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I have done my masters in Microbiology from Department of Microbiology, RTM Nagpur University, followed by Doctoral degree in Clinical Microbiology from Datta Meghe Institute of Medical Sciences., Nagpur, India in 2015. I have been associated Central India Institute of Medical Sciences ( CIIMS) from February 1<sup>st</sup> 2009. I am currently working as a Research Scientist in Biochemistry Research Laboratory of Institute. I have completed my Ph.D. in Clinical Microbiology on topic” Heterologous Prime boost approaches in mice to increase efficacy of BCG vaccine against TB” under the guidance of Dr Rajpal S. Kashyap. During my Ph.D, I was recipient of Senior Research Fellowship from Indian Council of Medical Research, Govt. of India from 2012-2105. I have 9 years of Research experience and 28 publications in various peer reviewed National and International Journals such as Lancet infectious Dis, Plos one, Plos pathogens. I was a recipient of early career travel award by National foundation of Infectious, Maryland, Florida, USA. Currently I am working as visiting Scholar at Australian Institute of tropical Health and Medicine, James Cooking University, Australia as part of Indo-Australia Career Boosting Gold Fellowship received by Dept. of Biotechnology, Govt of India. My Research Interest includes Immunology, Diagnostics, Infectious Diseases Epidemiology, Neuroinfection & development of animal models of TB infection. . I have extensive expertise in field studies and have been associated with various camps for tuberculosis in High TB endemic regions of Nagpur and Malnourished Tribal regions of Melghat. I have experience of working in BSL 3 laboratories and Handling and culturing different Tuberculosis strains.