Kundal’s, Kundal Academy of Development, Administration and Management on 10th November 2017.
5. Served as a Resource person and delivered a lecture on “Grasses of India” in National Workshop on Monocot Systematics organized by Center for Education, Learning and Research Training in Angiosperm Taxonomy, Department of Botany, Shivaji University, Kolhapur on 4th January 2019.
6. Served as a Resource person and delivered a lecture on “Grass Taxonomy” in Hands on Training in Plant Taxonomy organized by Department of Botany, Yashwantrao Chavan Institute of Science, Satara on 29th December 2018.
7. Worked as a examiner in Rayat Central Inspire Research Festival under Rayat Inspire Project, Rayat Shikshan Sanstha, Satara organized by Yashwantrao Chavan Institute of Science, Satara on 10th January 2020.
8. Member of Academic Audit Committee of Shivaji Univesity, Kolhapur at Sou. Mangaltai Ramchandra Jagtap Mahila Mahavidyalaya, Umbraj on 21.05.2022.
9. Worked as Board of Studies subcommittee member at Sadguru Gadage Maharaj College, Karad on 13th February 2020.
10. Worked as resource person for Peoples Biodiversity Report (PBR) for Dynandip Rasthriya Samajik and Shaikshnik Vikas Sanstha, Karad.
11. Worked as Examiner in Rayat Central Inspire Research Festival under Rayat Inspire Project organized by Yashwantrao Chavan Institute of Science, Satara on 10th Jan. 2020

● **PAPERS PRESENTED IN CONFERENCE/ SEMINAR/ WORKSHOP: 11**

1. Potdar G. G. and S. R. Yadav. "Lower Glume of Sessile Spikelet and its Significance in Identification of *Glyphochloa* Clayton Species" presented in 'National conference on Biodiversity: Taxonomy and Conservation' held at Majalgaon College, on 27th & 28th July 2002. G. G. Potdar received best paper presentation award for the same.
2. Potdar, G. G., C. B. Salunkhe and S. R. Yadav. "Rediscovery of a Long Lost Monotypic, Endemic Grass Genus *Hubbardia* Bor of Western Ghats" presented in XII Annual Conference of IAAT, 'National Seminar on Plant Taxonomy in Nation Development organised by Department of Botany, Goa University, Goa on 26th & 27th Sept. 2002 at Goa University, Goa.
3. Potdar G. G. and S. R. Yadav. "Monotypic grass genera of Maharashtra" presented in XIII Annual Conference of IAAT, 'Plant Taxonomy: Advances and Relevance' organised by University Department of Botany, T.M. Bhagalpur University on 14th & 15th November 2003 at T. M. Bhagalpur University, Bhagalpur.
4. Potdar G. G. and B. A. Karadge. "Some economically important grass genera of Maharashtra" presented in a state level seminar on "Botany and Industry" organised by Department of Botany, Shivaji University, Kolhapur on 21st February, 2004.
5. Potdar G. G., B. A. Karadge and S. R. Yadav. "Idiosyncratic grasses of lateritic plateaus of higher altitudes in Northern Western Ghats of India" presented in XIV annual conference of IAAT, 'National Seminar on New Frontiers in Plant Taxonomy and Biodiversity Conservation' organized by Tropical Botanic Garden and Research Institute, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala during 29–31 December, 2004.
6. Potdar G. G., B. A. Karadge and S. R. Yadav. "Practical and illustrated generic Key for grasses of Maharashtra" presented in XV Annual Conference of IAAT, 'National Seminar on Emerging Trends in Plant Taxonomy' organized by Dept. of Botany, Rashtrasant Tukadoji Maharaj Nagpur University, Nagpur during 20-21 October, 2005.
7. Potdar G. G. & S. R. Yadav. "Taxonomical Studies on Grasses of Maharashtra" presented in XVIth Annual Conference of IAAT and 'International Seminar on Present Trends and Future Prospects of Angiosperm Taxonomy' organized by MACS – Agharkar Research Institute, Pune on October 4-6, 2006.
8. Chavan S. R. and G.G. Potdar. 'Education Programme to Create Awareness about Medicinal Plant Wealth' presented in National Seminar on Medicinal Plants: Status and Future organized by Department of Botany, Shivaji University, Kolhapur on 6th & 7th November 2012.

9. Potdar, G. G. 'A review of Medicinal Plants used as Natural Antioxidants in Rural Maharashtra' presented paper in Two Day National Conference on "Modern Trends in rural Management and Development" organized by Bharati Vidyapeeth Deemed University, Institute of Management and Rural Development Administration, Sangali on 28th February and 1st March 2015.
10. Patil, A. M. and G. G. Potdar. 'Preliminary Phytochemical Screening of Some Important Medicinal Plants' presented paper in two Day International Conference on "Contemporary Research in Chemical and Life Sciences organized by Sadguru Gadage Maharaj College, Karad on 22nd and 23rd April 2015.
11. Patil, A. M. and G. G. Potdar. 'Phytochemical Screening and Antioxidant Activity of *Garcinia talbotti* Raiz ex Sant.' presented paper in the International Conference on Advances in Asian Medicine Symposium on Ethnopharmacology – Validation of Traditional Medicine organized by Bharati Vidyapeeth University–Poona College of Pharmacy on 4th January 2016.

● **CONFERENCE/ SEMINAR/ WORKSHOP ATTENDED: 19**

1. Workshop on Plant Biosystematics organised by Centre for Environmental Management of Degraded Ecosystems, School of Environmental Studies, University of Delhi held at University of Delhi, Delhi from 1st to 15th March 2001.
2. Campaign on University Research and Training [COURT 2003] organised by Shivaji University, Kolhapur on 26th and 27th June 2003.
3. National Seminar on 'The Wetlands' organised by Department of Botany, Shivaji University, Kolhapur on 2nd February 2005.
4. Workshop-cum-Steering Committee Meeting for AICOPTAX Project from 19th to 21st May 2005 organized by Ministry of Environment & Forests, New Delhi held at Botanical Survey of India, TNAU Campus, Coimbatore.
5. Methodology Workshop on Quantitative Assessment and Mapping of Plant Resources of the Eastern Ghats from 18th to 20th March 2006 organized by Department of Biotechnology, New Delhi held at Department of Botany, Sri Krishnadevaraya University, Anantpur.
6. XVith Annual Conference of IAAT and 'International Seminar on Present Trends and Future Prospects of Angiosperm Taxonomy' organized by MACS – Agharkar Research Institute, Pune on October 4-6, 2006.

7. National Workshop on Grass Systematics organized by Department of Botany, Shivaji University, Kolhapur from 5th to 9th March 2007.
8. XVII Annual Conference of Indian Association for Angiosperm Taxonomy and International Seminar on Changing Scenario in Angiosperm Systematics organized by Department of Botany, Shivaji University, Kolhapur from 19th to 21st November 2007.
9. 2nd National Workshop on Grass Systematics organized by Department of Botany, Shivaji University, Kolhapur from 3rd to 8th March 2008.
10. Two days state level seminar 'Recent Trends in Conservation, Utilization and Application of Medicinal Plants' organized by Kisan Veer Mahavidyalaya, Wai on 25th and 26th March 2009.
11. National Conference on Plant Biodiversity organized by Department of Botany, Yashwantrao Chavan Institute of Science, Satara on 23rd & 24th April 2010.
12. One day Seminar on Plant Diversity Conservation organized by Department of Botany, Shivaji University, Kolhapur 25th June 2013.
13. National Conference on Environment and Biodiversity: Challenges, Conservation and Preservation organized by Dr. Patangrao Kadam Mahavidyalaya, Sangali. On 7th September 2013.
14. One day National Seminar on 'Private Universities and Quality of Higher Education' organized by Shivaji University Teachers Association, Kolhapur on 6th October 2013.
15. One day Workshop on "Academic Performance Indicators (API)" organized by Dahiwadi College, Dahiwadi on 19th March 2014.
16. One day Teacher's workshop on "Revised Syllabus of Botany for B. Sc. III Paper IX to XII" organized by Department of Botany, Ajara Mahavidyalaya, Ajara on 24th August 2015.
17. Participated in one day National Seminar on "Revised Process of Assessment and Accreditation Frameworks of NAAC" organized by The New College, Kolhapur on 27th January 2018.
18. Participated in one day Workshop on 'Revised syllabus of B.Sc. I Botany (Practical) as per CBCS' organized by The New College, Kolhapur on 20th August 2018.
19. Participated in one day Workshop on 'Yuva Mahiti Doot' organized by 'Arts and Commerce College, Satara on 29th October 2018.
20. Attended National Workshop on Submission of Online AQAR under Revised NAAC Guidelines organized by Sardar Babasaheb Mane Mahavidyalaya, Rahimatpur on 11 Oct. 2019.

21. Participated in Two day National Seminar on RAF OF NAAC: A Paradigm Shift at Sadguru Gadage Maharaj College, Karad held on 4th and 5th February 2020.
22. Attended One Day National Workshop on New Spirit of Assessment and Accreditation Process held at Jaysingpur College, Jaysingpur on 20th July 2019.
23. Participated in one day workshop on ‘Mandatory Audits in Educational Institutes for the NAAC Accreditation’ organized by CNCVVW, Kolhapur on 29th January 2021.
24. Attended a National Webinar on 'Role of Biotechnology in Biodiversity Conservation' organized by Yashwantrao Chavan Warana Mahavidyalaya, Warananagar on 28 July 2021.
25. Attended Two Day National Workshop on New AQAR Guidelines 2020-21 Organized by Christ College- Pune, Internal Quality Assurance Cell in Association with IQAC Cluster And UGC-HRDC-SPPU On 19th & 20th November 2021.
26. Attended an online course on Importance of Intellectual Property Right in Research organized by White code on 21st March 2022.

• **Organization of Conference/ Workshop/Seminar/Training Workshop:**

1. Member of Organizing Committee of National Conference on ‘Recent Trends in Life Sciences with reference to Biotechnology and Applied Zoology’ organized by Department of Zoology, Yashwantrao Chavan College of Science, Karad on 27th –28th September 2013.
2. Co-ordinator of National Conference on ‘Recent Trends in Plant Sciences, Its Future Prospects and Biodiversity Conservation’ organized by Department of Botany, Yashwantrao Chavan College of Science, Karad on 29th–30th November 2013.
3. Co-ordinator of National Webinar on “Science, Environment and Human Health” organized by Guru Angad Dev Teaching-Learning Centre of MHRD (PMMMNMSTT) SGTB Khalsa College, Delhi University in collaboration with Yashwantrao Chavan College of Science, Karad (IQAC & Department of Botany) on 2nd July 2020.

• **ARTICLES PUBLISHED IN NEWSPAPERS:**

1. Potdar, G. G., Article on ‘Nisargacha Samtol Sadhanare Gavatal Pradesh’ in Special Issue ‘Sahyadricha Warasa’ published by Daily Lokmat, Kolhapur 2012.

2. Potdar, G. G., Article on ‘Manava, Ka re Ha Vanva?’ published by Daily Lokmat, Kolhapur 2013.

● **LIFE MEMBERSHIP OF ASSOCIATIONS:**

1. Life Member of Indian Association for Angiosperm Taxonomy (IAAT).
2. Life Member of Indian Science Congress Association (ISCA).

● **OTHERS:**

1. Worked as a Reviewer for ‘*Rheedea*’, The Journal of Indian Association for Angiosperm Taxonomy, Volume No. 22 (1&2) 2012.
2. Appointed as Advisory Board Member for *Journal of Botanical Research*, Bioinfo Publications ISSN: 0976-9889 & E-ISSN: 0976-9897.
3. Appointed as Editorial Board Member for *International Journal of Bioassays*, ISSN: 2278-778X.