

# **Bilal Habib**

Ph.D.

Scientist

### **Profile**

I am a conservation biologist interested in the integration of quantitative and interdisciplinary approaches to conservation challenges. With the interest in nature conservation, human-wildlife interactions, larger carnivore conservation, and other megafauna in human-dominated landscapes. I have been involved in field research since 2001. My doctoral research was on the ecology of the Indian wolf in the Great Indian Bustard Sanctuary. Maharashtra, India. Before joining the Wildlife Institute of India, I worked as Wildlife Survey Program Manager for the Wildlife Conservation Society's Afghanistan Biodiversity Project and was involved in the design and coordination of wildlife surveys in the Wakhan Corridor (Pamirs), capacity building in the environment sector and development of the Red List. My research species and system range from Wolves in semi-arid and trans-Himalayan landscapes. Leopards from the Himalayas to Central India, Dholes from low density to highdensity areas, Marco polo sheep and Snow Leopard in the Afghan Pamirs to understanding movement of large carnivores in a human-dominated landscape in response to Anthropocene. My research interest includes integrating science-based solutions to developmental activities especially linear infrastructure.

I continuously aim to generate scientific knowledge, even integrating innovative perspectives and technologies, to inform managers, policy-makers, interested stakeholders, and the general public, for effective conservation and management of nature.

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#### **Curriculum Vitae**

 Department of Animal Ecology & Conservation Biology Head/Scientist - E

#### Education

Ph. D. Wildlife Science

Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh - 2007

M. Sc. Wildlife Science

Aligarh Muslim University, Aligarh - 2001

B. Sc. Biology
 University of Kashmir, Srinagar - 1999

### **Academic Positions**

Head

2018 - Present

Department of Animal Ecology and Conservation Biology, WII

Scientist - E

2017 - Present

Department of Animal Ecology and Conservation Biology, WII

Scientist - D

2013 - 2016

Department of Animal Ecology and Conservation Biology, WII

Scientist - C

2008 - 2012

Department of Animal Ecology and Conservation Biology, WII

Manager, Wildlife Survey Program

2007 - 2008

Afghanistan Biodiversity Project implemented by the Wildlife Conservation Society, USA

Assistant Biodiversity Expert

2006 - 2007

Afghanistan Biodiversity Conservation Project implemented by International Snow Leopard Trust and Wildlife Conservation Society, USA

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### Mission Statement (WII):

To nurture the development of Wildlife Science and promote its application in conservation, in consonance with our cultural and socioeconomic milieu.



#### **AWARDS:**

2013 UNESCO MAB Young Scientist Award

### **GRANTS GENERATED:**

Grants Generated Rs. 43,13,72,516.00 2008 - 2019

Grants Under Consideration Rs. 5,60,18,120.00 2020

### **PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:**

Associate Editor: Journal of Ecology and Evolution

Guest Editor: Diversity Special Issue on "Transportation Infrastructure Impacts on

Biodiversity in Emerging Economies"

Review Editor: Frontiers in Ecology and Evolution

#### PERSONAL INFORMATION:

Date of Birth : 22<sup>nd</sup> March 1977

Marital Status : Married
Nationality : Indian
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Languages : English, Hindi, Urdu, Kashmiri, Marathi, Dari

### **SUMMARY OF OUTPUTS:**

Publications Submitted or in Revision	13
Journal Publications	69
Books & Book Chapters	06
Research/ Technical and Other Reports	64
Reports as Part of Govt. of India & State Committees	29
Popular Articles	12
M.Sc. Dissertations	16
Ph.D. Dissertations (Supervisor)	14
Ph.D. Dissertations (Co-supervisor)	03
International Ph.D. Affiliates	04
National Seminar/ Workshop Presentations	55
International Seminar/ Workshop Presentations	15
Submitted Research Grant Proposals	06
Ongoing Research Projects	11
Completed Research Projects	22

### **RESEARCH INTEREST:**

Ecology, Population Dynamics and Population Models, Human-Animal Interactions, Animal Behaviour, Ecology and Advanced Modelling, Prey-Predator Dynamics, Movement Ecology, Large Carnivore Ecology, Conservation and Development, Linear Infrastructure, etc.

### **RESEARCH AND TEACHING EXPERIENCE:**

Research Experience: 18 Years Teaching Experience: 12 Years

#### PUBLICATIONS SUBMITTED OR IN REVISION:

- Nilanjan Chatterjee., Stephanie G. Schuttler., Parag Nigam and Bilal Habib: Deciphering the rarity-detectability continuum: optimizing survey design for terrestrial mammalian community. (Submitted to: Remote Sensing in Ecology and Conservation 13.08.2020).
- Daniel Read., Bilal Habib., Jared Stabach and Peter Leimgruber: Human movement influenced by perceived risk of wildlife encounters at fine scales: Evidence from central India. (Submitted to (Revision): Biological Conservation 12.08.2020).
- Bilal Habib., Pallavi Ghaskadbi., Shaheer Khan., Zehidul Hussain and Parag Nigam: Not a cakewalk: Insights into movement of large carnivores in human dominated landscape in India. Authorea. July 27, 2020, DOI: 10.25541/au.159585868.87226708 (Submitted to: Ecology and Evolution 23.07.2020).
- O4 Shrutarshi Paul., Debanjan Sarkar., Abhilash Patil., Tista Ghosh., Gautam Talukdar., Mukesh Kumar., Bilal Habib., Parag Nigam., Dhananjai Mohan., Bivash Pandav and Samrat Mondol: Assessment of endemic northern swamp deer (Rucervus duvaucelii duvaucelii) distribution and identification of priority conservation areas through modeling and field surveys across north India. (Submitted to: Global Ecology and Conservation 21.07.2020).
- Aishwarya Bhandari., Pallavi Ghaskadbi., Parag Nigam and Bilal Habib: Dhole pack size variation: Assessing effects of prey availability and apex predator. Authorea. July 21, 2020, DOI: 10.25541/au.159534682.28220257 (Submitted to: Ecology and Evolution 20.07.2020).
- Nilanjan Chatterjee., Parag Nigam and Bilal Habib: Population estimate, habitat-use and activity patterns of Honey-badger in dry-deciduous forest of central India. (Submitted to: Frontiers Ecology and Evolution 20.07.2020).
- Akanksha Saxena., Nilanjan Chatterjee., Asha Rajvanshi and Bilal Habib: Integrating Large Mammal Behaviour and Traffic Flow to Determine Traversability of Roads with Heterogeneous Traffic on a Central Indian Highway (Submitted to (Revision): Scientific Reports 17.07.2020).
- Salvador Lyngdoh and Bilal Habib: Predation by Himalayan Wolves: Understanding conflict and co-existence amongst Spiti Bhot community and large carnivores in High Himalaya (Submitted to: PloS One 07.07.2020).
- Hussain S. Reshamwala., Neeraj Mahar, Rodolfo Dirzo and Bilal Habib: Successful Neighbour: Interactions of the generalistic carnivore Red fox with dogs, wolves and humans for continued survival in dynamic anthropogenic landscapes. (Submitted to: Global Ecology and Conservation 10.06.2020).
- Sarika Khanwilkar., Carlos F. Gould., Ruth DeFries., Bilal Habib and Johannes Urpelainen: LPG adoption by marginalized, forest-fringe populations in central India. (Submitted to: Energy Research and Social Science 20.05.2020).
- Bilal Habib., Pallavi Ghaskadbi and Parag Nigam: Rethinking conservation frontiers: Tigers outside protected areas as conflict recipe or conservation currency. (Submitted to: Frontiers Ecology and Evolution 15.06.2019).
- Parag Nigam., Animesh Talukdar., Bilal Habib., Bivash Pandav., P. K. Malik, and S Kalyanasundaram, Haematologic and serum biochemical reference values in chemically immobilized free ranging sambar (Rusa unicolor, kerr, 1792) (Submitted to (Revision): European Journal of Wildlife Research 31.07.2020).
- Bilal Habib., Pallavi Ghaskadbi., Parag Nigam., Shrushti Modi., P. S. Kumar, K. Sharma., V. Singh, B. Kumar, A. Tripathi, H. Kothandaraman, and S. Yellaboina, 2018. The Cuon Enigma: Genome survey and comparative genomics of the endangered Dhole (Cuon alpinus). bioRxiv, p.443119.

# JOURNAL PUBLICATIONS:

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		Goyal, S. P. (2020). Revisiting the Woolly wolf (Canis lupus chanco) phylogeny in Himalaya: Addressing taxonomy, spatial extent and distribution of an ancient lineage in Asia. Plos one, 15(4), e0231621.	
02	2020	Chatterjee, N., Nigam, P., & Habib, B. (2020). Population density and habitat use of two sympatric small cats in a central Indian reserve. Plos one, 15(6), e0233569.	
03	2020	Bhattacharya, A., Chatterjee, N., Rawat, G. S., & Habib, B. (2020). Blue Sheep Resource Selection in Alpine Grasslands of a Western Himalayan Landscape—A Point Process Approach. Zoological Studies, 59.	
04	2020	Noor, A., Mir, Z. R., Veeraswami, G. G., & Habib, B. (2020). Density of leopard in a moist-temperate forest of western Himalaya, India. Tropical Ecology, 1-10.	
05	2020	Balajeid Lyngdoh, S., Habib, B., & Shrotriya, S. (2020). Dietary spectrum in Himalayan wolves: comparative analysis of prey choice in conspecifics across high-elevation rangelands of Asia. Journal of Zoology, 310(1), 24-33.	
06	2020	Bhattacharya, A., Chatterjee, N., Angrish, K., Shrotriya, S., Sinha, B. C. & Habib, B. (2020). First Photographic Evidence of Himalayan Brown Bear from Lippa- Asrang Wildlife Sanctuary, Himachal Pradesh, India. International Bear News Vol. 29 No. 1	
07	2019	Khan, S., Chatterjee, N., & Habib, B. (2019). Testing performance of large-scale surveys in determining trends for the critically endangered Great Indian Bustard Ardeotis nigriceps. Scientific reports, 9(1), 1-8.	
08	2019	Sadhukhan, S., Hennelly, L., & Habib, B. (2019). Characterising the harmonic vocal repertoire of the Indian wolf (Canis lupus pallipes). PloS one, 14(10), e0216186.	
09	2019	Saxena, A., Lyngdoh, A., Rajvanshi, A., Mathur, V., & Habib, B. (2019). Saving wildlife on India's roads needs collaborative and not competitive efforts. Current Science, 117(7), 1137.	
10	2019	Shrotriya, S., Chatterjee, N., & Habib, B. (2019). Casual analysis and short-sighted inferences: A response to Majgaonkar et al. 2019. Conservation Science and Practice, 1(12), e124.	
11	2019	Paul, S., Ghosh, T., Pandav, B., Mohan, D., Habib, B., Nigam, P., & Mondol, S. (2019). Rapid molecular assays for species and sex identification of swamp deer and other coexisting cervids in human-dominated landscapes of the Terai region and upper Gangetic plains, northern India: implications in understanding species distribution and population parameters." Journal of genetics 98, no. 2: 44.	
12	2019	Biswas, S., Bhatt, S., Paul, S., Modi, S., Ghosh, T., Habib B., Nigam, P., Talukdar, G., Pandav, B., & Mondol, S. (2019) A practive faeces collection protocol for multidisciplinary research in wildlife science. Current Science, 116(11), 1878.	
13	2019	Modi, S., Habib, B., Ghaskadbi, P., Nigam, P., & Mondol, S. (2019). Standardization and validation of a panel of cross-species microsatellites to individually identify the Asiatic wild dog (Cuon alpinus). PeerJ, 7, e7453.	
14	2019	Bhattacharya, A., Chatterjee, N., Angrish K., Shrotriya, S., Sinha, B. C., and Habib, B. (2019). First photographic evidence of snow leopard from Lippa Asrang Wildlife Sanctuary, India. CATnews 69.	
15	2019	Read, D. J., Mawaskar, R. G., & Habib, B. (2019). Translating legitimacy: Perspectives on institutions for human-wildlife coexistence in central India. Geoforum, 101, 38-48.	

16	2018	Paul, S., Pandav, B., Mohan, D., Habib, B., Nigam, P., & Mondol, S. (2018): Current distribution and status of swamp deer Rucervus duvaucelii duvaucelii in the upper Gangetic plains of north India. Oryx, 1-8.
17	2018	Modi, S., Mondol, S., Ghaskadbi, P., Hussain, Z., Nigam, P., and Habib. B. (2018) Non-invasive DNA-based species and sex identification of Asiatic wild dog (Cuon alpinus). Journal of Genetics.
18	2018	Reshamwala, H. S., Shrotriya, S., Bora, B., Lyngdoh, S., Dirzo, R., & Habib, B. (2018). Anthropogenic food subsidies change the pattern of red fox diet and occurrence across Trans-Himalayas, India. Journal of Arid Environments, 150, 15-20.
19	2018	Jain, P., Bhasin, A., Talukdar, G., & Habib, B. (2018). Distribution and population status of Sambar Rusa unicolor (Mammalia: Cetartiodactyla: Cervidae) from Aravalli landscape with a note on its first record from Aravalli Hills of Haryana, India. Journal of Threatened Taxa, 10(10), 12357-12362.
20	2017	Kershenbaum, A., Déaux, É. C., Habib, B., Mitchell, B., Palacios, V., Root-Gutteridge, H., & Waller, S. (2017). Measuring acoustic complexity in continuously varying signals: how complex is a wolf howl? Bioacoustics, 1-15.
21	2017	Hennelly, L., Habib, B., Root-Gutteridge, H., Palacios, V., & Passilongo, D. (2017). Howl variation across Himalayan, North African, Indian, and Holarctic wolf clades: tracing divergence in the world's oldest wolf lineages using acoustics. Current Zoology, 63(3), 341-348
22	2017	Noor, A., Mir, Z. R., Veeraswami, G. G., & Habib, B. (2017). Activity patterns and spatial co-occurrence of sympatric mammals in the moist temperate forest of the Kashmir Himalaya, India. Journal of Vertebrate Biology, 66(4), 231-241.
23	2016	Bhattacharya A. and Habib, B. (2016): Highest elevation record of tiger presence from India. CATnews 64.
24	2016	Mondal, I., Kumar, R. S., Habib, B. and Talukdar, G. (2016): Modelling fine scale movement of corridors for the tricarinate hill turtle. The International Archives of the Photogrammetry, Remote Sensing and Spatial Information Sciences, Volume XLI-B8, 2016 XXIII ISPRS Congress, 12–19 July 2016, Prague, Czech Republic.
25	2016	Habib, B, Rajvanshi, A, Mathur, V. B., and Saxena, A. (2016). Corridors at crossroads: linear development-induced ecological triage as a conservation opportunity. Front. Ecol. Evol. 4:132. doi: 10.3389/fevo.2016.00132
26	2016	Mondal, I., Habib, B., Talukdar, G. and Nigam, P. (2016). Triage of means: options for conserving tiger corridors beyond designated protected lands in India. Front. Ecol. Evol. 4:133. doi: 10.3389/fevo.2016.00133
27	2016	Ghaskadbi, P., Habib, B., & Qureshi, Q. (2016). A whistle in the woods: an ethogram and activity budget for the dhole in central India. Journal of Mammalogy, 97(6), 1745-1752.
28	2016	Ghaskadbi, P., Habib, B., Mir, Z., Ray, R., Talukdar, G., Lyngdoh, S., Pandav, B., Nigam, P. and Kaur, A. (2016): Rusty spotted cat in Kalesar National Park and Sanctuary, Haryana, India. CATnews 63.
29	2016	Sazatornil, V., Rodríguez, A., Klaczek, M., Ahmadi, M., Álvares, F., Arthur, S., & García, E. J., Habib, B. (2016). The role of human-related risk in breeding site selection by wolves. Biological Conservation, 201, 103-110.
30	2016	Kreshenbaum, A., Root-Gutteridge, H., Habib, B., Koler-Matznick, J., Mitchell, B., Palacios V., Waller, S. (2016): Disentangling canid howls across multiple species and sub-species: Structure in a complex communication channel. Behavioral Processes 124: 149 – 157.
31	2016	Ghaskadbi, P., Habib, B., Mir, Z., Ray, R., Talukdar, G., Lyngdoh, S., Pandav, B., Nigam, P. and Kaur, A. (2016): Rusty spotted cat in Kalesar National Park and Sanctuary, Haryana, India. CATnews 63.

32	2015	Mir, Z. A., Noor, A., Habib, B., Veeraswami, G. V. (2015): Seasonal population density and winter survival strategies of endangered Kashmir gray langur (Semnopithecus ajax) in Dachigam, National, Park, Kashmir, India. SpringerPlus (2015) 4: 562.
33	2015	Hennelly, L., Habib, B. and Lyngdoh, S. (2015): Himalayan wolf and feral dog displaying mating behavior in Spiti Valley, India and potential conservation threats from sympatric feral dogs. Canid Biology and Conservation 18(9); 33 – 36.
34	2015	Mir, Z. A., Noor, A., Habib, B., Veeraswami, G. V. (2015): Attitudes of local people towards wildlife conservation; A case study from the Kashmir Valley. Mountain Research and Development 35(4): 392 – 400.
35	2015	Davate, M., Chatterjee, N., Dashahre A., Habib, B., Nigam, P., Trivedi, M., Garad, G. P., Kalaskar, A., and Ghaskadbi, P. (2015): Recent records of rusty spotted cat in dry deciduous forests of Tadoba, Maharashtra, India. CATnews 62.
36	2015	Mahar, N., Habib, B., Shawl, T., Veeraswami, G. V., Suhail, I., Takpa, J., and Hussain, S. A. (2015): Tracking the movement pattern of Bar-headed Goose Anser indicus captured from the Gharana Conservation Reserve, India. Journal of Bombay Natural History Society, 112(1).
37	2014	Hayward, M. W., Lyngdoh, S., and Habib, B. (2014): Diet and prey preference of dholes (Cuon alpinus): dietary competition within Asia's apex predator guild. Journal of Zoology (294): 255 – 266
38	2014	Habib, B., Shrotriya, S., Sivakumar, K., Sinha, P. R. and Mathur, V. B. (2014): Three decades of wildlife radio telemetry in India: a review. Animal Biotelemetry 2014, 2:4
39	2014	Lyngdoh, S., Shrotriya, S., Goyal, S.P., Clements, H., Hayward, M. W. and Habib, B. (2014): Prey Preferences of the Snow Leopard (Panthera uncia): Regional Diet Specificity holds Global Significance for Conservation. PLoS ONE 10.1371/journal.pone.0088349
40	2014	Lyngdoh, S., Gopi, G. V., Selvan, K. M. and Habib, B. (2014): Effect of interaction among ethnic communities, livestock and wild dogs (Cuon alpinus) in Arunachal Pradesh, India. Eur. J. Wildl Res. (60): 771 - 780
41	2014	Selvan, K. Lyngdoh S., Habib, B. and Gopi, G. V. (2014): Population density and abundance of sympatric large carnivores iun low land tropical forests of Eastern Himalayas: Mammalian Biology 79: 254 - 258
42	2014	Selvan, K. Lyngdoh S., Gopi, G. V., Habib, B. and Hussain S. A. (2014): Population densities, group size and biomass of ungulates in a lowland tropical rainforest of the eastern Himalayas. Acta Ecologica Sinica 34 (2014) 219 – 224.
43	2014	Selvan, K. Lyngdoh S., Gopi, G. V. and Habib, B. (2014): Density estimation of leopard cat Prionailurus bengalensis using capture-recapture sampling in lowland forest of Pakke Tiger Reserve, Arunachal Pradesh, India. Mammalia 01/2014; DOI:10.1515/mammalia-2013-2014
44	2014	Chatterjee N., Habib, B., Davate, M., Dashahre, A., Nigam, P., Trivedi, M., Garad G. P. and Sinha, V. (2014): A checklist of water birds of Tadoba-Andhari Tiger Reserve (TATR), Maharashtra, India. ENVIS Bulletin – Water Birds of India (16): 166 – 173
45	2013	Pachuau, S. V., Qureshi, Q., Habib, B. and Nijman, V. (2013): Habitat use and documentation of Historic Decline of Western Hoolock Gibbon (Hoolock hoolock) in Dampa Tiger Reserve, Mizoram, India. Primate Conservation Pp. 1 - 6.
46	2013	Selvan, K. Gopi, G. V., Lyngdoh S., Habib, B. and Hussain, S. A. (2013): Prey selection and food habits of three sympatric large carnivores in a tropical lowland forests of the Eastern Himalayan Biodiversity Hotspot. Mammalian Biology, 78, Pp. 296-303
47	2013	Selvan, K. Gopi, G. V., Habib, B. and Lyngdoh S. (2013): Losing threatened and rare wildlife to hunting in Ziro Valley, Arunachal Pradesh, India. Current Science, Vol. 104, No. 11, Pp. 1492 -95.

48	2013	Selvan, K.M., Lyngdoh, S., Gopi, G.V., and Habib B. (2013): An assessment of abundance, habitat use and activity patterns of three sympatric pheasants in an Eastern Himalayan Lowland tropical Forest of Arunachal Pradesh, India. Asian Journal of Conservation Biology, Vol. 2 No. 1, pp. 52–60.
49	2013	Noor, A., Habib, B. and Kumar S. (2013): Habitat selection and niche segregation between chital and nilgai in Keoladeo National Park, India. European Journal of Zoological Research, Vol. 2, No. 2, Pp. 1 - 9.
50	2013	Selvan, K. Gopi, G. V., Habib, B. and Lyngdoh S. (2013): Hunting records of endangered Marbled Cat (Pardofelis Marmorata) in the Ziro valley of lower Subansiri, Arunachal Pradesh, India. Journal of Threatened Taxa 5(1): 3583 – 3584.
51	2012	Shrotriya, S., Lyngdoh, S. and Habib, B (2012): Wolves in Trans-Himalaya: 165 years of taxonomic confusion. Current Science, Vol 103; No. 8; Pp 885 – 887
52	2012	Dar, T. A., Habib, B. and Khan, J. A (2012): Group size, habitat use and overlap analysis of four sympatric ungulate species in Shivalik Ecosystem, Uttrakhand, India. Mammalia, Vol. 76, No. 01, Pp. 31 - 41.
53	2011	Maurya, K. K., Habib B. and Kumar, S. (2011): Food habits of Indian Wolf (Canis lupus pallipes) in Deccan Plateau of Maharashtra, India. World Journal of Zoology, Vol. 6, No. 3, Pp. 318 – 322.
54	2011	Lyngdoh, S., Gopi, G. V. and Habib, B. (2011): Hunting record of a Spotted Linsang Prionodon pardicolor from Lower Subansiri district, Arunachal Pradesh, India. Small Carnivore Conservation, Vol. 44, Pp. 27 – 28.
55	2011	Lyngdoh, S., Selvan, K. M., Gopi, G. V. and Habib B. (2011): First photographic evidence of two rare cats from Pakke Tiger Reserve, Western Arunachal Pradesh. Current Science, Vol. 101, No. 10, Pp. 1284 – 1285.
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57	2011	Lyngdoh, S., Selvan, K. M., Gopi, G. V., and Habib B. (2011): First photos of marbled cat in Pakke Tiger Reserve, Western Arunachal Pradesh, India. Cat News (55): 7 – 8.
58	2010	Habib, B., Shrotriya, S., Sivakumar, K., Mathur V. B and Sinha, P. R. (2010): Radio-Telemetry studies in India – Issues and Way Forward (In) Sivakumar, K and B. Habib (Eds.) 2010. Telemetry in Wildlife Science, ENVIS Bulletin: Wildlife and Protected Areas. Wildlife Institute of India, Dehradun, India. 13 (1): 3-19.
59	2010	Habib, B and Kumar, S. (2010): Application of Radio-telemetry for studying ecology of Indian Wolf (Canis lupus pallipes) in Great Indian Bustard Sanctuary, Maharashtra, India. (In) Sivakumar, K and B. Habib (Eds.) Telemetry in Wildlife Science, ENVIS Bulletin: Wildlife and Protected Areas. Wildlife Institute of India, Dehradun, India. 13 (1): 61-68.
60	2010	Habib, B., Dar, T. A., Khan, J. A. and Kushwaha, S.P.S. (2010): Evaluation of Habitat Suitability Models for Four Sympatric Ungulate Species in Pathri Rao Watershed adopting Geo-Statistical Modelling. Current Science, Vol. 99, No. 4, Pp. 500 – 506.
61	2010	Noor, A., Habib, B. and Kumar S. (2010): Effects of plot size and shape on the encounter rate of ungulate fecal pellet groups and abundance estimate precision. Current Science, Vol. 99, No. 6, Pp. 800 – 804.
62	2010	Dar, T. A., Habib, B. and Khan, J. A (2010): Vegetation Structure along an Altitudinal Gradient in Phakot Watershed in Garhwal Himalaya, Uttrakhand, India. The Indian Forester, Vol. 136, No. 11, Pp. 1550 – 1560.
63	2008	Dar, T. A., Habib, B., Khan, J. A., Kushwaha, S.P.S. and Mendiratta, N (2008): Bird Community Structure in Phakot and Pathri Rao Watershed Areas in Uttarakhand, India. International Journal of Ecology and Environment, 34 (2), Pp193 – 205.

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66	2007	Habib, B. Kumar, S. (2007) Den shifting by wolves in semi-wild landscapes in the Deccan Plateau, Maharashtra, India. Journal of Zoology, 272, Pp 259 – 265.
67	2006	Habib, B., Kushwaha, S.P.S., Quadri, A., and Khan, A. (2006): Application of Remote Sensing and Geographic Information System in Wildlife Habitat Modelling. Journal Of The Bombay Natural History Society, 103 (2-3), Pp 366 – 374.
68	2004	Kushwaha, S.P.S., Khan, A., Habib, B., Quadri, A., and Singh, A. (2004): Evaluation of sambar and muntijak habitats using geospatial modelling. Current Science, Vol. 86. NO. 10. PP 1390-1400.
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### **BOOKS AND BOOK CHAPTERS:**

01	2018	Habib, B., Nigam P., Chatterjee, N., Davate, M., Ghaskadbi, P., Trivedi, M., Sinha, V., Mankar, K. and Narwane, G. (2018). Field Guide to Tigers of Tadoba – First Edition. Wildlife Institute of India and Maharashtra Forest Department, Pp. 218.
02	2017	Mathur, P. K., Habib, B. and Mathur, P. (2017): Technology Advancements and Integration in the Context of Wildlife Conservation. <i>In Dixit</i> , S and Prasad, R. (Ed.), <i>Human bond communication: the holy grail of holistic communication and immersive experience</i> (Pp. 261). John Wiley & Sons, Inc.
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01	2019	Siva. R (2019): Impacts of road related disturbances on mammalian and vegetational assemblages: a case study of SH-33 passing through Nagarhole Tiger Reserve, Karnataka. M. Sc Dissertation – WII.
02	2 2017	Aishwarya Bhandari (2017): The Number Game: Time Activity Budget of Dhole and Interaction with other Sympatric Carnivores in Navegaon-Nagzira Tiger Reserve, Maharashtra, India. M. Sc Dissertation – WII.
03 04		Vaidehi Shah (2017): Data Management and Retrieval Using Camtrap R. M. Sc Dissertation Department of Environmental Studies, faculty of Science, Maharaja Sayajirao University of Baroda. Population estimation of Leopard (Panthera pardus) and its prey species in Kalesar National Park, Haryana, India. M. Sc. Environment Management. Forest Research Institute, Dehradun by Amal Thomas Thettayil (Supervisor)
05	5 2016	Assessment of mammalian community using camera trapping at Ghosigarh Micro-Watershed in Askot Landscape, Uttarakhand. M. Sc. Forestry. Forest Research institute, Dehradun by Sraman Dasgupta. (Supervisor)
06	3 2016	Bird community structure in Hard Wood Forests of Kalesar, Haryana, India. M. Sc. Environment Management. Forest Research institute, Dehradun by Purnendu Sarada. (Co - Supervisor)
07	2015	Pallavi, G. (2015): A Whistle among the growls: Dholes in a multi-predator system in dry deciduous forests of India. M. Sc. Dissertation WII as Supervisor.
08	3 2015	Harshvardhan, S. R. (2015): Response of leopard (Panthera pardus fusca) in varying density of tiger (Panthera tigris tigris) in Rajaji National Park, Uttarakhand. M. Sc. Dissertation WII as Co-Supervisor
09	2014	Koustuv Sasaru (2014) FRI M. Sc. Student. M. Sc. Dissertation Topic "Morphometric criteria to identify faecal pellets of sympatric ungulate species in Tadoba-Andhari Tiger reserve, Maharashtra." As Supervisor
10	2013	Aditya S. Malgaonkar (2013) WII M. Sc. Student. M. Sc. Dissertation Topic "Response of Rainforest Lizard Communities to Tea Plantation Edges in the Anamalai Hills of Southern Western Ghats, India." As Supervisor.
11	2013	Deepak C. K. (2013) WII M. Sc. Student. M. Sc. Dissertation Topic "Effect of Inter-habitat Matrix on Tropical Evergreen Forest Remnants: An Empirical Test of Matrix-Tolerance Hypothesis on Butterflies." As Co-Supervisor.
12	2012	Bhaskar Jyoti Bora, M. Sc Student Doon University, M. Sc Dissertation Topic "Food Habits of Red Fox (Vulpes vulpes) in Dachigam National Park, Srinagar, Jammu and Kashmir, India", M. Sc . Natural Resource Management (2012)
13	3 2011	Samuel Vanlalngheta Pachuau, M. Sc Student WII, M. Sc Dissertation Topic "Response of Western Hoolock Gibbon (Hoolock hoolock hoolock) in terms of Population Abundance and Resource Utilization across various Disturbance Regimes in Dampa Tiger Reserve, Mizoram" M. Sc. Wildlife Science (2011),
14	2011	Amlendu Pathak, M. Sc Student F, R. I. University, M. Sc Dissertation Topic "Winter Habitat use of Hangul (Cervus elaphus hanglu, Wagner) in Dachigam National Park, Srinagar, Kashmir", M. Sc . Forestry, (2011).
15	5 2010	Shreya Dasgupta M. Sc Student Teri University. M. Sc Dissertation Topic "Home Range and Movement Pattern Dynamics of Wolves in Semi-Wild Landscapes in Deccan Plateau, Maharashtra, India." M. Sc. in Environmental Studies (2010).
16	3 2010	Malemleima Ningombi M. Sc Student F.R.I University. M. Sc Dissertation, "Evaluating the Efficacy of Various Sampling Techniques for Quantifying Abundance of Tricarinate Hill Turtle (Melanochelys tricarinata) and evaluating its Resting Sites." M.Sc. in Environment Management (2010).

# Ph.D. DISSERTATIONS (SUPERVISOR):

			Date of Registration/
S. No.	Name of Candidate	Ph. D Topic	Submission /Awarded
01	Zehidul Hussain	Movement and Space Use Pattern of Tigers in the Eastern Vidarbha Landscape, Maharashtra, India.	10.10.2018
02	Shaheer Khan	Indian Grey Wolves ( <i>Canis lupus pallipes</i> ) in Human Dominated Landscapes: Movement, Space Use and Foraging.	03.10.2018
03	Lynette Gomes	Understanding Sloth bear ( <i>Melursus ursinus</i> ) genetic connectivity across Vidarbha Landscape, Maharashtra, India.	01.10.2018
04	Akanksha Saxena	Ecological impacts of Roads on Mammals and Integrity of the Central Indian Tiger Landscape	04.11.2017
05	Sougata Sadhukhan	Understanding wolf howls and their application in individual identification and population estimation.	11.09.2017
06	Pallavi Ghaskadbi	Ecology of the Asiatic Wild Dog ( <i>Cuon alpinus</i> ) with insights into Behaviour and Co-predator interactions in Eastern Vidarbha, Landscape, Maharashtra, India.	15.06.2017
07	Shrushti Modi	Understanding the impact of habitat fragmentation on sympatric large carnivore connectivity across tiger reserves in Maharashtra, India.	15.06.2017
08	Nilanjan Chatterjee	Evaluating the use of camera traps for population estimation of unmarked individuals using spatially explicit models in Tadoba-Andhari Tiger Reserve, Maharashtra, India.	15.06.2017
00	Uluanaia C. D.	Ecology of the Red Fox (Vulpes vulpes) in the North-	25.01.2015
09	Hussain S. R.	Western Trans-Himalayan landscape, India.	Submitted: August 2020
10	Shivam Shrotriya	Status, distribution and foraging ecology of wolf in the	01.01.2013
10	Silivaili Siliolilya	north-western Himalayan landscape, India.	Submitted: August 2020
11	Salvador Lyngdoh	Spatial ecology and predation pattern of wolf in Spiti	01.01.2013
11	Salvador Lyrigdori	Valley, Himachal Pradesh.	Submitted: August 2020
12	Meraj Anwar	Status of Tigers and its Associated Prey Species in	01.01.2012
12	Meraj Anwai	Selected Corridors and Areas of Terai Arc Landscape	Submitted: June 2019
40	All All	Status and Spatio-Temporal Ranging Behaviour of	01.01.2012
13	Athar Noor	Leopard ( <i>Panthera pardus</i> ) in Dachigam National Park, Srinagar, Jammu and Kashmir	Submitted: June 2019
11	Monitoring Prey Dynamics and Diet Fluctuations of		01.01.2012
14	Mir Zaffar Rais	Leopard ( <i>Panthera pardus</i> ) in Dachigam National Park, Srinagar, Jammu and Kashmir	Awarded: 2016

### Ph.D. DISSERTATIONS (CO-SUPERVISOR):

S. No.	Name of Candidate	Ph. D Topic	Date of Registration/ Submission /Awarded
01	Ankita Bhattacharya	Influence of pastoralism practices on wild ungulates in Upper Gori Valley, Western Himalaya	25.01.2015 Submitted: August 2020
02	Indranil Mondol	Evaluating landscape connectivity and bottlenecks for tigers ( <i>Panther tigris tigris</i> ) IN TADOBA-Andhari Landscape Complex, Maharashtra, India.	01.03.2014 Awarded 2020
03	K. Muthamizh Selvan	Ecology of Sympatric Large Carnivores in Pakke Tiger Reserve, Arunachal Pradesh	01.01.2010 Awarded 2014

### **INTERNATIONAL Ph.D. AFFILIATES:**

S. No.	Name of Candidate	Ph. D Topic	University
01	Sarika Khanwilkar	Socio-ecological effects of change to forest resource dependence in a human dominated landscape.	Columbia University, USA
02	Lauren Hennelly	Landscape genetics and conservation of Indian and Himalayan Wolves.	UCDAVIS University of California
03	Daniel John Read	Mechanisms of Legitimacy for conservation among Rural People between Melghat and the Eastern Vidarbha Landscape, Maharashtra, India.	University of Georgia, USA
04	Biljana Macura	Testing the effectiveness of forest governance mechanisms in conservation policy and practices within protected areas – The case of Central Indian Tiger Reserves.	University of Padova, Italy

### NATIONAL SEMINAR/ WORKSHOP PRESENTATIONS:

01	2018	Workshop for further development of National Human-Wildlife Conflict Mitigation Strategy for Action Plan and SOPs 15 – 16 October 2018 at WII.
02	2018	MEE Inception Workshop at Delhi on 31st October 2018.
03	2018	Central Indian landscape Symposium from 3 – 6 January 2019, Melghat Maharashtra India.
04	2018	Conducted workshop at Yeti 2018/ 23 <sup>rd</sup> – 26 <sup>th</sup> Jan. 2018 at Baroda
05	2017	Conducted and attended training workshop on "Recent Approaches in Wildlife Conservation and Management" at SKUAST – K from 17.03.2017 – 20.03.2017.
06	2017	Conducted training workshop on "Wild Animal Rescue and Rehabilitation" at Arid Forest Research Institute Jodhpur from 24 – 26 March 2017.
07	2017	Consultative workshop on Preparation of Zonal Master Plan for ESZ around PA's 28 – 29 August 2017.
08	2017	National Symposium cum Workshop on Science and Technology on Sustainable Wildlife Management and Ecosystems in India 3- 4 Dec. 2017.

09	2016	Conducted one-day training workshop at Nagpur for the Staff of Pench Tiger Reserve, Bor Tiger Reserve, Tippeshwar WLS and Umred Karandla WLS for population estimation using distance sampling and camera trapping on 4th May 2016 as a part of EVL Project.
10	2016	Conducted one-day training workshop at Navegaon – Nagzira Tiger Reserve for population estimation using distance sampling and camera trapping on 6th May 2016 as a part of EVL Project.
11	2016	National Launch workshop for Endangered Species Recovery Project at WII on 16th May 2016
12	2016	Wild animals in distress – 3-day training workshop at Goa for Officers and Staff of Forest Department from 13 – 15 June 2016.
13	2016	Attended Senior Forest Officers Conference, Maharashtra India from 23 – 24 Sep. 2016 at Aurangabad Maharashtra.
14	2016	Training Program on Mainstreaming Biodiversity in Road and railway Transportation Projects for Smart Green Infrastructure 17 – 19 Feb. 2016
15	2015	Human – animal conflict workshop at Udaipur from 12 – 14 April 2015. Two presentations in the workshop.
16	2015	Organized one-day workshop at WII for Officers and Staff of Uttarakhand forest Department regarding Field Sampling Protocol on 15th April 2015
17	2015	Attended on day training workshop - Past, Present and Future of Aravallis at Gurgaon Haryana on 5th June 2015
18	2015	Attended Regional evaluation and Training Workshop (Northern Region) of ENVIS Centers at FRI Dehradun 12 – 13 January 2015.
19	2014	Attended two days training workshop for Indian Forest Service Officers on Management Effectiveness Evaluation (MEE) on 17 – 18 July 2014 at WII – Dehradun.
20	2014	Attended two days' workshop – Introduction and applying the Open Standards for the practice of conservation: an introductory seminar and conservation planning workshop at Wildlife Institute of India, 21-22 July 2014
21	2014	Attended Wildlife Conflict and Invasive species workshop at WII on 23 – 24 July 2014
22	2014	Attended Regional evaluation and Training Workshop (Northern Region) of ENVIS Centers at FRI Dehradun 12 – 13 January 2015.
23	2014	State level workshop on In-Situ Conservation Plan for GIB and Lesser Florican Maharashtra India from 11 – 13 March 2014.
24	2014	Consultative workshop on Technology Need Assessment for Biodiversity Conservation on 18th Feb. 2014 at Wildlife Institute of India.
25	2014	Coordinated regional workshop on Assessment of Tigers, Co-Predators and Prey – Phase 1 at Goa from $8^{\text{th}}$ – 12 the Feb 2014.
26	2014	Birds, birding and ecotourism workshop at WII on 6th Feb. 2014
27	2014	GIB Conservation Breeding Workshop – Organized by MoEFCC and WII at Delhi on 17th Jan. 2014
28	2013	Coordinated regional workshop on Assessment of Tigers, Co-Predators and Prey $-$ Phase 1 at Ranthambore Tiger Reserve from $3^{\rm rd}$ $ 6^{\rm th}$ September 2013.
29	2013	National workshop on Strategies for conservation and management of large landscapes at Indian Habitat Centre – 8 – 9 July 2013.

30	2013	Promotion of metadata use and data paper publication workshop from 19 – 21 June 2013, BVIEER – Pune.
31	2013	Presented at Workshop "Strategies to deal with Straying Tigers in Human Dominated Landscapes" at Chandrapur – 5 – 6 Feb. 2013, Organized by NTCA and State Forest Department
32	2013	Presented at One day Consultation Workshop" Prospects of Conservation Breeding of Great Indian Bustard" at Pune organized by Maharashtra Forest Department.
33	2012	Attended National stakeholder workshop on NMSHE is being organized on 06-07 October 2012 at Palampur and the meeting is being hosted by CSIR- Institute of Himalayan Bio-resource Technology (CSIR-IHBT). Presented pre-proposal Communities and Climate Change.
34	2012	Attended and Presented during BCRLIP Workshop on 'Planning Smart Green Infrastructure in Biodiversity-rich Landscapes' 13-14 August 2012 Lecture Room No. 1, India International Center (Annexe), New Delhi
35	2012	Census Workshop for the forest officer at Pinjore Haryana on 25 <sup>th</sup> April 2012 at Pinjore. 50 forest officials from the state participated in training workshop.
36	2012	On day training workshop on managing human leopard conflict in Pinjore Haryana on 28th Feb 2012. (25 participants)
37	2012	On day training workshop on managing human leopard conflict in Chandigarh on 27th Feb 2012. (12 participants)
38	2012	Regional level training workshop on Phase IV Tiger Monitoring for North Eastern States. 50 people from NE States attended the workshop from $15^{th} - 16^{th}$ January 2012.
39	2011	Regional level training workshop on Phase IV Tiger Monitoring for Maharashtra, M.P., and Chhattisgarh states. 120 people from 3 states attended the workshop from 28th – 29th December 2011.
40	2011	Stakeholders workshop on "Conservation of Hangul and other endangered Mountain Wildlife Biodiversity" from $27^{\text{th}} - 28^{\text{th}}$ November 2011 at SKUAST Srinagar, Kashmir.
41	2011	Two days' workshop – Project Planning Meeting and Core group workshop Indo-Norwegian Pilot project on Capacity Building in Biodiversity informatics) at Wildlife Institute of India, Dehradun.
42	2011	One day workshop on "Emerging Issues in Wildlife Conservation" June 5th 2011 at Wildlife Institute of India, followed by group discussion on Human Wildlife Conflict Issues and Role of Civil Society.
43	2011	Participated in "International Conference on Tiger Conservation", March 28 – 3o, 2011 at Vigyan Bhavan, New Delhi
44	2011	Participated and Presented at one day workshop organized by Maharashtra Forest Department for Field Staff at Pune Maharashtra on 7th March 2011
45	2010	Participated in International Conference on "Wildlife and Biodiversity Conservation Vis-à-vis Climate Change" from $03-05^{th}$ June. 2010.
46	2010	Attended "Wildlife Telemetry Workshop" from 24 – 25th April 2010
47	2010	Attended one day workshop "Colloquium on Biodiversity: Earths most valuable resource, why does it matter to business" organized by CII, ITC and WII on 27th April 2010 at WII.
48	2009	Organized state level workshops for monitoring Tigers, Co-Predators and its Prey in the States of Maharashtra, Goa and Andhra Pradesh during the year 2009 – 10.
49	2007	Assistant course coordinator to 2 <sup>nd</sup> International Training and Capacity Building Program in Wildlife Biology and Biodiversity Conservation in Aligarh Muslim University from 6 <sup>th</sup> Jan to 20 <sup>th</sup> Jan. 2007.

50	2004	Organized state level census workshop at Great Indian Bustard Sanctuary, Nannaj, Maharashtra, India to train forest department staff in various census techniques during the year 2004.
51	2003	Attended Centenary Journal Seminar "A Look at Threatened Species" organized by Bombay Natural History Society, November 13 -15, 2003, at I.I.T Mumbai, India.
52	2002	Attended workshop on Distribution Mapping using software DMAP by Dr. S. Subramanya, University of Agricultural Sciences, Bangalore India at Bombay Natural History Society Indian during the year 2002.
53	2001	GIS training at Indian Institute of Remote Sensing, Dehradun, India under the project mode to evaluate Cervid habitat using Remote Sensing and GIS from July 2001 – to December 2001.
54	2000	Participated in Workshop 'Wildlife Watch' organized by WWF – India and NYKS at Aligarh Muslim University during the year 2000.
55	1999	Participated in National Environment Campaign organized by Ministry of Environment and Forests, Govt. of Jammu and Kashmir during the year 1999.

### INTERNATIONAL SEMINAR/ WORKSHOP PRESENTATIONS:

01	2019	First African Conference for Linear Infrastructure & Ecology held in Skukuza Rest Camp, Kruger National Park, South Africa, from 10 <sup>th</sup> – 15 <sup>th</sup> March 2019.
02	2018	First Dhole Population and Habitat Viability Assessment (PHVA) Workshop from 11 – 16 Feb. 2019 at Khao Hai National Park, Thailand.
03	2017	International Mammalogical Congress Australia 9 – 14 July 2017.
04	2016	Attended and presented at 3 <sup>rd</sup> Asian Ministerial Conference on Tiger Conservation Delhi from 12 – 14 April 2016
05	2016	Attended and presented at GTF Tiger Range Countries Workshop at Sariska Tiger Reserve from 29 <sup>th</sup> Nov. 2016 to 1 <sup>st</sup> December 2016 regarding development of manuals for Tiger Range Countries.
06	2016	Attended and presented at GTF Tiger Range Countries Workshop at Malaysia from 12 – 16 December 2016 regarding development of manuals for Tiger Range Countries.
07	2015	Attended Behavior 2015 at Cairns, Australia from 6 – 19 August 2015
08	2013	Attended Next Generation Sequencing Symposium "Improving Genomics through Collaboration and Innovation" brought by Integrated DNA Technologies and D-MARK biosciences on 13 – 14 <sup>th</sup> March 2013 at UBC – Michael Smith Building, Vancouver, Canada.
09	2012	Attended COP 11 at Hyderabad from 10th October 2012 – 14th October 2012
10	2011	CBD Workshop – "Sun-regional workshop for South, east and South-east Asia on capacity building for the implementation of the programme of work on protected areas under CBD" from $6^{th}$ – $10^{th}$ December 2011 at WII Dehradun.
11	2009	Participated in International Conference "CARNIVORE 2009" – <i>Carnivore Conservation in a changing World.</i> Carnivore 2009 is an international event organized by the Defenders at Denver, USA from 15 – 18th Nov. 2009.
12	2008	Workshop for mapping potential snow leopard habitat across the globe. An event organized by WCS and Chinese Academy of Sciences from 7 <sup>th</sup> – 8 <sup>th</sup> March 2008, Beijing China. Sponsored by Wildlife Conservation Society, USA.
13	2007	Attended IUCN Red List Workshop: CATS, organized by IUCN and funded by PANTHERA at Wildlife Conservation Research Unit (WILDCRU), University of Oxford from 21 – 22 September, 2007.

14	2006	Attended Workshop entitled as "Evidence-based conservation: how to find out what works and what doesn't in conservation management" by Andrew Pullin, Centre for Evidence-Based Conservation, University of Birmingham, UK at Department of Zoology, University of Cambridge during Students Conference on Conservation Science 28 – 30 March 2006.
15	2006	Attended workshop entitled as "Planning a conservation research programme" by William J. Sutherland, School of Biological Sciences, University of East Anglia UK at Department of Zoology, the University of Cambridge during Students Conference on Conservation Science 28 – 30 March 2006.

### **SUBMITTED RESEARCH GRANT PROPOSALS:**

S. No.	Project Title	Funding Agency, Amount and Role	Duration
01	RewIND – Using Science to Plan Green Roads in India	DST - International Bilateral Cooperation: India – Portugal Prog. Rs. 1,00,00,000.00 Principal Investigator	Submitted
02	Ecology and Conservation of Fishing Cat in EGREE, Andhra Pradesh	Andhra Pradesh Forest Department Rs. 74,03,300.00 <b>Principal Investigator</b>	Submitted
03	Understanding the impact of mining areas of Western Coalfields Limited (WCL) and Chandrapur Thermal Power Plant, Chandrapur on Native Wildlife	WCL & MAHAGENCO Rs. 2,20,64,820.00 Principal Investigator	Submitted
04	Promoting Internationalization of Indian Universities through U. S. Collaboration	U. S. Embassy Public Affairs \$ 100,000.00 Principal Investigator	Submitted
05.	Detection, early warning, and deterrence of wildlife species involved in human wildlife conflict	IIT NM – ICPS Grant Co - Investigator	Submitted
06	Understanding movement of sloth bear by radio- collaring in Vidarbha region of Maharashtra, India	Maharashtra State Forest Department Rs. 65,50,000.00 Principal Investigator	Submitted

# RESEARCH PROJECTS (ONGOING):

S. No.	Project Title	Funding Agency, Amount and Role	Duration
01	Response to Anthropocene and Climate change: Movement ecology of selected mammal species across the Indian Himalayan Region	National Mission on Himalayan Studies Rs. 1,60,80,000.00 <b>Principal Investigator</b>	2020 - 2023
02	Assessment of spatial and temporal occupancy of tiger and elephant in relation to habitat characteristics and anthropogenic factors for the creation of Eco-Sensitive Areas in Sawantwadi and Dodamarg talukas of Sindhudurg district in Western Ghats of Maharashtra, India	Maharashtra State Forest Department Rs. 83,03,000.00 Principal Investigator	2020 - 22
03	Long-term monitoring of tigers, co-predators and prey in tiger-bearing areas of Vidarbha, Maharashtra	Maharashtra State Forest Department Rs. 16,03,62,990.00  Principal Investigator	2019 - 29
04	Understanding large carnivore conflict issues in Maharashtra for suggesting conflict reduction measures	Maharashtra State Forest Department Rs. 1,54,36,300.00  Principal Investigator	2019 -23
05	Establishment of a web portal for dissemination of research findings as a decision support system for policy makers and wildlife managers in Maharashtra	Maharashtra State Forest Department Rs. 1,59,80,300.00  Principal Investigator	2019 - 24

06	Understanding Population Dynamics, Space Use, Movement and Diet of Leopards in Junnar Taluka, Maharashtra for Human Leopard Conflict Mitigation	Maharashtra State Forest Department Rs. 2,07,28,200.00  Principal Investigator	2018 -23
07	Does human pressure shape vocal behaviour of wild wolves? A comparative study.	NGS-59729R-19 \$ 29,900.00 <b>Co - Investigator</b>	2019 -21
08	Movement in Space and Time: Ecology of Red fox in Upper Tawang Valley, Eastern, Himalaya, India	National Mission on Himalayan Studies Rs. 21,60,000.00 <b>Principal Investigator</b>	2019 -22
09	Assessment of impacts of the proposed Nagpur- Mumbai Super Communication Expressway, Maharashtra, Samruddhi Corridor on wildlife values and measures recommended mitigation negative impacts	Maharashtra State Road Development Corporation Rs. 7,58,60,500.00  Principal Investigator	2018 - 21
10	Ecological impact assessment of existing and proposed road infrastructure in important wildlife corridors in India for strategic planning of smart green infrastructure.	National Tiger Conservation Authority Rs. 74,99,000.00 <b>Principal Investigator</b>	2016 -20
11	Developing genetic database to understand metapopulation dynamics and connectivity of tigers and other large predators across tiger landscape of Maharashtra, India	Maharashtra Forest Department Rs. 75,08,580.00 Principal Investigator	2016 - 21

# RESEARCH PROJECTS (COMPLETED):

S. No.	Project Title	Funding Agency, Amount and Role	Duration
01	Preliminary assessment of Tigers, Co-predators and Prey Species in Pranhita Wildlife Sanctuary, India for exploring options of Conservation Translocation	Maharashtra Forest Department Rs. 29,10,000.00 <b>Principal Investigator</b>	2019 - 20
02	Preparation of Conservation Plan for Biodiversity likely to be Impacted by Greenfield Jewar International Airport, Gautam Budha Nagar, Uttar Pradesh	Yamuna Expressway Industrial Development Authority (YEIDA), Government of Uttar Pradesh. Rs. 1,87,95,000.00  Principal Investigator	2019 - 20
03	Planning, Designing and Development of Greenfield Airport at Chandrapur: Wildlife Study	Maharashtra Airport Development Cooperation Rs. 24,80,000.00 Principal Investigator	2019 - 20
04	Assessment of Biodiversity and Evaluation of Ecotourism Potential in 4 Protected Areas of Himachal Pradesh, India	Himachal Pradesh State Forest Department 12,00,000.00  Principal Investigator	2018 - 20
05	Studying the dispersal of Tigers across the eastern Vidarbha Landscape (EVL) Maharashtra, India.	Maharashtra Forest Department Rs. 1,30,00,000.00 <b>Principal Investigator</b>	2016 - 20
06	Long Term Monitoring of Tigers, Co-Predators and Prey Species in Tadoba Andhari Tiger Reserve and Adjoining Landscape, Maharashtra, India	NTC A and Maharashtra Forest Department Rs. 1,62,01,200.00 Principal Investigator	2013 - 20
07	Population Status, habitat and its use by Blackbuck (Antilope cervicapra) in and around Kaimoor Wildlife Sanctuary, with reference to proposed Coal based Thermal Power Plant of 1320 MW, Mirzapur, Uttar Pradesh	Welspun Energy Rs. 67,57,000.00 <i>Principal Investigator</i>	2018 -19

08	Status of Great Indian Bustard and Associated Species in the State of Maharashtra	Maharashtra Forest Department Rs. 21,56,000.00	2017 -18	
		Principal Investigator		
		Department of Science and		
9	Ecology of Wolves with Emphasis on Dispersal in a	Technology, Govt. of India.	2016 - 19	
·	Human Dominated Landscape, Maharashtra, India	Rs. 60,75,779.00	2010 10	
		Principal Investigator	3	
	Mapping Landuse/Landcover Patters in Aravallis,	Haryana Forest Department		
0	Haryana with reference to status of key wildlife	Rs. 23,11,500.00	2016 - 17	
	species.	Principal Investigator		
	Population Estimation and Home Site Selection by	Maharashtra Forest Department		
1	Wolves in Human Dominated Landscapes of	Rs. 11,20,000.00	2016 -17	
	Maharashtra, India.	Principal Investigator		
	Genetic assessments of wild-caught captive	Maharashtra Forest Department		
2	leopards in the state of Maharashtra: implications in	Rs. 9,50,000.00	2016 -17	
-	leopard disease and illegal trade".	Principal Investigator	2010-17	
		Haryana Forest Department		
3	Long Term Monitoring of Leopard and its Prey in	Rs. 33,84,167.00	2016 - 17	
J	Kalesar National Park, Haryana		2010 - 17	
		Principal Investigator		
		WII – Grant in Aid	0010 17	
4	Ecology and Conservation of Himalayan Wolf	Rs. 69,29,800.00	2012 - 17	
		Principal Investigator		
	Distribution pattern, habitat use and movement of			
	breeding water birds with respect to Black-necked	Department of Wildlife Protection,		
5	cranes and Bar-headed geese using telemetry in	Govt. of Jammu and Kashmir	2012 - 17	
J	Changthang Cold Desert Sanctuary, Ladakh and	Rs. 22,00,000.00	2012 - 17	
	Gharana Wetland Conservation reserve, Jammu,	Co-Investigator		
	Jammu and Kashmir			
	Biological Indicators for Assessing Conservation	GEF-WB (IDA)		
6	Objectives - Askot landscape: Framework for	Rs. 35,00,000.00	2012 - 17	
	Monitoring Mammals and Birds	Principal Investigator		
		Department of Science and		
	Ecology of Leopard Panthera pardus in relation to	Technology, Govt. of India.		
7	prey abundance and land use pattern in Kashmir	Rs. 37,81,800.00	2010 - 13	
	Valley	Principal Investigator		
	Tracking the Great Indian Bustard (Ardeotis	Maharashtra Forest Department		
8	nigriceps) and Mapping its Potential Habitat across	Rs. 37,21,800.00	2013 – 15	
U	the Deccan Landscape, Maharashtra India			
	the Deccan Lanuscape, Manarashita inula	Principal Investigator		
^	Evaluating Ecological Status of Leopard in Kalesar	Haryana Forest Department	0044 45	
9	National Park, Haryana	Rs. 19,89,500.00	2014 - 15	
		Principal Investigator	5.5	
	Proposal for Reconnaissance Survey for Blackbuck	NPCIL		
0	and its Habitat in and Adjoining Landscape of NPCIL	Rs. 5,06,000.00	2014	
	Colony Site	Principal Investigator		
	Evaluating pattern of landscape use by dispersing tigers (Stray) and modelling potential connectivity	National Tiger Conservation		
		Authority	0010 10	
21		Rs. 10,00,000.00	2013 -16	
	bottlenecks	Principal Investigator		
		MBZ Species Conservation Fund		
22	Ecology and Conservation of Himpleyon Welf		2000 40	
22	Ecology and Conservation of Himalayan Wolf	\$ 10,000.00 Principal Investigator	2009 -10	
		Principal investigator		

#### **OTHER GRANTS:**

01	2009	Grant of Rs. 1,01,349.00 from Department of Science and Technology, Govt. of India, New Delhi to attend International Conference "Carnivore 2009" Carnivore Conservation in Changing World, November 15 – 18, 2009, Denver, Colorado, USA.
02	2008	Grant of Rs. 1,00,000.00 from Wildlife Conservation Society International for attending Snow Leopard Conference in Beijing 2008.
03	2007	Grant of Rs. 60, 000.00 from Wildlife Conservation Society International for attending Felid Biology and Conservation Conference, 17 – 20 September 2007, at Oxford University, UK.
04	2006	Grant of Rs. 47,034.00 from Department of Zoology, University of Cambridge, UK to attend Students Conference on Conservation Science from March 28-30, 2006 at University of Cambridge.
05	2005	Grant of Rs. 22,260.00 from International Wolf Centre, Minneapolis, MN5541 USA, to attend International Wolf Conference: "Frontiers of Wolf Recovery: Southwestern U.S. and the World" from October 1-4, 2005, at Colorado Springs, USA during the year 2005.
06	2005	Grant of Rs. 10,000.00 from Indian National Science Academy (INSA) New Delhi to attend International Wolf Conference: "Frontiers of Wolf Recovery: Southwestern U.S. and the World" from Oct. 1- 4, 2005, at Colorado Springs, USA during the year 2005.
07	2005	Grant of Rs. 30,000.00 from Department of Science and Technology, Govt. of India, New Delhi to attend International Wolf Conference: "Frontiers of Wolf Recovery: Southwestern U.S. and the World" from October 1-4, 2005, at Colorado Springs, USA during the year 2005.

### **TEACHING AND TRAINING (Masters, Diploma and Ph.D Course Work):**

Applied Population Ecology Mammalogy Community Ecology General Ecology Techniques Tour Management Tour

### **REVIEWER ASSIGNMENTS:**

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