Prof. R. S. Sharma

Professor of Practice – Forensic Science, ICFAI University, Jaipur Former Additional Director, Forensic Science Laboratory (FSL), Rajasthan

Educational Qualifications

- M.Sc. (Forensic Chemistry & Biochemistry), AIC Calcutta
- LL.B.
- Fellowship, FS SAFCON



Professional Career & Contributions

- Former Additional Director, FSL Rajasthan Served 39 years (1970–2009), supervised and reported on over **55,000 criminal cases**, the highest in the state's forensic history.
- Reappointed Post-Retirement Forensic Expert & Vice Principal, CDTI (BPR&D, MHA, Govt. Of India), Jaipur.
- **Advisor, Govt. Of Rajasthan** FTRI & FSL (Crime Investigation Training & Research).
- Currently serving as Professor of Practice, ICFAI University, Jaipur.

Specialization & Achievements

- Over 55 years of experience in Forensic Science, covering Forensic Chemistry, Biochemistry, Medico-Legal & Vetro-Legal Sciences, Crime Scene Management, and Investigation Applications.
- Contributed to solving thousands of cases, including the 2008 Jaipur Bomb Blast.
- Played a pivotal role in the **development of forensic infrastructure** in Rajasthan: establishment of **Range Laboratories**, **34 Mobile Units**, and modernization of FSL into a state-of-the-art institution.
- Faculty & Trainer since 1976 at premier institutes: Rajasthan Police Academy, CDTI, NICFS, OTS, Judicial Academies, and various law enforcement agencies in India & abroad.

International Training

• Advanced training in **Italy, France, Germany** and multiple forensic institutes across India.

Awards & Recognitions

- 1. Outstanding Performance Award in Forensic Science Conferred by Hon'ble Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi and Union Home Minister Shri Amit Shah.
- 2. **Rajasthan Gaurav Award** For exceptional contribution in forensic science & crime investigation, conferred by Rajasthan High Court.
- 3. Multiple awards & commendations from national and international bodies.

Research & Publications

- **25 research papers**, all recognized and awarded.
- Significant contributions to forensic research in chemical and life sciences.

Other Distinctions

- Invited expert member on various national and state-level forensic & investigative committees.
- **Bollywood Debut** Appeared in the upcoming film *SURYA* (with Sunny Deol & others) as himself, the first time a **real forensic scientist** has been featured in a crime investigation role in Indian cinema.