Staff Profile



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Designation :Co-ordinator MTWU Research & Extension Centre

Assistant Professor of Education – Stage 2

Date of Join in the Institution: 3rd August 2009

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Academic Qualifications

: M.A.(Eco.), M.Phil.(Eco.), M.Ed., M.Phil.(Edn.), M.Sc.(Psy.), B.Ed.Special Edn. (M.R.), Ph.D.(Edn.).

Teaching & Research Experience: 16 Years

Additional Responsibilities:

Designation	Period
Co-ordinator – Mother Teresa Women's University, Research & Extension Centre, Saidapet, Chennai – 15	From 1 st June 2020
Co-ordinator - M.Phil. Education. (Regular & Part-Time)	August 2009 to July 2017.
Co-Ordinator – Thanthai Periyar Maniyammai Education Chair	September 2009 Onwards
Co-ordinator - M.Phil. Guidance & Counselling. (Regular & Part-Time)	July 2012 to 2016
Co-ordinator - M.Phil. Special Education. (Part-Time)	2016
Co-ordinator M.Phil. Professional Skills	August 2010 to 2015
Education Department Library In-charge.	2011 to January 2017

Co-ordinator – Consumer Protection Awareness Cell, Dindigul.	
	June 2011 to May 2012
Additional Hostel Warden (Aftab Building – P.G Students)	
	June 2013 to May 2014
MTWU Nominee – Vice Chancellor's Consultative Meeting on	
'Teacher Preparation', New Delhi.	15.09.2013
Research Committee Member – Ph.D. in Arts Subjects	7 th Oct. 2013 onwards
Chief Superintendent – DDE	16.12.2013 to 11.1.2014
Internal Examiner – M.Phil. Education Viva voce Examination	31.07.2015 and 2018-19
– Chennai Centre	
MTWU Nominee – Registrar's Meeting on 'New Education	
Policy', TANSCHE.	30.8.2016
SET – Assist the Question Paper Setting.	2016
Co-ordinator – SET – Certificate Scrutinizing Committee,	
Chennai.	2016
Treasurer – All Indian Society for Education and Allied	September 2014 Onwards.
Sciences.	
Scrutinize Committee Member – B.Ed. Distance Education	
	2016 - 17
Inspection Committee Member – B.Ed Study Center.	December 2016
External Examiner – M.Phil Part-Time Viva voce Examination	2017 to 2019
Contact Class Resource Person –M.Phil. Part-Time.	December 2018
Nodal Officer – Disabled Persons Welfare Centre	June 2019 onwards

<u>Areas of Research:</u> Curriculum, Technology in Education, Psychology, School Management, Family Environment, etc.

Research Supervision / Guidance (in Numbers):

Programme of Study		Completed	Ongoing
Research	PhD	1	5
	M.Phil	25	1
Project	PG	34	3
	P.G.Diploma.	14	-

Publications (in Numbers):

International		National		Others	
Journals	Conferences	Journals Conferences		Books / Chapters / Monographs	
9	22	6	52	11\9\24	

Funded Research Projects:

I. Completed Projects: 3 (Co-ordinator)

S.No.	Agency	Period		Project Title	Amount
		From	To		(Rs.)
1.	MHRD-SSA & MDM	2011	2013	Monitoring Institution –	Rs.25 Lakhs
	New Delhi			TamilNadu – II (17Districts)	
2.	MHRD – RMSA New	2013	2015	Monitoring Institution –	
	Delhi			TamilNadu – II (17Districts)	Rs.28 Lakhs
3.	MHRD-SSA & MDM	2013	2015	Monitoring Institution –	
	New Delhi			TamilNadu – II (17Districts)	Rs.25 Lakhs

Distinctive Achievements / Awards: Total–14 (International– 3, National– 5, District– 6)

- 1. Annual Award 'Best Student in Class XI' Tarapore and Loganathan Girls Higher Secondary School, Chennai 1992.
- 2. 'Best Out Going Student in Class XII' Tarapore and Loganathan Girls Higher Secondary School, Chennai 1993.
- 3. 'Highest Total in Class XII' Tarapore and Loganathan Girls Higher Secondary School, Chennai 1993.
- 4. 'General Proficiency Award' Tarapore and Loganathan Girls Higher Secondary School, Chennai 1993.
- 5. 'Department Gold Medalist in B.Ed' N.K.T.National College of Education for Women, Triplicane. Chennai 2000.
- 6. District Level Excellent Co-ordinator Award for 'Consumer Protection and Awareness Club' from Consumer Supply & Protection Office, Dindigul District. 2012.
- 7. National Level Best Learner Award in the Team from NIRD, Hyderabad. 2013.
- 8. National Level Excellence Award for 'Best Teacher in the Country', Global Management Council, Ahmedabad 2016.
- 9. International Level Women's Award for 'Outstanding Women in Education' from Venus International Foundation, Chennai 2017

- 10. National Level Award for 'Teacher and Research Excellence 2018' from GRABS Trust, Chennai 2018.
- 11. International Level Award for 'Excellent Teacher in Kodaikanal' from SDF, New Delhi. 2018.
- 12. National Level Award for 'Gyan Bharati Rashtriya Puraskar 2018' from Global Management, Gujarat 2018
- 13. National Level Award for 'Best Educationist' from GRABS Trust, Chennai. February 2019.
- 14. International Award for 'Best Indian Golden Personality 2019' from Friendship Forum, New Delhi.

Events organized in leading roles:

Number of Seminars / Conferences / Workshops / Events organized:	Total - 19
National level seminar : Organized	2
Refresher Course : Attended	2
Workshop: Organized	9

Overseas Exposure / Visits:

Year	Country	Purpose
2018	University of Kelaniya, Srilanka	Visited DDE and also given Special Lecture on 16 th May 2018.
2018	University of Kelaniya, Colombo, Srilanka & GARI Institution, Srilanka.	Presented a Paper on International Conference on 18 th May 2018.
2019	GARI Institution, Colombo, Srilanka.	Nodal Officer Mother Teresa Women's University, Kodaikanal – MoU signed at Kodaikanal on 25 th January 2019.
2019	University of Kelaniya, Colombo, Srilanka & GARI Institution, Srilanka.	Session Chair Person – 5 th International Conference at Colombo, Srilanka on 17 th May 2019.
2019	University of Kelaniya, Colombo, Srilanka & GARI Institution, Srilanka.	Session Co-chair Person – 5 th International Conference at Colombo, Srilanka on 17 th May 2019.

Membership in:

1. **Professional Bodies:**

- (a) 'All India Association of Educational Research', Pondichery 2009 Onwards.
- (b) 'Indian Society for Education and Allied Sciences', Kodaikanal. 2014 Onwards.
- (c) 'Society of Innovative Researchers and Academicians (SIRA), Kerala. 2018 Onwards.

2. Editorial Board:

- (a) National Journal of 'Glacier Journal of Scientific Research', Ahmedabad, Gujarat 2016 Onwards.
- (b) Associate Editor on 'Critical Pedagogy and Constructivism in the Digital Context CPCDC 18' National Conference Monograph with ISBN 2018.
- (c) International Journal of 'Multidisciplinary Journal in Global Academic Research', Srilanka 2019 Onwards.

3. Advisory Board:

(a) Global Academic Research Institute Affiliate, Colombo, Srilanka - 7th August 2018 onwards.

4. Academic Bodies (such as Board of Studies, etc.):

I. Board of Studies – M.Phil. Education, M.Phil. Guidance & Councelling, - Mother Teresa Women's University, Kodaikanal.

Resource Persons in various capacities:

Number of Invited / Special Lectures delivered: Total – 17

	International Le	evel	- 2
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\triangleright	State Level		- 5
	District I	Level	- 5