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HONOURS/ AWARDS

- Professor Jyotirmoy Das Memorial Lecture Award
- Stree Shakti Science Samman
- J.C. Bose National Fellowship
- DBT Tata Innovation Fellowship
- Dr. Kona Sampath Kumar Memorial Prize, University of Delhi
- P.S. Sarma Memorial Award
- National Women Bioscientist Award (Young category)
- New Millennium Science Medal, Indian Science Congress
- First position in Biochemistry in Agriculture Research Service (ARS) examination First position in B.Sc., M.Sc.
- National Science Talent Fellow, B.Sc, M.Sc. and Ph.D.

FELLOWSHIPS OF NATIONAL ACADEMIES

- Fellow, Indian National Science Academy (New Delhi)
- Fellow, Indian Academy of Sciences (Bangalore)
- Fellow, National Academy of Sciences of India (Allahabad)

MEMBERSHIPS OF PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES/ASSOCIATIONS

- Member, Guha Research Conference
- Life member, Society of Biological Chemists (India)
- Life member, Indian Society of Cell Biology
- Life member, Association of Microbiologists of India

EDUCATION

Degree	Year	University	Subject	Division, Rank
B.Sc.	1973	University of Delhi	Science	I, 1 st Rank
M.Sc	1975	University of Delhi	Nutrition, Biochemistry	I, 1 st Rank
Ph.D.	1979	University of Delhi	Biochemistry	-

POSITIONS AND RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Duration	Designation	Institution
August 2016 to Present	Professor & Head, Department of Biotechnology	AIIMS, New Delhi
July 2001 to July 2016	Professor, Department of Biotechnology	AIIMS, New Delhi
July 1991 to June 2001	Additional Professor, Department of Biotechnology	AIIMS, New Delhi
June 1987 to June 1991	Associate Professor, Department of Biotechnology	AIIMS, New Delhi
June 1983 to May 1987	Scientist C	Centre for Biochemical Technology, Delhi (renamed as IGIB)
August 1979 to June 1983	Visiting Fellow & Visiting Associate, Laboratory of Molecular Biology	National Cancer Institute, NIH, Bethesda MD, USA
October 1975 to July 1979	Junior Research Fellow & Senior Research Fellow	V.P. Chest Institute, University of Delhi

Public service (present /past services)

Academies

INSA - Member, Council, Sectional Committee IX

Indian Academy of Sciences - Member, Panel of Scientific Values

Member, Scientific Advisory Committees/Special Committee/Ethics Committee of National Institutes/Universities

- RAP/SAC of NIRT, NIP, NCCS, CDFD, NII, Bose Institute
- Special Committee of Special Centre for Molecular Medicine, School of Life Sciences, School of Biotechnology, Jawaharlal Nehru University
- ICMR TB Consortium
- DBT Expert Committee for Star College Scheme
- Governing Body, NII
- Finance Committee and Governing Body, NCCS
- Board of Governors, IIT Roorkee
- Chairperson, Institutional Human Ethics Committee of IGIB

Member, Selection Committee

- Faculty Selection Committee - DST-Inspire Faculty, Institute of Life Sciences, Gautam Buddha University (Screening)
- CSIR Selection Committee of SPM fellowships
- DBT PDF Selection Committee
- Innovation Awardee and Faculty Assessment Committee, THSTI

Manpower training/Curriculum development

- Member, DBT Task Force on Human Resource Development
- Member, BCIL DBT Committee for curriculum development for M.Sc. in Medical Biotechnology and M.Sc. in Molecular and Human Genetics
- Member, UG-PG Board of Studies, Biotechnology School, Pondicherry University
- Member, Training Advisory Committee, NIH Training Programme, Anna University
- Member, UGC Committee for curriculum development in M.Sc. Microbiology

Member of National/International Committees for evaluation /funding/ review of Scientific Research

- Evaluation of Projects in Health Indo-Australia Grand Challenge Programme, Indo-Sweden Research Programme, Fondazione Caprilo Italy, Medical Research Council UK
- Evaluation of Scientists of South Africa National Research Foundation
- Technical Evaluation Board, BIG Scheme, BIRAC
- DBT Expert Committee on Tuberculosis
- DST SERB PAC for Biochemistry, Biophysics, Molecular Biology, Microbiology
- CSIR Animal Science and Biotechnology Research Committee

AIIMS service

Co-ordinator, Central Core Research Facility and BSL-3 BSL-2 laboratories
Member, Dean's Committee for PhD Reforms
Member, Patents Committee
Member, Ethics Committee (PG, Basic Science)
Member, Intramural Research Committee
Member, Scientific Advisory Committee for AIIMS Endowment Fund
CPIO, Department of Biotechnology (RTI)
Chairperson, Institutional Biosafety Committee for Recombinant DNA Research

Other work

Evaluation and Review of Research proposals and Project Reports for various funding agencies
Examiner for M.Sc, M.Phil and Ph. D. theses and M. Biotechnology examination (AIIMS, PGI Chandigarh)

Teaching: 30 years of PG teaching experience of Bacterial Genetics, Molecular Biology, Recombinant DNA Technology subjects in M. Biotechnology and M. Sc. Biochemistry courses at AIIMS.

Training: In faculty training, WHO sponsored candidates, Summer Trainees from Universities and Inter-Academy Summer Fellowship programme (average 2-3 trainees per year).

Research: More than 34 years research experience in Molecular myobacteriology (Molecular biology, Recombinant DNA Technology, Bacterial Genetics). Most notable contributions are (1) Discovery of the DevR-DevS two-component signaling system of Mtb essential for adaptation to hypoxia and entry into dormancy, (2) Establishing proof of concept for DevR as a novel drug target, (3) Development of TB diagnostic technologies, and 4) Development of a novel vitamin C-based model for study of bacterial dormancy, host-pathogen interactions and inhibitor screening in dormant infection setting. Research funding is obtained after competitive peer review of proposals from various agencies of the Govt. of India (DBT, CSIR and DST and ICMR).

Research supervision:

Ph.D. awarded	17
Ph.D. currently working	6
M.Biotechnology awarded	44
M. Biotechnology currently working	2
MD and DM awarded	3
Post-doctoral mentorship	25

Publications and patents.

Citations	3254 (Google Scholar)
h-index	31
i10-index	65

Total: Research papers and Reviews: 91 Book chapters: 6 General articles: 4

List of Research papers only (in decreasing chronological order upto 1990 only)

1. Sikri K, Duggal P, Kumar C, Batra SD, Vashist A, Bhaskar A, Tripathi K, Sethi TP, Singh, **Tyagi JS** Multifaceted remodeling by vitamin C boosts sensitivity of *Mycobacterium tuberculosis* subpopulations to combination treatment by anti-tubercular drugs. Redox Biology, Posted online January 3 2018
<http://authors.elsevier.com/sd/article/S2213231717308911>
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3. Tyagi S, Sharma N, **Tyagi JS**, Haldar S. (2017) Challenges in pleural tuberculosis diagnosis: existing reference standards and nucleic acid tests. Future Microbiol. 12:1201-1218. doi: 10.2217/fmb-2017-0028
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5. Batra SD, Nandi M, Sikri K, **Tyagi JS**. (2017) Genome-wide expression profiling establishes novel modulatory roles of vitamin C in THP-1 human monocytic cell line. BMC Genomics 18(1):252. doi: 10.1186/s12864-017-3635-4.
6. Anthwal D, Gupta RK, Bhalla M, Bhatnagar S, **Tyagi JS**, Haldar S. (2017) Direct Detection of Rifampin and Isoniazid Resistance in Sputum Samples from Tuberculosis Patients by High-Resolution Melt Curve Analysis. J Clin Microbiol. 55(6):1755-1766. doi: 10.1128/JCM.02104-16
7. Sharma S, **Tyagi JS** (2016) *Mycobacterium tuberculosis* DevR/DosR Dormancy Regulator Activation Mechanism: Dispensability of Phosphorylation, Cooperativity and Essentiality of $\alpha 10$ Helix. PLoS ONE 11(8): e0160723. doi:10.1371/journal.pone.0160723
8. Kaur K*, Priyanka Kumari*, Sharma S, Sehgal S, **Tyagi JS** (2016) DevS/DosS sensor is bifunctional and its phosphatase activity precludes aerobic DevR/DosR regulon expression in *Mycobacterium tuberculosis*. The FEBS Journal 283, 2949–2962
9. Nathan C, Bahr NC, Marais S, Caws M, van Crevel R, Wilkinson R, **Tyagi JS**, Thwaites GE, Boulware DR (2016) GeneXpert MTB/Rif to Diagnose Tuberculous Meningitis: Perhaps the First Test but not the Last. Clinical Infectious Diseases doi:10.1093/cid/ciw083
10. Vashist A, D. Prithvi Raj, Gupta UD, Bhat R, **Tyagi JS** (2016) The $\alpha 10$ helix of DevR, the *Mycobacterium tuberculosis* dormancy response regulator, regulates its DNA binding and activity. The FEBS Journal 283, 1286–1299
11. **Tyagi JS** (2016) The TB battle: How well are we fighting the bug? Nature India, 42-44

12. Sikri K, Batra SD, Nandi M, Kumari P, Taneja NK and **Tyagi JS** (2015) The pleiotropic transcriptional response of *Mycobacterium tuberculosis* to vitamin C is robust and overlaps with the bacterial response to multiple intracellular stresses. *Microbiology* 161, 739–753
13. Halder S & **Tyagi JS** (2014). Bacterial sediments from CSF are not the optimum sample for PCR-based diagnosis of tuberculous meningitis. Comment to article “Diagnostic Accuracy of Quantitative PCR (Xpert MTB/RIF) for Tuberculous Meningitis in a High Burden Setting: A Prospective Study” *PLOS Medicine*
14. Kaur K, Taneja NK, Dhingra S, **Tyagi JS** (2014) DevR (DosR) mimetic peptides impair transcriptional regulation and survival of *Mycobacterium tuberculosis* under hypoxia by inhibiting the autokinase activity of DevS sensor kinase. *BMC Microbiology* 14:195
15. Gautam US, Sikri K, Vashist A, Singh V, **Tyagi JS** (2014) Essentiality of DevR/DosR interaction with SigA for the dormancy survival program in *Mycobacterium tuberculosis*. *J. Bacteriol.* 196:790-799.
16. Sikri K, **Tyagi JS** (2013) The evolution of *Mycobacterium tuberculosis* dormancy models. *Current Science* 105:607-616
17. Halder S, Sankhyan N, Sharma N, Bansal A, Jain V, Gupta VK, Juneja M, Mishra D, Kapil A, Singh UB, Gulati S, Kalra V, **Tyagi JS**. (2012) Detection of *Mycobacterium tuberculosis* GlcB or HspX Antigens or devR DNA Impacts the Rapid Diagnosis of Tuberculous Meningitis in Children. *PLoS ONE* 7(9): e44630.
18. Majumdar SD, Vashist A, Dhingra S, Gupta R, Singh A, Challu VK, Ramanathan VD, Kumar P, **Tyagi JS**. (2012) Appropriate DevR (DosR)-Mediated Signaling Determines Transcriptional Response, Hypoxic Viability and Virulence of *Mycobacterium tuberculosis* *PLoS ONE* 7(4): e35847.
19. Dhingra S, Kaur K, Taneja NK & **Tyagi JS**. (2012) DevR (DosR) binding peptide inhibits adaptation of *Mycobacterium tuberculosis* under hypoxia *FEMS Microbiol Lett* 330: 66–71
20. Gautam US, Sikri K & **Tyagi JS**. (2011) Threonine 82 residue of DevR (DosR) is essential for DevR activation and function in *Mycobacterium tuberculosis* despite its atypical location. *J. Bacteriol.* 193:4849-4858
21. Halder S, Bose M, Chakrabarti P, Dagainawala HF, Harinath BC, Kashyap RS, Kulkarni S, Majumdar A, Prasad HK, Rodrigues C, Srivastava R, Taori GM, Varma-Basil M & **Tyagi JS**. (2011) Improved laboratory diagnosis of tuberculosis : The Indian experience, *Tuberculosis (Edinb)* 91(5):414-26
22. Chakraborti PK, Matange N, Nandicoori VK, Singh Y, **Tyagi JS** & Visweswariah SS. (2011) Signalling mechanisms in *Mycobacteria Tuberculosis* (Edinb). 91(5):432-40
23. Chauhan S, Sharma D, Singh A, Surolia A & **Tyagi JS**. (2011) Comprehensive insights into *Mycobacterium tuberculosis* DevR (DosR) regulon activation switch. *Nucleic Acids Res.* 39(17): 7400-7414
24. Kumar M, Malhotra M, Hanif M & **Tyagi JS**. (2011) Exposure of sputum to phenol disinfectant in conjunction with the Universal Sample Processing Solution provides safety to laboratory workers during smear microscopy. *J Med Microbiol* 60:1410-2
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27. Gautam US, Chauhan S & **Tyagi JS.** (2011) Determinants outside the DevR C-terminal domain are essential for cooperativity and robust activation of dormancy genes in *Mycobacterium tuberculosis*. PLoS One. 6(1):e16500.
28. Chauhan S & **Tyagi JS** (2011) Analysis of transcription at the *oriC* locus in *Mycobacterium tuberculosis* Microbiol. Res. **166**: 508-514
29. Ray R, Kumar N, Gupta R, Mridha AR, **Tyagi JS** & Kumar AS (2010) Mesothelial/ monocytic incidental cardiac excrescences (MICE) with tubercular aortitis: report of the first case with brief review of the literature. J Clin Pathol. Jul 29. [Epub ahead of print] doi:10.1136/jcp.2010.080259
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- tuberculosis* as a target for detection and differentiation of *M. tuberculosis* and *M. bovis*. J. Clin. Microbiol. 42:2724-2732.
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