


BRIEF BIODATA

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	Qualification: Ph.D (Horticulture)		
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Brief work experience	17.08.2022 to continuing	Scientist	ICAR-Directorate of Cashew Research, Puttur, Karnataka
	09.04.2015 to 12.8.2022	Scientist	ICAR-Indian Institute of Oil palm Research, Pedavegi, Andhra Pradesh
	01.01.2015 to 31.03.2015	Scientist	ICAR-National Academy of Agricultural Research and Management, Rajendranagar, Hyderabad
Current areas of interest / research	Cashew crop management and improvement		
Publications	a.	Research papers	30
	b.	Seminar papers/abstracts	10
	c.	Books	1
	d.	Proceedings (webinar, seed meet...etc)	3
	e.	Book chapters	3
	f.	Popular articles	15
	g.	Technical bulletins	1
	h.	Training manuals	1
	i.	Extension folders	13

Representative research papers	<p>Kalyana Babu B., Mary Rani K. L., Sarika Sahu, R. K. Mathur, Naveen Kumar P., Ravichandran G., Anitha P. & Bhagya H. P. 2019. Development and validation of whole genome-wide and genic microsatellite markers in oil palm (<i>Elaeis guineensis</i> Jacq.): First microsatellite database (OpSatdb). Scientific reports. 9:1989.</p> <p>H.P. Bhagya, P. M. Gangadharappa, B. Kalyanababu, B.N. Mahantesh Naika, D. Satish and R. B. Naik. 2019. Multivariate analysis of oil palm germplasm for vegetative and bunch yield traits. <i>Journal of Plantation crops</i>. 47(2): 115-120.</p> <p>H.P. Bhagya, B. Kalyana Babu, Mahantesh B.N. Naika, R.K. Mathur, P.M. Gangadharappa, D. Satisha and R.B. Naik, 2018, Identification and Utilization of Polymorphic SSR Markers for Genetic Diversity Studies in Oil Palm. <i>Int.J.Curr.Microbiol.App.Sci.</i> 7(4):333-341.</p> <p>Bhagya, H.P. and Suresh, K., 2018, Carbon Sequestration Potential in Oil palm-cocoa cropping system grown in Andhra Pradesh under Irrigated conditions. <i>Int. J.Curr. Microbiol. App. Sci.</i> 7 (05): 358-362. doi:http://doi.org/10.20546/ijemas.2018.705.046</p> <p>Murugesan, P., Ramajayam, D., Kumar, P. Naveen, Pedapati Anitha, Ravichandran, G, Bhagya, H.P. and Pandey Vikramadithya, 2020, Evaluation of wild oil palm germplasm for horticultural traits. <i>Indian Journal of Horticulture</i>. 77(3):406-411.</p> <p>Pedapati, A., Mathur, R.K., Ravichandran, G., Kalyanababu, B. and Bhagya, H.P. 2020. Morphological characterization and identification of oil Palm <i>Dura</i> mother palms for yield and dwarf traits. <i>International Journal of Agriculture Sciences</i>. 12 (4): 9545-9548.</p> <p>Anitha, P., Mathur, R.K., Ravichandran, G., Kalyanababu, B and Bhagya, H.P. 2020, Identification of first sterile <i>dura</i> in oil palm. <i>International Journal of Agriculture Sciences</i>. 12 (4):9598-9600.</p> <p>Anitha Pedapati, Ravi Kumar Mathur, G Ravichandran, B Kalyana Babu and H P Bhagya. 2020. Utilization of dwarf <i>dura</i> mother palms for production of high yielding and dwarf oil palm (<i>Elaeis guineensis</i>) hybrids. <i>Journal of oil seeds research</i>. 37(Special issue):93.</p> <p>Mary Rani KL, Bhagya HP, Sivani A, Govardhan Rao S, Anitha P and Ravichandran G (2020) Software aiding in selection of promising germplasm for oil palm improvement trials. <i>Journal of oil seeds research</i>. 37(Special issue): 250-251.</p> <p>Ravichandran G, Kalyana Babu B, Anitha P, Somasundaram G and Bhagya HP (2020) Standardization of seed viability testing through Tetrazolium in oil palm (<i>Elaeis guineensis</i> Jacq.). <i>Journal of oil seeds research</i>. 37(Special issue): 170-171</p> <p>B.Narasimha Rao, K. Suresh, S.k. Behera, H.P.Bhagya, S. Naresh, 2019. Oil palm-cocoa based cropping system for Economic viability and Sustainability.</p>
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	<p><i>International Journal of oil Palm</i>. 11 (1): 11-19.</p> <p>Bhagya, H.P., Maheswarappa, H.P., Surekha, Bhat Ravi, 2017, Carbon sequestration potential in coconut based cropping system. <i>Indian Journal of Horticulture</i>. 74(1):1-5.</p> <p>Bhagya H P, Ravindra Y C and Lalithya K, 2015. Role of growth regulators in production of essential oil in aromatic crops. <i>HortFlora Research Spectrum</i>. 4(2): 171-181.</p> <p>H.P.Bhagya, K.A.Lalithya and K.Bharathi, 2014. Influence of growth hormones and nodal cuttings on rooting of <i>Vitex negundo</i> L. <i>Indian Journal of Agricultural Research</i>. 48(2):81-88.s</p> <p>H.P.Bhagya, Y.C.Raveendra and K.A.Lalithya, 2014. Rooting performance of <i>Vitex negundo</i> L.as influenced by growth regulators and nodal cuttings. <i>Trends in Biosciences</i>. 7(12): 1272-1277.</p> <p>T.B. Basavaraju*, H.P. Bhagya, M. Prashanth, S. Arulraj and H.P. Maheswarappa, 2014. Effect of fertigation on the productivity of coconut. <i>Journal of Plantation crops</i>.42(2):198-204.</p> <p>Bhagya, H.P. and Sreeramu, B.S. 2013. Effect of growth regulators on vegetative propagation of <i>Vitex negundo</i> L. <i>The Asian Journal of Horticulture</i>. 8(1):2019-212.</p>
Awards received	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Awarded University Gold Medal from UAS Bangalore for Highest OGPA in M.Sc. Horticulture in Plantation, Medicinal , Aromatic and spice crops ➤ Awarded Inspire fellowship for Ph.D (Horticulture) from DST in 2013 ➤ Qualified ICARs AICE-SRF(PGS)-2014 ➤ Qualified ASRB –NET in 2014 ➤ Received Dr. B R Barwale outstanding Ph.D. thesis award in Horticulture Biotechnology in the year 2020 from IAHS, New Delhi. ➤ Received Young Scientist Award in the International Scientist Awards on Engineering, Science and Medicine, held on 23-Jul-2022, Online, India, organized by VDGGOOD Professional Association.
Training attended	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Completed 101 Foundation Course for Agricultural Research Service (FOCARS) training programme at ICAR-NAARM during 1.01.2015 to 31.03.2015. ➤ Participated in 21 days summer school on ‘ ‘ Contemporary methods of conservation and management of Horticulture Genetic Resources -7th to 27th June, 2016 at ICAR-IIHR, Bengaluru. ➤ Attended virtual training programme on Plant Genetic Resource Management and Utilization organized by ICAR-NBPGR, New Delhi during 19th July to 1st August, 2021.
Others	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Three copy rights received for publications ➤ Ten oil palm genetic stocks registered for special traits for utilization in breeding programme at ICAR-NBPGR, New Delhi.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Developed Intranet software for Data base management of oil palm germplasm. ➤ Act as external Examiner for setting question paper to B.Sc Horticulture students, UHS Bagalkot ➤ Act as external examiner of MSc Thesis evaluation, UHS Bagalkot and Dr. YSRHU , Venkataramanagudem ➤ Life member for society for promotion of oil palm Research and development. ➤ Life member of Indian society for plantation crops (Registered under societies. ➤ Life member in Asian PGPR Society of Sustainable Agriculture ➤ Life member in Indian Academy of Horticultural Sciences (IAHS) ➤ Invited talk given in webinar on Oil palm Genetic Resources: Present status and future needs in India ➤ Organized two webinar on oil palm ➤ Quality oil palm seedlings were supplied to oil palm farmer ➤ Coordinated in many training programme on oil palm (Oil palm nursery management and oil palm production technology, harvesting of oil palm bunches...etc) ➤ Reviewed many research article in journals (Journal of oil palm Research (MPOB), International journal of genetics,..etc) ➤ Editor in ACTA Scientific agriculture ➤ Associate editor in International Journal of Agricultural Sciences ➤ Discharged the duties of SIC Farm, Vehicle and Guest house at ICAR-IIOPR, Pedavegi.
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