



Indian Association of Veterinary Pathologists

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CITATION FOR AWARD OF THE IAVP FELLOWSHIP, 2024

Prof. Madhurendu Kumar Gupta was born on May 2nd, 1961 in Patna, Bihar. He completed his BVSc & AH in 1983, MVSc in 1986 and PhD (Veterinary Pathology) in 1995 from College of Veterinary Science and Animal Husbandry, Ranchi, Jharkhand. He is also Diplomat of Indian College of Veterinary Pathologists. He started his career as Assistant Professor in the Department of Veterinary Pathology, CVSc & AH, Birsa Agricultural University, Ranchi, Jharkhand in 1989. He had been in academia for 34 years in continuation. At present, he is University Professor cum Chief Scientist and Chairman, Department of Veterinary Pathology, CVSc & AH, BAU, Ranchi, Jharkhand. He has guided six MVSc and two PhD students as a major guide and published more than 75 research articles in national and international journals and 10 popular articles. He has attended four summer schools, 11 conferences/symposiums, 15 seminars and two workshops. Realising the importance of Clinical Pathology in disease diagnosis, he popularized the Veterinary Clinical Pathology in Jharkhand amongst the veterinary practitioners and created awareness amongst the farmers and pet owners about the benefit of clinical examination for early and accurate disease diagnosis.

His contribution in diagnosis and control of haemopprotozoan (Theileriosis, babesiosis, trypanosomiasis) and haemorickettsial (anaplasmosis) diseases has been of significance. Apart from clinical pathology, he has significant interest in poultry pathology, toxico-pathology, oncology and transboundary diseases like LSD, ASF and EEHV infections, the incidence of all of which was reported for the first time from Jharkhand. The Ranchi strain of LSD virus has been successfully used for the preparation of first commercial vaccine against LSD.

Regarding the schemes, as a Principle Investigator, he handled FMD Network Unit and collaboration centre of AICRP on FMD, in CVSc & AH, BAU, Ranchi since 2022. In that, he actively engaged in serosurveillance and seromonitoring of FMD for seroprevalence study and analysis of protective antibody titre in both pre and post-vaccinated animals. He worked as Co-PI in ICAR Outreach Programme on monitoring of drug residues and environmental pollution as well as AICRP on livestock and poultry products safety. As a consultant, he has played crucial role in the control of wildlife diseases in Jharkhand for last 35 years. He was also involved in developing web enabled access of agricultural information through PC and mobile devices for giving consultancy to the farmers through ITK for which he, as a member of team, was given "The Manthan Award, South Asia 2011" and "SKOCH Order-of-Merit Award, New Delhi" for qualification in India's Best Governance project. He is recipient of IAVP President Appreciation Award 2019.

The Association confers Fellowship and the title of **Fellow of Indian Association of Veterinary Pathologists (FIAVP)** on **Prof. Madhurendu Kumar Gupta** for his outstanding contributions to the advancement of Veterinary Pathology.

(G.A. Balasubramaniam)
Secretary General

4th December, 2025
Ranchi

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