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Education

Qualifications

Aravinda English Medium High School, Shankaraghatta, Shivamogga Karnataka Secondary Education Examination Board	94.40%	2007
Alva's PU College, Moodbidri, Mangaluru Pre University Education Board	89.83%	2009
Bachelor of Science in Agriculture University of Agricultural Sciences, Bengaluru	83.00%	2013
Masters (M.Sc) in Agricultural Extension Education National Dairy Research Institute, Karnal	86.00%	2015
Ph.D in Agricultural Extension Education Prof. Jayashankar Telangana State Agricultural University, Hyderabad	83.60%	2019

Degree

THESIS

GUIDE

M.Sc. in Agricultural Extension Education	Exploring the Potential Use of social media in Communicating Agricultural Information in Haryana	B. S. Meena Principal Scientist, NDRI, Karnal.
Ph.D in Agricultural Extension Education	A Study on Functioning and Impact of Farmer Producer Organisations in Karnataka	G. Samuel Professor, PJTS AU, Hyderabad

FIELDS OF SPECIALIZATION UNDER THE DISCIPLINE:

- Agricultural Extension Education
 - Organisational Development,
 - e-extension,
 - Agricultural Communication & Rural Development
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PUBLICATIONS

- Parameswaranaik, J., Kumar, S. R., Ranvir, S. G., Bhawar, R. S., Patel, D., & Darshan, N. P. (2015). Exploratory factor analysis in perceptual understanding of livestock rearers towards climate variability in Karnataka. *International Journal of Agriculture Sciences*, 7(14), 871–874. <https://www.researchgate.net/publication/296484134>.
 - Parameswaranaik, J., Kumar, S. R., Bhawar, R. S., Darshan, N. P., & Patel, D. (2016). Factors influencing adaptation strategies by livestock owners to combat climate variability in Karnataka state: Application of ordered logistic regression model. *Indian Journal of Animal Sciences*, 86(9), 1046–1050. <https://doi.org/10.56093/ijans.v86i9.61580>.
 - Darshan, N. P., Samuel, G., Rao, I. S., Vidyasagar, G. E. Ch., & Srinivasa Chary, D. (2019). Constraints and suggestions as perceived by the Red gram farmers in Karnataka state of India. *The Journal of Research, PJTSAU*, 47(1), 32–34. <https://www.researchgate.net/publication/348688415>.
 - Darshan, N. P., & Meena, B. S. (2017). Constraints in using Internet and social media as perceived by farmers in Karnal district of Haryana, India. *International Journal of Current Microbiology and Applied Sciences*, 6(10), 1465–1468. <https://doi.org/10.20546/ijcmas.2017.610.173>.
 - Ghosh, S., Karn, A., & Darshan N. P. (2021). Farmer Perceptions, Behaviour, Investment Needs and Policy Changes for the Adoption of Conservation Agriculture. *Journal of Agricultural Physics*. Vol. 21, No. 1, pp. 285-294.
 - Darshan, N. P. and Ghosh, S. (2023). Cooperative to FPOs: A Paradigm Shift. *Kurukshetra*, 71(3), 39-44.
 - Rajashekar, B., Rajashekhar, M., Prabhakar Reddy, T., Jagan Mohan Reddy, M., Shiva Charn, G., Darshan, N. P., Archana, P., & Neema Parveen, SK. (2023). Experiential learning and feedback of agricultural graduates towards RAWEP and AELP. *Agriculture Association of Textile Chemical and Critical Reviews Journal*, 11(4), 232-236. <https://doi.org/10.58321/AATCCReview.2023.11.04.232>.
 - Das, S., & Darshan, N. P. (2024). Agricultural Diversification and its impact on Enhancing Farm income. *Journal of Community Mobilization and Sustainable Development*. Vol. 19(Special Issue), March 2024, 106-115. DOI: 10.5958/2231-6736.2024.00058.9.
 - Das, S. R., & Darshan, N. P. (2025). Agritech revolution: Transforming
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India's agriculture aiming Viksit Bharat@2047. Journal of Community Mobilization and Sustainable Development, 20(1), 11–19. <https://doi.org/10.5958/2231-6736.2025.00002.4>

- Das, S. R., Darshan, N. P., & Patra, S. (2025). Fostering agripreneurship: Harnessing the power of social innovation for sustainable growth. Journal of Community Mobilization and Sustainable Development, 20(1), 1–7.

BOOKS & BOOK CHAPTERS

- Bhattacharyya, A., and Darshan, N.P. (2024). Institutional Web Presence in Indian Agriculture: Status, Approach and Case Study. Publish My Work (PMW), New Delhi. ISBN: 978-93-61345-58-6
- Darshan, N. P., & Dinesh, T. M. (2019). Logistic regression: A predictive modeling tool in social sciences. In Recent Trends in Humanities and Social Sciences (Vol. 3, pp. 77–89). ISBN: 978-93-5335-687-3.
- Parveen, S. N., Darshan, N. P., Patil, K. V., & Rajashekar, B. (2017). Importance and challenges of value chain analysis. In Current Trends in Social Sciences (pp. 7–12). ISBN: 238-37-24671-52-5.

AWARDS/ SCHOLARSHIP

- CBSE-UGC NET/JRF - December 2014
- “Best Master Thesis Award” for outstanding contribution in the field of Agricultural Extension Education on national conference on “Emerging challenges and opportunities in Agriculture, social, plant environment, cooperatives and technology” (ECOASPECT-2016) held from 10-11 September 2016 at Indian Institute of Rice Research (IIRR) Hyderabad-500030, Telangana, India.

Teaching experience

- 4 years

EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- Represented University of Agricultural Sciences, Bengaluru in Kho-Kho in the XIV All India Inter Agricultural University Sports and Games Meet organized by Karnataka Veterinary Animal & Fisheries Sciences University, Bidar from 06-10 March 2013.
 - Represented National Dairy Research Institute, Karnal in the XV All India Inter Agricultural University Sports and Games Meet organized by Assam Agricultural University, Jorhat from 24-28 March 2014.
 - Member of NCC coordination committee of Visva-Bharati (2021-22).
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