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Dr. A. R. Kulkarni has 37 years of post-graduate teaching experience, including six years as Principal of College of Non Conventional Vocational Courses for Women (CNCVCW), SIBER Kolhapur affiliated with Shivaji University, Kolhapur. Dr. Kulkarni has published 30 research papers in peer-reviewed /UGC – approved journals, edited four books and presented 35 papers in National, International seminars/ conferences, Key note speaker / Resource for UGC Sponsored Refresher / Orientation Courses and also awarded with one patent. Dr. A. R. Kulkarni has successfully completed two UGC sponsored Research Projects, one from Jaitapur Nuclear Power Project (JNPP), NPCIL, one from the World bank funded Project and 25 industry sponsored Projects. Served as Chairman Board of Studies in M. Sc. (Environment), MBA (Environment), member of Academic Council of SIBER Autonomous Body for 25 years, member of Board of studies in M.Sc.(Geology) Fergusson College Pune & Swami Ramanand Teerth Marathwada University Nanded. He has provided environmental and mining consulting services in India and abroad, including Oman, Indonesia, Botswana, Madagascar, Sierra Leone and Liberia. He is Recognized Qualified Person (RQP) by the Indian Bureau of Mines (IBM), Ministry of Mines, Govt. of India, Recognized and Approved Analyst for Physical, Chemical, Microbiological, toxicological parameters of Water, Analysis of ambient air and Micro-meteorological parameters by the Central Pollution Control Board, Ministry of Environment and Forests, Government of India. Recognized by the National Accreditation Board for Education and Training (NABET), Quality Council of India (QCI) as Environmental Clearance Coordinator for Mining Sector and Functional Area Expert (FAE) for Geology, Hydrogeology, and Soil Conservation. International Register for Certified Auditors (IRCA) approved Lead Auditor for Environment Management System (ISO 14001:2015), Internal Auditor for Occupational Health & Safety Management System: OHSAS 18001:2007 and Quality Management System(QMS); ISO 9001. He is also an affiliated Member of Mining Metallurgy and Exploration, USA and life member of Mining Engineers Association of India.

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