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Founder Chief Editor

Dialogue: Science, Scientists, and Society

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Journal of Wildlife Science

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Honors and awards

International

Lifetime Achievement Award – International Primatological Society (IPS)

Honorary Fellow – Association for Tropical Biology and Conservation (ATBC)

National

University of Mysore Golden Jubilee Science Award

Elected Fellow (FASc), Indian Academy of Sciences, Bangalore

Elected Fellow (FNA), Indian National Science Academy, New Delhi.

Elected Fellow (FNASc) The National Academy of Science, India, Allahabad

Elected Fellow (FNAPsy) National Academy of Psychology India

Ramanna Fellow, DST, Government of India 2009-2012

Ramanna Fellow, SERB, DST, Government of India 2012-2015

J.C. Bose National Fellow, SERB, DST, Government of India 2016-2019

Sunder Lal Hora Medal 2017. Indian National Science Academy, New Delhi

SERB Distinguished Fellow. SERB, Government of India 2019-2022

Visiting Professor, Adichunchanagiri University, Karnataka

Professor Eminence, Guru Nanak Dev University, Amritsar

Honorary Professor Shree Guru Gobind Singh Tricentenary University, Gurugram

Honorary Professor (former), JNCASR, Bangalore

Adjunct Professor (Former), IAS, Bangalore

CAREER

Master's	1973	Panjab University, Chandigarh
Research Fellow	1973-74	Meerut University, Meerut
Research Fellow	1974-77	University of Mysore, Mysore
Lecturer	1977-1985	University of Mysore, Mysore
Reader	1985-1994	University of Mysore, Mysore
Professor	1994 –2013	University of Mysore, Mysore
Life-long Distinguished Professor, University of Mysore. 2013		

Academic Positions

Member DST, PAC (Animal Sciences) 2001-2004, 2004-2007, 2007-2012

Chairman DST GOI Committee on Ornithology (PAC Animal Sciences)

Chairman DST GOI Committee on Mammalian Ecology

Chairman DST Committee for LACON grants

Chairman DST committee for Science Communication Impact Centre

Chairman DST, PAC in NCSTC 2013-

Member CDC University Grants Commission

Editorial Board, Resonance, India 2002-2011

Editorial Board, International Journal of Primatology, USA since December 2002

Guest Editor, Primate Report, Germany, 2000, 2001

Editorial Board, Review of General Psychology (APA), USA since August 2003

Editorial Board, Psychological Studies, India since July 2003

Edited Special Section in Current Science, India on Animal Behavior October 2005

Editorial Board, Current Science since January 2008

Membership of academic bodies (Past and Present)

Chairman Department of Studies in Psychology, University of Mysore
 Chairman Board of Studies in Psychology, University of Mysore
 Dean Faculty of Arts, University of Mysore
 Senate Member, University of Mysore
 Academic Council Member University of Mysore
 Academic Council Member, Pondicherry University
 Academic Council Sri Satya Sai Institute for Higher Learning, Puttaparti
 Member Faculty of Science, University of Mysore
 Member Faculty of Science Bangalore University
 Member Faculty of Arts Karnataka University Dharwad
 Nodal Officer Internal Quality Assurance Cell, University of Mysore
 Member External Audit Committee Karnataka University Dharwad
 Honorary Director Centre for Ecology and Environment, University of Mysore
 Chairman Malpractices and Lapses Committee, University of Mysore
 Member Advisory Board of Academic Staff College, University of Mysore
 Member Research Monitoring Committee, CES, Indian Institute of Science, Bangalore
 Member Board of Studies in Management Science, Anthropology, Social Work, Speech and
 Hearing, Human Development, Women Studies, Education, Nursing, Zoology –
 University of Mysore
 Member Academic Board Wildlife Sciences, National Centre for Biological Sciences,
 Bangalore
 Dean Faculty of Science, University of Mysore
 Member Research Advisory Committee, CCMB, Hyderabad
 Member Research Advisory Committee, Wildlife Institute of India, Dehradun
 Member Research Advisory Committee Salimali Centre, Coimbatore

VISITS AND ASSIGNMENTS ABROAD

July-Aug., 1984	Kenya	Attended International Conference on Primatology
July-Sep., 1985	U.S.A.	Underwent training in Wildlife Management at Smithsonian Institution, Washington DC.
Aug.-April, 1986-87	U.S.A.	Fulbright "Scholar-in-Residence", Bucknell University, Lewisburg, Pennsylvania.
May-Aug., 1987	U.S.A.	Smithsonian Institution, Washington DC - Faculty at Wildlife Management Courses.

Sep.-Nov. 1987	Malaysia	Faculty at Wildlife Management Courses by Smithsonian Institution, Washington DC.
June-July, 1997	U.S.A.	Fellow: Zoological Society of San Diego. USA
August, 1998	Madagascar	Talk at International Congress of Primatology
January 1999	Germany	German primate center, Gottingen – Worked out details of international collaborative project
June-July 1999	USA	Attended Animal Behavior Society Conference at Bucknell University, Pennsylvania
November 2000	Germany	Cologne Zoo and German Primate Center, Gottingen: Edited Primate Report & Discussed Macaque meeting
January 2001	Australia	Talk at XVIIIth Congress of the International Primatological Society at Adelaide
June-July 2002	Russia	Lecturer at the 2 nd Summer School on “Evolution, Behavior and Society: Human Ethology” organized by Institute of Ethnology and Anthropology, Russian Academy of Sciences, Moscow, at Puschino
Oct-Nov. 2002	Germany	Cologne Zoo: Prepared Master Plan for lion-tailed macaque research and conservation activities. Also worked on editing the book: How Societies Arise: The Macaque Model (Cambridge University Press)
Nov-Dec 2003	Germany	Cologne Zoo: Worked on preparation of Husbandry Guidelines for lion-tailed macaques. Also attended Gottinger Freilandtage at Gottingen
Sep-Oct 2004.	Germany	Worked at Cologne Zoo for ongoing collaborative research. Also attended Fifth International Symposium on Physiology, Behavior and Conservation of Wildlife. Berlin, Germany. 26-29 September.
May 2-27, 2005	Germany	Cologne Zoo: Ongoing collaborative research on the lion-tailed macaque.
Dec 2-19, 2005	Germany	Cologne Zoo: Ongoing collaborative research on the lion-tailed macaque. Attended Gottinger Freilandtage
August 9-31, 2006	Germany	Cologne Zoo: and teaching at Studienstiftung, Salem, Germany (August 13-25).
Sept 7-13, 2006	Cambodia	IUCN RedList Meeting on Asian Primates
July 13-20, 2007	South Africa	International Congress Prosimians 2007
August 9-24, 2007	Germany	Collaborative research on lion-tailed macaques
May 1-18, 2008	Germany	Collaborative research on lion-tailed macaques
Feb-March 2009	Germany	Collaborative research on lion-tailed macaques

Feb-March 2009	Germany	Collaborative research on lion-tailed macaques
Sep-Oct 2009	Germany	Collaborative research on lion-tailed macaques
Sep 10-19 2010	Japan	International Primatological Society Congress
June 11-19 2011	Tanzania	Talk at Conference of ATBC & SCB (Africa Section)
Dec 4-Dec 18 2011	Germany	Conference Gottinger Freilandtage & Research
July 16-28, 2012	South Africa	Invited presenter at International Congress of Psychology at Cape Town
Sep 3-18, 2012	Germany	Collaborative research on lion-tailed macaques
Feb 5-14, 2013	Germany	Conference and collaborative research
Dec 1-10, 2013	Germany	Conference Gottinger Freilandtage & Research
Aug 10-18, 2014	Vietnam	International Primatological Society Conference
Sep 25-Oct 3, 2015	Germany	10 th International Conference on Behavior, Physiology and Genetics of Wildlife
Nov 19-24, 2015	Singapore	IUCN Asian Primates Red List Assessment Workshop
Nov 6-13, 2016	Israel	Collaborative research at Bar Ilan University Tel Aviv
Oct 2-9, 2017	Germany	12 th International Conference on Behavior, Physiology and Genetics of Wildlife
Feb 17-20, 2018	Nepal	International Satellite Symposium on Asian Primates
August 18-26, 2018	Kenya	Keynote speaker at International Primatological Society Congress, Nairobi
Sep-Oct 2019	Poland	Collaborative research: Adam Mickiewicz University
Nov 12-18, 2022	Vietnam	8 th Asian Primate Symposium, VNUF Hanoi
Aug 19-25 2023	Malaysia	Lifetime Achievement Award talk – IPS, Kuching

SELECTED RESEARCH PUBLICATIONS

- Arlet, M.E., Anand, A., Saikia, A., Kaasik, A., Sirigeri, S., Isbell, L.A. & Singh, M. 2023. Behavior of mothers after infant loss in bonnet macaques (*Macaca radiata*). ***International Journal of Primatology (USA)***. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10764-023-00395-2>
- Velankar, A.D., Kumara, H.N., Pal, A., Mishra, P.S. & Singh, M. 2023. tough nut to crack? Proficiency in coconut processing of the Nicobar long-tailed macaque *Macaca fascicularis umbrosus*. ***Journal of Biosciences***. 28:1-10. DOI: 10.1007/s12038-023-00352-4
- Mohan, K., Erinjery, J.J., Kannan, A., Srinivasan, S. & Singh, M. 2023. Is habitat suitability sex-specific? A study of the Indian Giant Squirrel (*Ratufa indica maxima*) in the Western Ghats of India. ***Current Science***. 125:66-72.

- Mohan, K., Erinjery, J. and Singh, M. 2023. Nesting habitat and nest directionality of the Indian Giant Squirrel *Ratufa indica maxima* (Schreber, 1784) (Mammalia: Rodentia: Sciuridae) in the Nelliampathy Reserve Forest, Western Ghats, Kerala, India. **Journal of Threatened Taxa**. 15: 23139–23146.
<https://doi.org/10.11609/jott.8480.15.5.23139-23146>
- Begum, N., Kaumanns, W., Hofer, H. & Singh, M. 2023. A Hundred Years in Zoos II: Patterns of Reproduction in the Global Historical Captive Population of the Lion-tailed Macaque *Macaca silenus*. **Primate Conservation (USA)**. 37:1-21.
- Kumara, H.N., Mahato, S., Singh, M., Molur, S. & Velankar, A.S. 2023. Mammalian diversity, distribution, and potential key conservation areas in the Western Ghats: an update. **Current Science**. 124:38-49.
- Anand, A., Balakrishna, N., Singh, M., Isbell, L.A., Sirigeri, S. & Arlet, M.E. 2022. Infant adoptions in wild bonnet macaques (*Macaca radiata*). **Primates (Japan)**. 63:622-635. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s10329-022-01017-w>
- Cooper, E.B., Brent, L.J.N., Snyder-Mackler, N., Singh, M., Sengupta, A., Khatiwad, S., Malaivijitnond, S., Hai, Z.Q., & Higham, J.P. 2022. The natural history of modern organisms: The rhesus macaque as a success story of the Anthropocene. **eLife (Engalnd)**. 11: e78169. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.7554/eLife.78169>. Pp. 1-19.
- Kumar, S., Kumara, H.N., Velankar, A.D., Mishra, P.S., Pal, A., Sundararaj, P., Singh, M. & and Vinoth. S. 2022. Prevalence of gastrointestinal parasites in the Nicobar long-tailed macaque (*Macaca fascicularis umbrosus*) on the Nicobar Group of Islands, India. **Current Science**. 122:1199-1208. doi: 10.18520/cs/v122/i10/1199-1208.
- Gnanaolivu, S. D., Campera, M., Nekaris, K-I., Nijman, V., Satish, R., Babu, S., & Singh, M. 2022. Medicine, black magic and supernatural beings: Cultural rituals as a significant threat to slender lorises in India. **People and Nature (England)**, 4, 1007-1019.
<https://doi.org/10.1002/pan3.10336>
- Dhananjaya, T., Das, S., Harpalani, M., Huffman, M.A. and Singh, M. 2022. Can urbanization accentuate hand use in the foraging activities of primates? **American Journal of Biological Anthropology (USA)**. 178:667-677. <https://doi.org/10.1002/ajpa.24532>.
- Begum, N., Kaumanns, W., Singh, M. and Hofer, H. 2022. Hundred Years in Zoos: History and development of the captive population of the lion-tailed macaque *Macaca silenus*. *Long term persistence for conservation?* **Primate Conservation (USA)**. 36:1-18.
- Dhananjaya, T., Das, T., Vyas, A.K., Gahlot, P. and Singh, M. 2022. Extent of encounter with an embedded food influences how it is processed by an urbanizing macaque species. **Behaviour (The Netherlands)**. 159: 657-689. DOI:10.1163/1568539X-bja10146.
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- Begum, N., Kaumanns, M., Sliwa, A. and Singh, M. 2021. The captive population of the lion-tailed macaque *Macaca silenus* (Linnaeus, 1758). The future of an endangered primate under human care. **Journal of Threatened Taxa**. 13:19352-19357. <https://doi.org/10.11609/jott.7521.13.9.19352-19357>.
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- Das, S., David, R.C., Anand, A., Harikumar, S., Rajan, R. & Singh, M. 2020. Use of an embedded fruit by Nicobar Long-tailed Macaque (*Macaca fascicularis umbrosus*): II. Demographic influences on choices of coconuts (*Cocos nuciferus* L.) and pattern of forays to palm plantations. **Journal of Threatened Taxa**. 12: 16407–16423.
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- Singh, M., Kumara, H.N., Dittus, W., Kumar, A. & Nag, C. 2020. *Semnopithecus priam*. *The IUCN Red List of Threatened Species* 2020: **(Switzerland)** e.T167546892A17942964. <https://dx.doi.org/10.2305/IUCN.UK.2020-2.RLTS.T167546892A17942964.en>.
- Das, S., Harpalani, M., Chaudhuri, B., Negi, R., Ali, T.H. and Singh, M. 2020. Use of an embedded fruit by the Nicobar long-tailed macaque (*Macaca fascicularis umbrosus*): I. Familiarity to coconuts (*Cocos nuciferus* L.) and temporal patterns of coconut foraging. ***Primate Conservation (USA)***. 34: 195-216.
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