

## Brief Bio-Data

- Name:** Dr. Anil Kumar Thakur
- Designation:** Associate Professor
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- Academic Qualification:** M.Sc. (Hons.) Panjab University, Chandigarh  
Ph.D. Panjab University, Chandigarh
- Specialization:** Environmental Crop Physiology
- Field of Interest:** Plant Taxonomy, Medicinal Plants, Traditional Knowledge, Phytochemical Profiling, Plant Physiology
- Teaching Experience:** 25 Years
- Awards & Fellowships:** UGC-IUC Associateship, Indian Institute of Advanced Studies, Shimla (2013-2016)
- Examination Passed:** -Graduate Aptitude Test in Engineering (GATE 1994)  
-Junior Research Fellowship awarded by UGC in 1995  
-CSIR- Junior Research Fellowship (JRF-NET 1996)  
-State Eligibility Test (SET 1996)
- Memberships:** -Indian Science Congress (Life Member)  
-Indian Botanical Society (Life Member)  
-Asian Association of Biology Education (AABE)- India Chapter (Executive Member)  
-Medicinal and Aromatic Plants Association of India (MAPAI)(Life Member)
- Research Projects:** Completed one UGC funded Research Project

### PUBLICATIONS/PRESENTATIONS

- Research papers in Journals:** 12
- Books Authored:** 15
- Booked Edited:** 1
- Chapters in Books:** 6
- Seminar/Conference Paper:** More than 20
- Invited lectures/Resource Persons:** More than 20

**Research Guidance:** Guiding 3 Ph.D. students as Co-Guide from the Department of Botany, Panjab university, Chandigarh

### Any Other Achievement:

**Contributions at the Largest Database of Indian Plants “[efloraofindia](#)”:** One of the Moderators and Experts at [eFloraofindia](#); contributed more than 2000 posts on plants from the Himalayan region and cultivated plants.

**Contributions at the Second Largest Database of Indian Plants “[Flowers of India](#)”:** One of the Major Contributors of plants).

**MY BLOG:** [Plants & Environments](#) has been visited more than 29,000 times by the viewers.