Brief CV

Personal and Educational Details





Degree	Specialization	Institute/University	Year
B.Tech.	Civil Engineering	IIT Kanpur India	2001
M.Tech.	Water treatment, Environmental Engineering	IIT Kanpur India	2004
Ph.D.	Water treatment, emerging contaminant,	Drexel University Philadelphia USA	2008
	health risk assessment, environmental		
	decision-making		

Research Areas and Highlights

Human Health Risk Assessment, Nanoparticles, Water Treatment, Decision-making.

Experience

- 1. Visiting Research Associate; Civil and Environmental Engineering, Michigan State University, East Lansing (USA); April 2009-June 2010; Adviser: Dr. Irene Xagoraraki
- 2. Visiting Research Faculty; Civil, Architectural and Environmental Engineering, Drexel University, Philadelphia (USA); January 2009-March 2009; Advisers: Dr. Patrick Gurian and Dr. Mira S. Olson
- 3. Project Associate; Environmental Engineering and Management Programme, IIT Kanpur (INDIA); Aug 2001-Aug 2002; Adviser:Dr. Vinod Tare

Teaching Experience	Industrial Experience
10 Years, 0 Months	0 Years, 0 Months

Significant Publications

Kumar, A., Baranidharan, S., Das, P., Singh, A. P., and Ananthitha, A. "Environmental Impacts of Nanoparticles:Issues for future directions" (in press)., Books Chapter, International

- (Poster)Sundaram, B. and A. Kumar. 2nd Water Research Conf. Singapore Feb 2013. , Conference , International
- (Poster)Singh, D. and A. Kumar. 2nd Water Research Conf. Singapore Feb 2013. , Conference , International
- Teng, J., A. Kumar, H. Zhang, M.S. Olson, and P.L. Gurian. Determination of Critical Rainfall Events for Quantitative Microbial Risk Assessment of Land-applied Soil Amendments". J. Hydrolog. Engg., doi:10.1061/(ASCE)HE.1943-5584.0000444 (2012)., Journal, International
- Kumar, A. "Making a Case for Human Health Risk-based Ranking Nanoparticles in Water for Monitoring Purposes". Environ. Sci. Technol. Viewpoint.DOI: 10.1021/es301507j (2012)[Citation=2], Journal, International
- Kumar, P., Kumar, A., and Lead, J.R. "Nanoparticles in Indian Environment: Knowns, unknowns and awareness". Environ. Sci. Technol. Viewpoint. (2012), Journal, International

- Sundaram, B. and A. Kumar. "Engineered Nanomaterials-based Pollution in India". Curr. Sci. 110(10) (2012).
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- Teng, J., A. Kumar, P.L. Gurian, and M.S. Olson. "A Spreadsheet-Based Site Specific Risk Assessment Tool for Land-Applied Biosolids" The Open Env. Engg. J. 6(7-13). (2013)., Journal, International
- Galada, H.C., Rostad, N., Gurian, P. L., Olson, M. S., Teng, J., A. Kumar ,Wardell, M., Eggers, S., Casman, E., and Richter, E. "Development and Assessment of Failure Scenarios for Biosolids Land Application Risk Assessment". Wat. Env. Res. 85(2):141-150.2013. , Journal , International
- Khanna, I. and A. Kumar Learned Discussion on "Including nanoparticles mixtures in human health risk assessment". IEAM (accepted). , Journal , International
- Singh, D. and Kumar, A. Identifying Knowledge Gaps in Assessing Health Risks due to Exposures of Nanoparticles from Contaminated Edible Plants. Springer proceeding volume *Management of Water, Energy and Bio-resources in the Era of Climate Change: Emerging Issues and Challenges . , Journal , International
- Chawla, J. and Kumar, A. Towards reducing toxicity of carbon nanotubes and fullerenes using surface modification strategy. Springer proceeding volume *Management of Water, Energy and Bio-resources in the Era of Climate Change: Emerging Issues and Challenges., Journal, International
- (Oral)Ritika, A. Kumar, Mittal, A.K., and Ganguli, A.K. National Seminar Clean Water and Health April6-7th, 2013, New Delhi., Conference, National
- Sundaram, B. and A. Kumar. "Nanoparticles in Indian Water: An Emerging Contaminant Needing Regulatory Considerations". NEBIO. Special Online Issue (2013), Conference, National
- (Oral)Sejwal, K. and A. Kumar."Understanding the Role of Nanotechnology in Water Treatment and its Implication" National Conference-Relevance of Nanotechnology in Biology, New Delhi, Mar 2013., Conference, National
- Ravindran, S., Pariyarath, R.V., A. Kumar, and Nema, A.K. "Health Risk Estimation of Pesticides Exposure from Ganges Water". NEBIO. Special
 Online Issue (2013)., Journal, National
- Sundaram, B. and A. Kumar. "Engineered Nanomaterials-based Pollution in India". Curr. Sci. 110(10) (2012). , Journal , National
- Galada, H.C., Rostad, N., Gurian, P. L., Olson, M. S., Teng, J., A. Kumar ,Wardell, M., Eggers, S., Casman, E., and Richter, E. "Development and Assessment of Failure Scenarios for Biosolids Land Application Risk Assessment". Wat. Env. Res. 85(2):141-150.2013. , Journal , National

Academic and Research Contributions

Research Guidance (Total Nos. & Last 5 Years Data)

Category	Guidance Status	Total Guidance	In last 5 years
Ph.D.	In Progress	3	3
M.Tech.	Completed	10	10
B.Tech.	Completed	5	5

Sponsored Research, Consultancy & Technology Development

Category	Total Projects	Total Value
Sponsored Research Projects	5	13150000

Type of Publication	Level of Publication	Total Publication	In last 5 years
Journal	International	19	16
Journal	National	4	4
Books Chapter	International	1	1

Patent & IPR

Course Name	L-T-P	Course Belongs To
MAJOR PROJECT PART-II	0-0-24	PG
WATER AND WASTE-WATER TREATMENT PROCESSES	3-0-0	PG
ENVIRONMENTAL ENGINEERING	3-0-4	UG

ENVIRONMENTAL RISK ASSESSMENT	3-0-0	PG
ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE	2-0-0	UG

Awards & Distinctions

- Graduate Student Research Award from Department of Civil, Architectural, and Environmental Engineering, College of Engineering, Drexel University, U.S.A. (2007).
- Third Prize in Pennsylvania Section of the American Water Works Association Conference's Student-Young Professional Poster Presentation, Kumar, A., P.L. Gurian, R. H. Bucciarelli-Tieger. "Development
- George Hill, Jr. Fellowship from Department of Civil, Architectural, and Environmental Engineering, College of Engineering, Drexel University, U.S.A. (2005).

Society Membership, Certification & Training & Any Other Details

- Society of Risk Analysis
- American Water Works Association