



## Dr. Govind Singh

Dr. Govind Singh is an academician, environmentalist and consultant with over twelve years' experience of working in the Environment Sector. Dr. Govind Singh holds a Master's and a Ph.D. degree in Environmental Studies from the University of Delhi. He works with the motivation of finding sustainable solutions to environmental problems by balancing contemporary environmental principles with spiritual ecology and traditional knowledge. Dr. Govind Singh has taught Environmental Studies in the **University of Delhi** for six years and is currently working as an Associate Professor of Environmental Studies at **Jindal School of Environment & Sustainability (JSES)**, O.P. Jindal Global University and Assistant **Dean of Academic Affairs**. He is also the Founding-Director of Delhi Greens, a Delhi-based environmental non-profit organisation. **Delhi Greens** was established in 2007 and has played an instrumental role in generating environmental awareness and channelizing the energy of the youth towards environmental protection and sustainable development.

Dr. Govind Singh has been a member and coordinator of several environmental programmes, projects, proceedings, and campaigns at national and international platforms. He is also the brain behind the award winning Delhi Greens Blog and Urban Ecotourism projects, both of which are aimed at ensuring environmental harmony and sustainable development. The Delhi Greens Blog has been featured by the United Nations as a *Lighthouse, Momentum for Change* activity in the fight against climate change. Dr. Govind Singh loves to balance classroom teaching with field expeditions, be it for bird watching, planting seeds, visiting a wetland, learning from a forest or from a traditional community that depends on it. The **Urban Ecology – Research & Action (uERA)** virtual laboratory set up by Dr. Govind Singh balance academics with action for solving urban sustainability challenges of the twenty-first century. Dr. Govind Singh is also the Founding Editor of two academic journals and the co-founder of the Indian Youth Climate Network Trust. When not in the university, he can be found protecting natural and built heritage in Delhi, connecting with eco-spirituality in the Himalayas or cruising the hills of North-east India for developing ecotourism and sustainable livelihood opportunities.

Dr. Govind Singh has been an active environmental youth leader since his College days. He takes special interest in being an Environmental Communicator and continues to mentor and orient young minds for becoming passionate towards environmental issues through his academic and organisational involvements.