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Dr. Sunil Dnyaneshwar Masalkar, Associate Dean of College of Agriculture, Pune since 2020. He is a recipient of ICAR Fellowship and University merit scholarship and excellent academic scholar. He made significant contribution in education, research and extension.

He has completed Adhoc projects on Standardization of Horticultural Techniques and Genetic Improvement in Strawberry Under Plains of Maharashtra, also project on Extension, quality awareness and market led extension activities for fresh processed products (Pomegranate juice) funded by National Horticulture Mission and Demonstration of carbonated fruit juice funded by state Government of Maharashtra.

Developed varieties of fruits viz. *Sai Sugandha* of Mango and *Bhagva* of Pomegranate. He is a master trainer in post harvest technology and standardized processing technology for fig jam, Grape RTS, custard apple pulp and other fruit juices and leafy vegetables. He has developed and promoted “Phule Fruit Drinks “on commercial basis .He has guided many M.SC. and Ph.D. students in the discipline of Horticulture.

He is a member of technical support group to National Horticulture Mission, reviewer for International Journal of Biological Agriculture and Horticulture (BAH) in UK. He has 41 Scientific publications in internationally abstracted journals, 37 technical publications, 46 Extension publications at his credit.