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## EDUCATION

COCHIN UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, KOCHI, KERALA, INDIA

**Ph.D.** under the faculty of Social Sciences (subject area: Economics)

Title of the thesis: “MGNREGS – Its Impact on Women Empowerment in Kerala”(Award effective from 28 March 2018)

COCHIN UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, KOCHI, KERALA, INDIA

**M.Phil** in Applied Economics, Marks: 72.5% - First class (July 2011)

COCHIN UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY, KOCHI, KERALA, INDIA

**Master of Business Economics**, CGPA: 8.11- First class with Distinction (November 2008)

CHRISTIAN COLLEGE, CHENGANNUR, KERALA, INDIA

**B.Sc. Physics**, Marks: 82.9% (April 2006)

AMMHSS EDAYARANMULA, PATHANAMTHITTA DISTRICT, KERALA, INDIA

**Plus 2** under the Board of Higher Secondary Examination, Government of Kerala, Marks: 73.5% - First class (March 2003)

MATHEWS MAR ATHANASIOUS RESI.SCHOOL, CHENGANNUR

**ICSE 10<sup>th</sup>**, Marks: 81% (March 2001)

## EMPLOYMENT

MAR IVANIOS COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), THIRUVANANTHAPURAM, KERALA

Assistant Professor (on contract), 15.06.2021 till date

- Teaching at the Department of Economics
- Served as faculty adviser for Semester 5 and Semester 6 batches of B.A. Economics during the academic year 2021-22.

SAINTGITS COLLEGE OF APPLIED SCIENCES, PATHAMUTTOM, KOTTAYAM, KERALA, INDIA

Assistant Professor, 21 June 2018 to 22 May 2019

- Taught in the Department of Corporate Economics
- Took classes in B.A. Corporate Economics undergraduate course.

SAINTGITS INSTITUTE OF MANAGEMENT, PATHAMUTTOM, KOTTAYAM, KERALA, INDIA

Adjunct faculty in economics, 21 June 2018 to 31 March 2019

- Taught managerial economics to MBA students.

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING, ADOOR, KERALA, INDIA

Assistant Professor, 01 August 2017 to 12 April 2018

- Taught Business Economics (Kerala Technological University syllabus).
- Took classes for various branches of engineering students.

COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING, KALLOOPPARA, KERALA, INDIA

Assistant Professor, 03 February 2018 to 11 April 2018

- Taught Business Economics (Kerala Technological University syllabus).
- Took class for various branches of engineering students.

NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY CALICUT, KERALA, INDIA

Adhoc faculty in economics at School of Management Studies, 20 December 2016 to 15 May 2017

- Taught Industrial Economics to final year Production Engineering students.
- Taught Engineering Economics to final year Chemical Engineering students.

INDIAN INSTITUTE OF MANAGEMENT KOZHIKODE, KERALA, INDIA

Academic Associate, 12 June 2015 to 30 April 2016 and 06 June 2016 to 17 December 2016

- Assisted the faculty in economics area in conducting their academic activities at the institute.

## **ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENTS**

Maulana Azad National Fellowship for Minority Students to pursue M.Phil and Ph.D

**Qualified the UGC-NET for eligibility for Assistant Professor** held on 3<sup>rd</sup> December 2019 in the subject **Economics**.

## **RESEARCH PUBLICATIONS**

1. MGNREGS- Its Impact on Women Empowerment in Kerala (Pages: 167- 187) published in Journal of Political Economy and Fiscal Federalism (2017) – ISSN 2395-6976
2. MGNREGS and economic Empowerment of Women: Evidence from Kerala, India- published in International Research Journal of Finance and Economics (Issue 140, October 2015)- ISSN 1450-2887 – co-authored with Dr. P.K.Manoj
3. MGNREGS in Kerala: An Empirical study of the Problems and Prospects with a focus on Female beneficiaries (Pages: 63-67) published in Indian Journal of Applied Research (Volume 5, Issue 10, October 2015)- ISSN 2249-555X – co- authored with Dr. P.K.Manoj
4. Impact of MGNREGS on Income Generation: A study of women workers in Chengannur, Kerala (Pages: 31- 35) published in International Journal of Scientific Research (Volume 2, Issue 12, December 2013)- ISSN 2277-8179- co- authored with Dr. P.K. Manoj
5. Rural women’s empowerment through Mahatma Gandhi National Rural Employment Guarantee Scheme: An empirical Study (Pages 269-276) published in Business Sciences International Research Journal (Vol 1, Issue 2, 2013) – ISSN 2321-3191

## **SEMINAR PRESENTATIONS**

1. Presented a paper titled “A Study on women empowerment with special reference to MGNREGS, Kerala” in the National Seminar on : Women empowerment: Issues, Challenges and Prospects” organized by the Post Graduate and Research Department of Economics, N.S.S. Hindu College, Changanacherry in collaboration with Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam on 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> September, 2019.

2. Presented a paper entitled “Prospects of MGNREGA for Inclusive growth in India” in the UGC- Sponsored Two-Day National Seminar on “Inclusive growth: Economic, Institutional and Rights Perspectives”, organized by the Post Graduate and Research Department of Economics, PSG College of Arts and Science, Coimbatore, on 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> March 2013.

### **WORKSHOPS/SEMINARS ATTENDED**

1. ICSSR sponsored 10-day residential course in Research Methodology for Ph.D. scholars organized by the School of Management Studies (SMS), Cochin University of Science and Technology during 16-25 January, 2013.
2. One day workshop on “Early Adulthood: Challenges and Solutions” held on 20<sup>th</sup> March 2014 at the Women’s Studies Centre, Cochin University of Science and Technology, Kerala.
3. Training Workshop on “Quantitative Research and Techniques” conducted by Christ University and the Nodal Office, Thiruvananthapuram on February 25, 26, 27 and 28, 2014.
4. Training workshop on “Writing of research proposals, thesis, reports and papers” conducted by Christ University at the Nodal Office, Thiruvananthapuram on November 15 and 16 2014.
5. 5 days Faculty Orientation Programme on “Microteaching” organized by Saintgits Group of Institutions, Kottayam, from 24<sup>th</sup> to 27<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> July, 2018.
6. One day national Seminar on Petroleum Conservation organized by the Department of Corporate Economics, Saintgits College of Applied Sciences, Kottayam in collaboration with PCRA, Government of India at Saintgits College of Engineering, Kottayam on 12<sup>th</sup> February, 2019.
7. Two-day workshop on Basic Econometric Methods and Applications organized by the Department of Economics, CMS College (Autonomous) on 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> June, 2019.

### **CERTIFICATE COURSES**

1. 30 hours course in Computer fundamentals, Windows OS, MS-Office 2000 and Internet fundamentals at Aptech Computer Education, Chengannur.
2. Participated in web-based course on “Comprehensive Natural Disaster Risk Management Framework” conducted by the World Bank Institute in partnership with the National Institute of Disaster Management from April 6 to May 17, 2009.
3. Successfully completed ‘Career Planning: resume/CV, cover letter, interview’, an online non-credit course authorized by National Research Tomsk University and offered through Coursera (December 20, 2020).