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EDUCATION

M.Sc. Agricultural Entomology, 2013

P.G College of Horticulture, Vellanikkara, KAU

B.Sc. (Hons) Agriculture, 2011

College of Horticulture, Vellanikkara, KAU

EMPLOYMENT

Assistant Professor (Agricultural Entomology), Aug 2021
Communication Centre, KAU, Mannuthy

Assistant Professor (Agricultural Entomology), Jun 2025 -
Department of Agricultural Entomology, RARS(Sz), KAU,
Thiruvananthapuram

PROJECTS

- Institution Village Linkage Programme with focus on accomplishment of food and nutritional security
- Scaling up of Agro-clinics and farm advisory services for addressing the real-time problems of farmers in Thrissur district
- Popularizing the entrepreneurial potential of mushroom farming through Capacity Building Programmes, product diversification, and market interventions
- Crop protocol-based short video production for Paddy and Banana—a comprehensive guide for farmers (NABARD)
- Climate-Resilient Sustainable Agriculture Package for Kule Lands: Enhancing Yield and Livelihood Security of Kule Farmers (NABARD)

ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES

- Teaching
- Farmers' Trainings
- Associate Editor, Kalpadhenu
- Co-PI, Unnat Bharat Abhiyan Project of GoI
- Nodal Officer of National Extension Programme, ICAR
- Member, Editorial Board, KAU Newsletter

PUBLICATIONS

- Emerging Mite Pests of Kerala - Book - Kerala Agricultural University - Haseena Bhaskar, Melvin Mohan S, Vidya C V, Neena Lenin, Aswathi Krishna R
- GIS based mapping for a better crop planning for Perumpadappu block of Ponnani kole lands in Kerala - Asian Journal of Agricultural Extension, Economics & Sociology - Sunil, V. G., Abhilash, N, Aswathi, K. R., Asish B, Swathy, S., Revath, B, Pranav, V. P., and Sooraj V
- Atlas of Kole lands of Kerala - Book - Kerala Agricultural University - Sunil, V. G., Abhilash, Nandan, Asish Benny, Aswathi Krishna R
- Package of Practices, Recommendations; Crops 2024 - Book - Kerala Agricultural University - Jacob John, Ani S Das, Sunil V G, Aswathi Krishna R, Aswathi K K, Jaliya M K
- Vila Paripaolana Suparshakal - Book - Kerala Agricultural University - Jacob John, Binco P Boni, Aswathi Krishna R, Aswathi K K, Roshni Thambi

AREAS OF EXPERTISE

- Integrated Pest Management (IPM)
- Farmer Training & Capacity Building
- Agricultural Extension & Communication