

## Curriculum Vitae

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### Academic information

#### Educational Qualifications

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Degree	University	Year	Subjects	OGPA
Ph. D	Tamil Nadu Agricultural University	2005	Agricultural Microbiology	9.66/10
M. Sc	Tamil Nadu Agricultural University	2001	Agricultural Microbiology	9.41/10
B. Sc. (Agri.)	Kerala Agricultural University	1999	Agriculture	9.1/10.0

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#### Details of employment

2021 August –

Assistant Professor, Kerala Agricultural University

2005 August-2021 August- Agricultural Officer, Agricultural Development and Farmers' Welfare Department, Government of Kerala

**Specialized trainings undergone:**

1. Post Graduate Diploma in Plant Health Management from National Institute of Plant Health Management, Hyderabad during 2014-15
2. Workshop on *Azolla* and cyanobacterial biofertilizer technology for rice, Tamil Nadu Agricultural University, Coimbatore, 2001

**List of Publications**

- Soumya, V.I and Sundaram, SP. (2018). Production of indole acetic acid, cytokinins and gibberelic acid by pink pigmented facultative methylootrophs. *Journal of Plant & Agriculture Research*, 3(1).
- Soumya, V.I., Sundaram, S.P. and Meenakumari, K.S. (2011) Pink pigmented facultative methylootrophs induce direct morphogenesis in cowpea [*vigna unguiculata* (L.) Walp]. *Legume Research*, 34 (2). pp. 111-116.
- K.K. Sulochana, P. Sivaprasad, V.I. Soumya and Kamala Nayar (2003) Biological Control of Sheath Blight of rice using fluorescent pseudomonads and AMF in the field. 6<sup>th</sup> International PGPR Workshop, 5-10 Oct, Calicut, India
- P. Sivaprasad, V.I. Soumya, Kamal Nayar and C. Christina Susan (2003) Isolation and testing of fluorescent pseudomonads against *Xanthomonas betlicola* infection in betelvine (*Piper betle* L.) 8<sup>th</sup> International Congress of Plant Pathology, 2-7 Feb, 2003, Christchurch, New Zealand

**Professional recognition, awards, fellowships received:**

*Fellowships:*

1. ICAR-NATP Junior Research fellowship for doing M. Sc in Agricultural Microbiology
2. CSIR Junior Research fellowship for doing Ph. D

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