## **INDIAN ASSOCIATION OF VETERINARY PATHOLOGISTS**



## **CITATION FOR THE AWARD OF THE FELLOWSHIP-2012**



**Dr. Naresh Kumar Sood** completed his B. V. Sc & A.H in 1983 and M.V.Sc in Veterinary Pathology in 1985 from College of Veterinary Science, Punjab Agricultural University, Ludhiana, Punjab. Later in 1990, he obtained his fellowship to the Royal Veterinary College, Uppsala, Sweden (FRVCS) and his PhD from College of Veterinary Science, Mathura, CSAUAT, Kanpur, UP in 1997. He also qualified as Diplomate and is a charter member of Indian College of Veterinary Pathologists. He joined as Assistant Professor in the Department of Veterinary Pathology, College of Veterinary Science, PAU, Ludhiana in October, 1985, became Senior Veterinary Pathologist in July

2006, and subsequently served as Head of the Department of Veterinary Pathology, College of Veterinary Science, GADVASU, and Ludhiana from July 2008 to March, 2013. Currently, he is Incharge of the Centralized Diagnostic Laboratory, Department of Teaching Veterinary Clinical Complex, GADVASU, and Ludhiana.

Dr. N.K. Sood has 28 years of rich experience in teaching, research and extension in Veterinary Pathology and has published 156 research articles (30 in foreign journals), besides 32 full length publications,126 abstracts in the proceedings of conferences/summer schools, 3 book chapters and has delivered 36 lead papers/expert lectures and more than 15 radio/TV talks. He has also participated in 38 conferences/symposia including 5 international meets. He has been Zonal Secretary (North) of IAVP twice in succession and currently holding Vice-President Chair of the ICVP. In addition, he has guided 8 M.V.Sc and 2 Ph D students and co-guided of over 50 PG students. Dr Sood has handled 8 research projects, including 2 extra-mural ones. He is also a reviewer for several national and international journals. Dr. Sood is also an active member of research gate (scientific web forum of over 3 million members all across the globe), with a RG score of 30.87 which is higher than 90% of the members and also the highest among GADVASU faculty. His research work has been widely cited with over 143 citations and h index of 6.0 and has also published 2 comments in 'Nature', besides ideas and publications in other scientific forums.

Dr. N. K. Sood has organised International IAVP conference at GADVASU, Ludhiana in 2009, which was considered to be the best. He has also organised a winter school and an FAO sponsored training programme for Nepalese technicians. He has been instrumental in development of centralized diagnostic, immunpathology and histopathology, multi-purpose teaching, rabies diagnosis laboratories, all 'state of the art' and modern Veterinary Pathology laboratories. Dr Sood has more 25 national and international awards to his credit. He has also been awarded with 'incentive increment for outstanding teaching' by PAU, Ludhiana and his research interests include molecular oncology, immunopathology and clinical pathology.

The Association confers Fellowship and the title Fellow of the Indian Association of Veterinary Pathologists (FIAVP) on Dr. Naresh Kumar Sood for his outstanding contribution to the advancement of Veterinary Pathology in India.

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