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Ms. Manika Kweera is currently a Ph.D. Student in Department of Geography, Kumaun University, Nainital. She holds a Post-Graduate degree in Geography from the same University. She has developed the basic understanding on the concept of Climate Change and its impact on natural ecosystem, society and economy, and interpreting the linkages between climate change and unplanned urban growth in high mountains. She aims to develop expertise on sustainable urban development in Himalaya under climate change. She is interested to work with national and international organizations in developing relevant policies for sustainable urban development in mountain regions.

Academic Interest: Land Use and Land Cover Dynamics
Urban Ecosystem
Urbanization and Natural Environment
Climate Change Impact and Vulnerability
Climate Change Adaptation and Mitigation

Proposed Ph.D. Topic: Sustainable Urban Development under Climate Change
in the Lake Region of District Nainital,
Uttarakhand [Proposed]

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