

## Principal Profile



Dr. Ajay Pravinbhai Patel was born in the Surat district in 1976. He completed his primary and secondary education in Surat district. He perused his B.Sc. (Agri.) in 1997; M.Sc. (Agri.) in subject of Agronomy department in 2000 and Doctorate degree, Ph.D. with specialization of Nutrient Management, Agronomy in 2008 from N. M. College of Agriculture, Navsari. He joined University as Junior Research Assistant in 2000, Research Associate in 2001 and subsequently secured various post including Principal since 2025. He is having 24 years of experience in research, teaching and extension education. He published/presented 28 research papers, 16 popular articles, delivered 04 TV/ radio talks, published 07 books, attended 03 international, 10 national and 15 state level seminar/ symposium/ workshops. He successfully handled six projects.

In teaching, he worked for twelve years and designed and taught under graduate courses. He is guiding / guided 14 M.Sc. (Agri.) and 3 Ph.D. students.