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### CV

Dr. Shankar Lal Garg is a reputed personality of the world with rich professional experience in different aspects of science research and development, teaching and research, institutional growth, international cooperation etc. Dr. Garg is recognized as a well-known biodiversity environmentalist, eminent scientist, good researcher and bright academician having sound administrative acumen. He is a person of integrity, vision and foresight to lead any institute to new heights in qualitative as well as quantitative growth. He has skills to work with international people and he can collaborate with international foreign Governments and other organizations.



Motto of his life is “SAVE EARTH”. He believes in good biodiversity and good environment. He is Founder Director of “**World Researchers Associations**” WRA which is a no-profit organization established under Ministry of Corporate Affairs, Government of India and exempted under 80-G of Income Tax. Dr. Garg promotes research in various fields and publishes few reputed and well indexed peer reviewed journals to encourage academicians, research scholars and scientists from all over the world to publish their research free of cost.

Further he has planted 50,000 trees of 600 varieties including Dragons, Saffron, Walnut, Olive, Mulberries, Almond, Apple, Avocado, Fig, Cherry, Peach, Pineapple, Grapes, Mango, Guava, Custard Apple, Aonla, Phalsa, Sapota - Chiku, Lichi, Orange, Sweet Lime, Lemon, Pomegranate, Kabit, Khirni, Jackfruit, Cashew, Banana, Cardamom, Coconut, Khajur – Dates, Jamun, Pear, Kamrakh, Imli, Banyan, Pipal, Neem, Sandalwood, Mahogani, Khamar, Bamboo, Shisham, Teakwood, Willow etc. on rocks and stones at barren rocky hillock “**Keshar Parvat**” near Mhow, Indore in last nine years. Water is being purchased every day to water the plants and to keep them alive. He wishes to convert 22 Acres of this barren rocky land into thick dense forest. There were no trees at the hillock since ages. Now Keshar Parvat is a spiritual and hot biodiversity spot of Madhya Pradesh in the private sector developed and promoted by Dr. Garg. One can see so many birds, butter flies, insects, and wild animals like Jackal, Hyena, Nilgai, Wild Pigs and so on. Website of Keshar Parvat is [www.kesharparvat.com](http://www.kesharparvat.com).

At present, India is having only 24% cover of forests of total area of India which should be at least 33% in eyes of Dr. Garg. Prime Minister of India wishes to convert 26 million hectare of waste land of India into useful agriculture or forest land by end of year 2030. Dr. Garg project of Keshar Parvat forest is humble contribution towards converting wasteland into forest.

Dr. Garg has proven leadership qualities, administrative capabilities as well as excellent teaching and research credentials. He is M.Sc. Gold Medalist, Ph.D., LL. B. and MBA (US). He was always first divisioner and scholarship holder in his academic career right from school life. Devi Ahilya University, Indore awarded him Silver Medal in B.Sc. for getting highest marks in chemistry in the University in 1968. Dr. Garg was awarded Gold Medal by the University in M.Sc. for standing first in the University in 1970. He got highest marks in M.P. He also did Ayurveda course and B.Mus. He has won national and international recognitions as an environmentalist, good researcher and excellent teacher.

### Some Prestigious Awards

| S.N. | Award Name                                      | Year of Award | Type of Award | Awarding Authority                        | Cause                                                                                                          |
|------|-------------------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|-------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 1.   | MP State Biodiversity Award                     | 2021          | National      | MP State Biodiversity Board               | Award of Rs. Two Lacs for creating Biodiversity and environment by planting 32000 trees alone at Keshar Parvat |
| 2.   | Sri Doddamma Devi National Award                | 2025          | National      | Sri Dodadamma Charitable Trust, Karnataka | Award of Rs. One Lac for environment conservation                                                              |
| 3.   | Gunijan Samman                                  | 2021          | National      | Shri Ahilyotsav Samitee                   | For best work in environment, teaching and research                                                            |
| 4.   | Jajbe Ko Salam                                  | 2021          | State         | MP News                                   | For planting 32000 trees on a barren rocky hillock of 25 acres in 6 years                                      |
| 5.   | Global Green Award                              | 2020          | National      | Tree Bank                                 | For academic and environment leadership                                                                        |
| 6.   | Mahatma Gandhi Leadership Award                 | 2019          | International | NRI Society                               | Awarded at UK to 25 people across the globe to make India shine                                                |
| 7.   | Academic Leadership Award                       | 2019          | International | GISR Foundation                           | Awarded at Dubai for the best academician                                                                      |
| 8.   | Global Education and Corporate Leadership Award | 2019          | National      | LWT India                                 | At Jaipur for education and leadership                                                                         |
| 9.   | Anak Sarawak Award                              | 2010          | International | Sarawak Govt., Malaysia                   | At Malaysia for promoting research in environment                                                              |

He is well known as science researcher and as Editor of various double-blind peer reviewed international monthly research journals indexed throughout the world. His reputed E-journals are **Research Journal of Chemistry and Environment**, **Research Journal of Biotechnology** and **Disaster Advances**. Dr. Garg is also editor of various other journals like American Journal of Climate Change published from USA and other journals of Poland, Romania, Iran, China and Canada etc. He is collaborating research with various countries like China, Korea, Thailand etc.

Dr. Garg was Vice President of International Research of Korean Organization Human Bio Ltd. He is academic and scientific member of various scientific and technical committees of Europe, China, Taiwan and Malaysia. He is Director of Environmental Disasters Research Institute. He believes in minimization of natural calamities all over the world.

He served as Ex Pro-Vice Chancellor, Oriental University, Indore and Ex Adviser Sage University, Indore. Dr. Garg was Post-Graduate Principal of Holkar Science College and Shri Atal Bihari Vajpayee Government Arts and Commerce College, Indore having more than 5000 students. College received 'A' grade from NAAC under his leadership. His college was declared as National Premier Institute and nowadays one of the best colleges of Madhya Pradesh. He has served higher education department of Government of Madhya Pradesh for more than 44 years as lecturer, assistant professor, professor and principal. He was selected by Public Service Commission. He has served at Indore, Dhar, Dewas, Balaghat,

Khargone, Ratlam and thus he has rich knowledge of not only urban students but also of rural and SC, ST backward area students. Where ever he served, he built up the institute, started new programs and won respect and love of colleagues and students. Being a Professor of Chemistry, he is respected everywhere for his knowledge and wisdom.

He has traveled to more than 80 countries including USA, UK, Australia, Russia, Europe etc. for academic and research activities. He was appointed as the only judge from India in Environmental Design Contest in year 2004 in UAE. His organizing capacity is superb and he has organized many international conferences in India and abroad in China, Thailand, Malaysia, Romania, Kuwait, UAE and Belgium. He himself has participated in more than 100 international conferences all over the world and has delivered key note lectures and invited talks. He has participated in more than 150 national conferences in India. He had served in various scientific committees. He was invited in Switzerland in August 2006 to participate in International Disaster Reduction Conference organized by UNESCO. He was also invited at Bali in UNO conference in Indonesia. Dr. Garg also participated in Elsevier conference at Delhi. Dr. Garg was also press representative in one of the UNO conferences.

He is the only Academician in MP who has invited many Indian celebrities of different fields during his tenure at various institutes where ever he served. Hon'ble Ex-President Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam, Eminent Scientists Dr. Vasant Gowariker, Dr. G. Madhavan Nair, Dr. R. Chidambaram, Dr. Anil Kakodkar and Dr. Sivaram, Famous singers like Pankaj Udhas, Tipanaji and Kunal Ganjawala, Reputed instrument players like Zakir Hussain, Pandit Shiv Sharma, Hariprasad Chaurasia, Vishwamohan Bhatt, Film personalities like Aishwarya Rai Bachchan, Hema Malini and Ashutosh Rana, Sports personalities like Rajyavardhan Singh Rathore and Sushil Doshi, Journalists like Prabhu Chawla and Rajat Sharma, Literary people like Neeraj, Rahat Indori, Surendra Sharma, Bashir Badra, Yoga Guru Dr. Nagendra of Bangalore and Dr. Hansa Jaydev of Mumbai and many political personalities came on invitation of Dr. Garg to his institutes.

70 students have obtained Ph. D. under his guidance and he has published more than 35 research papers in well reputed peer reviewed international journals indexed with SCI and SCOPUS. His areas of research are multi-dimensional: Chemical Sciences, Environmental Sciences, Polymers, Drugs, Biotechnology, Biochemistry, Disasters, Earth Sciences, Management, Science, Religion and Spiritualism etc.

He is Director of NGO **"The Management Environment and Science Research Society"**. He loves nature and wants to serve for development of India. Dr. S.L. Garg is actively involved in all activities in reference to Bauddhik discussions and environment. He is Chairman of Jammu Kashmir Study Center (now called Ladakh and Jammu Kashmir Study Center) Malwa Prant since last seven years. Dr. Garg was Dean of Agriculture and Rural Development of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar University of Social Sciences, Mhow, Indore in temporary capacity after retirement from Government service. Dr. Garg published first newspaper "Brauss News" of this university and it was the first newspaper published by any State University of India.

Dr. Garg was the only Indian whose three journals were having good SCI and SCOPUS impact factors. In the year 2012, out of the vast list of about 2,00,000 journals being published throughout the world, Dr. Garg's three journals namely "Disaster Advances"; "Research Journal of Biotechnology" and "Research Journal of Chemistry and Environment" were having good impact factors. Thomson Reuters SCI and Elsevier Scopus recognize only about 40, 000 journals out of vast list of 2,00,000 journals in the world and three journals of Dr. Garg were included in list of SCI and SCOPUS. It was a rare achievement by any Indian in field of scientific research and its publications. His journal "Disaster Advances" was at top position in India with highest impact factor of 2.272 in year 2012. Website of all his journals is <https://worldresearchersassociations.com>

Dr. Garg always introduced new courses in various colleges and paid attention for students' development. In every college, number of students increased enormously and results were excellent. He organized various conferences in every college.

He promoted noble cause of research everywhere. He believed in discipline, cleanliness of campus, good environment, meaningful teaching and devoted faculty. He is himself a dedicated teacher and always thought for good of students irrespective of caste, religion and creed. He has rich experience in institution building. He keeps himself in good health because of Yoga. He passed NCC Air Wing “C” Certificate in year 1968. He was executive council member and senate member of Devi Ahilya University, Indore. He was also elected as University student representative by direct election in 1969 in University Students Council.

His articles have been published in various journals, famous magazines like “Earthzine” and newspapers. He is author of six books in field of environmental chemistry, society and ethics, environmental nanotechnology. His book on Environmental Nanotechnology has been published by Lambert Academic Publishing, Germany.

He has research experience of 35 years and administrative experience of 28 years. He has examined D.Sc. and Ph.D. thesis of various Universities of India and Abroad. He served as Peer Team Member of National Assessment and Accreditation Council (NAAC), Bangalore and visited more than 60 colleges of various states. He has served as Member of Interview Board and Syllabi Committee of State Public Service Commission and State U.G.C. He went to Manchester for one-year Post-Doctoral Research in Petroleum Chemistry in 1973 at Univ. of Manchester, Institute of Science and Technology (U.K.) on Govt. of India Scholarship. He was also awarded UGC fellowship for research and mini research project by MP Council of Science and Technology. He went to Kuwait University as visiting professor in year 2007.

Dr. Garg is fellow member of various scientific and academic societies of India and world. He is life member of Indian Science Congress. Dr. Garg has been recently appointed as fellow of Royal Society of Chemistry, London (FRSC). Only 275 Indians have been nominated as fellows of Royal Society of Chemistry in last 75 years. Dr. Garg is patron and fellow member of World Researchers Associations (FWRA). He is also member of various social organizations. His interests are many and he loves to lead simple life. He enjoys company of snow-clad mountains and sea. He loves travelling and he has traveled India and abroad extensively.

Dr. Garg has a good taste for music, literature, journalism, yoga, sports, religion and spiritualism. He believes that India can make excellent progress through Biodiversity, Environment and Research only. Overall, he wants good international co-operation for research and development in various fields. Wherever he goes, he works for quality in higher education and good environment. His contribution to scientific society and academic world through his various achievements, good knowledge and strong administrative abilities deserves commendation and appreciation. Plantation of 50000 trees to convert barren rocky land into thick dense forest and hot biodiversity spot, encouraging academicians, research scholars and scientists to publish their research in his journals are his exemplary works.

## Personal Information

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## Memberships

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| • Fellow Member    | - | Royal Society of Chemistry, London                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| • Fellow Member    | - | World Researchers Associations                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| • Fellow Member    | - | International Congress of Chemistry and Environment                                                                                                                                                                            |
| • Fellow Member    | - | International Society of Biotechnology                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| • Fellow Member    | - | International Society of Management                                                                                                                                                                                            |
| • Fellow Member    | - | International Congress of Disaster Management                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| • Life Member      | - | Indian Science Congress                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| • Associate Member | - | Institute of Petroleum, London (U.K.)                                                                                                                                                                                          |
| • President        | - | M.P. Chapter of Indian Polymer Society.                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| • President        | - | Jain Social Group Indore, Main                                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| • Patron           | - | Youth Hostel Association of India, Indore Unit.                                                                                                                                                                                |
| • Patron           |   | 1 <sup>st</sup> National Conference on Urban Biodiversity Conservation                                                                                                                                                         |
| • Chairman         | - | Jammu Kashmir Study Center (now called Ladakh and Jammu Kashmir Study Center) Malwa Prant since last five years.                                                                                                               |
| • Member           | - | Rotary Club, Om Nagpal Trust, Spic Macay, Lions Club, Indore Jaycees, Abhyas Mandal, Agrawal Sabha, Abhinav Kala Samaj, Shree Agrawal Maitri Sangh, Agrawal Parishad etc. and held various positions in various organizations. |



(Dr. S.L. GARG)