

Profile of Prof.P.Thiyagarajan



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 - ii. **Date of Entry in to Government of India Service:** 01-04-1989
3. **Subject Specialization :** Economics & Distance Education
4. **Educational Qualifications:**

S.No.	Examination Passed	Name of the University	Year of Passing	Subject
(1)	UG	Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirappalli	1985	B.A.[Economics]
(2)	PG	Bharathidasan University, Tiruchirappalli	1987	M.A.[Economics]
(3)	M.Phil	University of Madras, Chennai	1988	M.Phil. [Economics]
(4)	PG	Indira Gandhi National Open University, New Delhi	1997	M.A.[Distance Education]
(5)	Ph.D	University of Madras, Chennai	2001	Ph.D [Economics]
Other Qualifications				
(6)	CPDEO	MIT-Campus, Anna University, Chennai	1988	Computer Programming and Data Entry Operations
(7)	DDE	Indira Gandhi National Open University, New Delhi	1993	Distance Education
(8)	CIC	Indira Gandhi National Open University, New Delhi	1999	Computer Applications

5. Employment History

- Appointed as **Statistician** by Directorate of Economic Research, Khadi and Village Industries Commission (KVIC), Irla Road, Vile Parle(West), Bombay-400056 vide Lr.No. EST/ECR/DSSC-I/88-89 dated 14/03/1989 and Joined in KVIC, State Office, Trivandrum -695001 on **01/04/1989. (Scale of Pay:Rs.1350-Rs.2200)**
- Appointed as **Investigator** by Staff Selection Commission (SSC), Government of India, Ministry of Planning, Department of Statistics, National Sample Survey Organization (NSSO), New Delhi vide Lr.No. A.11010/1/Admn/TNN/89 dated 06/09/1989 and Joined in NSSO, Shastri Bhavan , Madras-600006 on **18/09/1989. (Scale of Pay:Rs.1400-Rs.2300)**
- Appointed as **Statistical Investigator** by Union Public Service Commission(UPSC), Government of India, Army Headquarters, General Staff Branch, Additional Directorate General of Systems, R.K.Puram, New Delhi-110066 vide Lr.No.B/92510/ADG Sys(S&C)/Adm dated 11/12/1991 and Joined in Management Information System, General Staff Branch, Headquarters, Southern Command, Pune-411001 on **30/12/1991.(Scale of Pay:Rs.1640-Rs.2900)**
- Appointed as **Assistant Director** by Teacher's Affairs Division, Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU), Maidan Garhi, New Delhi-110068 vide F.No. IG/TA/1/134/92/4088 dated 03/09/1992 and Joined in Regional Services Division, IGNOU, New Delhi on **01/10/1992. (Scale of Pay:Rs.2200-Rs.4000)**
- Promoted as **Assistant Regional Director- Senior Scale** (RC-Madras) with effect from **27/07/1998** by Academic Coordination Division, Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU), Maidan Garhi, New Delhi-110068 vide F.No. 2-130/ Admn/ AC/ 89/4484 dated 02/02/2001 under Career Advancement of Teachers as per IGNOU Ordinance.**(Scale of Pay:Rs.10,000-Rs.15,000)**
- Promoted as **Deputy Director** (RC-Hyderabad) with effect from **01/10/2001** by Academic Coordination Division, Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU), Maidan Garhi, New Delhi-110068 vide F.No. IG/TA/2/247/95/1195 dated 02/07/2002 under Career Advancement of Teachers as per IGNOU Ordinance. **(Scale of Pay:Rs.12,000-Rs.18,300)**
- Appointed as **Reader** by Tamil Nadu Open University (TNOU), Chennai-600025 vide F.No.12-9(1)/PER/2004 dated 06/02/2004 and Joined in TNOU, School of Continuing Education on **15/03/2004. (Scale of Pay:Rs.12,000-Rs.18,300)**
- Re-Designated as **Associate Professor** with effect from **01/01/2006** by TNOU vide Lr.No. Esst/T.S/Dr.P.T-SOCE/2015 dated 13/10/2015.**(Scale of Pay:Rs.37,400-Rs.67,000 with AGP of Rs.9,000)**
- Promoted as **Professor** under CAS with effect from **01/01/2009** by TNOU vide Lr.No.TNOU/Esst/T.S/Dr.P.T-SOCE/PF/PROF-2017 dated 05/04/2017.**(Scale of Pay: Rs.37,400-Rs.67,000 with AGP of Rs.10,000)**

6. Award/Appreciation

Name	Institution	Purpose of Award	Year
Best Citizens of India Award -2009	International Publishing House(IPH), New Delhi	For Vocational Education Programmes	2009
Kalam Award-2016-2017	South Zone Board of Continuing Education, Trichy.	For Knowledge Connectivity	2017
Appreciation Certificate-2018	Tamil Nadu Open University, Chennai	For Contributions to the Growth of Tamil Nadu Open University	2018

7. Teaching/Academic Experience

Designation	Name of the Employer	Period of Employment	
		From	To
Lecturer/Assistant Regional Director/ Assistant Director	Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU), New Delhi	01-10-1992	26-07-1998
Lecturer/Assistant Regional Director (Senior Scale)	Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU), New Delhi	27-07-1998	30-09-2001
Reader/Deputy Director	Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU), New Delhi	01-10-2001	14-03-2004
Reader and Head	Tamil Nadu Open University(TNOU), Chennai	15-03-2004	31-12-2005
Associate Professor and Head	Tamil Nadu Open University(TNOU), Chennai	01-01-2006	31-12-2008
Professor and Director	Tamil Nadu Open University(TNOU), Chennai	01-01-2009	31-03-2023

8. MOOCs Course Completed

Academic Counselling for Open and Distance Learning(ODL) Learners	Commonwealth Educational Media Centre for Asia(CEMCA) and Odisha State Open University (OSOU), Odisha	November 02, 2020	December 02, 2020
Second Cycle- Academic Counselling for Open and Distance Learning(ODL) Learners	Commonwealth Educational Media Centre for Asia(CEMCA) and Odisha State Open University (OSOU), Odisha	April 19, 2021	May 30, 2021
Introduction to Statistical Analysis	Commonwealth Educational Media Centre for Asia(CEMCA) and Kalinga Institute for Social Sciences (KISS), Odisha	November 25, 2021	January 07, 2022

9. Online Course Completed

Understanding Open Educational Resources	Commonwealth of Learning(COL), Vancouver, Canada	December 12, 2020	December 13, 2020
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10. Administrative/Research Experience/Additional Charge

S.No.	Positions held	Name of the Institutions	Duration		Year of Experience
			From	To	
1	Registrar (FAC)	Administration, TNOU	27-09-2018	29-05-2020	1 Year and 10 Months
2	Professor & Director	School of Continuing Education	01-01-2009	31-03-2023	13 Years and 3 Months
3	Reader/Associate Professor and Head	School of Continuing Education	15-03-2004	31-12-2008	4 Years 8 Months 15 Days
4	Director (Nominated)	Planning and Development, TNOU	19-10-2017	06-11-2019	2 Years and 14 Days
5	Director(i/c) (Nominated)	Centre for Internal Quality Assurance (CIQA), TNOU	20-01-2020	21-04-2021	1 Year and 3 Months
			20-12-2021	31-03-2023	1 Year 4 Months
6	Mentor	School of Education and School of Special Education & Rehabilitation, TNOU	30-09-2016	19-10-2017	1 Year and 19 Days
7	Head In-Charge	Electronic Media Production and Research Centre, TNOU	19-01-2010	24-01-2012	2 Years and 5 Days
8	Head In-Charge	School of Health Sciences, TNOU	19-07-2007	18-07-2010	3 Years
9	Head In-Charge	School of Computer Sciences, TNOU	05-09-2005	22-11-2006	1 Year and 2 Months
10	Professor & Head (i/c)	School of Computer Sciences, TNOU	03-01-2017	20-01-2020	2 Years and 10 Months
11	Head In-Charge	Student Support Services Division, TNOU	21-03-2006	13-09-2006	5 Months and 22 Days
12	Head In-Charge	Material Production and Distribution Division, TNOU	30-09-2004	11-05-2006	1 Year, 7 Months and 11 Days
13	Statistical Investigator	Ministry of Defence (UPSC-Selection), Southern Command-HQ, Pune	30-12-1991	29-09-1992	9 Months
14	Investigator	National Sample Survey Organization, Government of India, (Chennai, Shastri Bhavan)	18-09-1989	27-12-1991	2 Years and 5 Days
15	Statistician	Kadhi and Village Industries Commission, Government of India, (State Office-Trivandram, Kerala)	01-04-1989	15-09-1989	5 Months and 15 Days

i. Member in Academic/Professional Bodies/Committees (Board of Studies, Academic Council, Planning Board, Finance Committee, Syndicate)

1	Chairman, Board of Studies(BOS) of School of Continuing Education, TNOU	2004	2023
2	Chairman, Board of Studies(BOS) of School of Computer Science, TNOU	2017	2020
3	Chairman, Board of Studies(BOS) of School of Health Science, TNOU	2007	2010
4	Syndicate Member, TNOU(Reader Category)	2006	2009
5	Syndicate Member, TNOU(Director Category)	2016	2017
6	Academic Council Member, TNOU	2004	2023
7	Planning Board Member, TNOU	2004	2006
8	Planning Board Member, TNOU-Second Term	2017	2020
9	Finance Committee Special Invitee, TNOU	2018	2020
10	Board of Studies(BOS) of Life Skill Development Member at Rajiv Gandhi National Institute for Youth and Development.	2009	2011
11	CIQA-Member at Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University.	2020	2022
12	Centre for Internal Quality Assurance (CIQA)-Member at Tamil Nadu Open University	2021	2023

ii. Member at National Level

- [1].Member- Selection Committee for recruitment of Data Entry Operator in Southern Command HQ, Pune-1992
- [2].Member -Policy Holder Council, Life Insurance Corporation (LIC) of India, (01.04.2002-31.03.2004), Tamilnadu
- [3].Member-Selection Committee for Distance Learning Facilitator (DLF) Appointment in IGNOU Regional Centre, Chennai (2000-2003)
- [4].Member-Selection Committee for IGNOU Special Study Centres Selection at IGNOU, Regional Centre, Chennai (2000-2003)
- [5].Member- Selection Committee for recruitment of Data Entry Operator in IGNOU-Regional Centre, Chennai-Office Order dated March 23, 2005
- [6].Nodal Officer- National Centre for Innovation in Distance Education Office Order dated May 18, 2006
- [7].Member-Selection Committee for IGNOU Regional Centre Non-Academic Staff Appointment-Office Order dated February 02, 2008
- [8].Member (Expert)-Indira Gandhi National Open University, New Delhi Course Production Committee for Community College-2010
- [9].Member (Inspection Committee)- Establishment of Sub-Regional Centres, Study Centres, Programme Study Centres, Special Study Centres, Collaborators, Partner Institutions, Partners in Advanced Learning System, Tele Learning Centres and Work Centres in IGNOU(1992-2004)

iii. Member at State Level

- Assistant Coordinator, Commonwealth Youth Programme-Asia, Tamil Nadu and Pondicherry-2002
- Member- High Level Committee for Pre-School Education, Government of Tamilnadu-Office Order dated 07.10.2005
- Member-Syllabus Preparation Committee for Pre-School Education, Government of Tamilnadu-Office Order dated 29.11.2005
- Member- Selection Committee for selection of Project Fellow in Department of Adult and Continuing Education, University of Madras-Office Order dated 24.01.2005
- Member- Selection Committee for selection of Project Fellow in Department of Adult and Continuing Education, University of Madras-Office Order dated 27.02.2006
- Member-Selection Committee for recruitment of Assistant Professor and Associate Professor, Institute of Distance Education, University of Madras, Chennai on 01.11.2018
- Member- Scrutiny Committee for recruitment of Professor and Director, Institute of Distance Education, University of Madras, Chennai on 27.08.2018
- Member-Selection Committee for CAS to Professor, University of Madras, Chennai on 17.09.2018
- Member-Scrutiny Committee for recruitment of Registrar in Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University, Chennai on 20.03.2019
- Examiner- Tamil Nadu Public service Commission, Chennai (2016-2017)
- Observer-AIPMT/NEET-UG(2014-2018)
- Member(Inspection Committee)- Establishment of Regional Centres, Learning Resource Centres, Learning Centres, Learner Support Centres, Vocational Programme Centres, Programme Study Centres, Partner Institutions, Community Colleges and Constituent Community Colleges in TNOU(2004 -2018)

iv. Television Programmes / Radio Programmes

- Liaised and Coordinated with Vijay TV, Director Mr. Ravi Bernad for telecasting DECE – IGNOU Programme in Tamil (15/10/1997)
- Visited Doordharshan Kendra, Chennai and interacted with Members of Parliament Standing Committee on 20/10/1997 for popularizing IGNOU Programmes in Tamil Nadu, Pondicherry and Andaman Nicobar Islands.
- Visited and participated Doordharshan Kendra, Chennai for popularizing IGNOU Programme along with Regional Director, IGNOU -1998
- Liaised with Press /Media to popularize the TWVQ, DECE and Panjayat Raj Programmes of IGNOU in Tamil Medium-1998
- Liaised with Press Reporters for popularizing IGNOU New Programmes in Chennai Region-1999 to 2003
- Liaised and Coordinated with Cine Music Director, Mr.Ramani Bharadwaj for popularizing TNOU Applied Music Programme through Media (2007)

- Coordinated with Mrs. Mythili and presented about TNOU Beautician Diploma Programme through Media(Raj TV)-2007
- Presented about for Haircut Workers Qualifications Programme in Asia Net TV (2010).
- Presented about TNOU Refrigeration and Air-Conditioning Technician Diploma Programme in Pudhiya Thalaimurai TV-2015
- Visited Doordharshan Kendra, Chennai for popularizing TNOU Programme with Vice-Chancellor, TNOU -2016

v. Teleconferencing/Interactive Radio Counselling (IRC)

1. Participated in 405 (From 1993-2003 in IGNOU) Teleconference Session in Saturdays and Sundays for Academic Counselling, Extended Contact Programme(ECP), Finance and Administration, Admission.
2. Teleconference Coordinator(From 1996-2002) for ORACLE Corporation, TATA InfoTech, Indira Mahila Yojana, National Open School at Learning End Chennai Regional Centre, IGNOU.
3. Participated as Resource Persons in Interactive Radio Counselling at All India Radio (AIR),Chennai (60-Sessions) for TNOU and IGNOU.

vi. Programme/Course Design and Editing in TNOU

Level	Designing of Programme	Designing of Course	Editing/ Translation of Course
Awareness Programme	11	11	11
Preparatory Programme	4	16	12
Certificate	18	36	20
Vocational Diploma	23	92	92
Bachelors Degree	5	50	8
Master Degree	3	15	11
Research Degree	1	2	1
Total	65	222	155

11. Research Supervision

Degree	Number Enrolled	Thesis/Dissertation Submitted	Degree Awarded	Evaluated and Viva Voce conducted
M.Phil (Regular Mode)	8	7	7	1
M.Phil (Distance Mode)	8	4	4	158
Ph.D.	6	5	5	7

12. Project /Scheme undertaken

S.No	Name of the Project/Scheme	Amount	Funding Agency
1.	Preparation of Courseware for Women Empowerment Project 2006	Rs.5,00,000/-	Directorate of Technical Education(DOTE), Chennai
2.	Training of Tsunami affected students of 12-Coastal Districts in Tamil Nadu , 2008-2010,	Rs.35,00,000/-	Asian Development Bank(ADB),Chennai
3.	Training of NGO Functionaries of Tamil Nadu and Pondicherry States through TNOU in Tamil Medium in association with UNAIDS -2009	Rs.3,00,000/-	UNAIDS, New Delhi
4.	Haircut Workers Vocational Qualification Project for Certification of Haircut Workers in Tamil Nadu - 2009-2010	Rs.15,00,000/-	Distance Education Council, New Delhi
5.	Empowerment of Women (Widows and Girls without Parents) though Vocational Training -2010	Rs.20,00,000/	Distance Education Council, New Delhi
6.	Livelihood Programme though Community Colleges to the downtrodden in Tamil Nadu - 2012-2013	Rs.25,00,000/	Distance Education Council, New Delhi
7.	A Study on Community Colleges in the State of Tamil Nadu - An Evaluation with special reference to TNOU Community Colleges- 2014-2015	Rs.5,00,000/-	Tamil Nadu State Planning Commission, Chennai
8.	Vocational and Skill Development Training for the Unemployed youth in Agricultural Sector in Tamil Nadu -2015-2016	Rs.75,00,000/-	Distance Education Bureau, New Delhi
9	Tannery Workers Vocational Qualification (TWVQ) [Implemented in RC, Chennai] 1997 – 1999 (Associated with IGNOU Project)	Rs.25,00,000/	Central Leather Research Institute , IGNOU & Leather Technology Mission

13. Research Publications and Paper Presentations at College/ University/ State/National and International Level

- [1].Thrust towards Empowerment of Women: Impact of IGNOU Programmes on Women Learners in Tamilnadu, Paper presented to Asian Association of Open Universities (AAOU-XV) International Annual Conference, New Delhi (2001).
- [2].Implications of CD-ROM Technology in Educational Research”, Paper published in EDUTRACKS-A monthly Scanner of Trends in Education-Hyderabad, November-2004 (Joint Paper: Third Author).
- [3].Contributions of Indira Gandhi National Open University (IGNOU) on Women’s Education in a decade from 1986-87 to 1996-97, Paper published in a Quarterly Journal Research and Reflections on Education, St. Xavier College of Education, Palayamkottai, October-December-2005:(Joint Paper: First Author).
- [4].Awareness on Information and Communication Technology (ICT) among Student Teachers of B.Ed in Tamil Nadu Open University, Paper presented at ICDE-International Conference, New Delhi, November, 19-23, 2005: (Joint Paper: Second Author).
- [5].Expectations and Fulfillment among Rural Women Learners, Paper published in Journal of Extension and Research), The Gandhigram Rural Institute, Gandhigram, Volume VIII Nos. 1 & 2, January 2006, ISSN. No.092-351X (Joint Paper: First Author).
- [6].Web Technology in Open and Distance Learning System, Paper published in EDUTRACKS-A monthly Scanner of Trends in Education -Hyderabad -Febrary-2006(Joint Paper: Third Author).
- [7].Achieving Development Goals: Impact of Vocational Education Programmes of Tamil Nadu Open University (TNOU), Paper presented in Pan Commonwealth Forum-4 Conference, Jamaica, November, 2006(Joint Paper: Second Author).
- [8].Community College Towards Empowerment of Women through Open and Distance Education, Paper published in The Communications-Journal of Directorate of Distance Education, University of Kashmir, Volume.17.No.1,2007.
- [9].Gats and Cross Border Education–Some Issues, Paper submitted to Staff and Educational Development International(SEDl),IGNOU ,New Delhi-2008 (Joint Paper: Second Author).
- [10]. Empowering Women through Open and Distance Education, Paper published in the Monthly Publication on ICT and Education Digital Learning India, vol-5, Issue-6, June-2009,(ISSN-0973-4139).
- [11].Women Empowerment through Vocational Education: Evolving Strategies Towards Employment or Entrepreneurship paper presented at Third South Zone Conference on Vocational Education and Training : Challenges and Opportunities, organized by South India Regional Committee, All India Council for Mass Education and Development and University of Madras on 17&18/09/2010 (Joint Paper: Second Author).
- [12].Vertical Mobility of Community Colleges, Chapter Published in Bettering the Best, Proceedings of National Workshop on Quality Management of Community Colleges by Indian Centre for Research and Development of Community Education (ICRDCE), Chennai on 26&27/01/2011.
- [13].Right to Education VS Equity and Justice in Education as Contained in Bharat Ratna Dr. MGR Films Songs, Paper published in Three day International Conference on Empowering India through ODL: Breaking down barriers, building partnership and delivering opportunities. IDEA- TNOU Conference, 23-25/04/2015, (Joint Paper: Second Author).

- [14].Status of Women Education in India, Paper published in Three day International Conference on Empowering India through ODL: Breaking down barriers, building partnership and delivering opportunities, IDEA-TNOU Conference, 23-25/04/2015, (Joint Paper: Second Author).
- [15].An Overview of performance of the Insurance Companies in Promoting Insurance in promoting Insurance Products in India, Paper published in Three day International Conference on Empowering India through ODL: Breaking down barriers, building partnership and delivering opportunities, IDEA-TNOU Conference, 23-25/04/2015, (Joint Paper: Second Author).
- [16].Skill Training and its Challenges in offering through ODL, Paper presented in ODL SDA 2016 , International Conference Open and Distance Learning for Sustainable Development in Agriculture, Tamil Nadu Agricultural University, Coimbatore, November 24-25, 2016,ISBN No:978-93-84234-84-3(Joint Paper: Fourth Author)
- [17].An importance of Agricultural Credit in Indian Economy, Paper published in International Journal of Business Intelligence and Innovations, Vol.2, Special Issue, August,2017, ISSN-2348-4705 (Joint Paper: Second Author).
- [18].Chapters Published on titled Employability Skills in Higher education Sector in India Handbook of Research on Science Education and University Outreach as a Tool for Regional Development, Published by IGI Global, USA. July 2017(Joint Book: Fifth Author).
- [19].A Study on Bharat Ratna Dr.M.G.Ramachandran's Philosophical Film songs with special reference to the Educational ideas it contain- An Academic Comparative Analysis with the Theories of Education (both India and abroad) a retrospective reflection, Paper Published in the Journal of Humanities and Cultural Studies, Vol.2, No.5, September,2017(Joint Paper: Second Author)
- [20].A Study on Bharat Ratna Dr.Maruthur Gopalamenon Ramachandran's Film Songs that Denounce the Practice of Corruption - A Novel Comparative Analysis with the Theories of Corruptive Behaviour, Published in the Journal of Humanities and Cultural Studies R&D,USA, Vol.2, No.6, November,2017.(Joint Paper: Second Author)
- [21].A Study on Ethical Values as Contained In Bharat Ratna Dr. M. G. Ramachandran's Selected Film Songs – An Academic Comparative Analysis with Contemporary Theories of Ethics, Published in the International Journal of Research In Commerce, Economics & Management (India), 2017, Vol-7), Issue-07, July-2017, ISSN 2231-4245(Joint Paper: Second Author).
- [22]. A Study on the Contemporary Theories of Social Evil of corruptive Behaviour and a Comparative Analysis of Ideas of corruption as contained in the film songs of Bharat Ratna Dr.M.G.Ramachandran, Paper Presented In the 100th Annual Conference of the Indian Economic Association, 27-30/12/2017. (Joint Paper: Second Author).
- [23].A Study on Social Infrastructure Development in India, Paper Published in the 39th Annual Conference of Economists of Tamil Nadu, 21 &22/12//2018 organized by Department of Economics, Madras Christian College, Chennai , (Joint Paper: Second Author).
- [24]. Financial Institutions induces Customers to Compulsorily take Insurance Policies when they approach to arrival loan facility that result in increases the percentage of Policy holders- A Study on Middle Income Group and Chennai City, Paper published in the International Journal of Contemporary Commerce, Vol-7, Issue-1, September-2018, ISSN:2319-958X (Joint Paper: Second Author).

- [25].A Study on Bharat Ratna Dr.M.G. Ramachandran's Philosophical Film Songs with Special Reference to the Socialistic and Communistic Ideas it contains - An Academic Comparative Analysis with the Theory of Socialism as Propounded by Karl Marx, Published in World Journal of Social Science, USA,Vol. 5, No. 1, 2018, E-ISSN-2329-9347, P-ISSN-2329-9355-Online(Joint Paper: Second Author)
- [26].Financial Institutions induces Customers to Compulsorily take Insurance Policies when they approach to arrival loan facility, Paper published at ICSSR sponsored National Seminar on Paradigm shift in Commerce and Management, organized by Central University of Tamil Nadu, Thiruvarur on 29&30/10/2018(Joint Paper: Second Author).
- [27].A Retrospective Reflection on the Life History and the Philanthropic Attitude of Bharat Ratna Dr. Maruthur Gobala Menon Ramachandran-A Bird's Eye View, Published in Global Journal of Human Social Science(E), Volume-xviii, Issue-v, Version-1, 2018 (Joint Paper: Second Author).
- [28].A Study on the Bharat Ratna Dr. Maruthur Gopala Menon Ramachandran Film Songs that Contain the Ideas of Equity and Social Justice – A Comparative Analysis with the Contemporary Theories more Specifically with the Theory of Socialism as Propounded by Karl Marx , Published in Global Journal of Human Social Science, Vol-XVIII, Issue-IV, Version I Year 2018. (Joint Paper: Second Author)
- [29].An Empirical Study on the Middle Income Group(Strivers) of Chennai City as to how they mitigate their Risks by Joining Insurance Schemes from Private Insurance Companies, Paper published in Shanlax International Journal of Commerce, vol-7, Special Issue-1, September-2019 , Impact Factor.4.118, P-ISSN-2320-4168, E-ISSN-2582-0729(Joint Paper: Second Author).
- [30].A Study on the role and importance of Social Responsibility in Business Ethics, Proceedings of the State Level Conference on Practices of Corporate Governance in Indian Banking Sector, Organized by SIVET College, Chennai on 16/03/2019(Joint Paper: Second Author).
- [31].Puratchi Thalavi Amma's Medical Insurance Scheme- A boon for the Despondent Unorganised Sector-A Preliminary Case Study on the penetration of Private Insurance Companies of the Unorganized sector of Chennai city, Paper Published in Global Journal of Human Social Science, Economics, Online ISSN-2249-46, P-ISSN-0975-587,Vol-19, version.1.0,2019 (Joint Paper: Second Author).
- [32].Free Bi-Cycle Scheme promoting School Education in Governments Schools of Tamil Nadu, Paper presented in 5th International Conference-Economic Growth and Sustainable Development: Emerging Trends, November,15&16, 2019, (Joint Paper: Second Author).
- [33].A Study on Start-up Issues and Challenges of Rural Development in India through Entrepreneurship, International Conference on Innovations and Issues in Commerce and Management (ICIICM-2020), 25-02-2020, The Quaide Milleth College for Men, Chennai(Joint Paper: Second Author).
- [34].A Preliminary Study on the Penetration of Private Insurance Companies in Chennai City Towards Middle Income Group (With Special Reference to Strivers as per NACER'S Nomenclature)", International Journal of Advanced Research, ISSN No 2320-5407, Published on 24-09-2020, (Joint Paper: Second Author).
- [35]. A Study on the Impact of COVID-19 on SMEs of Rural Development in India, Paper published on 12-02-2021 in National E-Conference on Challenges and Changes for Indian Business in Post COVID-19 Era, Bharat Institute of Higher Education & Research, Chennai-126.

[36]. A Study on the Impact of Poverty Alleviation Programmes through Panchayats in India with special reference to Ramnad District, Tamil Nadu paper presented in the 4th International E-Conference on Incipient Research in Information Technology, Commerce, Management and Linguistic-2021 held on 17&18 September, 2021.

[37]. A Study on the Impact of Poverty Alleviation Programmes through Panchayats in India with special reference to Ramnad District, Tamil Nadu published in Kanpur Philosophers-International Journal of Humanities, Law and Social Sciences, ISSN 2348-8301, Vol. VIII, Issue 10:2021, UGC Care Approved, Group I, Peer Reviewed and Referred Journal by New Archaeological & Genealogical Society, Kanpur, India.

[38]. A Study on the Revenue Generation Trend of Thiruvallur and Thiruttani Taluks(viz. Thiruppassur, Siruvanoor, Thiruvallur and Agoor and Pattipiramapuram villages of Thiruttani) of Tamil Nadu, GJHSS, Volume 21, , Issue-6, Page 49-63. Global Journal Human Social Science, International Double Blind Peer reviewed Journal, Online ISSN-2249-460X, Print ISSN-0975-587X, Journal Publisher: Global Journals, USA. 25th November AD 2021.

[39]. A Study on Incidence of Poverty, Rural Development and Panchayat Raj in India with special reference to Ramnad. Paper presented in the two International Conference on “ Innovative Business Technologies & Digital Economy –Opportunities and Challenges, organized by Department of Corporate Secretaryship & Accounting and Finance, College of Science and Humanities, SRM Institute of Science and Technology, Kattan kulathur-603 203, 29th&20th March 2022.

14. Books/Course Materials/ Manuals/Guides Written/Reviewed/ Edited/ Vetted/ Translated/ Published

S.No.	Name of the Books/Course Materials	Institution	ISSN/ ISBN No.
1	Community College-An Introduction	Course Material (IGNOU)	-
2	Types And Dimensions Of Community College	Course Material (IGNOU)	-
3	Community College: A Global Perspective	Course Material (IGNOU)	-
4	Case Studies of A Community College in USA-Reviewer	Course Material (IGNOU)	-
5	Case Studies of A Community College in China-Reviewed	Course Material (IGNOU)	-
6	Community Colleges in USA-Reviewed	Course Material (IGNOU)	-
7	Community Colleges in Other Developed Countries-Reviewed	Course Material (IGNOU)	-
8	Community Colleges in India-Reviewed	Course Material (IGNOU)	-
9	General Economic Theory	Course Material [TNOU]	-
10	Trends in Development Economics	Course Material [TNOU]	-
11	Research Methods and Statistics -Reviewed	Course Material [TNOU]	-

12	B.Ed Teaching of Economics -Reviewed	Course Material [TNOU]	-
13	Status of Women	Course Material (IGNOU)	81-266-0489-0
14	Feminism	Course Material (IGNOU)	81-266-0490-2
15	Patriarchy	Course Material (IGNOU)	81-266-0491-3
16	Gender	Course Material (IGNOU)	81-266-0492-1
17	Environment for the Development of Women Status	Course Material (IGNOU)	81-266-0493-x
18	Formation of a Self Help Groups	Course Material (IGNOU)	81-266-0494-8
19	Norms for formation of Self Help Groups	Course Material (IGNOU)	81-266-0369-0
20	Functions of Self Help Groups	Course Material (IGNOU)	81-266-0370-4
21	Self Help Groups as agent for change	Course Material (IGNOU)	81-266-0371-2
22	Understanding of Small Industries and Micro Credit	Course Material (IGNOU)	81-266-0372-0
23	Arrangement for Small Industries	Course Material (IGNOU)	81-266-0373-9
24	Management of Self Help Groups	Course Material (IGNOU)	81-266-0495-6
25	Sustainability of Self Help Groups	Course Material (IGNOU)	81-266-0496-4
26	Understanding our Laws in Tamil and CFN Programme Guide	Course Material (IGNOU)	-
27	Self Help Groups –Practical Manual	Course Material (IGNOU)	-
28	Introduction to Child Care and Development	Course Material (IGNOU)	81-7605-258-2
29	The Child: Development in the First Twelve Months	Course Material (IGNOU)	81-7605-259-0
30	The Child: Development During Toddlerhood	Course Material (IGNOU)	81-7605-260-4
31	The Child: Development During Preschool Years	Course Material (IGNOU)	81-7605-296-5
32	Play Activities for Preschoolers-I	Course Material (IGNOU)	81-7605-262-0
33	Play Activities for Preschoolers-2	Course Material (IGNOU)	81-7605-263-9

34	Organizing a Child Care Centre	Course Material (IGNOU)	81-7605-264-7
35	Organizing a Child Care Services - Practical Manual	Course Material (IGNOU)	-
36	Introduction to Nutrition and Health	Course Material (IGNOU)	81-7605-285-x
37	Basic Concepts in Nutrition	Course Material (IGNOU)	81-7263-286-x
38	Nutrition and Health Care During Pregnancy and Lactation	Course Material (IGNOU)	81-7605-287-6
39	Nutrition and Health Care During Infancy and Early Childhood	Course Material (IGNOU)	81-7605-288-4
40	Nutrition Related Disorders in Early Childhood	Course Material (IGNOU)	81-7605-289-2
41	Nutrition and Health Programmes	Course Material (IGNOU)	81-7605-290-6
42	Common Childhood Illnesses, Their Prevention & Management-I	Course Material (IGNOU)	81-7605-291-4
43	Common Childhood Illnesses , Their Prevention & Management-2	Course Material (IGNOU)	81-7605-292-2
44	Nutrition and Health Care- Practical Manual	Course Material (IGNOU)	-
45	Services for Children	Course Material (IGNOU)	81-7605-293-0
46	Children with Special Needs-I	Course Material (IGNOU)	81-7605-294-0
47	Children with Special Needs-2	Course Material (IGNOU)	81-7605-295-7
48	Communicating with Parents and the Community	Course Material (IGNOU)	81-7605-296-5
49	Managing Children's Programmes: Some Perspectives	Course Material (IGNOU)	81-7605-297-3
50	Child Care Services and Programmes- Practical Manual	Course Material (IGNOU)	-
51	Project work-Working with School Children	Course Material (IGNOU)	-
52	Curriculum and Learning	Course Material TNOU	-
53	Learning and Psychological Development	Course Material TNOU	-
54	Education and Evaluation	Course Material TNOU	-
55	Education and Society	Course Material TNOU	-

56	Teacher and School	Course Material TNOU	-
57	Teaching of Science	Course Material TNOU	-
58	Teaching of Mathematics	Course Material TNOU	-
59	Teaching of Social Science	Course Material TNOU	-
60	Teaching of Tamil	Course Material TNOU	-
61	Teaching of Educational Technology	Course Material TNOU	-
62	Teaching of Computer	Course Material TNOU	-
63	Guidance and Counselling	Course Material TNOU	-
64	Distance Education	Course Material TNOU	-
65	Preparatory Course in Social Science	Course Material TNOU	-
66	Preparatory Course in Mathematics	Course Material TNOU	-
67	Preparatory Course in Commerce	Course Material TNOU	-

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15. Invited Meeting/ Seminars/Workshops/ Orientation Programmes

SNo	Title of Academic Session	Title of Conference / Seminar/Workshop	Organised by	Level
1	Measures to improve Low Enrolment in ODL [2 nd -10 th July 1997]	All India Coordinators Conference -Low /High Enrolment in IGNOU	IGNOU, Bhubeneshwar	National
2	IGNOU Academic Counsellors Orientation [15 th -16 th February 1999]	Orientation Programme to the Academic Counsellors of DNHE, CFN, DECE, CNCC Programme	IGNOU, Chennai	National
3	VCI for IT Programmes [20 th -22 nd April 2000]	National Workshop on HND in Bachelor of Information Technology	Edexcel, London, Bangalore	National
4	Vocational Education through ODL [13 th -15 th July 2004]	National Workshop on Quality in Flexible Higher Education: Approaches and Strategies	COL, NAAC and YCMOU, Nashik	National

5	Distance Education – Different Facets [28 th September 2004]	Orientation Programme for Academic Counsellors of Dakshina Bharat Hindi Prachar Sabha , Madras	Post Graduate and Research Sansthan, Chennai	National
6	TNOU Vocational Programmes [8 th -9 th February 2005]	National Seminar and Workshop on the Indian Community College System	University of Madras and American Consulate	National
7	TNOU Vocational Programmes and Community Colleges [20 th August 2005]	Integration of the Tamil Nadu Open University with features of the Community Colleges	MCRDCE and TNOU	National
8	Vocational Programme for Community Colleges [14 th -15 th October 2005]	Workshop for Community Colleges on TNOU Programmes	MCRDCE and TNOU	National
9	Evaluation DHA and DECE Programmes [11 th -12 th April 2006]	Evaluation of Delivery of Tamil Nadu Open University Vocational Programmes	MCRDCE and TNOU	National
10	Pre Primary Teacher Education in Tamil Nadu [26 th August 2007]	Meeting to formulate Norms and Standards for introduction of Pre-Primary Education Course in Tamil Nadu	DTERT, Chennai	State
11	TNOU VEP Model [18 th September 2008]	Community College Meeting	University Grants Commission	National
12	Vertical Mobility to Community Colleges [26 th January 2010]	National Workshop on Quality Management of Community Colleges	TNOU& ICRDCE, Chennai	National
13	TNOU Community College System [18 th June 2009]	National Workshop on Community College	RGNIYD, GOI	National
14	Hospitality Programmes for Community Colleges [6 th -7 th February 2013]	International Workshop on MHRD Community College Scheme	GOI, MHRD	International
15	MHRD Scheme of Community College Presentation [29 th April 2013]	Orientation Programme for the Principals Colleges/ Polytechnic Colleges on MHRD Scheme of Community Colleges	TNOU-SOCE	National

16	Technical Session [19 th -20 th April 2013]	National Seminar on Inclusive Development in Higher Education: Access, Relevance and Excellence	TNOU-SOSER	National
17	Employment and Skill Development [7 th November 2014]	Workshop on Issues relating to Labour Reforms and Skill Development in Tamil Nadu	Tamil Nadu State Planning Commission	State
18	Introduction of Yoga for Human Excellence Programme in TNOU [06 th November, 2014]	Meeting with WCSC for Yoga for Human Excellence Programme	World Community Service Centre, Aliyar	State
19	Interactive Session [21 st March 2014]	RUSA Seminar-TANSHE	Anna University, Chennai	State
20	Central Funding to Higher Education [11 th August 2015]	State Level Seminar with RUSA Team	TANSHE, Chennai	State
21	RUSA-Potential and Prospects in Higher Education [6 th April 2015]	Workshop to University Academics	Tamil Nadu State Planning Commission	State
22	New Skill Development Initiatives/Schemes in Tamil Nadu 11 th August 2015]	Workshop on Skill Development	Tamil Nadu State Planning Commission	State
23	Curriculum Development for Skill Development Course for the Indian Community College [01 st to 03 rd March 2016]	Orientation to Community College Teachers	Moncamary University, Mary Land USA and ICRDCE, Chennai	Internation al
24	Credits System in Open and Distance Learning [14 th December-2017]	Orientation to Faculty Members of DDE	Tamil University, Thanjavur	State
25	Syllabus updating for the ODL Courses of Tamil Nadu Psychical Education and Sports University [4 th April 2017]	Orientation to Faculty Members of DDE	Tamil Nadu Psychical Education and Sports University	State
26	Effectiveness of ODL System of Education [March 2017]	Orientation to Faculty about Medical Law Programme through ODL	Dr.MGR Medical University, Chennai	State

27	Curriculum Development for Community College Vocational Programme [10 th November 2017]	Training of Curriculum Developers	Loyola College, Chennai	State
28	UGC-DEB recognition to ODL Programme [30 th December 2019]	Consultation Meeting	Periyar University, Salem	State
29	Orientation Programme [29 th December 2020]	Orientation Programme for the Coordinators of TNOU Community Colleges	TNOU-SSSD&CCC	State

16. Conferences/ Seminars/ Symposia/ Workshop/ Training/ Orientation Programme Organized (Regional, National and International Level)

S.No.	Name of the Event	Place and Date	Role
1	Workshop on Development of Self Instructional Materials in Distance Education(Organized by DEC & TNOU)	PSG College of Technology, Coimbatore (April 21-24, 2004)	Coordinator
2	Five Days Methodology Workshop for Teacher Trainers in Early Childhood (Pre Primary Education) from districts of North Tamil Nadu(Organized by TNOU)	Asha Nivas, Nungampakkam, Chennai. (May 02-06, 2006)	Organizing Secretary
3	Five Days Methodology Workshop for Teacher Trainers in Early Childhood (Pre Primary Education) from districts of South Tamil Nadu(Organized by TNOU)	Asha Nivas, Nungampakkam, Chennai. (May 15-19, 2006)	Organizing Secretary
4	One day Seminar on the theme ODL and collaboration for the Vocational Programme Centres Coordinator (Organized by TNOU)	Asha Nivas, Nungampakkam, Chennai. (April 20, 2007)	Organizing Secretary
5	One day Regional Meet of Community Colleges(Organized by IGNOU&TNOU)	MSSRF, Chennai (May 25, 2009)	Organizing Secretary
6	Two days National workshop on Institutionalization of Community Colleges (Organized by IGNOU,TNOU&ICRDCE)	TNOU, Chennai (June 22-23, 2009)	Organizing Secretary
7	One day Orientation Programme for the Coordinators of Community colleges of TNOU(Organized by TNOU)	TNOU, Chennai (September 07, 2010)	Organizing Secretary
8	Two days National Workshop on Quality Management of Community Colleges(Organized by TNOU& ICRDCE)	Joe Beach, Mahabalipuram, Chennai. (January 26-27, 2011)	Organizing Secretary

9	Orientation Programme on the MHRD Scheme of Community Colleges for the Principals of Arts & Science / Polytechnic Colleges(Organized by TNOU)	TNOU, Chennai (April 29, 2013)	Organizing Secretary
10	Community College Coordinators Conference (Organized by TNOU)	TNOU, Chennai (June 06, 2013)	Organizing Secretary
11	International Seminar on Research Methodology for Economics – A Practical Approach to Advanced Level Research (Organized by TNOU)	TNOU, Chennai. (September 13, 2013)	Organizing Joint Secretary
12	Training Programme on the Implementation of NVEQF through the Community Colleges of TNOU (Organized by TNOU)	TNOU, Chennai (March 27, 2014)	Organizing Secretary
13	Orientation Programme for the Community College Coordinators of the Madurai Zone(Organized by TNOU)	Regional Centre, Madurai. (May 12, 2014)	Organizing Secretary
14	Three Days Workshop on Curriculum Development for Flexible Skill Training(Organized by CEMCA&TNOU)	TNOU, Chennai (May 26-28, 2014)	Organizing Secretary
15	TNOU Community College Coordinators Orientation Programme for the TNAU Agriculture Programmes(Organized by TNOU &TNAU)	Tamil Nadu Agricultural University, Coimbatore. (August 08, 2014)	Organizing Secretary
16	Seminar on Career Guidance & Counseling for the Fashion Design students of TNOU(Organized by TNOU)	TNOU, Chennai. (November 03, 2014)	Organizing Secretary
17	Two days NSDC Workshop on Curriculum Alignment of TNOU Vocational Education Programmes with Qualification Pack(QP) (Organized by TNOU)	TNOU, Chennai (November 13-14,2014)	Organizing Secretary
18	Three day International Conference on Empowering India through ODL: Breaking down barriers, building partnership and delivering opportunities. (Organized by TNOU& IDEA)	TNOU, Chennai. (April 23-25, 2015)	Conference Director
19	Open Universities Vice-Chancellor Conference on OER Policy and its Implementation (Organized by CEMCA&TNOU)	TNOU Hotel Trident, Chennai. (September 04,2015)	Organizing Secretary
20	Two Day Agri Summit-Exhibitions of TNOU & TNAU Skill Development Initiatives(Organised by TNOU)	PGP College, Namakkal (June 11-12 June, 2016)	Organizing Secretary

22	Orientation Programme for TNAU-KVK's Coordinators on implementation of Skill Training and Development of Unemployed youth in Tamil Nadu (Organized by TNOU)	TNOU, Chennai. (July 12, 2016)	Organizing Secretary
21	Observance of International Day of Yoga-2017(Organized by TNOU)	SOCE,TNOU, Chennai. (June 19, 2017)	Organizing Secretary
22	Regional Consultative Meeting to Develop Key Indicators for NAAC Criteria – VI: Governance, Leadership & Management for accessing ODL Institutions(Organized by TNOU)	SOCE,TNOU, Chennai. (June 19, 2018)	Organizing Secretary

Declaration

I hereby, declare that the aforesaid particulars are true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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