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Presently, Dr Chauhan is working as Additional Registrar, Eternal University, Baru Sahib. Prior to this, Dr S K Chauhan has been a former Professor & Head (Agricultural Economics) Cum Nodal officer to Education Division of ICAR, New Delhi at CSK Himachal Pradesh Krishi Vishvavidyalaya, Palampur, consultant to ICIMOD, Kathmandu and AECOM Pvt. Ltd Associate of Japan International Cooperation Agency - Official Development Assistance (JICA-ODA). He has more than 35 years of UG/PG/Ph.D. teaching and research experience. He has guided number of Master & Ph.D. Degree theses as major guide. He has completed 30 nationally and internationally funded research projects in the area of Irrigation development through USAID projects, livestock, apiculture, sericulture, agricultural technology & crop diversification in tribal areas of trans-Himalayan regions and field crops of mountain areas, etc. He has been the author of 2 books entitled "Economics of sheep farming" and "Equine husbandry in the mountains". He has participated in 50 national and international conferences/seminars and attended 10 refresher courses cum summer/winter schools. There are 160 research papers, popular articles & book chapters to his credit in various journals, books & magazines respectively. Dr Chauhan has delivered 160 extension lectures to farmers, KVK scientists, & PRI representatives. Dr Chauhan has been a member secretary of Project Monitoring and Evaluation Cell (PME) and member of the Core Team for developing the conceptual framework for the preparation of District Agricultural Plans (DAPs) for Himachal Pradesh. He has been the coordinator of various screening tests for jobs and admission Entrance Test. He was a nodal officer to ICAR Agricultural Education Division & NIRF of MoHRD. Dr. Chauhan has organized ICAR sponsored 2<sup>nd</sup> Interactive Meet of Comptrollers of SAUs/DUs/CUs/CAUs/ in August 2017. He has been guest faculty to Central University Himachal Pradesh (CUHP), Dharamshala for delivering lectures on Econometrics to PG students. Dr Chauhan has an expertise to conduct visits of high-powered committees being appointed by Himachal Pradesh Private Educational Institutions Regulatory Commission for the evaluation of Eternal University performance as coordinator in August, 2020 and January, 2021.