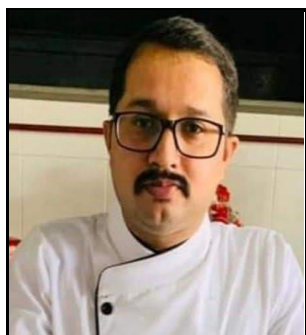


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Professional Qualification:

Name of Exam Passed	BOARD/ UNIVERSITY	Year of Passing
Ph. D. in Hotel and Tourism Management (Pursuing)	Maya Devi University	2028
Master in Hospitality Management (MHM)	PUNJAB TECHINACAL UNIVERSITY	2020
B.Sc. in Hotel Management	PUNJAB TECHINACAL UNIVERSITY	2012
One Year Diploma in Food Production	National Council for Hotel Management and Catering Technology	2008

Publications (Journals & Conferences):

- The Development of Tourism Destination and its effects on the culinary heritage of Himachal Pradesh, India (<https://doi.org/10.7492/yc4xqp96>)
- “Evaluating the Alignment of NCHMCT Curriculum with Industry Competency Requirements: A Study of Hospitality Institutions in Delhi NCR.” (<https://doi.org/10.52783/jier.v6i1.4341>)
- Socio-Cultural Influences on Students’ Perceptions of Housekeeping Careers in the Kumaon Region: A Comprehensive Review (<https://doi.org/10.61336/jmsr/26-01-33>)

Workshops/Seminars/FDPs:

- “Transforming Hospitality through Sustainable Innovation and Elevated Guest Experiences” (CSJM University, Kanpur, Uttar Pradesh, held from 01/08/2025 to 08/08/2025.)

- “Mastering Students Engagement; Innovative Pedagogical Techniques” (**Desh Bhagat University Mandi Gobindgarh, Punjab from 13/01/2026 to 17/01/2026.**)
- **ICOHOST-2026 (International Conference of Hospitality and Tourism)** present a paper on advance sustainability in hospitality through green innovation examining its influence on employee work life balance and organization performance. (**at GNA University**).
- **Lead the Food Production Team** for the World record for the greatest number of **Besan Chillas for Limca book (2020 Edition)**.
- **Team Leader** for the record of **longest vegetable sandwich 223.2 ft for Limca Book of Records (2022 Edition)**.
- **Team Leader** for a record of **492 types of Canapes for Limca Book of Records (2023 Edition)**.
- Working with Himanchal Tourism to promote “Dham”, a traditional food and serving of Himanchal Food to promote Food Tourism.
- Performed cooking show as a **Chef for Punjabi TV Channel Maha Punjabi**.
- Certified as **Amul chef and conducted live shows for Amul India**.
- Conducted cooking **Workshop for AWWA (Army Wives Welfare Association)**.
- Conducted many workshops **PAN India on Indian Desserts for Home chefs (Moms)**.
- Conducted a workshop on Indian Desserts with **MJP ROHILKHAND UNIVERSITY, PCTM and IHM FARIDABAD.**
- Conducted a workshop on millets to promoting the healthy eating at **AGRICULTURE UNIVERSITY LUDHIANA.**
- Academic and Examination Head for internal and external university examination.

Work Experience:

- Six months Industrial Training **The Maya Inn Jalandhar**.
- Initiated professional career with **Hill’s Pride Resort, Kasauli, HP**.
- Worked with **Krishna Institute of Hotel Management, Hamirpur 2012 to 2014**.
- Worked with **State Institute of Hotel Management, Rohtak (Affiliated to NCHMCT, Noida) AUG 2014 to OCT 2015**.
- Worked with **St. Soldier Institute of Hotel Management, Jalandhar from OCT 2015 to AUG 2024**.

- Worked **Pal College of Technology & Management, Haldwani. Aug 2024 to April 2025.**
- Worked as **Hostel Warden & Mess in charge at ST. SOLDIER BOYS HOSTEL.**
- Working with **SRMIST Modinagar Ghaziabad UP from Aug 2025.**