

Indian Association of Veterinary Pathologists

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CITATION FOR AWARD OF THE IAVP FELLOWSHIP, 2016

Dr Rajveer Singh Pawaiya (52) was born on 8thJune, 1965 in District Morena, Madhya Pradesh. He did his BVSc & AH degree in1990 from Veterinary College, Jabalpur, MVSc and PhD degree in Veterinary Pathology in 1993 and 2004, respectively from Deemed University, Indian Veterinary Research Institute, Izatnagar, UP. He was awarded CSIR Senior Research Fellowship on Research Project entitled "Effect of environmental heavy metal pollution on the micronutrient status of rabbits" during 1995-96. He joined Agricultural Research Services in 1996 and served ICAR as Scientist, Scientist (Sr Scale), Senior Scientist and Principal Scientist at NRCCWF, Bhimtal, Nainital; CSWRI, Avikanagar; SRRC, CSWRI, Mannavanur, Kodaikanal; VTC, NRCE, Hisar and IVRI, Izatnagar. Presently, Dr Pawaiya is working as Principal Scientist at ICAR-CIRG, Makhdoom, Mathura, UP.

Dr Pawaiya is the recipient of ICAR-Jawaharlal Nehru Award in 2005 for his outstanding doctoral research work on 'Chemical carcinogenesis and detection of molecular markers immunohistochemically in animal tumors' and Dr C.M. Singh Award in 2004 for Best PhD Scholar of Deemed University, IVRI, Izatnagar. Dr Pawaiya has significantly contributed as pioneer researcher on the molecular carcinogenesis and diagnostic aspects of animal tumors. As a Post-Doctoral Fellow, Dr Pawaiya worked on the research project entitled "Molecular pathological studies on canine tumors" at School of Veterinary Medicine, Saint George's University, Grenada (West Indies) during 2010-11. Here he was associated in establishment of molecular diagnosis laboratory, developed new courses and remained engaged in teaching veterinary pathology to DVM students.

Presently, Dr Pawaiya is working on research projects entitled "Effect of nutritional deficiency diseases on gene expression profiles in goats" and "Development of database repertoire for *Clostridium perfringens* strains prevalent in causing Enterotoxaemia in goats" under Centre for Agricultural Bioinformatics Scheme of ICAR. Dr Pawaiya is a senior faculty member of Veterinary Pathology discipline of DU, IVRI, Izatnagar and DUVASU, Mathura and he is engaged in teaching and guiding MVSc and PhD students. So far he has guided 4 MVSc and 2 PhD students and co-guided several scholars. He has over 120 research/ technical publications in his credit including 5 books/manuals,33 book chapters and 88 research papers in national and international journals of repute. Dr Pawaiya has served as a Guest Editor of Special Issue of International Journal entitled 'Advances in Animal and Veterinary Sciences', Editor of Indian Journal of Veterinary Pathology (IJVP) and presently he is Chief Editor of IJVP. As a Chief Editor of IJVP, Dr Pawaiya not only increased the frequency of the journal from biannual to quarterly since 2014 but also improved the quality of journal significantly which resulted in the enhancement of its NAAS Rating (5.48).

Dr Pawaiya is a Diplomat of Indian College of Veterinary Pathologists, Member of National Academy of Veterinary Sciences, Life-Member of Indian National Science Congress, Indian Association of Veterinary Pathologists, Indian Society for Sheep and Goat Production and Utilization, International Inflammation Research Association etc. He is peer reviewer of many journals including the *Journal of Histotechnology, World Journal of Gastroenterology, International Journal of Medicine and Medical Sciences, Journal of Infectious Diseases and Immunity, International Journal of Liver Diseases and Diagnostic Research, Advances in Animal and Veterinary Sciences etc.* Dr Pawaiya has been entrusted with several assignments including Flying Squad Member of ASRB Examination, Member of Screening Committee of ASRB, Chairman of Assessment Committee for Technical Personnel of PDC, Meerut, Elected PG Faculty Member of Academic Council of DU, IVRI, Izatnagar, Executive Committee Member of ARSFF, ICAR-IVRI Unit, Izatnagar, President of ARSFF, ICAR-CIRG Unit, Makhdoom, Expert Member and Main Nominee of CPCSEA.

The Association confers Fellowship and the title of **Fellow of Indian Association of Veterinary Pathologists (FIAVP)** on **Dr Rajveer Singh Pawaiya** for his outstanding contributions to the advancement of Veterinary Pathology in India.

(Dr K.P. Singh)
Secretary General

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