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Particulars	Dr. Pankaj Agarwal, <i>Associate Professor</i> , Department of Earthquake Engineering, IIT Roorkee, Roorkee – 247667, DOB- 30-11-1966, Roorkee
Qualifications	<p>B. Tech., G. B. Pant University of Agriculture & Technology, Pantnagar, Dec. 1989, Civil Engineering, <u><i>ACADEMIC Honour: “College Merit Certificate.”</i></u></p> <p>M.E., University of Roorkee, Roorkee (Now IIT Roorkee), Earthquake Engineering, Specialization in Structural Dynamics, Feb. 1994</p> <p>Ph.D., University of Roorkee, Roorkee (Now IIT Roorkee), Earthquake Engineering, Specialization in Structural Dynamics, March 2000</p>
Position held	<p>Associate Professor, Department of Earthquake Engineering, IIT Roorkee, Roorkee (from 07/10/2009 to till today)</p> <p>Assistant Professor, Department of Earthquake Engineering, IIT Roorkee, Roorkee (from 29/09/2004 to 06/10/2009)</p> <p>Lecturer, Department of Earthquake Engineering, IIT Roorkee, Roorkee (from 28/06/2001 to 28/09/2004)</p>
Courses (UG & PG)	Introduction to Earthquake Engineering, A seismic Architecture, Design of Masonry Structures, Earthquake Resistant Design of Structures, Earthquake Resistance Design of Bridges & Dams, Seismic vulnerability and Risk Analysis, Seismic Evaluation and Retrofitting of Structures
Ph. D Students	<p>Mr. Jitendra P. Singh, <i>Seismic Response of an Instrumented Building Including Soil Structure Interaction</i>, 2009</p> <p>Mr. Radhikesh P. Nanda, <i>Low Cost distributed Base Isolation for Brick Masonry Building</i>, 2008</p> <p>Mr. Hemant Kr. Vinayak, <i>Damage Detection of Structures using Modal Parameters and Neural Network</i>, 2008</p> <p>Mr. Pradeep Kr. T.V, <i>Behavior of Integral Abutment Bridges under Temperature Effect and Seismic Excitation</i>, 2009</p> <p>Mr. Varinder S. Kanwar, <i>Health Monitoring of RC Building using Vibration Measurements</i>, Oct., 2007</p> <p>Mr. VVS Surya Kr. Dadi, <i>Nonlinear Modeling of Soft Storey RC Frame based on Cycle Testing of Components</i>, 2011</p> <p>Mr. Prahlad Prasad, <i>Performance Based Seismic Design of Steel frame Building using Energy Balance Criterion</i>, 2011</p> <p>Mr. Anshu Tomar, <i>Seismic Retrofitting of Massive Brick Masonry Historical Buildings</i>, In progress.</p> <p>Ms. Divya Shree, <i>Evaluation of Various Hinge Models using Pushover Analysis</i>, In progress</p> <p>Mr. R. Siva Chidambaram, <i>Cyclic Evaluation of RC Components using High Performance Materials</i> , In progress</p> <p>Md. Inteaz Ansari, <i>Seismic Risk Evaluation of Concrete Gravity Dams</i>, In progress</p> <p>Mr. Amit Goyal, <i>Seismic Performance Evaluation of Interlocking Block Masonry Under Cyclic Loading</i>, In progress</p>
M. Tech	30 + 02 on different topic related to Structural and Soil Dynamics
Research Projects	<p>Seismic Design of Soft Storey in RC Buildings based on Analytical and Experimental study, DST, New Delhi</p> <p>Seismic studies, Up-gradation and Maintenance of Instrumented Multi-storied buildings, DST, New Delhi</p> <p>Instrumentation in Multi-storied Buildings in India for Seismic Performance, DST, New Delhi</p> <p>Performance Evaluation of Earthquake Resistant TMT Rebars, SAIL, Ranchi</p> <p>Performance Evaluation of Earthquake Resistant TMT Rebars of Grade S40 and S50, SAIL, Ranchi</p> <p>Performance Based Design of Masonry Buildings, DST, New Delhi</p> <p>Structural Health Monitoring of Multi-storied RC Buildings, MHRD, New Delhi</p> <p>Quasi-static Testing of Low cost Non-Engineered Construction, AICTE, New Delhi</p> <p>Model Testing of Masonry Houses on Shock Table to Study of ER and Retrofitting Measures, DST, New Delhi</p>
Consultancy Projects	More than 30 projects related to Dynamic Analysis of Concrete Gravity Dam, repair and retrofitting of Earthquake Affected Buildings, Analysis and Design of Foundation for high speed vehicle, Seismic Design Manual for Earthquake Disaster Mitigation, Seismic analysis and design of Multistoried Building, Effect of earthquake impact on Civil Structures and Equipment, 3-D Transient Seismic Analysis of Power House Buildings, Seismic studies Railway and highway bridges, Seismic manuals for Retrofitting of Existing Structures and Buildings.
Research Publications (National and International Journals)	<p>J.P. Singh, Pankaj Agarwal, Ashok Kumar and S.K. Thakkar (2014), “Identification of Modal Parameters of a Multistoried RC Building using Ambient Vibration and Strong Vibration Records of Bhuj Earthquake, 2001”, Journal of Earthquake Engineering. DOI: 10.1080/13632469.2013.856823</p> <p>Pankaj Agarwal, Ankit Gupta and Rachanna G. Angadi (2014), “ Effect of FRP Wrapping on Axial Behavior of Concrete and Cyclic Behavior of External RC Beam Column Joints”, KSCE Journal of Civil Engineering , DOI 10.1007/s12205-014-0259-y</p> <p>Varinder S. Kanwar, R. P. Singh, Naveen Kwatra & Pankaj Agarwal (2014), “Monitoring of RCC Structures affected by Earthquakes”, Geomatics, Natural Hazards and Risk, DOI:10.1080/19475705.2013.866984</p> <p>V. V. S. Surya Kumar Dadi and Pankaj Agarwal (2013) “Updating of Nonlinear Analytical Modeling of Soft Storey RC Frame Building Models Based on Cyclic Test Results”, Bulletin of Earthquake Engineering. 11:1493–1515. DOI 10.1007/s10518-013-9434-7.</p> <p>Surya Kumar Dadi, V. V. S. and Agarwal, Pankaj (2013) “Influence of Reinforcement Characteristics on Non-Linear</p>

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Proceeding	More than 50 papers in National and International Conferences, Workshop, Seminars
Book	Earthquake Resistant Design of Structures which was initially published by Prentice-Hall of India, New Delhi, 2006. Twelfth reprints of this book has come in January 2014.
Distance Education Program me	A distance education course in the new format known as DEIW (Distance, Electronic, Interactive and Workshop) was started in 2003 for the practicing design Engineers and Architects of the country to impart the knowledge of earthquake engineering for their professional development. The main advantage of this course was that the professionals, who were unable to attend the short term courses being organized in a traditional manner at various institutions due to shortage of time, suitability of schedule and long distances, were benefitted from the DEIW course . It was organized in four synchronized modes, (1) D- learning (Distance learning) : The course material was sent to the participants in four modules including assignments at an interval of about 45 days; (2) E- learning (Electronic learning) : The participants had an opportunity to raise queries or seek clarifications of their doubts about the subject through e-mail; (3) I- learning (Interactive learning) : Every participant was extended welcome to visit DEQ personally to interact with the concerned faculty during the course and (4) W- learning (Workshop learning) : A two days workshop was held at the end of the course in which panel discussions, group discussions and special invitee lectures were delivered. This course was very well responded and accepted by the participants
Awards	Indian Service of Engineering Award 2002, Khosla Research Prize and Medal 2002