

CURRICULAM VITAE

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Educational Qualifications:

Degree	College / University	Courses studied	Class & Year
B.Sc. Zoology	Sri Meenakshi Government College for Women, Madurai, Tamil Nadu	Major : Zoology Ancillary : Botony & Chemistry, Tamil, & English	First 1985-1988
B.A. (Additional Degree)	Directorate of Distance Education, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai	Tamil	2008
M.A.	Dept. of Tamil, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai	Tamil	First (75%) 1988-90 (University Second Rank)
M.Phil	Dept. of Tamil, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai	Tamil	First (74%) 1990-91
Ph.D	Dept. of Folklore, School of Tamil Studies, Madurai Kamaraj University	Folk Games - Sociological and Psychoanalytical approach	2011
PG.Diploma	Gurunanak Devji Chair, Dept. of Religion & Philosophy, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai	Sikhism & Comparative Religion	1995-96
Certificate	Dept. of Sanskrit, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai	Sanskrit	1992-93 First Class with Distinction
Diploma	Dept. of Sanskrit, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai	Sanskrit	1993-94 First Class

Professional Experiences :

Teaching in L.D.C.:

- Assistant Professor (AIDED) : Dept. of Tamil, Lady Doak College,
From July. 2013
- Assistant Professor (Management) : Dept. of Tamil, Lady Doak College
June 2011 to July.2013
- Assistant Professor (FIP - Substitute) : Dept. of Tamil, Lady Doak College
June 2009 – June 2011

Teaching in Outside:

- Part time lecturer (PG Level) : School of Tamil Studies,
Madurai Kamaraj University,
Madurai.
July 1995 to Dec.1996.
- Part time Lecturer (UG Level) : Evening College,
Madurai Kamaraj University,
Madurai, 1995-1999.

Research & Field Experiences : 30 years (since 1992)

Research :

- Research & Documentation Assistant (June 2005 – June 2008) : Centre for Women's Studies
(UGC supported)
Lady Doak College, Madurai
- Research Associate (July 2002 – Nov.2003) : Project on Gender :Folklore and Tribals,
Funded by the Ford Foundation,
Lady Doak College, Madurai
- Documentation work in Centafore Madurai Kamaraj University : Photographs – 2952 in numbers
Audio Cassettes – 74 hours
Video Cassettes – 85 hours
Slides - 180 numbers
- Research Assistant (April 1998 to Dec. 2001) (Folk Arts and Crafts) : CENTAFORE
(Centre for Tamil Folklore Research)
Dept. of Folklore, School of Tamil
Studies, MKU. Madurai

RESEARCH GUIDENCE FOR STUDENTS: From 2009...

U.G	: 25
P.G	: 13
M.Phil	: 3
Ph.D	: 1 (Undergoing)

INVITED TALKS

- Kalambagam - Sitrilakkiya Pudhaiyal : Mannar Thirumalai Naickar College, Madurai, 20.02.2019
- Talk on Thamir Thatha : U,Ve.Samynatha Iyer
All India Radio, Madurai. 19.02.2008.
- Traditional Games and Life Exercise : Online Lecture Series, Tamil Heritage Foundation International, Germany, 21.04.2020

EDITORIAL BOARD:

- ❖ One of the Editors : Aaivucchinthanaigal Published by Shanlax Publications, Madurai, Mar. 2020. ISBN: 978-93-90082-01-8
- ❖ One of the Editors : Pulam peyaranthor padaippuhailil sevvial ilakkiyangalin thakkam, International institute of Tamil studies, Chennai, 2014, ISBN:1978-81-925359-6-8
- ❖ One of the Editors : Aaivucchinthanaigal Ainthamil Aaivalar Mandram, Madurai, 2010
- ❖ One of the Editors : Worship and festivals of village deities Published by Project on Gender:Folklore and Tribals, Lady Doak College, Madurai. Dec. 2002
- ❖ One of the Editors : Kalam-2 Folklore Researchers Association Publication, Thanjavur, Dec. 1996
- ❖ One of the Editors : Paralkal –9 Tamil Research Scholars Association Publication, School of Tamil Studies, MKU, Madurai Dec. 1995

AWARD

: **Dr. Vanamamalai Award for Best Research Article**, Given by International Society for Tamil Cultural Studies (ISTCS), Madurai, 1994

RECOGNITION – Membership

- Advisory Committee Member (Board : 2010- 2012) : **National Service Scheme** MKU, Madurai
- Committee Member (14.03.2013 to 23.03.2013) : **Inter - state youth exchange and Home - stay Programme** Govt of India, Ministry of youth affairs and Sports, NSS, Regional centre, Chennai & Rajiv Gandhi National Institute of Youth Development, Sriperumbudur jointly organize in Collaboration with Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai
- Vice President (Since 1996) : Ainthamil Aaivalar Mandram, Madurai

Visit Abroad

: Paper presented on 'silambu kaattum Maduraiyum indraiya Maduraiyum' International Conference on Classical poetry and a celebration of Tamils' Life Style, Leyton E15 1DT, London. 2016

PUBLICATIONS

Book

: **Vilaiyaadiya Tamil Samoogam** Published by Tamil Heritage Foundation Germany, Feb. 2022

Articles Published in books:-

S.No	Title of the Paper	Name of the Book	Publishers	Year of Publication
1	Teaming out & Socialization in Folk Games	Aaivuk Kovai	All India University Tamil Teachers Association, Pondicherry	May 1993
2	Feministic Values in Folk Games	Paralkal-7	Tamil Research Scholars Association, School of Tamil Studies, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai	Dec. 1993
3	Ritual Games	Aaivuk Kovai	All India University Tamil Teachers Association, Pondicherry	May 1994
4	Space in Folk Games	Tamilial Aaivu	International Society for Tamil Cultural Studies (ISTCS), Madurai	June 1994
5	Characters of Theatrical Arts in Folk Games	Paralkal - 8	Tamil Research Scholars Association, School of Tamil Studies, M.K.U., Madurai	Dec. 1994
6	Children's Games	Aaivuk Kovai	All India University Tamil Teachers Association, Pondicherry	May 1995
7	Gestures in Folk Games	Aaivu Chinthanaihal	Iyentamil Aaivalar Manram, Madurai,	Jan 1995
8	Use of Languages in Folk Games	Tamilial Aaivu	International Society for Tamil Cultural Studies (ISTCS), Madurai,	June 1995
9	Functionalism in Folk Games	Kalam-2	Folklore Researchers Association, Thanjavur,	Dec. 1995
10	Application of Jean Piaget Psychological Theory in Folk Games	Paralkal -9	Tamil Research Scholars Association, School of Tamil Studies, M.K.U., Madurai	Dec. 1995
11	Time in Folk Games	Dhisaihal - Tamilial Aaivu Katturaihal	Madhi Publications, Madurai,	Dec. 1995
12	Creativity of Children	Aaivu Chinthanaihal	Iyentamil Aaivalar Manram Madurai,	Jan 1996

13	Folk Games and Politics	Tamilial Aaivu	International Society for Tamil Cultural Studies (ISTCS), Madurai,	June 1996
14	A Theory of Socialization	Kalam-1	Folklore Researchers Association, Thanjavur,	Dec. 1996
15	Folk Games & Modernisation	Aaivu Chinthanaihal	Iyentamil Aaivalar Manram, Madurai,	Mar. 1997
16	Folk Games & War	Tamilial Aaivu	International Society for Tamil Cultural Studies (ISTCS), Madurai	1997
17	Present & Future Position of Folk Crafts	Folk Crafts on Tamil Nadu	CENTAFORE, Dept. of Folklore, M.K.U., Madurai	2000
18	Worship of Emadharman (God of Death)	Worship and Festivals of Village Deities"	Project on Gender: Folklore and Tribals, Lady Doak College, Madurai	2002
19	Kattunayakkan (Tribe)	Tribes of South Tamilnadu	Project on Gender: Folklore and Tribals, Lady Doak College, Madurai	2003
20	Gender in Folk Games	Nilaitu valum Nithilangalum Ninaivu Nathiyin Pathivugalam	Dept. of Tamil, Lady Doak College, Madurai	2008
21	Teaching Methods of Folklore	Tamil Literature – Teaching and Learning	Dept. of Tamil, Lady Doak College, Madurai	2009
22	Gender in Folk Ballads	Aaivu Chinthanaihal	Iyentamil Aaivalar Manram, Madurai	2009
23	Arinagar Annas Short stories	The life and Works of C. N Annadurai	Mylum Parimalavel Research centre, Villupuram.	2009
24	Aesthetic Style in Thanneer Dhesam Novel	Vairamuthu Aaivukkalanjiyam	Mannar Thirumalai Nayakkar College, Madurai	2009
25	Sigmund Freud's Theory and Folklore	Aaivu Chinthanaihal	Iyentamil Aaivalar Manram, Madurai	2010

26	Pulam peyarnthor padaippuhalil vilaiyattu pathivugal	Pulamparthor Padaipukalil Seviyal Illakiyankalin Thakkam	International institute of Tamil studies, Tharamani, Chennai	2014
27	Folkgames and culture	Ulaga tamiliyal Aaivugal	International institute of Tamil studies, Chennai	2014
28	Folkgames and Recreations	Aaivu Chinthanaihal	lyntamil Aaivalar Manram, Madurai	2014
29	Ancient Tamil Games and its Changes	Manattu Malar - 12th International Tamil Conference, 40 anniversary of IMTC	International movement of Tamil Culture, Europe union.	2014
30	Changes of Lifestyle in Semi Nomadics	Aaivu Chinthanaihal	lyntamil Aaivalar Manram, Madurai	2015
31	Folkgames and Environment	Aaivu Chinthanaihal	lyntamil Aaivalar Manram, Madurai	2016
32	Non verbal communication in sangam lyrics	Aaivu Chinthanaihal	lyntamil Aaivalar Manram, Madurai	2017
33	Panaividili pathivugal	Intamil Aaivu Shanlax pannattu tamiliyal aaividhazh	Inthamizh Aaivu Manra Veliyeedu, Madurai, ISBN: 978-93-87102- 47-7 UGC Approved journal No. 40729. Impact Factor: 2.045	2017
34	Kakkaicchoru – Maatru Uraiyaadal	Kavikkovin Kavithaiveli	Shanlax pannattu tamiliyal aaividhazh – Kaalandidhazh, Madurai, ISBN:978-93-87102- 47-7	2018
35	Realism in Short stories	Shanlax International Journal of Tamil Research	Shanlax International Journal of Tamil Research, A peer reviewed Scholarly Indexed Quarterly Journal, Vol.4, P-ISSN: 2454-3993, Impact Factor:3085	2020

Paper presented in the Seminars & Conferences: 9

S.No	Title of the Paper	Conference/Seminar/Workshop	Organised by	Date & Year
1	Ornaments & Protective Beliefs	Tamil seminar	International Society for Tamil Cultural Studies (ISTCS), Madurai	June 1992
2	Teaming out in Folk Games	Fossils- Second All India annual Conference	FRRC, St.Xavier's College, Palayamkottai.	March 1993
3	Expression of Power in Folk Games	Three days Tamil Seminar	International Society for Tamil Cultural Studies, Kodaikanal	June 1993
4	Socialization in Folk Games	One day seminar Folk Games	Dept. of Folklore Tamil University, Thanjavur	March 1996
5	Chellayi Amman	Sanangalin Samikal six days seminar on Folk Deities	FRRC St.Xavier's College Palayamkottai	Feb. 8-13, 1999
6	Present and Future position of Folk crafts	One day seminar	CENTAFORE Dept. of Folklore Madurai Kamaraj University	July 28, 2000
7.	Folklore Learning and Teaching	Two days National Seminar	Dept of Tamil, Lady Doak College, Madurai	March 2009
8.	Games in Ancient Literature (As a Resource Person)	National Seminar	Central Institute of Classical Tamil Language, Chennai and M.V.M. Govt.Arts College, Dindigul	Feb. 1-3, 2012
9.	silambu kaattum Maduraiyum indraiya Maduraiyum	International Conference	Classical poetry and a celebration of Tamils' Life Style, Leyton E15 1DT, London	17.09.2016

Participation of Seminars /Conferences/Workshops:

S.No	Title of Conference/ Seminar/ Workshop	Level	Organised by	Year
1.	Tamil Folkloristics	Regional	Folklore Resources and Research Centre, St.Xavier's College, Palayamkottai	June 27- July 24, 1994.
2.	Workshop on Ethnomusicology	Regional	Folklore Resources and Research Centre, St.Xavier's College, Palayamkottai	March 31- April 1, 1995
3.	FOSSILS Conference	National	Dept. of Kannada, Mangalore University & FOSSILS, Trivandrum at Mangalore	Oct. 1-3, 1998.
4.	Workshop on Tamil Grammar	Regional	Dept of Tamil, Lady Doak College, Madurai.	December, 1-2, 1998.
5.	Folk Crafts in the Modern World	National	CENTAFORE, Dept. of Folklore Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai	Dec., 16-19, 1998
6.	Gender Issues in Tamil Folklore	National	CENTAFORE, Dept. of Folklore, M.K.U., and Fossils, Trivandrum	May 11 & 12, 1999
7.	Workshop on Folk Crafts	Regional	CENTAFORE, M.K.U., Madurai	July 30-31, 1998
8.	Folk Crafts in the Indian Context	Regional	CENTAFORE, Dept. of Folklore, M.K.U., Madurai	July 19-26,1999
9.	Gender Issues in Indian Folklore	National	CENTAFORE, Dept. of Folklore, M.K.U., Madurai	Dec., 21-23, 1999
10.	Material Culture and Gender Issues	Regional	CENTAFORE, Dept. of Folklore, M.K.U., Madurai	Oct. 23 & 24, 2000
11.	Ethnic Identity Gender and Oral Narrative	Regional	CENTAFORE, Dept. of Folklore, M.K.U., Madurai	Dec. 21-23, 2000
12.	Folklore and Gender	Regional	CENTAFORE, Dept. of Folklore, M.K.U., Madurai	January 29-Feb.7, 2001
13.	Workshop on Videography	Regional	Marupakkam & CESCO, Madurai	August 14-16, 2002
14.	Workshop on Gender Just Education-Phase-I	National	Centre for Women's Studies, Lady Doak College, Madurai	November 17-19, 2005.

15.	Workshop on Gender Just Education-Phase-II	National	Centre for Women's Studies, Lady Doak College, Madurai	May 2-4,2006
16.	"E-Learning in women studies"	Regional	Centre for Women's Studies, Avinasilingam Deemed University, Coimbatore	24-25, May 2006
17.	Gender and Development	Regional	Centre for Women's Studies, Lady Doak College, Madurai	6-7, June, 2006
18.	Workshop on "Being an Effective Teacher"	Regional	Centre for Human Resources Development, Lady Doak College, Madurai	June 2006
19	Workshop on "Teaching Women's Studies"	Regional	Centre for Women's Studies, Lady Doak College, Madurai	26 th & 27 th Sep. 2006
20.	Workshop on "Women's Studies Epistemology, Pedagogy, Methodology"	Regional	Centre for Women's Studies, Lady Doak College, Madurai	1 st & 2 nd Dec. 2006
21.	Workshop on 'Challenges on integrating Action and Research in Women's studies'	Regional	Centre for Women's Studies, Lady Doak College, Madurai	20 th & 21 st Feb.2007
22.	UGC workshop on "Capacity building of women Manager in Higher Education – Non Residential"	Regional	Centre for Women's Studies, Lady Doak College, Madurai	14 th – 18 th March 2007
23.	UGC workshop on "Capacity building of women Manager in Higher Education"	Regional	Centre for Women's Studies, Lady Doak College, Madurai	19 th – 23 rd November 2007
24.	Computer Tamil	-	Dept of Tamil, Lady Doak College, Madurai	28.08.2009
25.	Workshop on "Teaching Women's Studies"	Regional	Centre for Women's Studies, Lady Doak College, Madurai	03.02.2010
26.	UGC-CPE Workshop on Preservation of Artifacts	State	Govt Museum, Chennai & Gandhi Museum, Madurai	26 th -28 th April 2011

27.	One day seminar on Sanga ilakkiyathil sutruchoolaliyal	-	Dept of Tamil, Lady Doak College, Madurai	23.02.2012
28.	Workshop on Conflict resolution and peace building	-	Centre for religion and interfaith relatios, Lady Doak College, Madurai	09.03.2012-10.03.2012
29.	Workshop on Tamil and Computer	-	Dept of Tamil, Lady Doak College, Madurai	23.07.2012-24.07.2012
30.	Sanga ilakkiya thedal	-	Dept of Tamil, Lady Doak College, Madurai	22.08.2012
31.	Workshop on Interfaith Relation	National	Lady Doak College, Madurai	02 & 03. 10. 2012
32.	Workshop on Teaching tamil language through information technology	-	Dept of Tamil, Lady Doak College, Madurai	23.09.2013
33.	Workshop on A Role of Tamil Professor in developing the creative skills of the students	-	Mannar Thirumalai nayakkar College, Madurai	08.10.2013
34.	Influence of Classical Literature in Immigrant Literature	International Conference	Central Institute of Classical Language, World Tamil Research Institute Chennai and Dept. of Tamil, Lady Doak College, Madurai	09.12.2013-11.12.2013
35.	Heritage of River Vaigai from Literary and Historical Perspectives	Regional Seminar	Departments of Tamil and History, Lady Doak College, Madurai	04.03.2015
36.	Seminar on Migrants in Tamil literature	International	World Tamil Association and Sri Ramasamy Naidu Memorial college, Satur	05.12.2015
37.	Oppiyal Nokkil Chevviyal	International Conference	Departments of Tamil and English, Lady Doak College,	15.12.2015-17.12.2015

	Ilakkiyangal		Madurai	
38	Training Program on Teaching Archaeology	Regional	Department of History, Lady Doak College, Madurai	05.02.2018 - 08.02.2018.
39	Water Resources in Tamilnadu - Historical Environmental Perspectives	National	Dept of History, Lady Doak College, Madurai	30.01.2018-31.01.2018
40.	Workshop on ICT Tools for Teaching	Regional	Centre for communication and Multimedia, Lady Doak College, Madurai	10.01.2019
41.	Workshop on New Techniques in Evaluation Method	Regional	Dept of Tamil, Lady Doak College, Madurai	04.02.2019-05.02.2019
42.	Seminar on Teaching Techniques in Tamil Grammar	International	Dept of Tamil, Lady Doak College, Madurai-2	07.02.2019
43.	Seminar on Marine Archaeology	Regional	Dept of History, Lady Doak College, Madurai	21.02.2019
44.	Seminar on Ezhuthum Sollum	Regional	Centre of Tamil Research, Lady Doak College, Madurai	16.08.2019
45.	Workshop on Writing Project Proposal and Finding Funding Agencies	Regional	Department of Tamil, Lady Doak College, Madurai	22.10.2019.
46.	Workshop on Writing Successful Research Article and Publication	Regional	Research and Development Cell, Lady Doak College, Madurai	06.10.2021
47.	Faculty Training Program on Art History	Regional	Department of History, Lady Doak College, Madurai,	07 & 08.02.2022.

Organized Programmes

- ❖ Organized Two days Documentary Film Festival at Lady Doak College on March 2012.
- ❖ Organized Ten days Workshop on Tholkappiam marabuvallipparvaiyum mozhiyiyal paarvaiyum, Collaboration with Central institute of Classical Tamil, Chennai at LDC on Feb 2013
- ❖ Organized Intercollegiate competitions 'TAMILVANAM' – Literary Day of Tamil Department on 3 years from 2014 - 2017
- ❖ Organized Jane Mangalam Endowment Lecture on 22.08.2019 to Tamil Department, Lady Doak College, Madurai
- ❖ Organized one day OSS Trip – PASUMAI NADAI for First year Major students to kodumbaaloor, kudumiyan malai, chithannavasal and vijayalaya choleechuvaram on 2019
- ❖ Organized one day OSS trip for First year Major students to Thanjavore Prahadeeswarar Temple, Tharasuram and Gangai konda cholapuram on 2020.
- ❖ Organized one day OSS trip for First & second year M.A students to Vasudeva nalloor, Srivilliputhur on 2022.