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#### 1. EDUCATION

Ph.D. (2014)

Environmental Science and Engineering (Topic- "Development of a protocol for evaluation of human vibration hazard potential of mining and processing equipment used in Indian mines") from Indian Institute of Technology(ISM), Dhanbad

M. Tech. (2008)

Mining Engineering from Visvesvaraya National Institute of Technology(VNIT), Nagpur

Mine Manager's

First Class

Certificate of

Competency

(unrestricted) (1995)

B.E. (1982) Mining Engineering from Bengal Engineering College (Calcutta University)

## 2. INDUSTRIAL EXPERIENCE (22 years)

| Post / Location   | Duration            | Responsibilities   |
|---|---------------------|--|
| As Deputy General<br>Manager (Tech):  | 2 Years<br>4 Months | In charge of operation of all underground mines and mineral beneficiation of complex Cu-Pb-Zn Sulphide ores including Column Flotation technology and Research and Development cell of the Corporation.  |
| Sikkim Mining Corporation.  ( A Govt. of Sikkim & Govt. of India Joint undertaking) |                     | <ul> <li>Prepared Mining Plan for Bhotang Mine of the Corporation.</li> <li>Designed and commissioned Ventilation system for Pacheykhani Mine of the Corporation.</li> <li>Installed and commissioned Stone Crusher plants as a diversification option for the Corporation.</li> </ul> |

| As Manager           | 19 Years | Employed in large mechanized underground             |  |  |  |
|----------------------|----------|--|--|--|--|
| (Mines)              | 7 Months | metalliferous mines in various capacities from       |  |  |  |
|                      |          | underground manager to Mines Manager and HOD of      |  |  |  |
| Hindustan Copper     |          | Mine Planning, Safety & Training.                    |  |  |  |
| Limited.(A Govt.     |          | g.   |  |  |  |
| of India Enterprise) |          | Gained technical expertise in mine development,      |  |  |  |
|                      |          | stoping operations (Room & Pillar, Horizontal Cut &  |  |  |  |
|                      |          | Fill, Post Pillar Stoping), sand stowing plant       |  |  |  |
|                      |          | management etc.                                      |  |  |  |
|                      |          |  |  |  |  |
|                      |          | In-charge of production and Safety in Mosaboni Mines |  |  |  |
|                      |          | (South Top) and Kendadih Mines of Indian Copper      |  |  |  |
|                      |          | Complex (Ghatsila, Jharkhand).                       |  |  |  |
|                      |          |  |  |  |  |
|                      |          | As Planning Engineer experienced in:                 |  |  |  |
|                      |          | Mine Layout  |  |  |  |
|                      |          | Short / long term planning.                          |  |  |  |
|                      |          | <ul> <li>Various tendering actions.</li> </ul>       |  |  |  |
|                      |          | Cost-benefit analysis.                               |  |  |  |
|                      |          | Project report preparations.                         |  |  |  |
|                      |          | Human resources planning.                            |  |  |  |

## 3. RESEARCH EXPERIENCE & CONTRIBUTION

# Science and Technology Projects

| Sl.<br>No. | Project title   | Role                                    | Funding agency                          | Value<br>(Rs. Lakhs) | Period                   |
|------------|---|---|---|----------------------|--------------------------|
| 1.         | Development of a protocol for evaluation of vibration hazard potential of mining equipment"           | Principal<br>Investigator<br>(PI)       | Ministry of<br>Mines, Govt.<br>of India | 23.00                | 2010-2013<br>(Completed) |
| 2.         | Development of Standard Framework and Guidelines for Noise Mapping in Mines and Surrounding Community | Principal<br>Investigator<br>(PI)       | Ministry of<br>Mines, Govt.<br>of India | 78.00                | 2012-2015<br>(Completed) |
| 3.         | Systematic study of potential biomarkers of occupational diseases in miners                           | Co-Principal<br>Investigator<br>(Co-PI) | Ministry of<br>Mines, Govt.<br>of India | 21.33                | 2010-2013<br>(Completed) |
| 4.         | Evaluation of biomarkers for early  | Co-Principal<br>Investigator            | Ministry of Mines, Govt.                | 90.86                | 2013-2016<br>(Completed) |

|    | detection of noise induced hearing loss   | (Co-PI)             | of India                                |       |                        |
|----|---|---------------------|---|-------|------------------------|
| 5. | in mine workers  Possible implication of Bio-available Iron in coal mine dust on coal workers' Lung Disease | Co-<br>Investigator | CMPDI<br>(Coal India<br>Limited)        | 96.54 | 2016-2018<br>(Ongoing) |
| 6. | Development of<br>standard protocol of<br>field audiometry for<br>notifying noise<br>induced hearing loss   | Co-<br>Investigator | Ministry of<br>Mines, Govt.<br>of India | 40.00 | 2016-2018<br>(Ongoing) |

He has participated/coordinated more than 60 clientele sponsored workplace monitoring and risk assessment projects in both coal and metalliferous mines. He was Principal Investigator of S&T Projects titled "Development of a protocol for evaluation of vibration hazard potential of mining equipment" and "Development of standard framework and guidelines for noise mapping in mines and surrounding community"— sponsored by the Ministry of Mines (GOI). Apart from being an experienced mining engineer, he has expertise in Risk analysis of occupational exposure to Vibration, Noise mapping and Occupational Hazards in Mining. He has 14 publications in journals with three book chapters in his credit.

## 4. RESEARCH GUIDANCE (Ph.D.)

| Topic   | Name               | Institute   | Status  |
|---|--------------------|---|---------|
| Study of noise propagation and distribution in a surface mining complex through noise mapping | Veena D<br>Manwar  | IIT-(ISM), Dhanbad<br>(Co-supervisor with Prof. Asim K<br>Pal)      | Awarded |
| Copper Processing Plant Tailing Water: Characterisation and Treatment by Nano- composites     | Priyanka<br>Padole | IIT-(ISM), Dhanbad<br>(Co-supervisor with Prof. S.<br>Bhattacharya) | Ongoing |
| Possible Implications<br>of Bio-available Iron<br>In Coal Mine Dust On<br>Coal Workers        | Ruchika Jain       | IIT-(ISM), Dhanbad<br>(Co-supervisor with Prof. Anshumali)          | Ongoing |