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Dr Sohan Singh Walia obtained his M.Sc. and Ph.D. degree in Agronomy from Punjab Agricultural University, Ludhiana. He joined PAU as Assistant Professor (Agronomy) in 1995, elevated to the position of Principal Agronomist in 2010. He worked on organic farming and Integrated Farming Systems. Dr Walia has to his credit more than 450 research and extension publications, nine books, and 22 book chapters. He has handled 24 research projects and is currently handling five research projects. Sixty-eight recommendations have been included in the package of practices for mass adoption by the Punjab Farmers especially, resource conservative cropping systems and organic farming-based cropping systems. Developed Integrated Farming System Research Model comprising dairy, fishery, horticulture, vegetables, agro-forestry, vermin-composting. He has attended ten international and 75 national conferences/seminars/workshops. He is recipient of Best organic farming centre award (2019) by ICAR; Dr M S Randhawa best book award (2017); Fellow, Indian Ecological Society (2016); Gold medal from Society of Recent Development in Agriculture at International Conference (2013). Dr Walia has acquired advance training in rice production systems from School of Agriculture, Food and Wine, University of Adelaide, South Australia.