

Key Professionals associated with the PUPA

	Name, Designation & Relationship with the NGO	Experience	Role played at PUPA
1.	Dr. Santanu Mitra Ph.D.(Economics) Lecturer, Women Polytechnic, Management President, PUPA	Ph.D. in ‘Community Participation in Public Action’; Experience in the field of Experimental & Development Economics.	Community Mobilization, PRA, PLA, Cost-benefit analysis & evaluation of the project (ECONOMIC PLANNING) Cost-Benefit Sharing Model is the brain child of Dr. Mitra
	Dr. A. Misra , Ph.D.(Zoology), Diploma in Integrated Coastal Zone Management (UK), Secretary, PUPA	Taxonomy & Ecology of earthworms; Vermicomposting, EE related lesson planning; integrated farming, rural development planning, etc.	Overall supervision, coordination and guidance; planning & implementation of projects
3.	Dr. Rina Chakraborty, Ph.D (Zoology) Jt. Director (Retd.), Zoological Survey of India, Kolkata Diploma in Integrated Coastal Zone Management (UK) Vice-President, PUPA	Research experience on taxonomy, ecology, behavioral science, status survey, conservation biology, habitat assessment, EIA with special reference to Indian mammals and birds and ethno-zoology. An expert on tricho-taxonomy and museum science. Vast experience in administration as HOD, ZSI.	Biodiversity conservation & livelihood; awareness programme; research and publication component of the project.
4.	Dr. Sudipta Tripathy M.Sc (Ag.) Manager, Horticulture Farm, Calcutta University Member, PUPA	Research experience in the field of agriculture in salt reclaimed areas of Sundarban.	Supervision of the training programme & guidance in the field relating to farming activities.
5.	Sri S.K.Chanda Retired Chief Artist, Zoological Survey of India Member, PUPA	Long professional experience of teaching & practicing drawing & painting.	Cultural component of the project.
6.	Ms. Sunita Das Lecturer, Women Polytechnic, Kolkata; Member, PUPA	Specialised in Accountancy & Computer .	Kanyashree & SHG related activities
7.	Sri Arnab De B.Sc.(Hons), Certificate in Vermicomposting, STEP (IIT, Kharagpur) Member, PUPA	Ten years’ experience in promoting vermicomposting, Mushroom Culture and Livestock development.	Livestock development & vermicomposting.
8.	CA T.K.Datta Chartered Accountant Well wisher, PUPA	Accounting & Auditing.	Financial planning
9.	Dr. Subrata Kar Ph.D.(Zoology) Fish Section, Zoological Survey of India, Kolkata Treasurer, PUPA	Taxonomy of freshwater & estuarine fishes and pisciculture.	Pisciculture related livelihood development.
10.	Dr. P. Ray Retd. Scientist-in-charge, Regional Museum of Natural History, Bhubaneswar Member, PUPA	Research experience in taxonomy of high Altitude Amphibians. Extensively studied different ecosystem of India with special reference to animal diversity; establishing natural history Museum to educate visitors on Environmental Studies	Biodiversity education & conservation.