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# **Educational Qualifications**

Examination/Degree		Board/University	Year of Passing
B.Sc. (Ag.) Hons.		Rajasthan Agricultural University. Bikaner	1998
M.Sc. Soil Science		Rajasthan Agricultural University. Bikaner	2000
Ph.D.Soil Science& A Chemistry	gril.	ICAR-Indian Agricultural Research Institute, New Delhi	2005

## **Professional Experience:**

- Principal Scientist& Head(acting) at ICAR-NBSS&LUP, RC-Udaipur from 16-10-2021 to till date
- Principal Scientist at ICAR-IISWC, RC-Kota from August 2017 to 15 Oct. 2021.
- Senior Scientist at ICAR- IISWC, RC-Kota from August, 2013 to July, 2017
- Scientist (SS) at ICAR-VPKAS, Almora from February 2008 to July 2013
- Scientist at ICAR-VPKAS, Almora from February 2004 to January 2008

## **Research Areas**

- Soil survey, Remote sensing and GIS
- Soil and water Conservation for sustainable production
- Soil quality and fertility management
- Carbon Sequestration&Conservation Agriculture
- Rehabilitation of mine spoil areas

### International Experience Nil

Awards : ICAR Outstanding Team Research Award

### Honours/Recognitions

- Best Poster awardin International Conference: 1
- Best Poster awardin National Conference: 3
- Key note speaker/ Invited lecture in workshops: 1

S.No.	Ten Best Research Papers along with NAAS Rating-2022	NAAS Rating
1	Supradip Saha, <b>BL Mina</b> , KA Gopinath, S Kundu, HS Gupta (2008). Relative changes in phosphatase activities as influenced by source and application rate of organic composts in field crops. <i>Bioresource technology</i> , 99(6):1750-1757.	15.64
2	<b>BL Mina</b> , S Saha, N Kumar, AK Srivastva, HS Gupta (2008). Changes in soil nutrient content and enzymatic activity under conventional and zero-tillage practices in an Indian sandy clay loam soil. <i>Nutrient Cycling in Agroecosystems</i> , 82(3):273-281.	9.27

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4	KA Gopinath, Supradip Saha, <b>BL Mina</b> , Harit Pande, S Kundu, HS Gupta(2008).Influence of organic amendments on growth, yield and quality of wheat and on soil properties during transition to organic production. <i>Nutrient Cycling in Agroecosystems</i> , 82(1):51-60.	9.27				
5	Supradip Saha, KA Gopinath, <b>BL Mina</b> , Hari Shankar Gupta(2008).Influence of continuous application of inorganic nutrients to a Maize–Wheat rotation on soil enzyme activity and grain quality in a rainfed Indian soil. <i>European Journal of Soil Biology</i> , 44(4-5): 521-531.	8.85				
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7	KA Gopinath, Supradip Saha, <b>BL Mina</b> , Harit Pande, AK Srivastva, HS Gupta(2009). Bell pepper yield and soil properties during conversion from conventional to organic production in Indian Himalayas. <i>Scientia Horticulturae</i> , 122(3): 339-345.	9.46				
8	Narendra Kumar, <b>BL Mina</b> , S Chandra, AK Srivastva(2011). In-situ green manuring for enhancing productivity, profitability and sustainability of upland rice. <i>Nutrient Cycling in Agroecosystems</i> , 90(3):369-377.	9.27				
9	M.D. Tuti, VedPrakash, B.M, Pandey, R. Bhattacharyya, D. Mahanta, J. K. Bisht, M. Kumar, <b>BL Mina</b> , N Kumar, JC Bhatt, AK Srivastva(2012). Energy budgeting of colocasia-based cropping systems in the Indian sub-Himalayas. <i>Energy</i> ,45(1): 986-993.	13.15				
10	Shakir Ali, BK Sethy, AK Parandiyal, Ashok Kumar, RK Singh, J Somasundaram, <b>BL Mina</b> (2020). Long-term effects of rainwater conservation measure on improving yield, runoff use efficiency and soil properties of horti-pastoral system on the degraded ravine lands of India. <i>Agricultural Water</i> <i>Management</i> ,233: 106068	10.52				
Total Publications (Peer-reviewed journals only): 40						

International: 23

National: 17

Google Scholar link: https://scholar.google.com/citations?hl=en&user=PScqFioAAAAJ

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