

# **Annamalai** **University**

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**Faculty of Arts  
Faculty of Science  
Faculty of Indian Languages  
Faculty of Fine Arts  
Faculty of Education**

**Postgraduate (CBCS) Programmes  
Admissions - 2023**

**Prospectus 2023 - 2024  
(Information & Instructions to Candidates)**

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Dr. Padma Subrahmanyam  
Classical Dancer



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Indian Police Service



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T.Nadu, Goa & Maharashtra



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Bhatnagar Awardee



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Justice V.R. Krishna Iyer  
Supreme Court Judge



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Former Vice-Chancellor  
Pondicherry University



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Padma Shri  
Mr. K. Balachandar  
Film Director

## **10 REASONS WHY YOU SHOULD JOIN ANNAMALAI UNIVERSITY**

**A State University Accredited with 'A+' Grade by NAAC.**

**Experienced and Well-qualified Faculty, Robust Infrastructure and wi-fi enabled campus.**

**49 well-equipped Departments of study on a single campus. 19 Departments are supported by UGC-SAP and 17 by DST-FIST. A Thirukkural Chair has been instituted for Classical Tamil.**

**Ranked 2<sup>nd</sup> in the State and 17<sup>th</sup> in the country by SCImago Institutional Rankings (SIR) 2014 for Research Output. In appreciation of R&D contribution, the DST has awarded the PURSE Program to the University.**

**Opportunity to simultaneously pursue Diploma Programmes through the University's renowned Distance Education Centre with fee discounts.**

**Multicultural ambience with over 200 overseas students and more than 4500 students from other states.**

**Vibrant Training and Placement Cell that prepares students to be job ready and organises campus placements.**

**Scholarships for students belonging to socioeconomically disadvantaged sections of society.**

**Strong Institutional Social Responsibility and Extension activities that create a positive impact on Students' Campus experience and holistic development.**

**Far from the Madding Crowd-serene rural setting with urban amenities.**

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## **Annamalai University**

In the early 1920s, to serve the downtrodden and to promote Tamil Literature, Rajah Sir S.R.M. Annamalai Chettiar founded Sri Minakshi College and Sri Minakshi Tamil College at Chidambaram. In 1928, Rajah Sir S. R. M. Annamalai Chettiar agreed with the local Government to handover the above said institution for establishing a University. Thus, on 01.01.1929 Annamalai University was established as per Annamalai University Act 1928 (Tamil Nadu Act 1 of 1929) amidst a rural environment serving all the disadvantaged districts of Tamil Nadu.

Subsequently, Annamalai University Act, 2013 (Tamil Nadu Act 20 of 2013), came into force from September 25, 2013, after obtaining the assent of His Excellency, the President of India. The Act of 2013 has been amended by enactment of Act No. 32 of 2021 to render the University as an affiliating University. Consequently the Colleges situated in the districts of Villupuram, Cuddalore, Kallakurichi and Mayiladuthurai have been affiliated to Annamalai University.

### **Accolades**

Annamalai University, accredited with 'A+' Grade (3.38 CGPA) by **NAAC** in 2022, is one of India's largest public residential universities with 10 Faculties and 55 departments of study. Sprawling over 950 Acres of land, the University does yeoman service in taking education to the door steps of the people who are otherwise far from access to centres of higher learning. The University has initiated several innovative teaching programmes over the years that are progressive & human resource centric; Offering 'current-cum-next-gen' academic and research programmes that are global & national in character. A systematic introduction of Learning Outcome Based Curricula (LOBE) that bear remarkable relevance to the UNO's Sustainable Development Goals (SDG) is the hall mark of Universities Curriculum design. Besides, Annamalai University has been a pioneer in distance education.

### **Research & Partnership**

Annamalai University has a commendable track record in projects and publications and has been awarded the PURSE Programme by the Department of Science and Technology. Ten departments are supported by UGC-SAP, Ten by DST-FIST and two departments have attained the status of Centre of Advanced Study. Annamalai University has joint research and innovation partnerships with 24 institutions across the USA, Europe, Australia, Japan, and the UK. The list of partners includes prestigious institutes like Karolinska Institute, John Hopkins University, and University of Michigan amongst others. Though located in a rural environment the university is bringing out high quality research and extension as reflected by higher citation related metrics and higher societal impact brought out by popular articles and news flashes.

There are several ongoing research projects in collaboration with international foundations and industrial players like Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, United States Agency for International Development (USAID), Department of Science and Technology (DST), Department of Biotechnology (DBT), The Ministry of Environment and Forests (MoEF), Defense Research & Development Organization (DRDO) etc.,

**Institutional Social Responsibility Activities** of the University includes, Hospital on Wheels, Free Medical and Dental Camps in Villages, Lifestyle & Hygiene Awareness, Rural & Urban Health Centres through the Faculty of Medicine and Dentistry which is attached with a 1400 bedded hospital. The Faculty of Agriculture carries out extension activities like Agripreneurship Development Programme, Sustainable Livelihood Projects for Tsunami affected people and Training Farmers in Integrated Farming.

## FACILITIES



The University has excellent infrastructure including Seminar Halls, Auditoria, Hi-tech class rooms and campus-wide network through 1750 nodes.

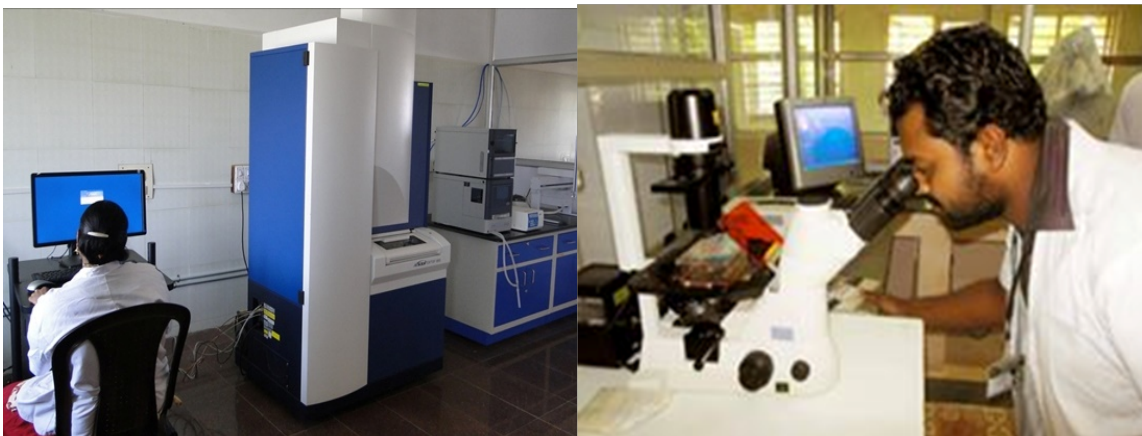




The Central Library serves as a rich information resource with 5,56,477 books, 200 print journals, and rare collections including palm leaf scripts and gramophone records. More than 7500 Journals can be accessed through UGC Infonet. The Central Library is open from 8 am to 8 pm throughout the year except on three national holidays. Students can also make use of the Faculty and Department level libraries.







The University has a Centralised Instrumentation and Service Laboratory (CISL) as well as Department level Instrumentation Facility with state-of-the-art equipment such as MALDI-TOF, Atomic Absorption Spectrophotometer, Atomic Force Microscope, Scanning Electron Microscope, Flow Activated Cell Sorter, NMR, Real-time PCR, etc.



The sports complex of the University, spread over several acres, houses facilities including tennis, basketball and volleyball courts, cricket, football and hockey fields, athletic track, and a wooden floored indoor stadium.





**Hostels are wi-fi enabled with facilities for outdoor and indoor games, gym, and reading rooms. The University has Faculty wise Canteens. A hostel exclusively for International Students has halls of residence with inbuilt kitchenette.**



## STUDENT SUPPORT SYSTEMS

The Information Desk in the Administrative Block provides guidance to students on all aspects of campus life. The Scholarship Section, Equal Opportunities Cell and Student Portal provide information on financial support schemes.



The Training & Placement Cell provides training in soft skills, coaching for competitive exams and arranges campus recruitment. More than 250 students were selected in campus recruitment drives in the current year.

The University with more than 5000 students from different parts of the country caters to diverse needs through the Students Welfare Cell in each Faculty and the Mentor-Mentee system.





The University has become a hub for overseas students with over 500 students from 27 different countries pursuing various programmes of study on campus. The International Students Cell caters to the needs of these students

**ANNAMALAI UNIVERSITY**

**STUDENTS GRIEVANCES REDRESSAL CELL**

Several complaints and grievances are raised by the students and many a times students miss the classes to represent their grievances. Therefore it has been decided to set up a Students Cell within the Special Cell attached to the Office of the Administrator.

Students may bring grievances / complaints related to academics, hostels etc. to the notice of the Administrator through SMS.

The number and identity of the students will be kept confidential. Please note that **SMS ALONE WILL BE CONSIDERED AND CALLS TO THESE NUMBERS WILL NOT BE ENTERTAINED.**

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**Thiru.Shiv Das Meena, I.A.S.,** Principal Secretary to Government / Administrator

The University has an SMS- Based Students' Grievance Cell and Women's Grievance Cell



The Yoga Center organizes special training programmes for students



24x7 Medical Facilities and Medical Insurance Scheme for students



**CO-CURRICULAR, EXTRACURRICULAR AND EXTENSION ACTIVITIES**

**Students have the opportunity to interact with eminent scholars, present papers and participate in Seminars, Conferences and exhibitions. There is also ample scope to exhibit their talent in literary, sports and cultural activities.**





**With over 3000 NSS volunteers, 500 NCC cadets, and 800 YRC volunteers, the University has one of the largest contingent of youth engaged in outreach activities. Several extension activities are carried out by these volunteers and the general student population including Tsunami Rehabilitation Programmes, skill development, lab-to-land programmes, civic awareness, entrepreneurship development, screening and awareness camps for diseases.**



## FACULTIES AND CONSTITUENT DEPARTMENTS

### FACULTY OF ARTS

Department of English

Department of History

Department of Political Science & Public Administration

Department of Economics

Department of Sociology

Department of Commerce

Department of Population Studies

Department of Business Administration

Department of Library & Information Science

Department of Philosophy

Centre for Rural Development

### FACULTY OF SCIENCE

Department of Mathematics

Department of Statistics

Department of Physics

Department of Chemistry

Department of Botany

Department of Zoology

Department of Earth Sciences

Department of Biochemistry and Biotechnology

Department of Microbiology

Department of Computer and Information Science

### FACULTY OF INDIAN LANGUAGES

Department of Tamil Studies & Research

Centre of Advanced Study in Linguistics

Department of Hindi

### FACULTY OF EDUCATION

Department of Psychology

### FACULTY OF FINE ARTS

Department of Music



**LIST OF PROGRAMMES AND ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA**

<b>FACULTY OF ARTS</b>	
<b>PROGRAMME</b>	<b>ELIGIBILITY</b>
<b>M.A. Economics</b> <b>M.A. History</b> <b>M.A. Philosophy</b> <b>M.A. Political Science</b> <b>M.A. Population Studies</b> <b>M.A. Sociology</b> <b>M.A. Rural Development</b> <b>M.S.W. Master of Social Work</b>	A Pass in Bachelor's Degree (10+2+3 pattern) in any subject including the Professional courses of this University or an examination of any other universities accepted by the Syndicate as equivalent thereto.
<b>M.A. English</b>	A pass in Bachelor's Degree in English under Part III. (or) A pass in B.A. or B.Sc. or B.O.L. degree with Part-II in English.
<b>M.B.A. General</b> <b>M.B.A. Financial Management</b> <b>M.B.A. Human Resource Management</b> <b>M.B.A. Marketing Management</b>	The candidate who has undergone 10+2+3 pattern of study and under graduation in any discipline with a minimum of 50% marks in Part- III. (For SC/ST– A pass is the minimum qualification). <b>Mode of Selection:</b> <b>Online application through TANCET.</b>
<b>M.Com. (General)</b> <b>M.Com. (Accounting &amp; Finance)</b> <b>M.Com.(Cooperation Management)</b>	A pass in B.Com. or B.B.A. or B.A. Corporate Secretaryship or B.B.M. or B.Co-operation or B.A.(Co-operation) or B.Com. / B.A. (Bank Mgt.) or B.Com. Computer Applications or B.Com. International Business degree examination or any other examination accepted by the Syndicate as equivalent thereto, with not less than 40% of marks in the main subjects. In the case of SC/ST and Differently-abled candidates, a pass is the minimum qualification for all the above programme.



<b>M.Lib.I.Sc. (Two Years)</b>	A Pass in the Degree examination of this university or Degree examination of any other university accepted by the Syndicate as equivalent thereto.
<b>FACULTY OF SCIENCE</b>	
<b>PROGRAMME</b>	<b>ELIGIBILITY</b>
<b>M.C.A. (Two Years)</b>	Bachelor's Degree in any discipline with Mathematics as compulsory subject at plus 2 level. (or) Bachelor's Degree in any discipline with Mathematics or Statistics as one of the subjects at the Degree level. Candidate should have passed the qualifying Degree examination with atleast 55% in Part-III. <b>Mode of Selection: Online Application through TANCET.</b>
<b>M.Sc. Computer Science</b>	A pass in B.Sc. Computer Science / B.Sc. Information Technology/B.Sc. Software Development/B.Sc. Software Engg. / B.C.A. or an examination accepted by the Syndicate as equivalent thereto.
<b>M.Sc. Data Science</b>	A pass in any Bachelor's Degree Programme of minimum three years duration with Mathematics or Statistics as any one of the core/ancillary course at Graduate level or an examination accepted by the Syndicate as equivalent thereto.
<b>M.Sc. Biochemistry</b>	A pass in B.Sc. Biochemistry / Biotechnology / Microbiology / Chemistry / Botany / Zoology with not less than 50% of marks in Part-III.
<b>M.Sc. Biotechnology</b>	A pass in B.Sc. Biotechnology / Biochemistry / Microbiology / Botany / Zoology with not less than 50% of marks in Part-III.

FACULTY OF SCIENCE	
PROGRAMME	ELIGIBILITY
<b>M.Sc. Botany</b>	A pass in B.Sc. (Botany) or B.Sc. (Plant Biology / Plant Biotechnology) with not less than 50% of marks under Part-III.
<b>M.Sc. Chemistry</b>	A pass in B.Sc. Chemistry, B.Sc. Applied Chemistry or B.Sc. Industrial Chemistry with not less than 50% of marks in Part-III.
<b>M.Sc. Geology</b>	A pass in B.Sc. examination with Geology as the main subject.
<b>M.Sc. Mathematics</b>	A pass in B.Sc. (Mathematics) with not less than 50% of marks in Part-III.
<b>M.Sc. Microbiology</b>	A pass in B.Sc. Microbiology / Biotechnology / Zoology and B.Sc. Botany / Chemistry / Biochemistry / Physics with any one ancillary subjects of Microbiology / Zoology / Botany.
<b>M.Sc. Physics</b>	A pass in B.Sc. Physics with Mathematics as ancillary subject with not less than 50% of marks under Part-III.
<b>M.Sc. Statistics</b>	A pass in B.Sc. Statistics Degree examination or a pass in the B.Sc. Mathematics/B.Sc. Computer Science Degree examination with atleast one course in Statistics.
<b>M.Sc. Zoology</b>	A pass in B.Sc. (Zoology) with Botany and Chemistry as ancillary subjects (or) B.Sc. (Hons.) with Zoology, Botany and Chemistry as subjects with not less than 50% of marks under Part-III.

FACULTY OF INDIAN LANGUAGES	
PROGRAMME	ELIGIBILITY
<b>M.A. Tamil</b>	A pass in B.Litt., or B.A. Tamil or any other degree from a recognized University with Part-I as Tamil
<b>M.A. Hindi</b>	A pass in any degree with Hindi under Part-I or Part-III or a University degree and Rashtra Bhasha Visharad of D.B. Hindi Prachara Sabha, Madras or its equivalent
<b>M.A. Linguistics</b>	A pass in any degree from a recognized University
<b>Certificate Programme in Hindi (Part-Time)</b>	A pass in any degree from a recognized University
<b>Diploma Programme in Hindi (Part-Time)</b>	A pass in any degree from a recognized University
FACULTY OF EDUCATION	
PROGRAMME	ELIGIBILITY
<b>M.Sc. Applied Psychology</b>	A pass in Bachelor's Degree in any subject including the Professional courses of this University or an examination of any other University accepted by the Syndicate as equivalent thereto.
<b>M.Sc. Yoga</b>	A candidate who has passed the Bachelor's Degree in any subject including the professional courses of the University or an examination of any other University accepted by the Syndicate as equivalent thereto. <b>Note:</b> The married women should not be in family way during the course of students, if it is violated, they will not be permitted to continue the course.

**NOTE:** In the case of SC/ST candidates, a pass is the minimum qualification for all the above Programmes.

#### **Minimum Age**

Applicants should have completed 20 years of age as on 01.07.2023 and 28 years of Upper age limit as on 01.07.2023. Five years age relaxation for SC/SCA/ST candidates.

**Note:** The University reserves the right to conduct the above programmes, subject to a minimum 20 number of students in each programme.

## METHOD OF SELECTION

Selection of candidates to the above programmes will be made on the basis of the performance of the candidates in the qualifying examination, besides an interview.

## RESERVATION OF SEATS

Reservation of seats for candidates belonging to ST/SCA/SC/MBC/DNC/BC/BC(Muslim)/OC communities will be made as per rules and regulations of the Government of Tamil Nadu.

Among the above reservations, 5% of seats have been included for differently abled persons as per norms laid down by the Government.

## FEES & SCHOLARSHIPS

### Tuition and Other Fees

The details of First Year Tuition and other Fees to be paid by the student are as follows:

S.No.	Programme	Fee (₹)
1.	M.A. (All Branches & Master of Social Work / M.Sc. Applied Psychology)	7,095/-
2.	M.A Rural Development	7,595/-
3.	M.Com., M.Com. Accounting and Finance, M.Com. Co-operation	10,195/-
4.	M.Lib.I.Sc.	10,995/-
5.	M.B.A. All Programmes (per annum)	58,260/-
6.	M.Sc. Mathematics / M.Sc. Statistics	9,595/-
7.	M.Sc. Chemistry / M.Sc. Biochemistry	18,195/-
8.	M.Sc. (Physics)	14,595/-
9.	M.Sc. (Botany/Zoology) / M.Sc. Yoga	13,495/-
10.	M.Sc. Computer Science	16,105/-
11.	M.Sc. (Biotechnology, Microbiology)	31,295/-
12.	M.Sc. (Geology)	13,995/-
13.	M.Sc. Data Science	31,905/-
14.	M.C.A. (Two Instalment – First Instalment: 18,595/- Second Instalment: 13,700/-)	32,295/-
15.	M.F.A. (Music / Dance)	4,495/-
16.	B.F.A.(Music / Dance) / Post Diploma in Isaichelvamani	3,795/-
17.	Title of Isaikkalaimani / Nattiyakalaimani	3,295/-
18.	T.T.C in Indian Music	3,805/-
19.	Diploma Programme in Hindi (Part-Time)	2,295/-

20.	Certificate Programme in Hindi (Part-Time)	2,295/-
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### ADMISSION TO HOSTEL

Annamalai University is a residential University and admission to the hostel is compulsory. The details of charges for accommodation in different hostels are as given below.

S.No.	Hostel Name	Caution Deposit (Rs)	Annual Hostel & Mess Charges (Rs)	Total (per Annum) (Rs)
1.	Malligai Illam (Boys)	5000/-	50000/-	55000/-
2.	Thamarai Illam (Girls)	5000/-	50000/-	55000/-
3.	SC/SCA/ST Students (Any Hostel)	5000/-	19000/- #	24000/-

# This fee will cover room rent, Electricity & Water charges, Establishment and miscellaneous charges only. The Mess fees of Rs.27,000/- will be adjusted from their Scholarship amount received from SC/ST Post Metric Scholarship and Higher Education Special Scholarship. If the Scholarship amount received is less than Rs.27,000/- the balance amount should be paid by the students.

### SCHOLARSHIPS SANCTIONED BY THE GOVERNMENT OF TAMIL NADU

- Application Fee Concession to SC/ST and Converted Christian Students:** Programme Application fees concession is granted to students belonging to SC/ST Community and Converted Christians by the Government of Tamil Nadu (G.O. No. 111. 22.09.1998).
- Tuition Fee Concession to SC/ST and Converted Christian Students:** Full Tuition fee concession is granted to students belonging to SC/ST community and converted Christians under the rule 92 of Tamil Nadu Education Rules by the Government of Tamil Nadu [92-TNER].
- Post-Matric Scholarship:** Covering special fees, examination fees, and maintenance charges will be awarded to students belonging to **SC/ST Community** provided Parents'/Guardian's income from all sources does **not exceed Rs. 50,000/- per annum, ST Rs.2,50,000/- per annum, and Converted Christian (converted from SC/ST) Rs.2,00,000/- per annum.**
- Higher Education Special Scholarship:** In addition to the Post Matric Scholarship, Higher Education Special Scholarship is awarded to hostel students belonging to SC/ST and Converted Christian community and the number of scholarships is limited by the Government. The parents/guardians annual income from all sources should **not exceed Rs.2,50,000/- per annum.**
- Fee Concession to Blind Students:** Under rule 92 (TNER), Full Tuition fees concession is granted to blind Students belonging to all communities whose parents/Guardians annual income does not exceed **Rs. 2,50,000/-.**

6. **Scholarships for Women students** undergoing P.G. Programme: This Scholarship will be awarded to students belonging to SC/ST Community studying in the Faculties of Arts/Science. There is no income ceiling.

**Note:** All Scholarship income certificate taken after April 2022 should be produced.

Few Scholarships are sanctioned to the Meritorious students from the Endowments instituted in the University as per the terms and conditions of the each Endowment.

**Note: To facilitate easy disbursement of scholarship amount, the students are requested to open a Bank Account in their names in Annamalainagar Branch only.**

### **CODE OF CONDUCT**

- 1) Students shall conduct themselves in an exemplary manner so as to be model for other students.
- 2) Students will have to strictly adhere to the rules and regulations of the University.
- 3) Students shall be present during all working days and sincerely apply themselves to studies.
- 4) Students shall attend classes regularly and punctually and should fulfill the minimum attendance requirement of 75% as prescribed by the University, to be eligible to appear for the University Examinations.
- 5) Use of tobacco, liquor and plastic is prohibited in the campus.
- 6) Use of mobile phones and other electronic gadgets is not permitted in the classrooms, examination halls, faculty premises, university organized functions / programmes / extracurricular and co-curricular activities.
- 7) Students are forbidden from using motorized vehicles, including powered two wheelers, inside the campus.
- 8) Dress Code: Students need to wear formal dress largely covering them like Sarees/ Churidhar with dupatta for ladies and Trousers, Pant & Shirt for men. Use of T-Shirts/ Jeans and other modern outfits should be avoided during working hours and formal functions.
- 9) Ragging: Students shall not indulge or participate in any kind of ragging. If they are found to indulge in ragging, their names will be removed from the institution roll and criminal action will be taken. Students involved in ragging and other anti-social activities will be expelled and criminal proceedings will be launched against them.

### **GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS**

#### **Application**

Procedure for registration of application is Online from the University website [www.annamalaiuniversity.ac.in/adm](http://www.annamalaiuniversity.ac.in/adm)

## PROCEDURE FOR REGISTRATION FOR APPLICATION

### General Instructions for Applicants

- i. Online Application Number is the Registration Number of the Annamalai University M.A/M.Sc./M.Com., etc., Admissions 2023.
- ii. **The Candidates seeking admission should Register and apply only through Online by logging on to [www.annamalaiuniversity.ac.in/adm](http://www.annamalaiuniversity.ac.in/adm)**
- iii. The guidelines for registration are available in the Annamalai University Website Portal.
- iv. The Online application Number should be quoted in all future correspondence.
- v. The filled in online application should be downloaded and sent with all the enclosure with Online Payment Details / Demand Draft, either by Speed / Registered post or in person to

**THE REGISTRAR**  
**ANNAMALAI UNIVERSITY**  
**ANNAMALAINAGAR**  
**CHIDAMBARAM**  
**CUDDALORE DISTRICT**  
**TAMIL NADU**  
**PIN- 608 002**

**and should reach on or before 15.06.2023 - 5.30 p.m.**

- vi. Demand draft for **All M.A/M.Sc./M.Com./M.Lib.I.Sc./All Music Programme** ` 200/- for SC/SCA/ST and ` 400/- for Others, which is drawn in favour of **The Registrar, Annamalai University, payable at Annamalainagar / Chennai.**
- vii. The candidates shall ensure that the completed online application form with all particulars and enclosures reaches the Annamalai University within the date and time specified. Applications received by Speed post/courier or any other means, after the last date & time will not be accepted irrespective of the date of booking.
- viii. The University shall not be responsible for any delay in the receipt or for the loss in transit of application form etc.,
- ix. Request for extension of time for submission of documents called for, after the specified date and time will not be entertained.
- x. Any supporting documents received after the due date or application without required documents/particulars will not be entertained.
- xi. Photocopy / Fax copy of the application will not be accepted.
- xii. Both upper limbs, vision and hearing should be normal for all candidates (including for candidates applying under orthopaedically physically disabled category).

xiii. The candidates are directed to enclose the following certificates along with the Online application:

**Photocopy of**

1. 10<sup>th</sup> / +1, +2 (H.Sc.) or equivalent/under-graduate mark lists/Grade Certificates of the qualifying examinations with official translation into English wherever needed.
  2. Proof of Date of Birth.
  3. Transfer and Conduct/Migration Certificate in HSC (or) Equivalent Examination.
  4. Passport size photograph should be affixed on the application at the appropriate space.
  5. Community certificate for Backward Class / Most Backward Class / Scheduled Caste / Scheduled Tribe Candidates.
  6. Medical Certificate.
  7. Certificate of extracurricular activities.
- xiv. Candidates are advised to post the completed online application well-in advance before the due date and time. If it is sent by post it is advisable to send by Registered post / Speed post to ensure proper delivery.
- xv. Original mark lists or other certificates should not be sent along with the application. Only self-attested copies of documents need to be sent.

**Instructions for Foreign Students**

- i. Self-supporting foreign students seeking admission should possess a valid passport and a STUDENT VISA issued by the Indian Embassies abroad. Students holding only a tourist visa or entry VISA will not be admitted to any Programme of study.
- ii. No foreign student shall be admitted to this University without a student visa. Any foreign student who is already studying in a recognized institution in India and wishes to take admission in a higher class after completion of a particular Programme is not required to obtain a fresh student visa from the Indian Mission in his country. Such students are advised to apply to the Superintendent of Police concerned for extension of VISA.

**Important Conditions for Applicants**

- i. Tuition fee for each academic year should be paid well before the due date, failing which a fine as prescribed by the University will be charged. The Candidate shall not be permitted to appear for the University Examination without clearing the Tuition fee arrears.
- ii. Tuition fee for the entire programme together with arrears, if any, shall be payable by the student before Transfer Certificate is issued
- iii. Special fee for the remaining period of programme shall be waived.
- iv. No certificate will be issued, unless the candidate has cleared all the arrears of fees etc., due to the University.



- v. Caution deposit shall be refunded on application after adjustment towards any dues from the student. Application for refund of caution deposit should be submitted within one year of completing the course.
- vi. With regard to any dispute arising in relation to admission, examinations, remittance of fees, etc., the place of jurisdiction for the purpose of filing a suit or preferring a complaint or taking any legal proceedings against the University, will be Chidambaram Town only.
- vii. Original Certificates submitted at the time of admission will be returned before the end of second semester. In case a candidate requires the original certificates for valid reasons, he/she may apply for the same with valid proof. The candidates are advised to have with them attested copies of mark lists or other certificates that may be required for applying scholarships/bank loan etc.
- viii. Students discontinuing the programme before commencement of classes are eligible to get full refund (except service charges ` 1,000/-).
- ix. Those who discontinue after commencement of classes are eligible to get refund of caution money deposit only.
- x. The candidates who have joined a programme and wish to discontinue, should pay the tuition fee in full up to the year of study.

### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

The following procedures shall be followed for applying / getting certificates viz. Bonafide / Course completion / Mark list, etc. with the fee prescribed by the University.

- i. **General:** Mark list for each Semester/Year during the period of study will be issued by the University and distributed through the respective departments of study. On completion of the program, Provisional Certificate and Transfer Certificate will also be distributed through the department concerned.
- ii. **Migration Certificate:** This certificate will be issued by the University Office ('Admission' Section) only on demand to those who have planned to undergo higher studies in any Educational Institution in India.
- iii. **Duplicate Certificate:** Mark List/Degree/Transfer Certificate: A certificate from the police department is required to be produced for the loss of certificates indicating that the certificates were actually lost beyond recovery.
- iv. **Degree Certificate:** Notification will be issued in the leading dailies during September/October every year inviting applications for obtaining Degree Certificate at the Convocation. Students shall apply for the same in the prescribed form which can be obtained from the University.

- v. **Personal File:** Students are advised to maintain a personal file containing all academic records such as challan for remittance of tuition fee, exam fee, instrument fee, condonation fee, etc. till the completion of his/her studies
- vi. **Re-admission:** If there is any attendance deficiency during the study tenure of the student, he/she shall apply for re-admission through the Head concerned along with the photocopy of his/her previous semester/year mark list(s) as proof for having appeared for the University Examinations.
- vii. **Change of Name/Date of Birth:** Candidate who wishes to change of Name, date of Birth, of his/her name should be made only during the period of study by producing a copy of "Gazette Notification" from the respective Government No. such change shall be entertained after completion for his/her studies in the University.
- viii. **How to get Certificate:**
  - a. Students may apply for any certificates in this University viz., Duplicate mark list, Degree Certificate, Transfer Certificate, etc., either during the tenure of his/her studies on completion of the programme and may obtain the same from the office or by post within a fortnight from the date of filing application in the office. He/she should possess compulsorily **1)** a copy of letter where he/she has applied for **2)** a copy of remittance challan and **3)** any other documents, when there is any lapse of the original submitted to University (or) loss in transaction.
  - b. If students do not receive the certificate/s within the stipulated period, then he/she can immediately seek the assistance of the Section Head/Deputy Registrar of the 'K' Section with relevant copy of records that has been already submitted for claiming the certificates, so as to enable them to get the certificate from the office (or) necessary guidance will be provided for the same.
  - c. Students admitted to various programmes of the University, should get back their original certificates produced at the time of admission within three months either on completion of programme or discontinuing the same in the middle of the programme. The University is not responsible for any lapse or damage of the certificates, beyond this period.

**REGISTRAR (i/c)**  
ANNAMALAI UNIVERSITY

**FACULTY OF ARTS**  
**DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION**

During the Golden Jubilee Year 1978, the Department of Business Administration was inaugurated with the objective of promoting management education, research, training, consultancies, etc. The department of Business Administration is the largest component of the Faculty of arts which thrives everyday in its academic and research endeavors to inculcate in the prospective entrepreneurs the ideas of business management. Five M.B.A. programs of multicity have been introduced in the department has signed a Memorandum of Understanding with the Neyveli Lignite Corporation. The department is sponsored under Special Assistance Programme (SAP) by University Grant Commission 2013-2018 and has attracted grants to a tune of 55 lakhs. The faculty members on difficult quarters of the academic world have earned several projects supported by UGC, ICSSR, DST and AICTE worth crores of rupees. The department has executed several consultancy projects worth lakhs of rupees. Excellent placement arrangements are made for the benefit of students.



**Programmes Offered –**  
**Admission through TANCET**

- ◆ M.B.A. (General)
- ◆ M.B.A. (Human Resource Management)
- ◆ M.B.A. (Financial Management)
- ◆ M.B.A. (Marketing Management)
- ◆ Ph.D., Full-time / Part-time / Internal / Over Seas

**Highlights**

- Programmes lay foundation in various disciplines of management with application.
- Opportunities for undertaking research projects in industries and institutes with scholarships.
- Industrial visit
- In-plant training

### Infrastructure

- The department has independent computer labs with softwares for effective learning and research.
- An excellent A/c Executive Seminar Hall, with in-built ICT infrastructure..
- Well Structured Department Library with recent books, journals, back volumes, dissertations..
- Teaching aids like LCD, OHPs.



Research Thrust Areas		Resource Mobilised & Research Output (last 5 years)	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Human Resource Management</li> <li>• Marketing &amp; Consumer Behaviour</li> <li>• Entrepreneurships</li> <li>• Behavioural Sciences</li> <li>• Financial Services</li> <li>• Business Analytics</li> </ul>		<b>Funds Generated:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• UGC SAP development grant (2013-2018) of 55 lakhs and</li> <li>• Other Project grants from ICSSR, NSTEDB to a tune of 25 lakhs.</li> </ul>	
Research (5 Years)		Programmes Organized (5 Years)	
In House Journals	03	International Conference -	05
M.Phil. Awarded	66	National Seminars -	14
Ph.D. Awarded	306	Faculty Development Programme -	20
Books Authored	12	Workshops -	22
Edited Volumes	45	SHG Training Programmes -	15
Conference Proceedings	08	Entrepreneurship -	60
Papers in Edited Volumes	183	Awareness Campus Manmeet -	05
Papers Published	715	Guest Lectures -	152
Awards	37	Leadership Campus -	02
		Quiz Competition -	14
		National Conference -	03
		Entrepreneurship Awareness Camp -	68

### **Industry Linkage and Placement**

The department has MoUs and alliances with industry for curriculum design, in-plant training, student projects campus placements.

### **Placement Training**

Soft Skill, FCT Training is provided to prepare students for placement.

### **Job Opportunities**

- E-Logistics, Sundaram Finance
- Hindustan Lever, IDBI Federal India
- ICICI, Citi Bank, Cavincare
- Oppo Mobiles, Nalamum Arokiyamum, etc.
- ICICI, HDFC, Citi Bank
- Cavin Care, Sutherland etc.
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### DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

The Department of Commerce, Annamalai University Commenced its functioning in the year 1956 under the aegis of the Department of Economics with just three members of staff. Two programmes were offered initially, viz, B.Com and B.Com(Hons). M.Com Degree program was introduced in the year 1959. It is the Commerce Department which introduced B.Com programme in Tamil Medium in the entire Tamil Nadu State from 1978-81 and M.Com in Tamil Medium from the year onwards. The department is still well known for its teaching and other research capabilities. The Department attracted students across the world to pursue different Programmes of Commerce in various specialisations. The Department started flourishing in its academic achievements by producing Bankers, Business Managers, Entrepreneurs, School Teachers, Professors in University and College, Auditors, Cost Accountants, IAS officers, Police officers, Government Employees, and scholars of high order at National and International level in its 65 years of service to society.

<b>Programmes Offered</b>	<b>Highlights of Programmes</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• M.Com. (Five-Year) Programme</li> <li>• M.Com. Accounting and Finance (Two-Year) Programme</li> <li>• M.Com. Cooperation (Two-Year) Programme</li> <li>• Ph.D. (Full Time, Part Time &amp; External) - (By Course Work and Research)</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Periodical updation of syllabus</li> <li>• Evaluation of students on Blooms Taxonomy Pattern</li> <li>• Encouraging students to do relevant MOOC courses</li> <li>• Project Work at the end semester to gain practical exposure.</li> <li>• Internship training by giving summer projects.</li> <li>• Tutorial class for the students.</li> <li>• Video Classes.</li> <li>• Offering to Advance courses Tally by Winsoft.</li> </ul>
<b>Facilities Offered</b>	<b>Job Opportunities</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Arrangement of Invited talks by eminent speakers.</li> <li>• Conducting Conference and symposium to update the knowledge of students.</li> <li>• Campus placements at the end of the Academic Year.</li> <li>• Industrial Visits.</li> <li>• Infrastructure facilities</li> <li>• Provision of clean drinking water.</li> <li>• Career Guidance.</li> <li>• Coaching for competitive examinations.</li> <li>• Coaching for developing communication skills.</li> <li>• Opportunity to take part in cultural activities and sports events.</li> <li>• Guidance for NET, SLET preparations.</li> <li>• Orientation to CA, CS, ICWA examination to students</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Opportunity to get placed as Junior Accountant in Company and Audit firms.</li> <li>• Opportunity to get placed as Audit assistants in audit firms.</li> <li>• Opportunity to get placed as Junior Executives in Banks and Insurance Companies.</li> <li>• Opportunity to get placed as sales Executive.</li> <li>• Job prospects in Logistic firms as junior executives.</li> <li>• Prospects to get places as Junior executives in investment companies and NBFCs.</li> <li>• Acting as a clearing and forwarding agents independently.</li> <li>• Acting as the accounting practioners independently.</li> </ul>



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**DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMICS**  
**(A UGC-SAP-DRS -II Supported Department)**

The Department of Economics was established in 1929 and through the years it has become a leading centre of economics education in Tamil Nadu. The faculties are dedicated teachers keen to mentor students throughout the period of study. Through conference and weekly meetings of the Annamalai University Economic Association and Annamalai Economic Research Forum are kept abreast with current developments.

The Department has been granted Rs.82.50 lakhs under UGC Special Assistance Programmes DRS - II.



**Programmes Offered**

**Masters Programmes**

- ◆ M.A. Economics (2-years CBCS)

**Research Programmes**

- ◆ Ph.D. Economics

**Highlights of the Programmes**

- ◆ Up-to-date Syllabus
- ◆ Students are equipped to face competitive examinations
- ◆ Students trained to carry out individual projects under supervision of faculty
- ◆ Field Visits, Experiential Learning
- ◆ Student imparted relevant software skills
- ◆ Students imparted training in soft-skills





### **Facilities**

- ◆ Department Library with 5175 books and back volumes of important journals
- ◆ High-end Computer Lab providing training in software / Internet Wi-Fi.
- ◆ Hi-Tech Seminar Hall

### **Research Thrust Areas**

- ◆ Agricultural Economics
- ◆ Environmental Economics
- ◆ Health Economics
- ◆ Gender Studies
- ◆ Development Economics
- ◆ Industrial Economics
- ◆ Fiscal Economics
- ◆ Poverty Studies
- ◆ Labour Economics

### **Resource Generated and Research Output (in the last 5 years)**

Funds Generated: more than 1 crore

No. of Papers Published: 127 Books Published: 11

Prepared the Human Development Reports for Cuddalore, Nagapattinam, and Thanjavur districts.

### **Job Opportunities**

- ◆ Colleges and Universities
- ◆ Research Institutes
- ◆ Corporate Sector
- ◆ Bank examiner
- ◆ Health economist
- ◆ Market researcher
- ◆ Financial advisor
- ◆ Credit analyst
- ◆ School teachers

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## **DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH**

The Department of English was established in 1929. The faculty in the department are well equipped to offer different programmes in English ranging from M.A. to Ph.D. Six hundred volumes of books have been added to the library in the department in the recent past and there are 7000 books on the shelves not including research journals, magazines, and periodicals. To keep abreast of the times, the faculty engage themselves in research pursuits. The department has so far produced 227 Ph.Ds. Research publications is on the rise and 452 research papers have been published in national and international journals and an equal number of papers have been presented at the national and international seminars, conferences and symposia both on campus and off campus. The faculty give training in spoken English to the students on campus especially students hailing from rural areas so as to make them competent in soft skills and compete with others when they enter the labour market after earning their degrees.



### **Programmes Offered**

#### **Masters Programmes**

- ◆ M.A. English (Two year Programme)
- ◆ M.A. English (Five year Programme)

#### **Research Programmes**

- ◆ Ph.D. English

#### **Highlights of the Programmes**

- ◆ State of the art training in communication skills
- ◆ Updated curriculum to enable students to face competitive examinations such as UGC-JRF-NET/ SET/ TNPSC/UPSC
- ◆ In-plant training in mass media organizations
- ◆ Excellent job opportunity

### **Thrust Areas of Research**

- ◆ British Literature
- ◆ American Literature
- ◆ Indian Literatures in English
- ◆ New Literature in English
- ◆ English Language Teaching
- ◆ Dalit Literature
- ◆ Translation Studies
- ◆ South Asian Studies

### **Facilities**

- ◆ Placement Cell to guide students for campus placement
- ◆ Excellent library with e-learning and e-journal facilities
- ◆ Qualified faculty with rich teaching and research experience

### **Job Opportunities**

- ◆ Teachers in Schools
- ◆ Assistant Professors in Colleges and Universities
- ◆ TNPSC/UPSC
- ◆ Private Sectors
- ◆ Soft Skills Trainers
- ◆ Media
- ◆ Tourism
- ◆ Freelance Writing
- ◆ Content Writing
- ◆ Subject Matter Experts (SMEs)

### **Co-curricular & Extracurricular Activities**

- ◆ **Research Forum** provides a platform for the researchers to discuss as well as articulate their research issues and findings.
- ◆ **Movie Club-** A movie related to any one of the prescribed texts is played to students on every Wednesday.
- ◆ Periodic Seminars/Workshops/Conferences
- ◆ Sports & Cultural Fiesta



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## DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY



Sri Meenakshi College, the nucleus of Annamalai University itself had the Department of History from 1920. When the College took incarnation as Annamalai University in 1929, the Department became a full-fledged one. The Department has a full-fledged library, besides, a Museum containing rare archaeological antiquities meant to impart the variegated aspects of historical knowledge. A galaxy of distinguished historians have headed this Department including Prof. K.A. Nilakanta Sastri, Prof. B.R. Kumar, Prof. R. Sathianathaier, Prof. B.V. Ramanujam, Dr. A. Krishnasamy, Prof. Dr. Balasubramanian, Dr. M.S. Govindasamy, Dr. A. Subbian, Dr. N. Alagappan.

### **Programme Offered**

#### **Master's Programmes**

- ◆ M.A. History (Two years)

#### **Research Programmes**

- ◆ Ph.D. History (Full-Time, Part-Time & External)
- ◆ D.Litt. History

#### **Highlights of the Programmes**

- ◆ Curriculum enables the students to face competitive examinations such as UGC-JRF-NET/TNPSC and UPSC
- ◆ Training with theoretical and practical skills
- ◆ Field Visits and training programmes
- ◆ Excellent Job Opportunities



### **Salient Features**

- ◆ Well Equipped Library with Internet Facility
- ◆ Placement cell to guide the students for campus placement
- ◆ Qualified faculty members with rich experience
- ◆ Permanent Museum with artifacts serves as an Art Gallery

### **Research Thrust Areas**

- ◆ Temple Studies
- ◆ Social History
- ◆ Indian Freedom Movement
- ◆ Human Rights
- ◆ Women Studies
- ◆ Subaltern Studies
- ◆ Environmental Studies
- ◆ Tribal Studies

### **Job Opportunities**

- ◆ Teaching Profession
- ◆ Archaeologist
- ◆ Epigraphist
- ◆ Museum Curator
- ◆ Tourism Industry / Tourist Operator / Tourist Guide
- ◆ Administrative Service
- ◆ Mass Media Service

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## DEPARTMENT OF LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE



### Programme Offered

#### Masters Programmes

- ◆ M.Lib.I.Sc. (2 year programme)
- ◆ M.Lib.I.Sc. (5 year programme)

#### Research Programmes

- ◆ Ph.D. (Regular, Part-Time & External)

### Highlights of the Programmes

- ◆ Job oriented curriculum designed to enable the students to facing competitive examinations such as UPSC, TNPSC, UGC-JRF-NET and SET.
- ◆ Library visits and training programmes.
- ◆ Opportunity to undertake research project.
- ◆ Excellent job opportunities.

### Facilities

- ◆ Fully equipped Computer Laboratory
- ◆ Department Library with good no. of text and reference collection
- ◆ UGC NET, SET coaching classes
- ◆ Placement cell
- ◆ Smart Class Room
- ◆ Students given opportunity to participate in Seminars, Workshops and Conferences
- ◆ Field Visit to reputed libraries

### Co-Curricular, Extracurricular and Extension Activities

- ◆ User Education Programme to the students of Annamalai University.
- ◆ Training to Public Librarians in and around Cuddalore District.
- ◆ Library Utility Awareness Programme to the School students in and around Chidambaram
- ◆ Environmental Awareness Programme by the NSS Volunteers of our department.
- ◆ Technical writing practice to the Research Scholars and students of Annamalai University.

**RESEARCH Output & Extension Activities**

- ◆ M.Phil. Awarded - 168
- ◆ Ph.D. Awarded - 201
- ◆ Ph.D. Ongoing - 95
- ◆ Research Papers - 425
- ◆ Books Published - 20
- ◆ Conference, Seminar, Workshops Organised - 25
- ◆ User Awareness Programms Organised - 5

**Job Opportunities**

- ◆ Public Libraries
- ◆ Special Libraries
- ◆ Academic libraries
- ◆ Corporate sectors
- ◆ Government Institutions
- ◆ Academic Institutions

**Placement**

The Department Placement Cell provides soft skill training, and organize job fair for the students. The Cell organizes campus interviews and several students have been placed in the reputed organizations.

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## DEPARTMENT OF PHILOSOPHY



### Study Tour - Mahabalipuram

The Department of Philosophy is as old as Annamalai University and it was established in the year 1929. Since its inception, the department was headed by eminent scholars. The department is dedicated to provide a strong foundation in philosophical ideals and values with a dynamic and vibrant focus in thrust areas.

The Department has conducted many International, National and Regional seminars to promote Indian Philosophy and culture. The Alumni of the department are well placed in Government, Non-Government and Private organizations.

### Programmes Offered

#### Masters Programmes

- ◆ M.A. Philosophy, (Two year)
- ◆ M.A. Philosophy, (Five year)

#### Research Programmes

- ◆ Ph.D. (Regular, Part Time & External)

#### Highlights of the Programmes

- ◆ Curriculum enables the students to face competitive examinations such as TNPSC, UPSC, NET & SET
- ◆ Educational Tour
- ◆ Periodical special lecture Programme
- ◆ Opportunities to undertake research Projects in National and International research organization.

#### Salient Features

- ◆ Placement cell to guide the students for campus placement
- ◆ Excellent library with e-learning and e-journal facilities
- ◆ Qualified faculty members with rich experience
- ◆ Programme attracts a large number of foreign students





### **Research Thrust Areas**

- ◆ Indian & Western Philosophy
- ◆ Modern Indian Thought / Contemporary Indian Philosophy
- ◆ Comparative Religion
- ◆ Buddhist Studies / Religious Studies
- ◆ Temple Studies
- ◆ Ethics & Logic
- ◆ Science of Philosophy

### **Research Output**

- ◆ Books Published : 6
- ◆ Papers Published : 137
- ◆ Ph.Ds Awarded: 71

### **Job Opportunities**

- ◆ Assistant Professor
- ◆ Temple Executive Officer
- ◆ Arts and Cultural Officer
- ◆ Employment in Government sector.
- ◆ Research Associate.

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## DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE & PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

- The Department of Political Science came into being in the year 1981.
- Syllabi for all programmes are fully consonant with that prescribed by the UPSC for All India Civil Services Examination (both for Preliminary and Main Examinations) and Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission (TNPSC).
- A Master's Programme which can prepare the students for successfully taking on the All India Civil Services Examinations conducted by the UPSC and other examinations conducted by State Public Service Commission.
- Qualified faculty members committed to producing tomorrow's Bureaucrats/ Civil Servants / Media Journalists.
- A setting where interaction of faculty and students is encouraged.

Programmes Offered	Highlights of the Department
<p><b>Master's Programmes</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ M.A. Political Science (5 Year Integrated)</li> <li>◆ M.A. Political Science (2 Year)</li> </ul> <p><b>Research Programmes</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ Ph.D. Political Science</li> <li>◆ Ph.D. Public Administration</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>◆ A student friendly ambience where interaction of faculty and students are encouraged.</li> <li>◆ A well qualified and dedicated teaching faculty committed to producing tomorrow's teachers, bureaucrats and leaders.</li> <li>◆ A Master's Programme which can prepare the students successfully taking on the All India Civil Services Examinations (UPSC) and Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission (TNPSC).</li> </ul>

Salient Features	Research Thrust Areas
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Endowment Lectures by experts to impart knowledge</li> <li>• Weekly meetings for students to train in the skill of public speaking.</li> <li>• Special coaching sessions for slow learners</li> <li>• Academic and Personal Counselling</li> <li>• Guidance and special classes for competitive examinations</li> <li>• Free Training classes for civil service Examinations</li> <li>• Personality Development Classes</li> <li>• Panel Discussion on Current Indian and International Politics</li> <li>• Focus on developing language skill.</li> <li>• The department has an advanced Library with the collection of Books, Journals and the facility of Internet Connectivity. Latest books are available for all competitive examinations</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Political Theory, Political Philosophy</li> <li>• Political Thought</li> <li>• Indian Government &amp; Politics</li> <li>• Integration Studies, Policy Studies</li> <li>• International Relations</li> <li>• Local Self Governments</li> <li>• Gender Studies</li> <li>• Leadership Studies</li> <li>• Human Rights</li> </ul>
	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Resource Generated &amp; Research Output</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Project Grants :       Rs. 1.05Crores</li> </ul> <p><b>Remarkable Credits in Research:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• M.Phil. Awarded       : 124</li> <li>• Ph.D. Awarded         : 91</li> </ul>

<b>Job Opportunities</b>	<b>Student-Oriented Activities</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Teaching and Research in Higher education.</li> <li>• Central, State and Local Governments</li> <li>• Media and Free-lance writer</li> <li>• Policy Making Bodies</li> <li>• Political Analyst</li> <li>• State and Centre Legislator</li> <li>• Corporate Advisor</li> <li>• Intelligence Officer</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Special / Endowment Lectures by experts</li> <li>• Weekly meetings for students</li> <li>• Special coaching sessions for slow learners</li> <li>• Focus on English and Vocabulary improvement</li> <li>• Academic and Personal Counselling</li> <li>• Guidance and classes for competitive Examinations (IAS /IPS).</li> <li>• Personality Development and skill oriented Classes.</li> </ul>

Our students have passed NET/SET Examinations. Research scholars have been receiving scholarships funded by UGC, ICSSR and other funding agencies. Many students have been recruited in state services, civil services, research institutions, colleges, universities and NGOs in the past years.



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Coaching Class for Civil Service



Department Library



Lecture for Competitive Examinations



Quiz Competition

## DEPARTMENT OF POPULATION STUDIES



Realizing the importance of imparting Population Education in this country, the University started a Centre for Population Studies in August 1976. Over the years, the Centre has helped in building a nucleus of Professionals in the field of population and health in India and various countries of the African Region. The Department for Population Studies functions in consonance with the National Policy of the Government of India, and the progress of the Department has made is commendable. To meet the growing demand for new innovative programs from the students, both Indian and International, five academic courses have been introduced in the Department. Since the inception of the Department 47 Ph.Ds have been awarded and students from different countries of Asia and Africa have been trained at the Department. Many, who are trained at the Department, now occupy key positions in the field of Population and Health in Government of various countries, Universities and Research Institutes as well as in reputed National and International Organisations.

### **Programmes Offered**

#### **Masters Programmes**

- ◆ M.A. Population Studies (Two year)
- ◆ M.A. Population Studies (Five year)

#### **Research Programmes**

- ◆ Ph.D. Population Studies

### **Highlights of the Programmes**

The curriculum and Syllabus of the Programmes offered by the Department of Population Studies has been designed in accordance with the University Grants Commission, and other National and International renowned Population Sciences institutions. The programs enable the students to compete in various competitive

examinations in India and to be posted in various International Organisations relating to Population and Health.



### **Thrust Areas of Research**

- ◆ Post situation of COVID and Migration
- ◆ Climate Change and Adaptation
- ◆ Disaster Management
- ◆ Gender and Ethical Issues
- ◆ Urbanisation

### **Resource Generated & Research Output (in the last 5 years)**

- ◆ Grants: Rs. 66,28,510.00
- ◆ Books /Book Chapters Published: 44
- ◆ Papers Published: 223
- ◆ Seminar / Workshop: Rs.18,90,000.00
- ◆ Seminar / Webinar / Workshop / Conference organized : 26

### **Job Opportunities**

- ◆ Colleges and Universities
- ◆ Research Institutes [Project Officer, Research Officer, Research Assistant, Field Investigator, etc.]
- ◆ United Nations and International Organizations relating to Population and Health [Programme Officer, Project Coordinator]
- ◆ Census of India, National Sample Survey Organization (NSSO) [Statistical Investigators, Statistical Assistant Social Scientists, State Demographer, Family Planning Educator]

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**DEPARTMENT OF SOCIOLOGY AND SOCIAL WORK**  
**(UGC-SAP– DRS– II Supported)**

- ◆ The Department of Sociology was started in 1954. During the formative years, three Fulbright American Professors helped in designing the academic courses and also initiated research activities.
- ◆ At present there are six Associate Professors and eight Assistant Professors with a wide range of research curiosity in thrust areas such as Social Issues, Environment, and Social Development.
- ◆ Our department collaborates with leading National and International NGOs for academic and research initiatives of the programmes.
- ◆ The department is currently sanctioned RUSA project for worth of 4.065 lakhs for the period of two years (2022-2024).
- ◆ The Department actively engages the students in extension activities such as Village Adoption, Blood Donation Camps, Camps for Awareness Creation in the surrounding villages.
- ◆ Every year on an average of 25 to 30 Research Articles are published by our faculty members in national and international journals.
- ◆ Since 2000, Our department has successfully completed Nine (3 Major; 6 Minor) Research Projects funded by UGC, World Bank, and State Government.

**Programmes Offered**

**Masters Programmes**

- ◆ M.A. Sociology (2 year programme)
- ◆ M.S.W. Social Work (2 year programme)
- ◆ M.A. Sociology (5 year programme)

**Research Programmes**

- ◆ Ph.D. Sociology Work (Full-Time/Part-Time / External)
- ◆ Ph.D. Sociology (Full-Time/Part-Time / External)

**Highlights of the Programmes**

- ◆ Strong foundation in Sociology and Social Work
- ◆ Opportunities for undertaking research projects in prestigious National and International Research Organizations
- ◆ Field Visit and Training Programmes



### Thrust Areas of Research

- ◆ Social Issues
- ◆ Health and Environment
- ◆ Rural Development
- ◆ Women Studies
- ◆ Social Development

### Resource Mobilised & Research Output (last 5 years)

- ◆ Funds Generated: over **1.35 crores** through Development Grants & Research Projects
- ◆ Books & Book Chapters Published: **16**
- ◆ Research Papers Published: **96**
- ◆ Ph.Ds Awarded: 18

### Co-curricular and Extracurricular

- ◆ Periodic Seminars & Workshops
- ◆ Lecturers by Eminent Scholars
- ◆ Sports and Cultural Fiesta
- ◆ NSS / YRC / NCC

### Job Opportunities

- ◆ Colleges and Universities
- ◆ NGOs
- ◆ Government Hospitals
- ◆ Social Welfare Sectors
- ◆ Industries as Labour Welfare Officers



**Social Contribution**

Students of the neighboring areas were the immediate beneficiaries of our department. The department also reaches the population of the surrounding villages (mostly backward and poor) in enhancing their quality of life by organizing special awareness creation camps relating to health, education, hygiene, sanitation, employment, human rights and on eradication of social evils by involving students, research scholars and faculty members. Our department students organized one day Sanitation Awareness Programme in the B. Mutlur Village, an awareness camp for breast feeding and breast cancer at Arunmozhideven village, and a medical camp in Thalachankadu at Nagai District for improving the Health Hygiene conditions of the rural people.

The department collaborates with the State Planning Commission, Education Department and Department of Rural Development and Social Welfare Department in carrying out research studies. The faculty members also assist the Cuddalore and Villupuram District administration as District Vigilance Members in the verification of Community Certificates.

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## **CENTRE FOR RURAL DEVELOPMENT**

The Centre for Rural Development was established in 1989 and it acts as a Nodal Agency in coordinating developmental activities to ensure overall Rural Development in the rural neighborhood of the University with the active involvement of the rural communities. The Centre also promotes research programmes in micro level planning, waste land development, employment generation, women and child development, health and family planning etc. The Centre is devoted to training young men and women to take up Rural Development as a mission. Now, the centre implements Unnat Bharat Abhiyan a Central Govt. Sponsored Scheme at the select 5 villages of Cuddalore District.



### **Programmes Offered**

#### **Masters Programmes**

- ◆ M.A. Rural Development – (5 year programme)
- ◆ M.A. Rural Development – (2 year programme)

#### **Research Programmes**

- ◆ Ph.D. (Full-time, Part-time & External)

#### **Salient Features**

- ◆ Advanced methods of Teaching – Team Teaching Methods.
- ◆ 100% Field practical oriented – Field work, Demonstration & Experimental Learning.
- ◆ Special training in the areas of Micro level Planning, Remote sensing, Research appraisal, Project Planning & Management etc.
- ◆ Skill oriented Core Courses to enrich the Human Resources
- ◆ Action oriented projects to enable the student to be benefitted though earn while learn scheme

#### **Thrust Areas of Research**

- ◆ Rural livelihood
- ◆ Rural Energy
- ◆ Rural Health
- ◆ Environment & Water Resources
- ◆ Sanitation & ICT
- ◆ Rural Industries

- ◆ Rural Environment
- ◆ Sustainable Rural Livelihoods



### **Job Opportunities**

- ◆ **Government Institutions:** Colleges, Universities, Welfare Ministry, NIRD, NABARD, CSWB, SIRD, etc.
- ◆ **NGO's:** SEWA, RATAN, PRADAN-Child Line foundation - CINI
- ◆ **Industry :** BHEL, SAIL, GAIL, ONGC, Coal India, Indian oil corporation
- ◆ **Corporate Bodies:** Aditya, Birla, ITC, Satyam, Wipro, Jindal
- ◆ **International Organization:** UNICEF, UNDP, UNESCO, World Bank, CARE, CRY, USID, Oxfam, WHO, SEEDS, UNIFEM, Water Aid, Action Aid

### **Social Contribution**

#### **Rural Extension Activities**

Periodic Extension Programmes were organized to reach the unreached in order to bring Development of strategy to achieve cent percent employment, zero population growth and Samagra Grama Seva.

#### **Extracurricular Activities**

Through consultancy and networking, the Centre for Rural Development has a Nationwide Networking in the field of Rural Development. It has linkages with various National & International development organizations. It provides a forum for policy decision, Training programmes and exploration of common issues.

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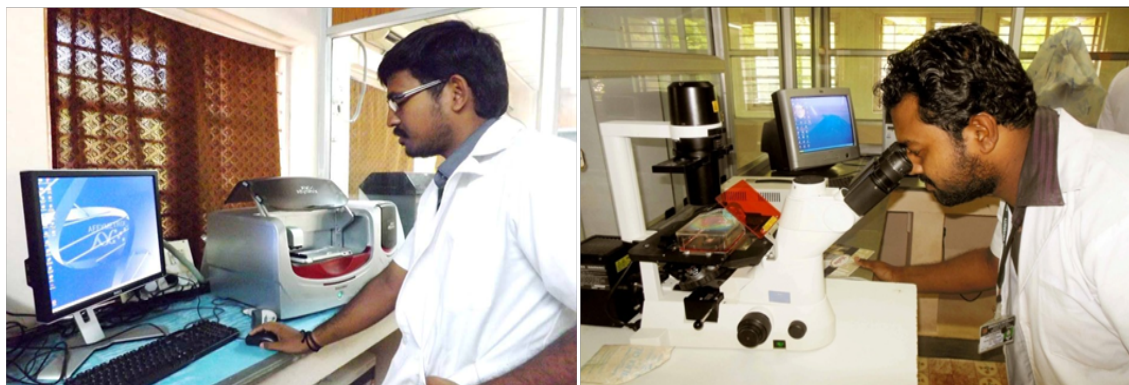
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**FACULTY OF SCIENCE**  
**DEPARTMENT OF BIOCHEMISTRY AND BIOTECHNOLOGY**  
**(UGC-SAP and DST-FIST Supported)**

Since its inception in 1994, the Department of Biochemistry and Biotechnology has continuously strived for excellence in both teaching and research. The syllabus is constantly updated to keep pace with modern trends and designed to impart training in theoretical and practical skills in addition to equipping students to face competitive examinations such as CSIR-NET. The dynamic and vibrant research focus of the department is reflected by publications, patents, awards, wide spectrum of global collaborations, Scopus rating, and generous funding from national and international agencies. The alumni of the department are well placed in India and abroad in universities, colleges, and R&D Organizations.



### **Programmes Offered**

#### **Masters Programmes**

- ◆ M.Sc. Biochemistry (2-year)
- ◆ M.Sc. Biotechnology (2-year)
- ◆ M.Sc. Biotechnology (5-year)

#### **Research Programmes**

- ◆ Ph.D. Biochemistry
  - ◆ Ph.D. Biotechnology
- (Ph.D. Programmes Full time & External)

#### **Highlights of the Programmes**

- ◆ Programmes provide a strong foundation in Biochemistry, Molecular Biology and Biotechnology
- ◆ Opportunities for undertaking research projects in prestigious national and international research institutes and industries
- ◆ Industrial visit and In-plant training

## Infrastructure

The department has independent laboratories with state-of-the-art equipment for teaching and research including UV-visible and atomic absorption spectrophotometer, spectrofluorimeter, autoanalyser, incubators, laminar air flow, deep freezers, ELISA reader, lyophiliser, refrigerated centrifuge, inverted and phase contrast microscopes, 2D gel electrophoresis, western blot apparatus, gel doc, thermal cyclers, real-time PCR, GC, HPLC, HPTLC, phosphorimager, and microarray scanner.



### Research Thrust Areas

- ◆ Cancer Biology
- ◆ Diabetes
- ◆ Cardiovascular Biology
- ◆ Radiation Biology
- ◆ Neurobiology
- ◆ Chronobiology
- ◆ Toxicology

### Resource Mobilised & Research Output

- ◆ Funds Generated: **28 crores** through Development Grants & Research Projects
- ◆ Books & Book Chapters Published: **57**
- ◆ International Research Papers Published: **1563**
- ◆ Patents: **2 National, 2 International**
- ◆ Ph.Ds Awarded: **284**

### Industry Linkage and Placement

The department has MoUs and alliances with industry for curriculum design, in-plant training, student projects, R&D projects and campus placements. Some of the

industry partners include Synergy Scientific, Global Hospitals, Apollo Hospitals, Bangalore, Thyrocare, International Drug Design & Development,, & Mitra Biotech.

### **Job Opportunities**

- ◆ Colleges & Universities
- ◆ R & D Organizations
- ◆ Pharma Companies
- ◆ Medical Diagnostics & Therapeutics
- ◆ Medical Transcription, Coding
- ◆ Food ,Agro & Marine Industries
- ◆ Academic Publishing
- ◆ High-end Research in India and abroad

### **Research Collaboration**

- ◆ University of Malaya, Malaysia
- ◆ National Taiwan University, Taipei

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## DEPARTMENT OF BOTANY

The Department of Botany was established in the year 1932 to disseminate the knowledge of Plant Science. The University Grants Commission, New Delhi has recognized the Department for its excellence in research and teaching. The Department of Botany has been awarded with UGC – SAP – DRS status (III Phase) and DST - FIST. The Department has signed a Letter of Intent with the Tajen University, Taiwan for academic and research co-operation in the field of Bioactive compounds from Medicinal plants. The Department of Botany has signed MoU with the Department of Crop Physiology, University of Agricultural Sciences, GKVK Campus, Bangalore with the intention of sharing Academic and Research Programmes in the field of Molecular Biology with special reference to the Mangroves of Pichavaram forest. The Department is well equipped with modern laboratories to provide basic and advanced research activities in all disciplines of Plant Science to expose the students to the need of the hour for their future employment. The alumni of the Department are occupying important positions in India and abroad.



### Programmes Offered

#### Masters Programmes

- ◆ M.Sc. Botany (2 year)

#### Research Programmes

- ◆ Ph.D. Botany
- ◆ Ph.D. Plant Biology and Plant Biotechnology
- ◆ Programmes provide a strong foundation in Systematics, Physiology, Molecular Biology, Biotechnology, Environmental Biology and Tissue Culture.
- ◆ Opportunities for undertaking research projects
- ◆ Field visit

### **Infrastructure**

- ◆ Conference Hall
- ◆ Sophisticated Equipments
- ◆ Computer Labs with Internet Facility
- ◆ Department Library
- ◆ Well Equipped Lab

### **Research Thrust Areas**

- ◆ Plant Physiology
- ◆ Environmental Biology
- ◆ Cytogenetics
- ◆ Bioactive Substances from Medicinal Plants
- ◆ Algal Biotechnology
- ◆ Tissue culture and Biotechnology
- ◆ Palaeobotany

### **Resource Mobilized and Research Output (Last 5 years)**

- ◆ Funds Generated: ` 1,15,28,500/-through Development Grants and Research Projects
- ◆ Books Published: 5
- ◆ International Research Papers Published: 215
- ◆ National Research Papers Published: 228
- ◆ Ph.Ds Awarded: 104

### **Research Collaboration**



Taiwan



GKVK, Bangalore

### **Placement**

- ◆ Placement Cell
- ◆ Campus interviews

### **Job Opportunities**

- ◆ Schools, Colleges & Universities
- ◆ R & D Organizations
- ◆ High-end Research in India & abroad



**Tissue Culture Lab.**



**Botanical Garden**



**Blood Donation Camp**



**National Service Scheme**

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**DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY**  
**(UGC-SAP & DST-FIST Supported)**

The Department of Chemistry was established in 1929. It is DST- FIST and UGC – SAP (DRS–II) sponsored department. Many of the alumni are occupying high positions in India and overseas. The Department offers two year M.Sc. Chemistry and research programmes that trains the student in frontier areas of Chemistry. The curriculum is designed so that the incumbent can excel in the subject and can clear various competitive examinations like UPSC, CSIR-UGC, NET, SLET, Group-I and Group-II. The students from the two year course of Chemistry may take up positions in research, educational, Government and industrial organizations.

**Programmes Offered**

**Masters Programmes**

- ◆ M.Sc. Chemistry (2-year)

**Research Programmes**

- ◆ Ph.D. Chemistry

**Highlights of Programmes**

- ◆ Competitive curriculum and exposure to sophisticated instruments
- ◆ Placement Cell to guide the students for campus placement
- ◆ Opportunities for carrying out research projects in research institutes and industries



**Infrastructure**

- ◆ The department has independent laboratories with state-of-the art equipment for teaching and research including electrochemical work station, uv-visible, fluorescence, IR, GC-Mass, NMR spectrophotometers Powder XRD and Single Crystal XRD facility
- ◆ Well equipped departmental library with internet connectivity and A/C
- ◆ Excellent teaching with modern methods like smart class room

**Research Collaboration**

**Inter-institutional collaborative projects**

- ◆ Indian Institute of Advanced Scientific Research, Guwahati
- ◆ PSG College of Pharmacy, Coimbatore and DRDO

**Industrial Collaboration**

- ◆ Cavinkare Pvt. Ltd, Chennai



### Research output

- ◆ Patents - 6
- ◆ Publications – 640 (last six years)
- ◆ Ph.Ds Awarded – 414
- ◆ Project funding – 9 crores
- ◆ Impact Factor of research publication range : 0.3-13.74

### Job Opportunities

- ◆ Chemical industries
- ◆ Teaching assignments
- ◆ Research opportunities
- ◆ Overseas placements



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**DEPARTMENT OF EARTH SCIENCES**  
**(DST-FIST Supported)**

The Department of Earth Sciences (Estd. in 1953) is dedicated to teaching and research in various fields of Earth Sciences. Over the past six decades, the department has strived to maintain its multidisciplinary approach by applying the concepts of Geology for propagating knowledge and developing skill in the field of Geology, Exploration and Utilization of Natural Resources with an emphasis for management, conservation and preservation. The research programmes are funded by DST, UGC, ISRO, MOES, MOEF, CSIR and BRNS. The Department is supported by DST-FIST Programme. The academic and research contributions of the department are recognised by national and international organisations and are evidenced by high quality original research publications. The alumni of the department are adorning higher position in the field of Geosciences in India and abroad.

**Programmes Offered**

**Masters Programmes**

- ◆ M.Sc. Geology (2 year)
- ◆ M.Sc. Geology (5 year Integrated)

**Research Programmes**

- ◆ Ph.D. Geology
- ◆ Ph.D. Applied Geology
- ◆ Ph.D. Geoinformatics

**Highlights of the Programme**

- ◆ The curriculum is designed in accordance with the various competitive exams like CSIR-UGC, UPSC, ONGC, GSI and GATE etc.,
- ◆ Field mapping techniques for different Geological Terrains.
- ◆ Short Geological field trip & 15 days industrial/ in-plant Training
- ◆ Individual project work in the final semester.
- ◆ While pursuing the PG degree the student can simultaneously complete any PG-Diploma: 1) Natural resource Management and 2) Petroleum exploration with 50% fee discount in DDE mode.

**Infrastructure**

- ◆ Well-equipped optics lab with individual microscope for each students GIS lab, Remote Sensing, Sedimentology lab, Geochemistry lab, Museum and more ...
- ◆ Instrumental Facilities: Laser Beam Particle Size Analyzer, Fluxgate Magnetometer, Ion Chromatograph, Gas Chromatograph, TOC, Spectrophotometer, Resistivity meter, and more....
- ◆ Conference Hall and Department Library



- ◆ Research Labs and Wi-Fi enabled Computer Labs



### Research Thrust Areas

- ◆ Petrology Environmental Geochemistry
- ◆ Sedimentology Hydrogeochemistry
- ◆ Remote Sensing and GIS & Disaster Management

### Resource Generated & Research Output (last 5 years)

- ◆ Funds: more than 5.5 crores
- ◆ Books: 9                      Book Chapters: 27
- ◆ Papers: 162                Ph.Ds: 47              M.Phil.: 13

### Research Collaboration



### Job Opportunities

- ◆ In Govt & private sectors like: PWD, TWAD, TAMIN, State Geology Division, Metro Water, GSI, ONGC, Coal India, NLC, NMDC, NRSA, ISRO, Private Mines and Quarry, Oil Companies – Mud logging, Colleges & Universities, Mining and Mineral Exploration companies, Central and State Ground Water Departments, Research Opportunities in India & Abroad.

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## DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS

The Department of Mathematics was established in the year 1929, it has earned a glorious heritage of conducting research activities in various fields of pure and Applied Mathematics. The Department is dedicated to providing a strong foundation in Mathematics, in a student friendly atmosphere. The past and present members of faculty of the Department have been conducting research works in different branches of Pure and Applied Mathematics. The alumni of the Department are well placed in India and abroad in Universities, Colleges, Schools and Research & Development Organizations.



### Programmes Offered

#### Masters Programmes

- ◆ M.Sc. Mathematics (2-year)

#### Research Programmes

- ◆ Ph.D. Mathematics

#### Highlights of the Programmes

- ◆ The curriculum is designed in accordance with various competitive examinations like CSIR, UGC, NBHM, SLET, UPSC and TNPSC.
- ◆ Computer language C++ and the corresponding practical modeling are included in the curriculum.

#### Infrastructure

- ◆ Conference Hall, Computer Lab with Internet connection, Library with good number of books.



### **Research Thrust Areas**

- ◆ Stochastic Process
- ◆ Mathematical Modeling
- ◆ Graph Theory
- ◆ Algebra
- ◆ Fuzzy Theory
- ◆ Fluid dynamics

### **Resource Mobilised & Research Output (last 5 years)**

- ◆ Funds Generated: more than 60 lakhs
- ◆ Books : 3847
- ◆ International Research Papers Published: 342
- ◆ Ph.Ds Awarded: 57

### **Job Opportunities**

- ◆ Schools, Colleges and Universities
- ◆ Research and Development Organizations
- ◆ Bank and IT Companies

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**DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS****DST-FIST Supported)**

The Department was established in the year 1929 with a mission to pursue high level teaching and top notch research in advanced areas of Physics as well as interdisciplinary areas of Science and Technology.

**CURRICULUM DESIGN:** To suit to the current educational policy trends as well as to face the competitive examinations like UPSC, CISR-UGC, NET, SLET and TNPSC.

**FACULTY STRENGTH:** The faculty members of high caliber are actively involved in high quality teaching and research in frontier areas of both Pure and Applied Physics.

**Programmes Offered**

- ◆ M.Sc. Physics (2-year)
- ◆ Ph.D.

**Ph.D. Thrust areas**

- ◆ Nanoscience
- ◆ Spectroscopy
- ◆ Materials Science
- ◆ Chemical Physics
- ◆ Molecular Biophysics

**Research Equipments**

- ◆ UV-VIS Spectrophotometer
- ◆ FT-IR Spectrophotometer
- ◆ Spectrofluorophotometer
- ◆ Thermoluminescent Dosimeter
- ◆ Electrochemical workstation

### Highlights of the Programmes

- ◆ Seven Smart Class Rooms
- ◆ Well Equipped P.G. Laboratories
- ◆ 4000 Volume of Books
- ◆ Internet facilities
- ◆ Green Environment
- ◆ R.O Water Purifiers with Coolers
- ◆ CCTV Security System
- ◆ Toilets with Napkin Vending Machine and Incinerator



### Resource Outcome

- ◆ Ph.Ds Awarded: 408
- ◆ Research Publications: 1294
- ◆ Department h-index: 53
- ◆ Citations: 16322
- ◆ Books Published: 8
- ◆ Patent: 1

### Students' Activities

- ◆ Mentor-Mentee system
- ◆ Physics Society
- ◆ Training and Placement
- ◆ Research Colloquium
- ◆ Sports & Cultural Events
- ◆ Alumni Association
- ◆ NSS
- ◆ Red Cross Society



**Job Opportunities**

- ◆ Colleges and Universities
- ◆ Research and Development Organisations
- ◆ Central and State Research Organizations

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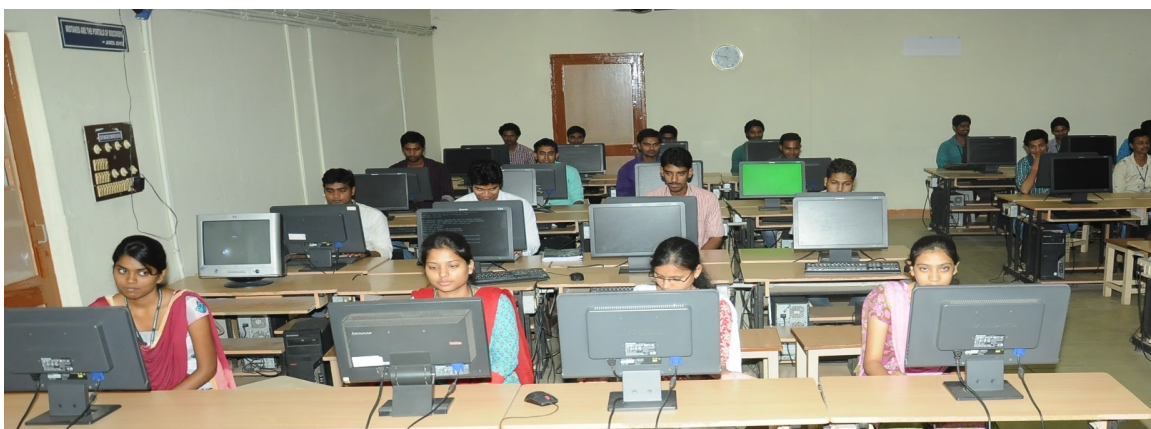
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## DEPARTMENT OF STATISTICS

The Department of Statistics was established in Annamalai University in 1956. The curriculum was planned to train students in the application of statistical methods of study in various fields, especially, in industries. It then took a leading role developing curricula and syllabi for M.Sc. Statistics and Research programmes. Further faculty members have been continuously involved in initiating research in Applied Statistics and Biostatistics consolidating research in traditional areas and building up platforms for interaction with teaching and research in sister departments of Annamalai University.



### Programmes Offered

#### Master Programmes

- ◆ M.Sc. Statistics (2 year)

#### Research Programme

- ◆ Ph.D. Statistics

#### Placement Details

- ◆ Placement Cell for making students Industry
- ◆ Campus Interviews

#### Job Opportunities

- ◆ Block Statistical Officer
- ◆ Block Health Statistical Assistant
- ◆ Assistant Statistical Investigator
- ◆ Assistant Director
- ◆ District Statistical Officers
- ◆ IAS, IPS, ISS (Indian Statistical Service) and NSSO

#### Programme Highlights

- ◆ State-of-the-art training in theoretical and computing using statistical packages
- ◆ Hands on training for "DATA ANALYSIS" using SPSS, SYSTAT, STATGRAPH, SIGMAPLOT etc., and programming languages C++, FORTRAN, JAVA and application of Oracle.
- ◆ Curriculum enables students to face competitive examinations (CSIR-NET, UGC)
- ◆ Opportunities for Research Fellowship for the Ph.D. program through the UGC-SAP and Major Research Projects.
- ◆ Excellent Library with internet facilities and Individual computer to students.



### **COMPUTER LABORATORY**

#### **Research Thrust Areas**

- ◆ Stochastic Processes
- ◆ Biostatistics
- ◆ Manpower Planning
- ◆ Time Series Analysis
- ◆ Data Mining
- ◆ Reliability & Survival Analysis
- ◆ Bayesian Inference
- ◆ Statistical Modeling
- ◆ Statistical Quality Control

#### **Research Output**

- ◆ Funds Generated: more than Rs. 1.5 Crore
- ◆ Books Published: 7
- ◆ Ph.Ds Awarded: 78

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**DEPARTMENT OF ZOOLOGY**  
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The department of Zoology was established in the year 1931. The University Grants Commission, New Delhi has recognized the Department for its excellence in teaching and research. The department of Zoology has been awarded with UGC-SAP (DRS-I) and DST-FIST. The alumni of the department occupying highest positions in India and Abroad. The Faculty are engaged in research projects that involve toxicology, vermibiotechnology, vector control, biomedical research, bioinformatics, solid waste management and neuroscience. The intensive research of the department is evidenced by publications, Scopus rating and generating funds from various funding agencies such as UGC, CSIR, ICMR, DBT, DST and MoES.



**Programmes Offered**

**Masters Programmes**

- ◆ M.Sc. Zoology (2 year)

**Research Programmes**

- ◆ Ph.D. Zoology
- ◆ Ph.D. Bioinformatics
- ◆ Skill development in theory and practical
- ◆ Syllabi helps the students to get through UGC/CSIR-NET, SET and various competitive exams such as UPSC, TNPSC and TRB
- ◆ Hands on training in prawn and fish farms

**Social Contribution**

- ◆ Training classes taken to fish and prawn farmers
- ◆ Training given to Women self-help group in vermicomposting & Sericulture
- ◆ Free consultancy to farmers in major Panchayat to convert solid waste into vermicompost



### Research Thrust Areas

- ◆ Entomology
- ◆ Toxicology
- ◆ Vector Biology
- ◆ Vermiculture
- ◆ Sericulture
- ◆ Fishery Biology
- ◆ Neuroscience
- ◆ Endocrinology

### Resource Mobilised & Research Output (last 5 years)

- ◆ Funds Generated: **3.0 crores through** Development Grants & Research Projects
- ◆ Books Published: **4**
- ◆ International Research Papers Published: **550**
- ◆ Patents: 2 National, 2 International
- ◆ Ph.Ds Awarded: 197

### Extracurricular Activities

- ◆ Zoological Society
- ◆ Sports & Cultural activities
- ◆ NSS
- ◆ YRC
- ◆ RRC

### Infrastructure

- ◆ Computer Lab with Internet
- ◆ Bioinformatics Lab
- ◆ Well equipped Library

- ◆ Museum
- ◆ Instrumentation Lab

**Placement Activities**

- ◆ Placement in various organizations and agencies.
- ◆ Digitalization of resume for all students

**Students Trained**

- ◆ for Soft Skills
- ◆ for Aquaculture and Sericulture
- ◆ for Vermicomposting

**Placed in Organization**

- ◆ IDDCR Company
- ◆ Synergic Scientific Services
- ◆ CP Aquaculture Private Limited
- ◆ High schools

**Job Opportunities**

- ◆ Aquaculture, Sericulture & Pharmacology Industry
- ◆ Research and development organizations
- ◆ High schools and Higher secondary schools and colleges
- ◆ Environmental Agencies

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## DEPARTMENT OF MICROBIOLOGY

The Department of Microbiology is one of the recently emerged Departments of Annamalai University. The Department offers two post Graduate Programmes, M.Sc. Microbiology (Five Year Programme) introduced in 2002, M.Sc. Microbiology (Two year Programme) introduced in 2009 and M.Phil. & Ph.D. Research Programmes in 2007. The Curriculum and Syllabus are updated regularly to promote the subject knowledge of the students and researchers to appear for competitive examinations confidently. To enhance the quality of research, the Department has state of the art laboratories. So far, the Department has produced more than 147 M.Phil. and 74 Ph.D. Research Scholars. The Department has obtained a patent and published more than 300 research papers in reputed journals. The department offers a strong foundation to face the challenges in the dynamic technological world.



### Programmes Offered

#### Masters Programmes

- ◆ M.Sc. Microbiology (5-years Programme)
- ◆ M.Sc. Microbiology (2-years Programme)

#### Research Programmes

- ◆ Ph.D. Microbiology

### Highlights of the Programmes

- ◆ The curriculum is designed in accordance with the syllabi for various competitive examinations like NET, SET, UPSC and TNPSC.
- ◆ Students have good employment opportunities in various institutions/industries and organisations.
- ◆ Training programmes through placement cell for reputed companies (India and Abroad)
- ◆ Microbiology equivalent to Botany, Zoology in school level education.

**Research Thrust Areas**

- ◆ Bioactive molecules
- ◆ Antimicrobial resistance
- ◆ Microbial genomics
- ◆ Microbial products
- ◆ Organic farming
- ◆ Nanotechnology
- ◆ Metagenomics

**Job Opportunities**

- ◆ Bio industries & Companies
- ◆ Teaching Assignments
- ◆ Research
- ◆ Overseas Placements
- ◆ Medical Diagnostics
- ◆ School, Colleges and Universities
- ◆ Medical Transcription and Coding

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## **DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER AND INFORMATION SCIENCE**

The Department of Computer and Information Science was established in 2015 and is functioning under the Faculty of Science. The Department offers Post Graduate and Doctoral Programmes. It is currently imparts teaching, training and cutting-edge computing technology to the students scholars and enabling them to keep abreast with a focus on day-to-day scientific and technical advances.

The Department inspires the students and scholars to involve themselves in innovative projects, in-plant training, internships, workshops, special features and quality research in various interrelated domains. The students are prepared with multi-skill sets encompassing all the requirements, which makes them employable. The final year and pre-final year students are trained with special lectures, soft-skill training and group discussion. The students get jobs in the various IT industries through On-Campus placements. The alumni of this department working in various IT industries across the world support the department's developments and activities.

### **Programmes Offered**

#### **Post Graduate Programme**

- ◆ Master of Computer Applications (MCA) – 2 year - CBCS (**Admission through TANCET**)
- ◆ M.Sc. Computer Science – 2 year CBCS
- ◆ M.Sc. Data Science – 2 year CBCS

#### **Integrated Programme**

- ◆ M.Sc. Information Technology – 5 year Integrated
- ◆ M.Sc. Software Engineering – 5 year Integrated

#### **Research Programme**

- ◆ Ph.D. Computer Science
- ◆ Ph.D. Computer Applications

#### **Salient Features**

- ◆ The curriculum is designed in accordance with the syllabi for various competitive examinations like NET, SLET, UPSC and TNPSC.
- ◆ Students enjoy good employment opportunities in various institutions and organizations.
- ◆ Placement cell guides the students to attend campus interview.
- ◆ Excellent library with e-learning and e-journal facilities.

#### **Job Opportunities**

- ◆ Colleges & Universities

- ◆ Software Industries
- ◆ India and Overseas Placements
- ◆ Training programmes for placements.

### **Computer Lab**



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## FACULTY OF INDIAN LANGUAGES

### தமிழியல் துறை

#### Department of Tamil Studies & Research

அண்ணாமலை அரசர் 1920-இல் உருவாக்கிய மீனாட்சிக் கல்லூரி, தமிழிசையும், தமிழ்ப் பண்பாட்டையும் வளர்க்கும் குறிக்கோள்களோடு வளர்ந்து அரசு விதிமுறைப்படி 1929-இல் அண்ணாமலைப் பல்கலைக்கழகமாக உருவானது. இப்பல்கலைக்கழகத்தின் பெருமைக்குரிய முதன்மைத் துறைகளில் ஒன்றாகத் தமிழியல்துறை விளங்குகின்றது.



தமிழ்நாட்டில் தனிமனிதரால் முதன் முதலில் உருவாக்கப்பெற்ற பல்கலைக்கழகம்; ஒடுக்கப்பட்டவர்களுக்கும் பிற்படுத்தப்பட்டவர்களுக்கும் உறுதுணையாய் நிற்கின்ற பல்கலைக்கழகம்; தளராத தொண்டால், தகவார்ந்த திட்டங்களால் தழைத்துச் செழித்து நூற்றாண்டை நோக்கி நடைபோடும் இப்பல்கலைக்கழகம் 2013 முதல் அரசு பல்கலைக்கழகமாகத் திகழ்ந்து வருகின்றது.

பல்கலைக்கழகமாக உருப்பெறுவதற்கு முன் மீனாட்சிக் கல்லூரியாக இருந்த பொழுது, தமிழுக்குப் புத்துயிர் பாய்ச்சிய தமிழ்த்தாத்தா பேராசிரியர் உ.வே.சாமிநாதையர் அவர்கள் முதல்வராக இருந்து சிறப்பித்த பெருமை தமிழியல்துறைக்கு உண்டு. அவரைத் தொடர்ந்து பேராசிரியர் கா.சு.பிள்ளை, சொல்லின் செல்வர் பேரா. ரா.பி.சேதுப்பிள்ளை, பேரா. சுவாமிவிபுலானந்தர், பேரா. நாவலர் சா. சோமசுந்தர பாரதியார், பேரா. பண்டிதமணி மு. கதிரேசன் செட்டியார், பேரா. தெ.பொ.மீனாட்சி சுந்தரனார், டாக்டர் அ. சிதம்பரநாதன் செட்டியார், பேரா. லெ.ப.கரு. இராமநாதன் செட்டியார், பேரா. கோ.சு.பிள்ளை, பேரா.ஆ.இராமசாமிப் பிள்ளை, பேரா.வ.சுப.மாணிக்கனார், பேரா. வெள்ளைவாரணனார், பேரா.ச.அகத்தியலிங்கம், பேரா.ஆறு.அழகப்பன், பேரா.நா.பாலுசாமி ஆகியோர் தமிழியல்துறையின் தலைவர்களாக இருந்து தமிழுக்குச் சிறந்த பங்களிப்பினை ஆற்றியுள்ளனர். மகாவித்துவான் ரா.இராகவையங்கார், பேரா.ஆ.பூவராகவம்பிள்ளை, பேரா.ஞா. தேவநேயப்பாவாணர், பேரா.மு.அருணாசலம் பிள்ளை போன்ற பலரும் இங்குப் பணிபுரிந்துள்ளமை குறிப்பிடத்தக்கது.

இரண்டாவது உலகத் தமிழ்மாநாட்டில் திருக்குறளுக்கென தனிஇருக்கை அறிவிக்கப்பட்டு, தமிழியல்துறைக்கு ரூபாய் 3 லட்சம் தமிழக அரசால் நிதி ஒதுக்கப்பட்டு ஆய்வுகள் மேற்கொள்ளப்பட்டன. மேலும், 2015-இல் இந்திய அரசின் செம்மொழித் தமிழாய்வு மத்திய நிறுவனத்தால் ஒரு கோடி ரூபாய் திருக்குறள்

இருக்கைக்கு வழங்கப்பட்டுத் திருக்குறள் ஆய்வு நிகழ்த்தப்பட்டு வருகிறது.

தமிழியல்துறையில் இருபத்தைந்துக்கும் மேற்பட்ட அறக்கட்டளைகள் நிறுவப்பட்டு, அதன் வாயிலாக ஆண்டுதோறும் தலைசிறந்த சொற்பொழிவாளர்களைக் கொண்டு சொற்பொழிவுகள் நடத்தப்பட்டு வருகின்றன.

தமிழியல்துறையின் வரலாற்றுச் சிறப்புக்கு அதன் நூலகமும் ஒரு காரணமாகும். அறிஞர்களையும், ஆசிரியப் பெருமக்களையும், ஆராய்ச்சியாளர்களையும், மாணாக்கர்களையும் ஒருசேர உருவாக்குகின்ற விளை நிலமாகத் தமிழியல்துறை நூலகம் செயல்பட்டு வருகின்றது. இத்துறையில் இதுவரை 300-க்கும் மேற்பட்டோர் முனைவர்பட்டம் பெற்றுள்ளனர். 500-க்கும் மேற்பட்டோர் இளமுனைவர் பட்டம் பெற்றுள்ளனர். இத்தகைய பெருமைக்குரிய துறையில் பயின்று பட்டம் பெறுவது சிறப்புக்குரியதாகும்.

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### கல்வித்தகுதி

#### முதுகலைத்தமிழ் (M.A. தமிழ்)

இளங்கலை / இளமறிவியல் பட்ட வகுப்பில் தமிழ் ஒரு தாளாக இடம் பெற்றிருக்க வேண்டும்

#### முதுகலைத்தமிழ் (செம்மொழி)

மேற்குறிப்பிட்ட தகுதியோடு எழுத்துத் தேர்வும், நேர்முகத் தேர்வும் நடைபெறும் (20 மாணவர்கள் மட்டுமே சேர்க்கப்பெறுவர்)

பல்வேறு சமூகப் பிரிவின்கான கல்வி உதவித்தொகை மற்றும் ஊக்கத்தொகை. ஆண்டுதோறும் வழங்கப்படுகிறது.

முதுகலைத்தமிழ்ப் பயிலும் மாணவர்கள் அனைவருக்கும் காசிமடத்தின் உதவித்தொகையும், 20 மாணவர்களுக்கு மாதம் ரூ.3000/- செம்மொழி நிறுவன ஊக்கத்தொகையும் அளிக்கப்படுகிறது. மேலும் தமிழ்த்துறை மாணவர்கள் ஆண்டுதோறும் கல்விச் சுற்றுலாவிற்கு அழைத்துச் செல்லப்படுகின்றனர்.



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## **CENTRE OF ADVANCED STUDY IN LINGUISTICS**

Established as a Department of Dravidian Philology – 1954 and rechristened as Department of Linguistics in 1956. The Department was upgraded as Centre of Advanced Study in Linguistics in 1963. The Centre came under Commonwealth Educational Programme and Colombo Plan in 1967. The Department has received generous Grants under UGC-Special Assistance Programme (SAP) from 1990 – 2015 (in four phases) – Rs. 88,50,000/- Received Grants under UGC-ASIHSS – (2004 – 2007) – Rs. 47,60,000/-, CCSLL Grants under UGC – (2004-2007) – 47,50,000/-, UGC-SAP-CAS-V<sup>th</sup> Phase 1.50 Cores.

The Department recorded phenomenal growth, offering various courses and carrying out high-end research. It also provided facilities for learning Dravidian Languages. This Centre is responsible for spreading Linguistics in this part of the country. Students trained in this Centre are occupying enviable positions in several Linguistics Departments and other Institutions in India and Abroad. Six of the former eminent scholars of this centre have been appointed as Vice-Chancellors of different Universities in India. In 1967 the Centre was selected for assistance under the British Commonwealth Education Co-operation programme and the Colombo Plan, which provided opportunities for the exchange of staff between this Centre and different Universities in U.K.

### **Programmes Offered**

- ◆ M. A. in Linguistics
- ◆ Ph.D. in Linguistics



### **Part-Time Courses**

- ◆ P.G. Diploma in Lexicography
- ◆ P.G. Diploma in Translation Studies
- ◆ P.G. Diploma in Computational Linguistics
- ◆ P.G. Diploma in Phonetics
- ◆ Diploma in Soft Skills and Personality Development
- ◆ Certificate Course in Phonetics Training and Laboratory Techniques

### **Infrastructure**

- ◆ The Centre has a Phonetic Laboratory, Language Laboratory, Computer Laboratory and a very good Library with a collection of 13,603 books.
- ◆ Language lab is upgraded with Digital Multimedia Laboratory having one server with 16 client computers installed in 2011.
- ◆ A Hi-Tech class room for PG teaching equipped with LCD projector has been established in the department.
- ◆ A Conference Hall with Interactive Panel



## **Institutional Social Responsibility**

### **Centre for Speech and Language Disorder Studies**

Centre for Speech and Language Disorder Studies is functioning as an extension work in CAS in Linguistics, Annamalai University, from August 2006. Through this the centre is discharging its social responsibility which is really a boon to the local public as well as a source for data collection for researchers of our department as well as to Psychology and Education. For motivating the parents to take care and to handle those children properly and to bring them to special educators, awareness programmes were also conducted as two workshops, and screening camps.

### **Regular Events Conducted / Organized (2017-2018)**

- ◆ National Seminars - 3
- ◆ International Conference - 1
- ◆ Visiting Fellow - 5
- ◆ Training Programme - 1

### **Research Works (2017-2018)**

- ◆ Ph.D. Awarded - 08
- ◆ Ongoing Projects - 4
- ◆ Faculty Awards - 5
- ◆ Training Programme - 1

### **Job Opportunities**

- ◆ Linguists
- ◆ Researchers
- ◆ Translator
- ◆ Language Free Lancer
- ◆ Technical Writer
- ◆ Data Annotation Specialist
- ◆ Content Writer
- ◆ Language Analyst
- ◆ Language Transcriber
- ◆ Clinical Linguist
- ◆ Language Documentizer

### **Job Opportunities in**

- ◆ CIIL in Mysore
- ◆ CICT, Chennai
- ◆ Virtual Tamil Academics, Chennai
- ◆ AIISH, Mysore

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## DEPARTMENT OF HINDI

The department was established in 1972 to impart Hindi language skills for better employment opportunities. Hindi was offered as a second language in the beginning and in due course a PG Diploma in translation was started and later on evolved into M.A. Hindi program from 2000 onwards. So far the department has produced 14 M.Phil. and 13 Ph.D. scholars who are placed in different positions all over India with 100% placement. The students of the department translated renowned Tamil and English works into Hindi. Two software programmes produced by the faculty stands as testimony for relevant research output in the field of language technology. Translation studies, Comparative studies and Language technology are the thrust areas of research.



### Programmes Offered

- ◆ M.A -2 years CBCS
- ◆ Certificate Programme in Hindi (Part-Time)
- ◆ Diploma Programme in Hindi (Part-Time)

### Research Programmes

- ◆ Ph.D. - (Full time, Part time, External Mode)

### Eligibility for M.A. Programme

- ◆ Any UG degree with Part-I or Part-III Hindi
- ◆ Any UG degree with Praveen degree offered by DBHP Sabha, Chennai or its equivalent institutions.

### Infrastructure

- ◆ A good library with net connectivity and more than 2000 books. Post metric non- Hindi speaking scholarships are available for the eligible candidates.





### Events Conducted

- ◆ Department is actively conducting annual seminars and training programs for the benefit of the staff and students at regular intervals.
- ◆ Students and Research Scholars are encouraged to present papers in National and International Seminars.

### Research Thrust Areas

- ◆ Comparative Studies
- ◆ Translation Technology
- ◆ Modern Hindi Literature
- ◆ Language Technology

### Research Output (last 6 years)

- ◆ 1 Ph.D.
- ◆ 3 M.Phil.
- ◆ 2 Software

### Institutional Social Responsibility

- ◆ The department offers need based short term course in spoken Hindi for the non Hindi speakers

### Job Opportunities

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| ◆ Teachers in Colleges & Universities       | ◆ Hindi Officers in Central Govt. Institutions |
| ◆ School Teachers                           | ◆ Journalist in Media                          |
| ◆ Translators in Central Govt. Institutions | ◆ Freelance Writing                            |

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**FACULTY OF EDUCATION**  
**DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY**

The department of Psychology was established in the year 1961 as a post-graduate and research centre. It is one of the oldest and earliest Psychology departments in the country. The department has excellent infrastructure to cater the needs of students pursuing the various programmes offered. The department has well trained and highly qualified faculty members with extensive teaching and research experience.

**Programmes Offered**

**Master's Programmes**

- ◆ M.Sc. Clinical Psychology (5 years – Integrated)
- ◆ M.Sc. Applied Psychology (2 years – CBCS)

**Research Programmes**

- ◆ Ph.D. Psychology (FT, PT, EXT)

**Highlights of the Programmes**

- ◆ Programmes provide a strong foundation in Industrial/ Counseling/Psychopathology
- ◆ Opportunities for undertaking research projects in reputed institutes and industries
- ◆ Industrial visit and In-plant training
- ◆ Project work and Case study practice

**Infrastructure**

The department has a well-equipped independent psychology laboratory wide range of standardized psychological equipments and tests pertinent for teaching, research and case studies. The department also has a separate Library with large collection of books, journals, magazines, monologues, dissertations and theses. The department also has a computer centre with internet facility sponsored by the alumni.

**Research Thrust Areas**

- ◆ Decision Making
- ◆ Stress Management
- ◆ Counselling
- ◆ Clinical Psychology
- ◆ Organizational Behavior
- ◆ Adolescent problems

**Resource Mobilised & Research Output (last 5 years)**

- ◆ Funds Generated: **1 crores through** Development Grants & Research Projects
- ◆ Books & Book Chapters Published: **2**
- ◆ National/ International Research Papers Published: 135

- ◆ Ph.Ds Awarded: 82
- ◆ Seminars, Workshops Conducted: 17
- ◆ Chronobiology

### **Training and Placement**

- ◆ The department provides opportunities and facilities for institutional training, student research and projects, community services, hospital visits, study tour and campus placements.

### **Job Opportunities**

- ◆ School / Organization Counsellors
- ◆ Hospitals / NGOs
- ◆ R&D Organizations
- ◆ Software Companies
- ◆ Medical Diagnostics & Therapeutics
- ◆ Abroad Opportunities
- ◆ Military Services
- ◆ HRM Departments
- ◆ Nursing / Educational Colleges
- ◆ Civil Services

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## CENTRE FOR YOGA STUDIES

### MISSION

**“Promoting World Transformation through Self Transformation for a Peaceful and Prosperous World”.**

### PROFILE

Centre for Yoga Studies of Annamalai University was started on 7th December 1998. The Centre is working towards providing Scientific and Qualitative Holistic Spiritual Yoga Education, thereby developing our younger and future generation to progress with virtues and values.

### Programmes Offered

#### Master’s Programmes

- ◆ M.Sc. Yoga (2 years )

#### Research Programmes

- ◆ Ph.D. in Yoga (FT, PT, EXT)

### Hatha Yoga Programme

#### DAY

Monday to Friday

#### TIME

Morning: 5.00—07.00 a.m.

To

Evening: 05.00 to 06.00 p.m.

### INFRASTRUCTURE

Centre for Yoga studies has

- ◆ 2 Lecture Hall
- ◆ 2 Yoga practical hall for Men
- ◆ 1 Yoga practical hall for Women
- ◆ 1 Seminar hall with the capacity of 200 seating
- ◆ 1 Spiritual Library with 2013 books and CDs
- ◆ Naturopathy and Yoga therapy lab with well equipped equipments
- ◆ Separate Meditation Hall

### HIGHLIGHTS

**1. Serving:** School Children, College Students, NSS Volunteer, NCC, YRC, Old Age Home, Special Children, NGOs, Government Organization, General Public and Prisoners.

#### **2. Appreciated By**

- ◆ Honorable A.P.J. Abdul Kalam, Former President of India
- ◆ Arati Kachroo Additional PS to Former Prime Minister
- ◆ Ms. M. Fathima Beevi, Former Governor of Tamil Nadu
- ◆ Dr. A. Gnanam, Former UGC-NAAC member
- ◆ Dr. B.I. Shakuntala Former UGC-NAAC member
- ◆ Prof. S.M. Mukherjee, Former Joint Secretary to UGC
- ◆ D.R. Karthikeyan, Former CBI Director, New Delhi

3. **Established:** Sub-centre at Parangipettai and Meditation halls at various hostels.

4. **Trained** more than 1,50,000 students in Yoga practices among them a specially challenged boy “Master M. Lalith Kumar” received National Award for the welfare of persons with disabilities by **His Excellency Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam, Former President of India.**



*Centre for yoga studies Extension activities*

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**FACULTY OF FINE ARTS**  
**DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC**

The Music College was established in 1929. A separate faculty of Fine Arts was started in 1953. The main objective of the Department is to promote, propagate and popularize our Indian culture and Traditional Art globally. Many stalwarts in the field of Music headed the Music Department like Sangeetha Kalanidhi. Shri T.S. Sabesaiyer, Tiger Shri. K. Varadhachariyar, Shri. K. Ponniaya Pillai, Thirupampuram. Shri. Swaminatha Pillai, Chithoor. Shri. Subarmaniya Pillai, Isaiarasu Shri. M.M. Dhandapani Desikar, Dr. Madurai. Somasundaram, Dr. Sirkali Govindarajan, Shri. S.V. Parthasarathi, Thanjai. Shri. K.P. Sivanandam, Tmt. Abayambika, Wg.Cdr. V.G. Subramaniyan, Shri.O.S. Thiyagarajan and Aridwaramangalam Dr. A.K. Palanivel. The students are trained to the level of accomplishment in the field of Music & Dance. Students from foreign countries like Sri Lanka, Malaysia, South Africa, Mauritius, and Denmark come to learn Music and Dance in the department. So far the department has produced 38 Ph.Ds and 20 M.Phil. scholars.



**PROGRAMMES OFFERED**

**ELIGIBILITY**

<p><b>M.F.A. (MUSIC) - Master of Fine Arts (Music) - Vocal, Veena, Violin, Flute, Mridangam, Nagaswaram and Thavil</b></p> <p><b>2 years</b></p>	<p>Candidates who have completed Bachelor Degree in B.A./B.F.A/B.P.A. in Music.</p> <p>Age maximum of 26 years as on 1<sup>st</sup> July of that year of admission.</p>
<p><b>M.F.A.(DANCE) - Master of Fine Arts (Dance) - Bharathanattiyam</b></p> <p><b>2 years</b></p>	<p>Candidates who have completed Bachelor Degree in B.A./B.F.A/B.P.A. in Dance.</p> <p>Age maximum of 26 years as on 1<sup>st</sup> July of that year of admission.</p>

<b>B.F.A. (MUSIC) - Bachelor of Fine Arts (Music) - Vocal, Veena, Violin, Flute, Mirudangam, Nagaswaram and Thavil</b> <b>4 years</b>	A Pass in +2 H.Sc Age maximum of 22 years as on 1 <sup>st</sup> July of that year of admission.
<b>B.F.A. (DANCE) - Bachelor of Fine Arts (Dance) - Bharathanattiyam</b> <b>4 years</b>	
<b>Isaikalaimani (Vocal, Veena, Violin, Flute, Mirudangam, Nagaswaram and Thavil)</b> <b>4 years</b>	A pass in 10 <sup>th</sup> standard. Age maximum of 21 years as on 1 <sup>st</sup> July of that year of admission.
<b>Thevara Isaikalaimani 4 years</b>	
<b>Nattiyakalaimani - 4 years</b>	
<b>TITLE OF ISAICHELVAMANI (Vocal, Veenai, Violin, Flute, Mridangam, Nagaswaram and Tavil)</b> <b>2 years</b>	Title of "Isaikalaimani" of this university or equivalent thereto from other universities as accepted by the Syndicate or passed Higher grade examination in Music conducted by the Government of Tamil Nadu. Possession of a standard of at-least 60% level compared to an accomplished Musician in rendering a Music Concert (except Ragam, Thanam, Pallavi) as adjudged by a committee who will conduct an Entrance Test for admission to the Programme. A minimum of 18 years of age as on 1 <sup>st</sup> July of that year of admission. A maximum age limit for isaichelvamani is 30 years.
<b>TEACHER TRAINING CERTIFICATE IN INDIAN MUSIC</b> <b>1 year</b>	A pass in Isaikalaimani programme of this university or other universities accepted by the Syndicate as equivalent thereto or passed higher grade examination in Music conducted by the Government of Tamil Nadu. Aptitude for teaching and possession of knowledge in Music equivalent to an "Isaikalaimani" title holder. A pass in H.Sc. A minimum of 18 years of age as on 1 <sup>st</sup> July of that year of admission. A maximum age limit for T.T.C is 30 years.

<p><b>DIPLOMA IN NATTUVANGAM</b></p> <p><b>1 year</b></p>	<p>A pass in "Nattiyakalaimani" title of this university or other universities accepted by the Syndicate as equivalent thereto by the Syndicate or a pass in the Higher Grade Technical Examinations in Dance conducted by the Government of Tamil Nadu.</p> <p>Age minimum of 18 years and maximum of 35 years as on 1<sup>st</sup> July of that year of admission.</p>
<p><b>RESEARCH PROGRAMMES</b></p>	
<p><b>Ph.D. in Music / Dance</b></p>	



**Dance performance of Music students in Natyanjali Programme**

**Research Thrust Areas**

- ◆ Aesthetics of Music
- ◆ Music Criticism
- ◆ Music Therapy
- ◆ Music Composers
- ◆ Music Literature
- ◆ Acoustics of Music
- ◆ Music in Mass Media



**Job Opportunities**

- Teaching - Schools, Colleges, Universities  
Mass Media - AIR, T.V. Channels  
Film Industry - Music Composers, Music Conductors, Sound Engineers, Playback Singers.  
Self Employment - Full -time Musician, Music Critic

**Activities**

- ◆ Music Festival for five days every year
- ◆ Navarathri Music festival for nine days
- ◆ Lectures by Eminent Persons
- ◆ Students Concert Programme on stage every weekend.
- ◆ UGC Sponsored Seminars and Workshops

**Placements**

Alumni of the department are well placed in India & Abroad in Music Colleges and Schools. Also working as Professional Artists, Performers in AIR and Doordharshan, Programme Executives, Music and Dance Teachers in private institutions and organizations, Film Music Directors, Sound Engineers and Dance Choreographers, Orchestra Singers and Instrument Players, etc.

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