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PERSONNEL DATA

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Biographical sketch: Who's who in the World, 13th edition, December, 1995

Who's who in Science & Engineering, 4th edition (1997)

EDUCATION/RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

January 1993-current Docent Plant Biotechnology, University of Helsinki; Abo Academy

University; and Jyvaskyla University, Finland

May, 1999-2005 Plant Breeder/Geneticist (P4 level), International Atomic Energy

Agency, Vienna, Austria

June-August, 1997 Senior STS fellow, Japan Science & Tech. Corp, Tsukuba, Japan

December 1994-May'95 CNR/RAISA Visiting Professor, Universita Degli della Tuscia,

Viterbo, Italy

July 1990-January'93 Research Scientist, University of Helsinki, Finland

December 1988-89 Chief Biotechnologist and Head-in Charge, Botany Department,

Tocklai Experimental Station, Jorhat India; Advisor, Agriculture Biotechnology, Assam Science Tech & Environ, CSIR, Assam, India

January 1987- Research Associate, Forest Science, Texas A & M University, College

November 1988 Stn, Texas, USA

October-December' 86 Senior Research Fellow, State Biotechnology Lab., VTT, Finland

July 1984-October'85 Visiting Scientist, Calgene Inc, Davis, CA, USA

July 1984-October'86	Research Scientist, Kemira Oy, Espoo, Finland
January 1983-June'84	Postdoc ARCO, Plant Cell Research Institute, Dublin, CA, USA
Feb. 1982- Jan 1983	Postdoc, Dept. Horticulture, Purdue University, W. Lafayette, IN, USA
September-October'80	Visiting Scientist, University of Kiel, Botany Institute, Kiel, Germany
Dec 1979- Jan., 1982	DAAD Postdoc, Plant Genetics, Weizman Inst. Sci., Rehovot, Israel
1978-1979	Research Associate, Council of Scientific & Industrial Research, India
1973-1978 Ph.D. Ph.D. Thesis	Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, India In vitro Production of Haploids in Higher Plants
1972-1973, M. Phil Dissertation	Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, India Effect of light on isoperoxidases in maize
1970-1972, M.Sc. (Ag) M. Sc. thesis	G.B. Pant Univ. Agric. & Genetics Tech., Pantnagar, Nainital, India Biochemical genetic studies of high yielding varieties of wheat
1966-1970, B.Sc. (Ag) Hons	Haryana Agricultural University, Hissar, Haryana, India

HONORS AND AWARDS

1966-69 University merit scholarship holder

1973-1978 Junior and senior research fellowship, Council of Scientific &

Industrial Research, India

July-August 1978 Fellowship, International course on "Pest and Vector Management

Systems", ICIPE/UNEP, Nairobi, Kenya

August 1981 David Falkner Fellowship, Weizmann Institute of Science, Israel

INVITED LECTURES PRESENTED

- 1. Invited speaker on agricultural biotechnology in an International Conference on Seed Science and technology, New Delhi, India, February, 1990
- 2. Invited speaker on tea biotechnology, BIOTEK INDIA-90, New Delhi, India, December, 1990
- 3. Invited speaker on "Plant biotechnology for sustainable agriculture under fragile environmental conditions" in an International conference on sustainable crop production in fragile environments, Haryana Agricultural University, Hissar, India, November 25-28, 1996.
- 4. Invited to participate in a FAO workshop on role of biotechnology in developing countries, New Delhi, India, November 14-16, 1996.
- 5. Invited to participate in a Workshop on Management of agricultural drought, organized by Global grain legumes drought research network (GGLDRN), New Delhi, India, November 23, 1996.
- 6. Invited speaker on "Recent advances in somatic embryogenesis", International Foundation for Science Workshop on Recent Advances in Biotechnology for Trees Conservation and Management, Florianoplis, SC- Brazil, September 15-19, 1997.
- 7. Invited speaker on "Somaclonal variation and mutagenesis in crop improvement", in Second Plant Biotechnology Workshop, Hanoi, Vietnam, December 15-19, 1997.
- 8. Invited speaker on "Recent advances in somatic embryogenesis in forest trees", IUFRO (Research Group 2.04.07) International symposium on Micropropagation and spread of superior genetic material of forest trees, New Delhi, India, April 10-13, 1998.
- 9. Invited speaker on "an overview on somatic embryogenesis in forest trees", 7th Annual International Conference of BIO-REFOR, Challenges for Biotechnology in the next millennium, Manila, Philippines, November, 1998.

- 10. Invited speaker on Micropropagation for mass-scale reforestation of forests, Workshop on Plant Biotechnology, Paris, France, March 15, 1999.
- 11. Invited speaker on Mechanisms of spontaneous and induced mutations in plants, in 10th International Congress on Radiation Research, Dublin, Ireland, July, 1999.
- 12. Keynote invited speaker on Genetic stability and variability in Third International Symposium the series of recent Advances in Plant Biotechnology from cell to crops, Slovak Republic, Sept 4-10, 1999.
- 13. Invited speaker on applications of biotechnology in forestry, For-99, Spain, Sept., 1999
- 14. Invited speaker for a Plant Molecular Biology course, Hanoi, Vietnam National University, December 5-8, 1999.
- 15. Invited speaker on Induced mutations in crop plants, Third Plant Biotechnology Workshop, Hanoi, Vietnam, July, 2000.
- 16. Invited speaker on Induced mutations in fruits, International conference on tropical and subtropical fruits, Cairns, Australia, November- December, 2000.
- 17. Invited speaker on Shaping up ornamental plants for commercialization, MINT Flora-2001, Malyasian Institute of Nuclear Technology, Malaysia, November 2001.
- 18. Keynote speaker on Feeding the world- mutations and genetic engineering. International Nuclear Conference, 2002, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, 15-18 October 2002.
- 19. Invited speaker, Morocco, 2005, date palm
- 20. Invited speaker, Palermo, 2005, doubled haploid
- 21. Invited speaker, Slovakia, 2005-08-18 tissue culture and mutations
- 22. Invitation to participate COST Meeting, Copenhagen, 2005.
- 23. Invited speaker, International date palm conference, Abu Dhabi, 19-22 February 2006.
- 24. Invited speaker, COST Meeting, Doubled haploids, Vienna, Austria, February 2006.
- 25. Invited speaker, San Remo, Italy EUCARPIA, mutation breeding ornamental plants, September 2006.

MEMBERSHIP IN PROFESSIONAL SOCIETIES

- 1. International Association of Plant Tissue Culture
- 2. International Horticulture Association
- 3. International Plant Molecular Biology Association

ACTED AS A REFEREE

Review manuscripts for J. Forest Research (Japan), HortScience (USA), Plant Cell Tissue & Organ Culture, Plant Cell Reports, Pakistan J. Sci. & Industrial Res., Propagation of ornamental plants, In Vitro-Plant, Annals of Botany, Tree Physiology, TAG, and Euphytica submitted for the publication, and also referee for 5 Ph.D. thesis from India and pre- examiner of Ph.D. thesis, University of Helsinki, Finland.

CHAIRPERSON OF SCIENTIFIC SESSIONS

- 1. Chairperson of a session- Biotic stress: viral and fungal disease resistance- in Third International Symposium In Vitro Culture and Horticultural Breeding, Jerusalem, Israel, June 16-21, 1996.
- 2. Chairperson of a session Bioremediation and tissue culture- In 2nd Vietnam Plant Biotechnology workshop, Hanoi, Vietnam, December 15-19, 1997.
- 3. Member of International organizing committee of IUFRO (Research Group 2.04-07), International Symposium on Micropropagation and spread of superior genetic material of forest trees, New Delhi, India, April 10-13, 1998.
- 4. Member of the Scientific Committee, 4th International symposium on In Vitro culture and horticultural breeding, Tampere, Finland, July 2-7, 2000.
- 5. Chairperson of a session on Commercialization of plant tissue culture, In Vitro culture and horticultural breeding, Tampere, Finland, July 2-7, 2000.
- 6. Chairperson, International date palm conference, Abu Dhabi,19-22 February 2006

CONSULTANCY

- 1. Author's contract with Enzo Forest Development, Imatra, Finland, July- August, 1996 for a book chapter contribution on Biotechnology of Industrially Important Tree Species in Developing Countries, K. Watanabe and E. Pehu (eds.), Academic Press, USA.
- 2. Scientific advisor, International Foundation of Science, Stockholm, Sweden
- 3. Consultant, Estonian Science Foundation, Tallin, Estonia
- 4. Member of Selection panel of INCO-DEV programme of European Union, Brussels, Belgium, October, 2000, 2001, 2003, 2004, 2005
- By invitation, participated in the consultant meeting on Biotechnology and Rural Livelihood-Enhancing the benefits, organised by ISNAR's biotechnology service, The Hague, The Netherlands, June 25-28, 2001.
- 6. Consultant, National Research Foundation, Pretoria, South Africa
- 7. Invitation by the University of Guelph, Guelph, Canada to consultancy on induced mutations in medicinal plants and international collaboration, May 17-23 2002
- 8. Invitation by European Union (EU) to participate in a consultant meeting on biotechnology, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia, June 22-24 2002.
- 9. Invitation by the University of Guelph, Guelph, Canada to consultancy on induced mutations in medicinal plants and international collaboration, June 2004
- 10. Consultant, 5th FAO/IAEA Interregional Training Course on Mutant Germplasm Characterisation using Molecular markers through providing theory lectures and practical demonstrations on in vitro techniques in mutation induction for crop improvement, Siebersdorf, Austria, August 15-16 2005.
- 11. IAEA Expert on banana, visited Tanzania for project evaluation, November 7-17 2005.
- 12. Consultant, 5th FAO/IAEA Interregional Training Course on Mutant Germplasm Characterisation using Molecular markers through providing theory lectures and practical demonstrations on in vitro techniques in mutation induction for crop improvement, Siebersdorf, Austria, May 15-16 2006.
- 13. Visiting Professor, University of Malaysia, April, 2006.

EDITORIAL BOARD MEMBER

- 1) The Chief-Editor, Reviews of Plant Biotechnology and Applied Genetics- special edition of Plant Cell Tissue and Organ Culture journal. Kluwer Publishers, The Netherlands. (2002-2005).
- 2) Guest editor, Euphytica journal, VOLUME 118 (2) and 121 (2), 2001. Kluwer Publishers, The Netherlands
- 3) Chief Editor, International Journal of Food, Agriculture and Environment (JFAE), Helsinki, Finland (2000- 2004)
- 4) Editorial Board member, Propagation of ornamental plants journal (International Plant propagators society), Sofia, Bulgaria (2002--). This journal has also a website. www.journal-pop.org
- 5). Associate Editor, Plant Cell Tissue and Organ Culture. Springer, The Netherlands (2006--)
- 6). Editorial Board Member, Euphytica, Springer (2006--).

TEACHNING EXPERIENCE

At the University of Helsinki, I teach a course on "tissue culture in crop improvement" and mutation breeding to post graduate students.

RESEARCH PUBLICATIONS

- 1. Jain, S.M., Sunita Talwar, Sudhir K. Sopory and Sipra Guha Mukherjee. 1978. Effect of light on distribution of peroxidase activity in Zea mays. Z. Pflanzenphysiol. 88:169
- 2. Jain, S.M., S. Bagga, N. Balla-Sarin, Sipra Guha-Mukherjee and Sudhir K. Sopory. 1980. In Vitro culture of anthers in Petunia hybrida and Brassica oleracea. In: Plant Tissue Culture, Genetic Manipulation and Somatic Hybridization of Plant Cells, (eds) P.S. Rao, M.R. Heble and M.S. Chadha. Bhabha Atomic Research Center, Bombay, India, pp 85-92.
- 3. Gressel, J., G. Ezra and S.M. Jain. 1982. Genetic and chemical manipulation of crops to confer tolerance to chemicals. In: Chemical Manipulations of Crop Growth and Development, (ed) J.S. McLaren, Butterworth, London, pp 79-91.

- 4. Binding, H., S.M. Jain, J. Finger, G. Mordhorst, R. Nehls and J. Gressel. 1982. Somatic hybridization of an atrazine resistant biotype of Solanum nigrum and S. tuberosum. I. Clonal variation in morphology and in atrazine sensitivity. Theor. Appl. Genet. 63: 273-277.
- 5. Jain, S.M., R.J. Newton and N. Tuleen. 1988. Tissue culture and gene transfer in barley. Current Sci. 57: 59-70.
- 6. Jain, S. M., R.J. Newton, and E.J. Soltes. 1988. Induction of adventitious buds and plantlet regeneration in Pinus sylvestris L. Current Sci. 57: 677-679.
- 7. Jain, S.M., E.A. Shahin and Sam Sun. 1988. Interspecific protoplast fusion for the transfer of atrazine resistance from *Solanum nigrum* to tomato (*Lycopersicon esculentum* L.). In: Progress in Plant Protoplast Research. K.J. Puite, J.J.M. Dons, H.J. Huizing, A.J. Kool, M. Koornneef and F.A. Krens, (Eds.). Kluwer Academic Publishers, Dordrecht, The Netherlands, pp. 221-224.
- 8. Jain, S.M. and R.J. Newton. 1988. Proto-variation in protoplast derived Brassica napus plants. In: Progress in Plant Protoplast Research. K.J. Puite, J.J.M. Dons, H.J. Huizing, A.J. Kool, M. Koornneef adn F.A. Krens, (Eds.) Kluwer Academic Publishers, Dordrecht, The Netherlands, pp 403-404.
- 9. Jain, S.M., E.A. Shahin and Sam Sun. 1988. Interspecific protoplast fusion for the transfer of atrazine resistance from *Solanum nigrum* to tomato (*Lycopersicon esculentum* L.). Plant Cell, Tissue and Org. Cult. 12: 189-192.
- Jain, S.M. and R.J. Newton. 1989. Evaluation of protoclonal variation versus chemically induced mutagenesis in Brassica napus L. Current Sci. 58: 176-180.
- 11. Jain, S.M., E.J. Soltes and R.J. Newton. 1988. Enhancement of somatic embryogenesis in Norway spruce (Picea abies L.). Theor. Appl. Genet. 76:501-506.
- 12. Jain, S.M., N. Dong and R.J. Newton. 1989. Somatic embryogenesis in slash pine (Pinus elliottii) from immature embryo cultures in vitro. Plant Sci. 65: 233-241.
- 13. Singh, R. and S.M. Jain. 1989. The application of biotechnologies to tea. In: Plant Biotechnologies for Developing Countries, FAO/CTA Symèposium, Luxumburg, pp 251-254.
- 14. Jain, S.M. and R.J. Newton. 1990. Prospects of biotechnology for tea improvement. Proc. Indian Natl. Sci. Acad. 56B: 441-448.
- 15. Jain, S.M., S.C. Das and T.S. Barman. 1990. Root induction from regenerated shoots of tea (*Camellia* sinensis L.). In: Proc. BIOTEK-INDIA, 90, 99 1-13.
- 16. Jain, S.M., S.C. Das and T.S. Barman. 1991. Induction of roots from regenerated shoots of tea (*Camellia sinensis* L.). Acta Hort. 289: 339-340.
- 17. Jain, S.M. and E. Pehu. 1992. The prospects of tissue culture and genetic engineering in strawberry improvement. Acta Agric. Scand., Sec B, Soil & Plant Sci., 42: 133-139.
- 18. Jain, S.M., C. Oker-Blom, E. Pehu and R.J. Newton. 1992. Genetic engineering: An additional tool for plant improvement. Agric. Sci. Finland 1: 323-338.
- 19. Jain, S.M. 1993. Studies on somaclonal variation in ornamental plants. Acta Hort. 336: 365-372.
- 20. Jain, S.M. 1993. Somaclonal variation in *Begonia x elatior and Saintpaulia ionantha* L. plants. Sci. Hort. 54: 221- 231.
- 21. Jain, S.M. 1993. Recent advances in plant genetic engineering. Current Sci. 64: 715-74.
- 22. Jain, S.M., S.C. Das and T.S. Barman. 1993. Enhancement of root induction from *in vitro* regenerated shoots of tea (Camellia sinensis L.). Proc. Indian Natl. Sci. Acad., Sec B 59: 623-628.
- 23. Jain, S.M. and J. Peltonen. 1993. Can the world's food production be sustained in the future? Universitas Helsingiensis XII (2): 12-14.
- 24. Jain, S.M. 1993. Growth hormonal influence on somaclonal variation in ornamental plants. In: Creating Genetic Variation in Ornamentals. T. Schiva and A. Mercuri (Eds.). Istituto Sperimentale per la Floricoltura, Sanremo, Italy, pp. 93-113.
- 25. Jain, S.M. 1994. Asian-Pacific region: Advances in agricultural biotechnology. Universitas Helsiniensis 13: 42-44.
- 26. Newton, R.J., K.A. marek-Swize, M.E. Magallanes-Cedeno, N. Dong, S. Sen and S.M. Jain. 1995. Somatic embryogenesis and plant regeneration in slash pine (*Pinus elliottii* Engelm.). In: Somatic Embryogenesis in Woody Plants- gymnosperms, Vol. 3, S. Jain, P. Gupta and R. Newton, (Eds.). Kluwer Academic Publishers, Dordrecht, The Netherlands. pp 183-195.
- 27. Jain, S.M. and N. Bhalla-Sarin. 1996. Haploidy in Petunia. In: In Vitro haploid Production in Higher Plants, Vol 5, S.M. Jain, S.K. Sopory and R.E. Veilleux, (Eds.). Kluwer Academic Publishers, Dordrecht, The Netherlands, pp 53-71.

- 28. Jain, S.M., 1997. Somaclonal variation and mutagenesis for crop improvement. In: Maatalouden tutkimuskeskuksen julkaisuja, Vol 18, Sirkka Immonen (ed), pp 122-133.
- Jain, S. M., 1997. Micropropagation of selected somaclones of Begonia and Saintpaulia. J. Biosci. 22: 585—592
- 30. Jain, S.M., 1997. Biotechnology of industrially important tree species in developing countries, a book chapter, K Watanabe and E. Pehu (ed.), Academic Press, New York. pp 227-238.
- 31. Jain, S.M., 1997. Creation of variability by mutation and tissue culture in improving plants. Acta Hort. 447: 69-77.
- 32. Alen, K. and S.M. Jain, 1997. In vitro multiplication of Catharanthus roseus. Acta Hort. 447: 167-169.
- 33. Jain S.M., D. Vitti, M. Tucci, A. Grassotti, E. Rugini and F. Saccardo, 1998. Biotechnology and agronomical aspects in gerbera improvement. Advances in Hort. Sci. 12: 47-53.
- 34. Jain, S.M., 1997. Plant tissue culture and *in vitro* mutagenesis in plant improvement. Proceedings of third Asia-Pacific Conference, Thailand, pp 385-388.
- 35. Jain, S.M., 1997. Plant Biotechnology and mutagenesis for sustainable crop production. In: Crop improvement for stress tolerance, R.K. Behl, D.P. Singh and G.P. Lodhi (eds.). CCSHAU, Hissar & MMB, New Delhi, India, pp 218-232.
- 36. Jain, S.M. and K. Ishii, 1998. Recent advances in somatic embryogenesis in forest trees. In: Recent advances in biotechnology for tree conservation and management. S. Burns, S. Mantell, C. Tragardh, and A.M. Viana (eds), pp 214-231. Intern. Foundation for Science (IFS), Stockholm, Sweden.
- 37. Jain, S.M., 1998. Induction of somaclonal variation and mutation in developing new improved cultivars. MIIT PUNE J, pp 23-31 (special edition on agriculture).
- 38. Jain, S.M. and G.J. DeKlerk, 1998. Somaclonal variation: improvement of ornamental plants. Plant Tiss. Cult. & Biotech. 4: 63-75.
- 39. Jain, S.M., 1998. Impact of somatic embryogenesis in forest trees. In: Agricultural Biotechnology: Laboratory, Field and market. P.J. Larkin (ed), Canberaa, UTC Publishing. pp 320-323.
- 40. Jain, S.M., M. Buiatti, F. Gimelli and F. Saccardo. 1998. Somaclonal variation in improving ornamental plants. In: Somaclonal variation and induced mutations in crop improvement, S.M. Jain, D.S. Brar and B.S. Ahloowalia (eds). Kluwer Academic Publishers, Dordrecht, The Netherlands. pp 81-105.
- 41. Jain, S.M., B.S. Ahloowalia and R.E. Veilleux, 1998. Somaclonal variation in crop plants. In: Somaclonal variation and induced mutations in crop improvement, S.M.Jain, D.S. Brar and B.S. Ahloowalia (eds.). Kluwer Academic Publishers, Dordrecht, The Netherlands. pp 203 218
- 42. Brar, D.S. and S.M. Jain, 1998. Somaclonal variation: mechanism and applications in crop improvement. In: Somaclonal variation and induced mutations in crop improvement, S.M. Jain, D.S. Brar and B.S. Ahloowalia (eds.). Kluwer Academic Publishers, Dordrecht, The Netherlands. pp15-38.
- 43. Watt, M.P., F.C. Blakeway, F.C. Termignoni and S.M. Jain, 1999. Somatic embryogenesis in *Eucalyptus grandis* and *E. dunni*. In: Somatic Embryogenesis in Woody Plants, Vol. 5. S.M. Jain, P.K. Gupta and R.J. Newton (eds.). Kluwer Academic Publishers, Dordrecht, The Netherlands. Pp 63-78.
- 44. Ishii, K., R. Thakur and S.M. Jain, 1999. Somatic embryogenesis and evaluation of variability in somatic seedlings of in *Quercus serrta* by RAPD markers. In: SM Jain, PK Gupta and RJ Newton (eds), Somatic embryogenesis in woody plants, Vol. 4, pp 403-414.
- 45. Jain, S.M., 1999. An overview of progress on somatic embryogenesis in forest trees. In: Plant Biotechnology and In Vitro Biology in the 21st Century. A. Altman, M.Ziv, and S. Izhar (eds.). Kluwer Academic Publishers, Dordrecht, The Netherlands. Pp 57-63.
- 46. Jain, S.M., 1999. Somatic embryogenesis in forest trees.pp 47-53. BIO- REFOR IUFRO/SPDC, ISBN 9900433-2-4 COO61 POOOOE
- 47. Thakur, R., J. Gotto, S.M. Jain and K. Ishii. 1999. Monitoring genetic stability in Quercus serrata embryogenesis using RAPD markers. Jap. J. Forestry 4: 157-160
- 48. Jain, S.M., 1999. Somatic embryogenesis of forest trees. In: Proceedings of Application of Biotechnology to Forest Genetics. E.S. Ritter (ed.). Biofor 99, Vitoria-Gasteiz, Spain, pp 173-188.
- 49. Minocha, R and S.M. Jain, 2000. Tissue culture of woody plants and its relevance to molecular biology. In: Molecular biology of woody plants, volume 1, 315-339. S.M. Jain and S.C. Minocha (eds.), Kluwer, The Netherlands.
- 50. Jain, S.M., 2000. Mechanisms of spontaneous and induced mutations in plants Radiation Res., Vol. 2: Proceedings. pp. 255-258.

- 51. Akhtar, N., N. Kumari, S. Pandey, H. Ara, M. Singh, U. Jaiswal, V.S. Jaiswal and S.M. Jain. 2000. Somatic embryogenesis in tropical fruits. In: Somatic embryogenesis in woody plants, Vol. 6, 93-140. S.M. Jain, P.K. Gupta & R.J. Newton (eds.). Kluwer, The Netherlands.
- 52. Akhtar, N. and S.M. Jain, 2000. Applications of somatic embryogensis for the improvement of tropical fruits In: Somatic embryogenesis in woody plants, Vol. 6, 215-248. S.M. Jain, P.K. Gupta & R.J. Newton (eds.). Kluwer, The Netherlands.
- 53. Jain, S.M., 2001. Tissue culture-derived variation in crop improvement Euphytica 118: 153-166.
- 54. Nichterline, K., M. Maluszynski and S.M. Jain, 2001. Improvement of oilseeds and modification of oil quality through induced mutation techniques. IAEA Working Document, IAEA publication. IAEA-SR-210/29. pp 15-17.
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- 56. Maluszunski, M., B.S. Ahloowalia, K. Nichterlein, S.M. Jain et al 2001. Mutating genes to meet the challenge for crop improvement and food security. AgBiotechNet: 3:1-5.
- 57. Newton, R.J., J.C. Bloom, D.H. Bivans and S.M. Jain, 2001. Stable genetic transformation of conifers. Phytomorphology (Golder Jubilee Issue) pp 421-434.
- 58. Jain, S.M. 2001. In vitro approach for natural and induced biodiversity conservation of forest trees. EFTREN News 34(1): 8-10
- 59. Jain, S.M. 2001. Genetic modifications of forest trees. EFTREN News 34 (1): 10-12.
- 60. Jain, S.M., 2002. A review of induction of mutations in fruits of tropical and subtropical regions. Acta Hort. 575: 295-302.
- 61. Jain, S.M. 2002. Feeding the world with induced mutations and biotechnology. Proceddings of International Nuclear Conference 2002-Global trends and perspectives. Seminar 1:Agriculture and Bioscience. MINT, Bangi, Malaysia. pp 1-14.
- 62. Jain, S.M. 2002. Tissue culture and induced mutations useful tools for floriculture industry. In Vitro Cellular & Developmental Biology-Plant. 38: 643.
- 63. Watt, M.P., Blakeway, F, Mokotedi, M.E.O., and S.M. Jain, 2003. Micropropagagtion of Eucalyptus. In: Micropropagation of woody trees and fruits. S.M Jain and K. Ishii (Eds.). Kluwer. pp 217-244.
- 64. Bhalla-Sarin, N., Prasad, U.S., Kantharajah, A.S. and S.M. Jain, 2003. Micropropagation of litchi (*Litchi chinensis* Sonn.). In: Micropropagation of woody trees and fruits. S.M. Jain and K. Ishii (eds.). Kluwer. pp 721-731.
- 65. Siobhan, M.C., A. Cassells, and S.M. Jain, 2003. Stress and aberrant phenotypes *in vitro* culture. Plant Cell Tissue and Organ Culture 74: 103- 121.
- 66. Jain, S.M. (2003).Improvement of plant salt tolerance for sustainable food and feed production in saline environments. In: Proceedings of the 1st Coordinated Meeting of FAO/IAEA project on Developing salt tolerant crops for sustainable food and feed production in saline lands. Eds. Rungsun, IE et al., Office of Atoms for Peace, Bangkok, Thailand. 10-14 November 2003.
- 67. Rout, G. and S.M. Jain 2004. Micropropagation of ornamental plants- cut flowers. Propagation of ornamental plants 4 (No.2): 3-28.
- 68. Jain, S.M. 2004. Banana improvement with cellular and molecular biology, and induced mutations: Introduction. In: Banana improvement: cellular, molecular and mutagenesis approaches. S.M. Jain and R. Swennen (eds). Science Publishers, New Hampshire, USA. Pp xi-xii
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- 3. FAO/IAEA report on the fourth and final Research Co-ordination meeting on Cellular biology and biotechnology including mutation techniques for creation of new useful banana genotypes, held in Leuven, Belgium, September 2001 (published as a book) in 2004.
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- 5. FAO/IAEA report on Low cost plant tissue culture for developing countries.

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- 2. Grant by Finnish Academy of Science, March, 1993, for attending XVIIth EUCARPIA Ornamental Conf., Sanremo, Italy.
- 3. Grant by Finnish Academy of Science for editing a book entitled Somatic embryogenesis in woody plants, Kluwer academic Publishers, The Netherlands, 1993.
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- 7. Grant by University of Helsinki for continuing work on our research project Cell and Tissue Culture in the Development of Disease Resistance in Strawberry, 1994. Term: 6 months.
- 8. Fellowship awarded by CNR/RAISA, Roma, Italy to work on our joint project Genetic transformation and molecular characterization of olive emblings and transgenic plants, 1994-95. Prof. Eddo Rugini, collaborator. Term: 6 months.
- 9. Award of Helsinki University Research Docent Stipend to work on our project Transgenics in strawberry, 1995. Term: 1 year.
- 10. Award of grant Finland-China exchange researcher by Finnish Academy to visit Prof. Hu Han, Chinese Academy of Science, Beijing, July 1996.
- 11. Award of grant by University of Helsinki for attending Third Asia- Pacific conference, Hua Hin, Thailand, November 10-15, 1996.
- 12. Departmental grant, Plant Production Department, University of Helsinki, for disease resistance in strawberry, 1997. Term: 6 months.
- 13. Award of a fellowship by Japanese Science and Technology Foundation, Japan to work on a joint project "Genetic transformation and monitoring genetic fidelity of conifer somatic embryo plants, June-August, 1997. Dr. K. Ishii is the collaborator. Term: 3 months.
- 14. Award of travel grant, Chancellor of University of Helsinki, Finland to participate in Second Plant Biotechnology conference, Hanoi, Vietnam, December, 1997.
- 15. Award of travel grant, Chancellor of University of Helsinki, Finland to participate in IUFRO meeting, Forest tree multiplication with micropropagation, New Delhi, India, April, 1998.
- 16. Award of Finish-Chinese grant to visit Prof. Guo, Institute of Botany, Beijing, China. August 1998.
- 17. Award of developmental research grant entitled Development of insect resistant rice varieties, Finnish Academy of Science, Finland. 1998-99. Term: 1 year.
- 18. Award of Center for International Mobility (CIMO) grant, Helsinki to visit University of Mahidol, Thailand and University of Malaya, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia. December 1998.
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- 22. Award of a grant from University of Helsinki to visit Beijing Forestry University, Beijing, China to give lectures on forest biotechnology, December 28, 2005- January 7 2006.
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PREVIOUS PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES AT IAEA

I was involved in Technical cooperation projects, dealing with induced mutations in cassava, fruits, date palm, banana, ornamental plants in South Asia, South East Asia, Near East, Africa, and Latin America; and international coordinated research projects on underutilized and neglected crops, salinity and drought, cassava, banana and tropical and subtropical fruits. My job was to evaluate research proposals and supervise the progress of on- going projects, provide to the counterparts chemicals, equipments and experts for project implementation. We collaborated with international organizations INIBAP, FAO, and CGIAR institutes such as ICRISAT, and IRRI.

I also participated in making budget, project evaluation, and organize workshops in developing countries. I taught tissue culture and mutations in crop improvement.

CURRENT PROFESSIONAL ACVITIES

I am in the process of setting up my own research group dealing with mutation, breeding and biotechnology in horticultural crops. We are also in the process of developing a program on biomass production for bioenergy.

ACTED AS A SCIENTIFIC SECRETARY IN FAO/IAEA TRAINING WORKSHOPS

- 1). Regional training workshop on Hands-on experience on molecular and mutation techniques, Siebersdorf, Austria, 13-24 September 1999.
- 2). Banana 3rd RCM on Cellular biology and biotechnology including mutation techniques for creation of new useful banana genotypes, Colombo, Sri Lanka,
- 4-8 October 1999.
- 3) First RCM on Improvement of tropical and subtropical fruit trees through induced mutations and biotechnology, Vienna, Austria, 25-29 September 2000.
- 4). FAO/IAEA Regional Workshop on In vitro protocols and mutant selection using Bayoud toxin, Marrakech, Morocco, 20-26 November 2000.(Also, lecturer to teach tissue culture and mutations)
- 5). FAO/IAEA National Workshop on In vitro mutagenesis, tissue culture, and molecular marker analysis of ornamental plants, Bangkok, Thailand, 17-23 December 2000. (Also, lecturer to teach tissue culture and mutations)
- 6). FAO/IAEA Regional Workshop on Mutagenesis, molecular pathology and markers in date palm improvement, 18-22 June, 2001, Sfax, Tunisia. (Also, lecturer to teach tissue culture and mutations)
- 7). Fourth and final banana RCM on Cellular biology and biotechnology including mutation techniques for creation of new useful banana genotypes, Leuven, Belgium, 24-28 September 2001.
- 8) FAO/IAEA National Workshop on In vitro plant multiplication, selection, mutagenesis and molecular marker studies in plant improvement, MINT, Bangi, Malaysia, 29 October– 2 November 2001.(Also, lecturer to teach tissue culture and mutations)
- 9) FAO/IAEA National Workshop on Induced mutations and biotechnology in ornamental plant improvement, Cipanas, West Java, Indonesia, November 4-8 2001(Also, lecturer to teach tissue culture and mutations).
- 10. FAO/IAEA Regional Training Workshop on "Application of molecular markers in disease diagnostic and mutant characterization in date palm", Algiers, Algeria, 24-28 August 2002 (Also, lecturer to teach tissue culture and mutations).
- 11. Second Research Co-ordination Meeting on "Improvement of Tropical and Subtropical Fruit Trees through Induced Mutations and Biotechnology, Vienna, Austria, 2-6 September 2002.
- 12. FAO/IAEA National Workshop on Applications of induced mutations and molecular tools in horticultural crops including ornamental plants", 7-12 October 2002, held at MINT, Bangi, Malaysia (Also, lecturer to teach tissue culture and mutations).
- 13. FAO/IAEA National Workshop on Black Pepper improvement –cell and tissue culture, induced mutations and molecular markers, December 9-13 2002, Matale, Sri Lanka (Also, lecturer to teach tissue culture and mutations).
- 14. Third Research Coordination Meeting on Genetic improvement of underutilized and neglected crops in LIFDCs through irradiation and related techniques, Pretoria, S. Africa, 19-23 May 2003.
- 15. FAO/IAEA 1st interregional training course on Mutation, biotechnology and screening techniques for tolerance to salinity, 26-30 April 2004, Fasilabad, Pakistan.

- 16. FAO/IAEA national training course on In vitro large-scale plant production and cryopreservation of mutants, Bangi, Malaysia, 28 June- 2 July 2004.
- 17. FAO/IAEA 2nd interregional training course on Application of induced mutations and biotechnology for salt tolerance improvement, 2-6 August 2004, Bejing, China.
- 18. Third and final Research Coordination Meeting on "Improvement of Tropical and Subtropical Fruit Trees through Induced Mutations and Biotechnology, Nelsprut, South Africa, 4-8 October 2004 19. FAO/IAEA regional training course on cost effective up scale in vitro plant production and long-term storage of mutant plant material, Sfax, Tunisia, 29 November- December 2 2004.

BUSINESS/ TRAVEL EXPERIENCE

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Near East

United Arab Emirates, Iran, Yemen

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Austria, Belgium, Serbia and Motenegro, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Hungary, Ireland, Israel, Italy, Lithvania, Netherlands, Norway, Russia, Spain, Slovakia, Sweden, U.K.

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