

Dr. Younis Ahmad Hajam of Sant Baba Bhag Singh University Recognized in Stanford–Elsevier Top 2% Scientists List for Three Consecutive Years (2024–2026)

Jalandhar, Punjab: Sant Baba Bhag Singh University (SBBSU), Jalandhar, proudly announces that Dr. Younis Ahmad Hajam, Assistant Professor (Zoology) in the Department of Life Sciences, has been recognized in the Stanford–Elsevier Top 2% Scientists List for three consecutive years, 2024, 2025 and 2026, in the single-year data category. According to the attached certificate, his main field of research is Biology, with Entomology identified as his subfield.

The recognition reflects Dr. Hajam's research contributions and scholarly impact in the biological sciences, particularly in entomology. The certificate records his global rank as 69,834, with a subfield rank of 116 in Entomology and Medicinal & Biomolecular Chemistry, an H-index of 14, and an HM-index of 3. The ranking information is sourced from Elsevier and the Stanford University Top 2% Scientists List.

Dr Younis has published 180+publications in leading national and international journals and 12 national proceeding with research credentials Citation-3912, h-index-24, i10-43. He has established an active research profile through his scholarly publications, academic collaborations, research projects, and contributions to scientific publishing. His work spans environmental conservation, biodiversity restoration, apitherapy, natural products including honey, propolis and royal jelly herbal therapeutics for endocrine disorders, nanomedicine, and artificial intelligence-assisted approaches to therapeutic discovery. His research interests reflect an interdisciplinary approach that connects biological sciences with environmental sustainability, natural-product research, and the development of innovative solutions to contemporary scientific and societal challenges.

In addition to his research activities, Dr. Hajam has made substantial contributions to academic publishing by editing international books and contributing to scholarly volumes published by reputed international publishers, including Springer Nature, Taylor & Francis, CRC Press (Apple Academic Press), Nova Science Publishers, and Academic Press (Elsevier), among others. He has also served as Principal Investigator of a completed major research project and has contributed to three projects under the Himachal Pradesh Chief Minister Startup Scheme. His academic engagement includes presentations at more than 35 national and international conferences. Among his notable distinctions is a Gold Medal received at the All India Congress of Zoology, organized by the Zoological Society of India in collaboration with the University of Lucknow.

Dr. Hajam is particularly interested in translating scientific research into practical applications through innovation, entrepreneurship, and effective academia–industry collaboration. His research vision emphasizes the responsible utilization of biological resources, the conservation of biodiversity, and the development of evidence-based natural products and emerging technologies with potential societal benefits.

Expressing his gratitude on this achievement, Dr. Hajam acknowledged the support and encouragement of the management of Sant Baba Bhag Singh University, particularly the Hon'ble Chancellor, Sant Manmohan Singh Ji; the Vice-Chancellor, Prof. Palwinder Singh; the Registrar, Shri Rajinder Kumar; the Dean Academics, Prof. Vijay Dhir; Dr. Nisha Sharma, Dean, University Institute of Sciences, and Director, Research and Development; and the Head and faculty members of the Department of Life Sciences. He also recognized the valuable

contributions of his postgraduate and Ph.D. scholars, research collaborators, colleagues, and laboratory team, whose commitment and collaborative efforts have contributed to a productive research environment.

Dr. Hajam expressed the hope that this recognition would encourage fellow faculty members, emerging scientists, and young researchers to pursue excellence in scientific research, strengthen interdisciplinary collaboration, and contribute to the advancement of knowledge and innovation. Sant Baba Bhag Singh University congratulates Dr. Younis Ahmad Hajam on this recognition and reaffirms its commitment to promoting high-quality research, academic excellence, innovation, and meaningful contributions to society through science.