



DR. C.S LATTOO

POSITION

Retired, as In-charge Herbarium, Department Of Botany, Institute Of Science, Mumbai.

QUALIFICATION

M.Sc.Botany, University Of Mumbai, PhD, Botany (Ecology and Taxonomy) University of Mumbai.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Published six papers in scientific journals, one of which is published in International Journal.

Thirty five years of experience of plant collection in the field and their identification. Helped under graduate, post graduate and research students of institute of science and other collages of Mumbai, in identification of plants.

At present visiting faculty in Rachna Sansad's Institute of Environmental Architecture for M.Arch in Environmental Architecture.

Resource person for various activities related to plant science for Department of Extra-mural Studies, University of Mumbai. Course coordinator for certificate course in Taxonomy of Plants & Animals conducted by the same department.

To educate students in particular and people in general about the plant wealth around them and its conservation importance, conducted many field trips, along with

Department of Extra-mural Studies, University of Mumbai and other colleges & schools in Mumbai and outside Mumbai.

Coordinator for MMRDA funded project 'Health of Greenery' in Brihan-Mumbai area.

Consultants for 'Trees Census' conducted by NGO from Mumbai for nine Municipal Corporation in Maharashtra including Mumbai.

Conducted Ecosystem studies in Bordi village in Thane district with the help of local school children.

Coordinator for middle Vaitarna Hydroelectric project of Mumbai Municipal Corporation for assessment of vegetation in the area going to be submerged.

Given lectures in English & Marathi on the topics like Medical Plants, Biodiversity in various schools, colleges and other Institutions .

Consultant for the 'Herbal World ' exhibitions arranged by Prabodhan Goregaon(NGO)from 2002-2005

Published popular Articles in Marathi magazines on plant science.

Informative talks on All India Radio and Doordarshan Mumbai.

Member of core committee Indo-Canadian educational program of World-Wild Life (India), published educational material for school.

Life member of the following institutions.

- Society of Clean Environment, Mumbai
- International Society for Friend of Trees, Mumbai
- Bombay Natural History Society, Mumbai.

Worked as resource person for all above organizations.

Associated as consultant for National and Multinational Companies for Biological Components.

Edited a coffee table book 'Trees' of Mumbai (English) and 'Vruksharaji Mumbaichi'(Marathi). A Creation of Centre for Extra Mural Studies, University of Mumbai- 2008

Edited a book 'Ecology in Practice'1995

Written an article in Marathi“Parlyateel Hirwai” in a book “Parle Smruti Sugandh” 2012 published by Shri Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj Smarak Samitee, Juhu Mumbai.
Member of the managing council of National Society of the Friends of Trees

Sallagar on Samitee" Punyashlok AhilyaDevi Holkar Barav Sanvardhan Upakram "
Run by: Janajaagruti Manch and Dainik Navakal

Member of Board of Governors - Maharashtra Nature Park of MMRDA (for 3 years)

ACCOLADES

Best Teacher Award from Dept. of Extra Mural Studies (University of Mumbai)

Best Teacher Award– Semester1 M.Arch (Environmental Architecture) Academic session 2013-14 Rachna Sansad, Institute of Environmental Architecture

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