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5. Date of Birth : April 9, 1962
6. Specialization : Paniniya Grammar and
Sanskrit Literature
7. Qualifications : Vyakaranacharya (Gold Medalist),
Sahityacharya, M.A. (Sanskrit), Ph.D.

Sl. No.	Examinations	University	Subjects	Division
1.	Prathama	Bihar Sanskrit Board	Vyakaran, sahitya,etc	First
2.	Madhyama	B.H.U., Varanasi	Vyakaran	First
3.	Shastri	S.S.U., Varanasi	Sahitya	Second
4.	Shastri	B.H.U., Varanasi	Vyakaran	First
5.	Acharya	B.H.U., Varanasi	Vyakaran	First
6.	Acharya	S.S.U., Varanasi	Sahitya	First
7.	M.A.	Kashi Vidyapeeth, Varanasi	Sanskrit	First
8.	Ph.D.	B.H.U., Varanasi	Paniniya Pratyahara Samiksha	Published in 1997

8. Additional Examinations :

- i. Geeta examination (Prathama, Madhyama & Uttma) passed from B.H.U. in 1976, 1978 and 1980, by Geeta Samiti, B.H.U.
- ii. Certificate course in Yoga, 1982, by Yoga Sadhana Kendra, B.H.U.

9. Publications :

- i. **Pratiryogita Prabandhadarsha** -1986
- ii. **Devi Geeta** (with hindi translation) - 1986
- iii. **Paniniya Pratyahar Samiksha** - 1997
- iv. **Rashtrotkarsh Vimarsha** - 2001
- v. **Rashtragaauravam** - 2004

10. Distinctions/Prizes/awards/Medals/Honors, etc.:

- i. **Second** in order of Merit in **Madhyama** Examination, B.H.U., 1977.
- ii. **Second** in order of Merit in **Shastri** Examination, B.H.U., 1980.
- iii. **Gold Medal** for standing First in **Vyakaranacharya** Examination, B.H.U., 1982.
- iv. **Vth** in order of merit at **M.A. (Sanskrit)** Examination, Kashi Vidyapeeth, 1985.
- v. **Silver Medal** for holding second position in **Inter-University Sanskrit Debate** held in **Kalidas Samaroh**, Vikram University, Ujjain 1981.
- vi. **Silver Medal** for obtaining First position in **Sanskrit Debate**, Varanasi, 1981.
- vii. **Gold Medal** for securing First position in **Inter-University Sanskrit Debate** held in **Kalidas Samaroh**, Vikram University, Ujjain 1982.
- viii. **Silver Medal** for securing First position in **Sanskrit Debate** held in Varanasi, 1983.
- ix. Secured First positions and received prizes in Sanskrit Debates, Talks in Sanskrit, Essay writings, etc. organized in SVDV, B.H.U. from 1975 to 1983.
- x. An award of **Rs.5000 Vividha Shastra Puraskar** by Uttar Pradesh Sanskrit Sansthan, Lucknow on the book entitled, Paniniya Pratyahar Samiksha-1997.
- xi. An award of **Rs. 1000** by the Uttar Pradesh Sanskrit Sansthan, Lucknow for acting as director in a drama in Sanskrit -1997.
- xii. An award of Rs.25000 **Banbhatt Puraskar** by the Uttar Pradesh Sanskrit Sansthan, Lucknow on the book entitled Rashtrotkarsh-Vimarsha-2001.
- xiii. An award of **Rs. 100000 Maharshi Badrayan Vyas Samman** for young Sanskrit Scholars by the **President of India, Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam** in year 2002.

- xiv. An award of **Rs 5000 Vividh Shastra Puraskar** by Uttar Pradesh Sanskrit Sansthan, Lucknow on the book entitled, Rashtragauravam-2004.
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11. Administrative assignments :

- i. **Administrative Warden**, Ruiya Hostel Sanskrit block, B.H.U. from September 1996 to September 2002 (6 yrs).
- ii. Again **Administrative Warden** Ruiya Hostel Sanskrit block, B.H.U. from April 2006 to November 2007 (more than 1 ½ yrs).
- iii. **Proctor**, B.H.U. Proctorial board from July 1998 to August 2002 (4 yrs).
- iv. **Joint Secretary**, Geeta Samiti, B.H.U. from November 1998 to July 2008 (10 yrs).
- v. **Member** of residential accommodation allotment committee, B.H.U. from October 2004 to June 2009 (5yrs).
- vi. **Editor** of student's magazine 'srizan', B.H.U. from 2003 to date.

12. Other Extra – curricular activities :

- i. **Represented** on behalf of B.H.U. as **Team Manager** for Sanskrit Debates at **Ujjain** in 1994, **Delhi** in 1996-1997 and 1999-2000 at **Meerut**.
- ii. **Secretary**, Kavi Bharti, Varanasi from November 1997 to July 2002 (5yrs).
- iii. **Educative Member** of Shri Kashi Vidwat Parishad, from 1998 to date.
- iv. **Secretary**, Kashi Bibhuti parishad, Varanasi from July 2001 to date.
- v. **Coordinator**, Akhil Bhartiya Vidwat Parishad (U.P) from May 2004 to date.
- vi. **Sanskrit Natyanirdeshan** in 1995 for **Veni Sanghar** third part, 1996 and 1997 for **Karnabharam** and in 2000 for **Charudattam**.

13. Additional information's :

- i. **Ten talks in Sanskrit at Akashvani, Varanasi and Allahabad.**
- ii. **Fourteen Kavyapath in Sanskrit at Akashvani, Varanasi and Allahabad.**
- iii. **Two times Contribution in Doordarshan, Varanasi for Amrit Darshan.**
- iv. **Completed Four refresher courses for three-week duration each at Sampurnanand Sanskrit University (S.S.U.), Varanasi and B.H.U.**
- v. **More than 45 Research Papers published in many Research Magazines or books.**

14. Teaching Experience 24 years -

Sl.No.	Designation	Name of Employer	Date of Joining/Leaving
1.	Assistant Teacher in Vyakaran (TGT)	R.S. School, B.H.U.	09.04.1985 to 06.01.1989
2.	Lecturer in Vyakaran	Banasthali Vidyapeeth (Raj.)	07.01.1989 to 31.08.1991
3.	Lecturer in Sahitya	Department of Sahitya, Faculty of SVDV, B.H.U.	03.10.1991 to 02.10.1996
4.	Senior Lecturer in Sahitya	Department of Sahitya, Faculty of SVDV, B.H.U.	03.10.1996 to 02.10.2000
5.	Reader in Sahitya	Department of Sahitya, Faculty of SVDV, B.H.U.	03.10.2000 to 11.11.2007
6.	Professor in Sanskrit	Department of Sanskrit, Faculty of Arts, B.H.U.	12.11.2007 to date

15. Participation in Sanskrit Kavi Samvaya/Seminars :

- i. Kalidas Sanskrit Academy, Ujjain in 1994, 2004, 05, 06, 08, 09 and at Meerut in 1998, 1999, 2000 and at Delhi Sanskrit Academy, New Delhi in 2007, 2009.
- ii. 35 seminars attended in Varanasi, Lucknow, Ujjain, Meerut, New Delhi etc.

16. Experience of guiding research**A. Five Ph.D. Produced**

- i. Sanjay chaturvedi 1993
- ii. Poonam Sinha 2001
- iii. Vishnu Chandra jha 2001
- iv. Anil kumar Chaubey 2002
- v. Vinod Kumar Tiwari 2005

B. Presently Working Three

- i. Sandhya Kumari
- ii. Roopam Pathak
- iii. Pradeep Kumar Mishra

