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Varsha Baweja, M.Sc., Ph.D. Current Designation: Professor, Department of Zoology Deshbandhu College, University of Delhi, Delhi, India Contact: vbaweja@db.du.ac.in, Website: https://www.deshbandhucollege.ac.in/, https://sites.google.com/view/varshabaweja/home Post-Doc Experience: 8 years at University of Delhi, funded by CSIR, Delhi, India Teaching Experience: 33 years Research Papers Published: 21 Research Papers Presented: 19 Books: 2; Book Chapters: 2; E-content: 4 Academic Interests: Developmental Biology, Physiology, Animal Biodiversity Research Interests: My research focuses on understanding lifestyle metabolic disorders using <i>Drosophila</i> as a model organism. Additionally, we explore the potential of medicinal plants and plant-derived products in managing these disorders with an aim of identifying effective, evidence-based interventions. Previously, worked on entomopathogenic nematodes, <i>Steinernema glaseri</i> and <i>Heterorhabditis bacteriophora</i>, and evaluated their efficacy against lepidopteran insect pest <i>Spodoptera litura</i> under integrated pest management system.	

Social Responsibilities: As a Coordinator of Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, (an initiative of Ministry of Education, Government of India), organized and led multiple outreach programs on the issues related to environment, women, and human health across five network villages of Deshbandhu College.