

Brief Resume

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Professional Experience

2018 July/September	Scientist-G (BSIP)
2018 April-2018 September, 2018	Professor(Geology) BHU
2013-2018	Scientist-F(BSIP)
2006-2013	Scientist-E(BSIP)
2001-2006	Scientist-D(BSIP)
1996-2001	SSO/Scientist-C(BSIP)
1988-1996	JSO(BSIP)
1988-1988	Senior Research Fellow(BSIP)
1986-1988	Junior Research Fellow(BSIP)

Honours and Awards

1. ‘L. Rama Rao Birth Centenary Award 2018’ by the Geol. Soc. India
2. Indo-Australian Senior Scientist Fellowship of DST-ASA 2012-13
3. BSIP External Budgetary Resource Medal 2016
4. Member, Indian Delegation 35th IGC, South Africa, 2016
5. BSIP Diamond Jubilee Medal 2013
6. INSA-CAS Exchange visit 2012
7. Iyengar—Sahni Gold Medal 2009
8. Sharda Chandra Gold Medal 2009
9. BOYSCAST Fellowship, 1996
10. Sino-India Fellowship, 1996
11. ISRO Conference Best Poster Award, 1992
12. ISCA Young Scientist Award 1992

Professional Services

- 2016 Coordinator, NASA Spaceward Bound India Programme-2016
2014 Organizing Secretary, International Field Workshop on Marwar Supergroup
2010 Organizing Secretary, International Field Workshop on Vindhyan
2009 Organizing Secretary, *Conclave on Evolution: Life's Continuum*;
2005 Organizing Secretary, BSIP Diamond Jubilee Conference

Memberships &Fellowships of International and National Professional Bodies

1. Fellow –Indian Social Science Academy, Allahabad
2. Fellow–The Geological Society of India, Bangalore, India
3. Fellow - The Palaeontological Society of India, Lucknow, India
4. Fellow - The Palaeobotanical Society, Lucknow, India
5. Fellow - Indian Association of Sedimentologists, Aligarh, India
6. Fellow - Indian Geological Congress, Roorkee, India
7. Fellow - Gondwana Geological Society, Nagpur, India

8. Voting Member, ICS, Sub-commission on Ediacaran (2016-19)
9. Voting Member, ICS, Sub-commission on Cryogenian Stratigraphy (2016-19)
10. Member, Committee for Establishment of National Earth Science Museum (2018)
11. President, The Society of Earth Scientists, India (2017-2019)
12. Vice-President, The Palaeobotanical Society, India (2019-2021)
13. Editor, Journal of the Palaeontological Society of India, Lucknow (2018-2022)
14. Member, IGCP -587 (2011-2014)
15. Life Member - Indian Science Congress Association, Kolkata, India
16. Life Member – National Academy of Sciences India, Allahabad, India
17. Life Member - Himalayan Geology, Dehradun, India
18. Member - Current Science Association, Bangalore, India

Co-ordination of scientific programs

- Indian Coordinator, DST-RFBR (Indo-Russian) Project (2018-2020)
- Member 36th IGC Geo-host support Programme Sub-Committee (2018-2020)
- Indian Coordinator, DST-RFBR (Indo-Russian) Project (2011-2013)
- DST, India-GINRAS, Russia ILTP-Project 2006
- DST-ILTP Project Member 2001
- DST Young Scientist Project 1995

Publications

Edited Volumes of the Journals:	(1) <i>Jour. Pal. Soc. India</i> (2021), vol. 66(2): 113-356 (2) <i>Jour. Asian Earth Sci.</i> (2014), vol. 91: 227-377 (3) <i>Palaeobotanist</i> (2008), vol. 57: 322 pp.
Research Papers	99
Chapters in Books	07
Monographs published	02
Outreach Popular Books	03
Number of Ph.Ds supervised,	06
Number of students pursuing Ph.D	03
Supervised RTF-DCS	01

Invited Lectures: In recognition of his research work, Prof. Sharma has been invited to deliver talks at International (19) and at National (8) Forums.

COMPLETE LIST OF PUBLICATIONS

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1. Kumar, Yogesh, **SHARMA, MUKUND**,ShreerupGoswami(2022). Possible Ediacaraan discs from the Paniam Quartzite, Kurnool Group, South India. *Current Science*, 122(8): 885-887.
2. **SHARMA, MUKUND**, Singh, VK,Pandey, SK, Ansari, AH,Shukla, Y, Ahmad S., Kumar, Yogesh, Singh, Divya (2021). Precambrian and early Cambrian palaeobiology of India: Quo Vadis. *Proceedings of the Indian National Science Academy*, 87:199–233.
3. Ansari, AH, Singh, VK, **SHARMA, MUKUND**, Kumar K, (2021). High authigenic Co enrichment in the non-euxinic buff-grey and black shale of the Chandarpur Group, Chhattisgarh Supergroup: Implication for the late Mesoproterozoic shallow marine redox condition. *Terra Nova*, doi.org/10.1111/ter.12564.
4. Ansari, A. H., Singh, V. K., **SHARMA, MUKUND**, & Kumar, K. (2021).Bhan, U, Singh, D, Sharma, M, Singh, D, Pandey, SK (2021). A note on the Fan-Fabric Structures in the late PalaeoproterozoicKajrahat Limestone, Katni, M.P., India. *Journal of Palaeontological Society of India* 66 (2), 315-322.
5. Singh, D, **SHARMA, MUKUND**, Bhan, U, Pandey, B, Pandey, SK, Singh D (2021). Carbonate Fan Fabric Structures (FFS) in time and space: A case study from the Palaeoproterozoic Kajrahat Limestone, Vindhyan Supergroup, India. *Journal of the Palaeontological Society of India* 66 (2), 290-30.
6. Ahmad, S, Pandey, SK, **SHARMA, MUKUND**, Srivastava, A. (2021). The early Cambrian (Series 2, Stage 3) burrows from the Nagaur Sandstone, MarwarSupergroup, Rajasthan, India: palaeoenvironmental and palaeoecological considerations. *Journal of the Palaeontological Society of India* 66 (2), 271-289.
7. Kumar, Y Shukla, Y Singh, VK,**SHARMA, MUKUND**Goswami S (2021). Confocal Laser Scanning Microscopy (CLSM) of newly recovered microfossil assemblage from the Kurnool Group, South India: New insights on microfossil morphology. *Journal of the Palaeontological Society of India* 66 (2), 258-270.
8. Singh, VK, **SHARMA, MUKUND**(2021). *Dictyosphaeramacroreticulata* and *Valeria lophostriata* from the late MesoproterozoicChaporadih Formation, Chhattisgarh Supergroup and their significance. *Journal of the Palaeontological Society of India* 66 (2), 141-155.
9. **SHARMA, MUKUND**Shukla,Y.,Sergeev, V.N., 2021. Microfossils from the Krol ‘A’ of the Lesser Himalaya, India: Additional supporting data for its early Ediacaran age.*Palaeoworld*, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.palwor.2020.12.010>.
10. Tang,Qing, Pang,Ke, Li,Guangjin, Chen,Lei, Yuan, Xunlai,**SHARMA, MUKUND** Xiao Shuhai2021. The Proterozoic macrofossil *Tawuia* as a coenocytic eukaryote and a possible macroalga. *Palaeogeography, Palaeoclimatology, Palaeoecology*,576 (2021), 110485.
11. Colleps, C. L., McKenzie, N. R., Guenthner, W. R., **SHARMA, MUKUND**, Gibson, T. M. 2021. Apatite (U-Th)/Hethermochronometric constraints on the northern extent of the Deccan large igneous province. *Earth and Planetary Science Letters* 571, 117087
12. Colleps, C. L., McKenzie, N. R., **SHARMA, MUKUND**, Liu, H., Gibson, T. M., Chen, W. D., Stockli, F. 2021. Zircon and apatite U-Pb age constraints from the Bundelkhandcraton and Proterozoic strata of central India: Insights into craton stabilization and subsequent basin evolution. *Precambrian Research*, 106286.
13. Lan,Zhongwu,Pandey,S.K., Zhang,Shujing, **SHARMA, MUKUND**,Gao,Yuya, Wu,Shitou2021. Precambrian crustal evolution in Northern Indian Block: Evidence from detrital zircon U-Pb ages and Hf-isotopes.*Precambrian Research*,361: 106238.

- 14.** **SHARMA, MUKUND**, Singh VK, Pandey SK, Ansari AH, Shukla Y, Ahmad S, Kumar Y, Singh D. 2021. Precambrian and early Cambrian palaeobiology of India: *Quo Vadis*. *Proceedings of the Indian National Science Academy*, 87: 199-233.
- 15.** Shields,Graham A., Strachan,Robin A., Porter,Susannah M., Halverson,Galen P., Macdonald,Francis A. Kenneth, Plumb,A., de Alvarenga, Carlos J., Banerjee, Dhiraj M.,Bekker,AndreyBleeker,Wouter,Brasier,Alexander,Chakraborty,Partha P., Collins, Alan,Condie, S. Kent, Das,Kaushik, Evans,David A. D., Ernst, Richard,Fallick, Anthony E. Frimmel,Hartwig, Fuck,Reinhardt, Hoffman, Paul F.,Kamber,Balz S.,Kuznetsov, Anton B., Mitchell, Ross N.,Poiré,Daniel G.,Poulton, Simon W., Riding,Robert,**SHARMA, MUKUND**, Storey,Craig,Stueeken, Eva, Tostevin,Rosalie, Turner,Elizabeth, Xiao, Shuhai, Zhang,Shuanhong, Zhou, Ying and Zhu,Maoyan 2021. A template for an improved rock-based subdivision of the pre-Cryogenian timescale. *Journal of the Geological Society*, 179: doi.org/10.1144/jgs2020-222
- 16.** Lan, Z., Zhang, S., Li, Xian-Hua, Pandey, S. K., **SHARMA, MUKUND**, Shukla, Yogmaya, Ahmad, Shamim, Sarkar, S., and Zhai, M. 2020. Towards resolving the ‘Jigsaw puzzle’ and age-fossil inconsistency within East Gondwana. *Precambrian Research* 345:105775. (Impact factor 3.834).
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- 24.** Ansari, A. H., **SHARMA, MUKUND**, Ahmad, S., Singh, V. K., Pandey, S. K., Kumar, Y. (2019). The glucose uptake rate of micro-organism living in hot-springs above 70°C temperature: A study of Panamik and Puga hot-springs of Ladakh region, Jammu and Kashmir, India. *Current Science*118(4): 644-648. (Impact factor – 0.756).

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- 30.** Pandey, Siddharth, Clarke, Jonathan, Nema, Preeti, Bonaccorsi, Rosalba, Som, Sanjoy, **SHARMA, MUKUND**, Phartiyal, Binita, Rajamani, Sudha, Mogul, Rakesh, Martin-Torres, Javier, Vaishampayan, Parag, Blank, Jennifer, Steller, Luke, Srivastava, Anushree, Singh, Randheer, McGuirk, Savannah, ZorzanoMaría-Paz, Güttler, Johannes Milan, Mendaza, Teresa, Soria-Salinas, Alvaro, Ahmad,Shamim, Ansari, Arif, Singh, Veeru Kant, Mungi, Chaitanya and Bapat, Niraja (2019). Ladakh: diverse, high-altitude extreme environments for off-earth analogue and astrobiology research. *International Journal of Astrobiology*. [doi.org/10.1017/ S1473550419000119](https://doi.org/10.1017/S1473550419000119).
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- 32.** Parthsarathy, G., Pandey, O.P., Sreedhar, B., **SHARMA, MUKUND**, Tripathi, Priyanka, Vendanti, Nimisha (2019). First observation of microspherule from the infratrappeanGondwana sediments below Killari region of deccan LIP Maharashtra (India) and possible implications. *Geoscience Frontiers* 10: 2281-2285.
- 33.** **SHARMA, MUKUND** and Singh, V. K. (2019). Megascopic carbonaceous remains from Proterozoic basins of India. In:*Geological Evolution of Precambrian Indian Shield* (Ed. M. E. A. Mondal). Publisher: Springer, Society of Earth Scientist Series. Doi.org/10.1007/978-3-319-89698-4_27.
- 34.** Ansari A.H., Pandey S.K., **SHARMA, MUKUND** and Kumar Y. (2018). Carbon and oxygen isotope stratigraphy of the EdiacaranBilara Group, MarwarSupergroup, India: Evidence for high amplitude carbon isotopic negative excursions. *Precambrian Research* 308:75-91.
- 35.** **SHARMA, MUKUND** Ahmad, S., Pandey, S.K. and Kumar, K. (2018). On the ichnofossil*Treptichnuspedum*: inferences from the Nagaur Sandstone, MarwarSupergroup, India. *Bulletin of Geosciences* 93(3): 305-325.
- 36.** **SHARMA, MUKUND**, Pandey, S. K., Ahmad, S., Kumar, K. and Ansari, A. H. (2018). Observations on the ichnospecies*Monomorphichnusmultilineatus* from the Nagaur Sandstone (Cambrian Series 2-Stage 4), MarwarSupergroup, India. *Journal of Earth System Sciences* 127:75, doi.org/10.1007/s12040-018-0973-9.

- 37.** Pandey, S. K. &**SHARMA, MUKUND** (2017). Enigmatic Ediacaran megascopic bedding plane structures on the Sonia Sandstone, Jodhpur Group, MarwarSupergroup, India: seaweed or problematica. *Geological Journal* 52: 784–807.
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- 40.** Singh, V. K. &**SHARMA, MUKUND** (2016). Mesoproterozoic organic walled microfossils from the Chaporadih Formation, Chandarpur Group, ChhattishgarhSupergroup, Odisha, India. *Journal of the Palaeontological Society of India* 61(1): 75-84.
- 41.** **SHARMA, MUKUND**, Tiwari, M, Ahmad, S., Shukla, R., Shukla, B., Singh, V. K., Pandey, S.K., Ansari, A. H., Shukla, Y. & Kumar, S., (2016). Palaeobiology of Indian Proterozoic and Early Cambrian Successions-Recent Developments. *Proceedings Indian National Science Academy*, 82(3): 559-579.
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- 43.** **SHARMA, MUKUND**, Banerjee, D. M. &Santosh, M. (2014). Proterozoic Basins of India. *Journal of Asian Earth Sciences* 91: 227-229.
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- 45.** Dayal, A. M., Mani, D., Madhavi, T., Kavitha, S., Kalpana, M. S., Patil, D. J. &**SHARMA, MUKUND** (2014). Organic geochemistry of the Vindhyan sediments: Implications for hydrocarbons. *Journal of Asian Earth Sciences* 91: 329-338.
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- 48.** **SHARMA, MUKUND** &Shukla, Yogmaya (2012). Occurrence of helically coiled microfossils *Obruchevella* in the Owl Shale of the Kurnool Group and its significance. *Journal of Earth System Science*, 121(3): 755-768.
- 49.** **SHARMA, MUKUND**, Kumar, S ,Tiwari, Meera, Shukla, Yogmaya, Pandey, S K, Srivastava, Purnima and Banerjee, Santanu (2012). Palaeobiological Constraints and the Precambrian Biosphere: Indian Evidence. *Proceedings Indian National Science Academy*, 78(3): 407-422.
- 50.** Sergeev, V. N. **SHARMA, MUKUND** &Shukla, Yogmaya (2012). Proterozoic fossil Cyanobacteria. *Palaeobotanist*61: 189-358.
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- utility of isotopic signature of Himalayan lithotectonic zones. *Earth and Planetary Science Letters* 312: 471-483.
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