**CURRICULUM VITAE**

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PERSONAL INFORMATION

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OBJECTIVE AND CAREER GOAL

“Emerging an energetic and sociable individual with the noble intention of sharing knowledge, experiences and skills gained through the academic achievements to the country and the society”

EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATION

2015 - PhD in Hindu Civilization, Faculty of Graduate Studies, University of Jaffna

(,yq;ifapy; KUf topghL – fpof;fpyq;if KUf topghl;L Kiwikfs; gw;wpa rpwg;gha;T)

The effective date of the Degree is 16th of October 2015.

2008 - M.phil in Hindu Civilization Faculty of Graduate Studies, University of Jaffna

(kl;lf;fsg;G khtl;lj;jpy; Mfkk; rhu;e;j Mfkk; rhuj rf;jp topghL – Xu; xg;gPl;L Ma;T)

The effective date of the Degree is 03th of October 2008.

2004 – B.A Eastern University, Sri lanka. The effective date of the Degree is 27th may

1997 -1999 – Senior secondary, Bt/Batticaloa Hindu College

1. Hinduism – Distinction Pass 2. Political Science - Distinction Pass

3. Hindu civilization – Very Good Pass 4. Tamil - Very Good Pass

WORK HISTORY

From 2018 – Senior Lecturer in in Hindu Civilization, Department of Hindu Civilization, Eastern University, Sri Lanka.

2017 - Lecturer (Unconfirmed) in Hindu Civilization, Department of Hindu Civilization, Eastern University, Sri Lanka.

2005 - 2017 - Graduate Teacher – Provincial Educational Department, Eastern Province.

2004 – 2005 - Temporary Tutor in Hindu civilization, Eastern University, Sri Lanka.

2000 – 2001 - Trainee for contract basis in People’s Bank at the Eravur Branch

2009 – 2014 - Visiting Lecturer in Hindu Civilization, Eastern University, Sri lanka.

PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATION

1. **Induction Programme for Academic Staff**, conducted by the Staff Development Center, Eastern University, Sri lanka January to April, 2018,
2. **Post graduate Diploma in Education,** TheOpen University of Sri lanka, on 01st June 2009.
3. **Office Management,** Extra Mural Studies Unit, Eastern University, Sri Lanka, from 01.03.2003 to 05.07.2003.

RESEARCH AND PUBLICATIONS

1. **Sister R.S.Subbulatchumi's Role in the Renaissance of Hindu Community : A special study based on the Educational standard of Tamil Nadu women in 19th and 20th Centuries,** Published in the Indian Journal of Tamil https://asianresassoc.org/ Vol 4 Iss1 2023 (P. 1-12) on 09 February 2023.
2. **kl;lf;fsg;G Njrj;J topghl;L kuGfspy; gj;jjpfs;: fd;dd;Flh fz;zifak;kd; gj;jjpia mbg;gilahff; nfhz;l rpwg;gha;T.** Presented and Published in 1st International Hindu Conference (JUICE-2022) Organized by the Faculty of Hindu Studies, University of Jaffna, Sri lanka. On 16th September 2022.
3. **MWKfehtyupd; ghyghlq;fs; fhl;Lk; tpOkparpe;jidfs;: ,uz;lhk; ghyghlj;ij mbg;gilahff; nfhz;l rpwg;gha;T** Presented and Published in 3rd International Research Conference on Tamil ology Organized by the Department of Tamil University of Jaffna, Sri lanka. On 03rd Agust 2022.
4. A comparative perspective of fact in Thirukkural and Thiruvarutpayan Published in the Indian Journal of Tamil https://asianresassoc.org/ Vol 3 Iss3 2022(P.1-4) on 09 June 2022.
5. **,yq;ifj; jkpoupd; gz;ghl;L gupkhzq;fspy; kfhftp Rg;gpukzpa ghujpahu;** Research paper was presented in Bharathi Centenary Ceremony, Organized by Pondicherry University Subramaniya Bharathi School of Tamil Language & Literature, Anandaranga Krishnasamy Amsammal Foundation, KPR college of Arts and Research & International Research Journal of Tamil was held on 27/28/29 th September 2021.
6. Research article titled “ **,yq;ifapy; rpW nja;t topghL: ,e;J> ngsj;j rka kuGfis mbg;gilahff; nfhz;l Xu; xg;gpay; Nehf;F.** published in the International Research Journal of Tamil, IOR PRESS Vol.3 Iss 4  On 15 September 2021: 99 - 107
7. Research article titled **“ <oj;J ,e;J ,yf;fpa kugpy; fz;zfp tof;Fiu: ghj;jpu thu;g;Gfs; gw;wpa rpy mtjhdq;fs**;. published in the International Refereed Journal of Tamil Studies Research (IRJTSR)Vol.3 Iss 3 on July to September 2021: 50 - 57
8. Research article titled **“ ghujpahupd; Njhj;jpug;ghly;fs; fhl;Lk; mwtpay; - Xu; Ma;T)** presented and published in the magazine of Annual Research session, organized by the faculty of Arts and Culture, Eastern University, Sri Lanka, 0n 20 October 2020.
9. Research article titled **“ Nrhog;ngUNte;ju; fhyr; irt kugpy; KUf topghL – Xu; Ma;T>** presented and published in 1st International research conference on Tamilology, organized by the Department of Tamil, University of Jaffna, Sri lanka on 10th ,11th January 2020.
10. Research article titled **“ ,uhkfpU];z ,af;fg;gzpfspy; Nkiyehl;Lg; ngz;fspd; tfpghfk; (rNfhjup epNtjpijia Kd;dpiyg; gLj;jpa rpwg;gha;T)** presented and published in Annual research session, organized by the faculty of Arts and culture, Eastern University, Sri Lanka, 0n 19 December 2019.
11. Research article titled **“ rpj;jhz;b KUfd; Nfhapy;”** published in souvenir in the annual research session, Department of Hindu Religious and cultural affairs, Ministry of National official languages, Social progress and Hindu Religious affairs, on 18th ,19th October 2019 in Colombo.
12. Research article titled **“ jhe;jhkiyapy; ehfupd; topghl;Lr;rpd;dq;fs;”** presented and published in the annual research session, Department of Hindu Religious and cultural affairs, Ministry of National official languages, Social progress and Hindu Religious affairs, on 18th ,19th October 2019 in Colombo.
13. Research article titled **“kl;lf;fsg;G ehl;lhu; topghl;L ,yf;fpaq;fs; fhl;Lk; gy;Yapu;g; NgZjy; (rlq;Fg; ghly;fis mbg;gilahff; nfhz;l Ma;T)”** Presented and published in the International Research Conference of Inter Religious Scholars Forum Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai, on 21 February 2019.
14. Edited the book named “**jpUg;gilf; Nfhapy;fs; kPjhd gpuge;jq;fs;”** published by department of Hindu Religious & Cultural Affairs, Colombo in 2018.
15. Research article **titled “mwnewpf;fhyj; jkpofg; gz;ghl;L kugpy; KUff; flTs; (rpyg;gjpfhuj;ij mbg;gilahff; nfhz;l Ma;T)** Presented & published in the 3rd International Research Conference of Trincomalee Campus Eastern University, Sri Lanka on 16th & 17th August 2018.
16. Research article **titled “jpUg;gilf; Nfhapy;fspd; tuyhWk; ehl;lhu; tof;fhw;wpay; %yq;fSk;”,** presented and published in the Fourth International Conference on Murugabakthi organized by Thirumurugan Thiruvakku Thirupeedam and Department of Hindu Religious & Cultural Affairs from 2nd to 5th August 2018.
17. Research article titled **“,yq;ifapy; KUf topghL: xU tuyhw;wpay; Nehf;F (fp.gp.15 Mk; E}w;whz;L tiuf;Fkhd fhyg;gFjpia mbg;gilahff; nfhz;l Ma;T)”** published in the faculty journal Neithal, Faculty of Arts and Culture, Eastern University, Sri Lanka in 2018.
18. **fz;zfp tof;Fiuapy; flYk; fly; rhu;e;jitAk;: flNyhl;L fhijia mbg;gilahff; nfhz;l Ma;T** (**Sea and Marine in Kannaki Valakkurai: A study with Special Reference to Kadalottu Kaathai**) Research paper was published in 4th International Seminar was held on 6th March 2018, Madurai Kamaraj University, Madurai.
19. **kl;lf;fsg;G topghl;L kuGfspy; ngz;fspd; tfpghfk; - gj;jjp topghl;L Kiwia ikag;gLj;jpa Ma;T** (**The Role of Women in the Batticaloa Worship Traditions – A Study with Special Reference to Patthathi Worship**) Research paper was presented in International Seminar was held on 29th and 30th November 2017, University of Jaffna, Sri Lanka.
20. **fpof;fpyq;if topghl;L kuGfSk; rk];fpUj kakhjYk; - kl;.n[ae;jpGuk; Fkhuj;jd; Nfhapiy ikag;gLj;jpa Ma;T** (**Worship Tradition and Sanskritization in the Eastern Part of Sri Lanka - A Study with Special Reference to Bt.Jeyanthipuram Kumarathan Temple**) Research paper was presented in Annual Research Seminar was held on 29th and 30th October 2017, Eastern University, Sri Lanka.
21. **aho; E}y; cUthf;fj;jpy; fz;zfp tof;Fiuapd; tfpghfk;** (**The Role of Kannaki** **Valakkurai in the Making of Yarl Nool**) Research paper was presented for ‘Swami Vipulananda Conference’ Organized by Department of Hindu Religious & Cultural Affairs on 04th to 06th October 2017.
22. **aho; E}y; fhl;Lk; aho; tiffs;** (**Types of Yarl Revealed in ‘Yarl Nool**) Research paper was presented in Swami Vipulananda 125th Memorial Day Organized by Department of Hindu Civilization, was held on 31th July 2017, Eastern University, Sri Lanka.
23. **ngupaGuhzk; fhl;Lk; rptdJ jpUf;fhl;rpfs;** (**Shiva’s Postures Revealed in Periyapuranam**) Research paper was presented for ‘Thirumuraiyum Saiva Thiruneriyum’ Organized by Department of Hindu Religious & Cultural Affairs on 04th to 05th April 2017.
24. **jpUtpilf;fopj; jpUtpirg;ghtpy; KUff; flTs;** Research paper was presented for ‘Thirumuraiyum Saiva Thiruneriyum’ Organized by Department of Hindu Religious & Cultural Affairs June 2016.

Book Publication

1. Edited the Book named “Nfhapw;Guhzk;” Published by the Department of Hindu Religious & Cultural Affairs on 14.12.2022.
2. Edited the Book named “NrJGuhzk;” Published by the Department of Hindu Religious & Cultural Affairs on 14.12.2022.
3. Edited the Book named “MWKfehtyupd; jdpg;ghkhiy” Published by the Department of Hindu Religious & Cultural Affairs on 14.12.2022.
4. Edited the Journal named “gz;ghL” Vol 28 Iss 01 2022 Published by the Department of Hindu Religious & Cultural Affairs on 19th March 2022.
5. ,yq;ifj; jkpou; tuyhW - ,izahrpupau;> ,e;Jrka fyhrhu mYty;fs; jpizf;fsk;> nfhOk;G.

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PARTICIPATED TRAINING AND WORKSHOPS

# I was one of the reviewer for International Conference on Multidisciplinary Research - 2023 (ICMR - 2023) 4th January 2023.

1. I was one of the reviewer(kl;lf;fsg;G khtl;lj;jpy; Mfkk; rhuh topghl;by; gad;gLj;jg;gLk; thj;jpaq;fs;) 1st International Hindu Conference -2022 organized by the Faculty of Hindu Studies, University of Jaffna, Sri Lanka on 16th September 2022.
2. I was one of the reviewer(fhydpj;Jt Ml;rpapd; kl;lf;fsg;G irtf;Nfhapy;fSk; mit kPJ vOe;j gpuge;jq;fSk;- Xu; Ma;T) 1st International Hindu Conference -2022 organized by the Faculty of Hindu Studies, University of Jaffna, Sri Lanka on 16th September 2022.
3. I was one of the reviewer(irtrpj;jhe;j Nehf;fpy; md;krpw;rf;jpg; gpukhzk;) 1st International Hindu Conference -2022 organized by the Faculty of Hindu Studies, University of Jaffna, Sri Lanka on 16th September 2022.
4. I was one of the reviewer 5th International Research Symposium -2022 organized by the Swamy Vipulananda Institute of Aesthetic Studies, Eastern University 2022.
5. Appointment as a Resource Person seminar for the teachers of Hindu Civilization organized by the Ministry of Education, on 19th Agust 2022.
6. Participated as a Resource person in the seminar for Hindu Dharmachcharyar Students on 25th, 26th of July in 2020 held at Navatkudah Hindu Cultural center Batticaloa, organized by the Department of Hindu Religious and Cultural Affairs Colombo.
7. Participated as a Resource person in the seminar for Hindu Dharmachcharyar Students on 01st, 2nd of August in 2020 held at Swami Vipulananda Hall, Karaitivu, organized by the Department of Hindu Religious and Cultural Affairs Colombo
8. Participated in the Training Programme on test construction and Assessment conducted by the Department of Examination, Sri lanka,( The Programme covered: The principles of testing Bloom’s Taxonomy and table of specifications writing effective M.C.Qs and Essay type Questions code of ethics for test Developers) held on 06th and 07th February 2020.
9. Participated in the workshop to re editing on Hindu Encyclopedia conducted by the Department of Hindu Religious and Cultural Affairs, Colombo, held on 10th &11th December 2019.
10. Participated in the workshop to Compilation of new text book (Saivanery – Grade 11) for the year 2019 on the dates of 10, 11 October 2019 at Educational Publications Department, Battaramulla.
11. I was one of the speaker to the History and Evidences of Trincomalee tamils titled on “Origins and their maintenance Related with history and culture of Eastern Sri lanka”(fpof;fpyq;ifapd; tuyhW> gz;ghL njhlu;ghd %yq;fSk; mtw;wpd; NgZifAk;), held on 06th October 2019, organized by the Tamil Social Activists Network, Trincomalee.
12. Participated in the workshop to Compilation of new text book (Saivanery – Grade 05) for the year 2019 on the dates of 26 & 27 September 2019 at Educational Publications Department, Battaramulla.
13. Memorial Lecture - “ Contribution of Pandit V.C. Kandaiah In Documenting Hindu Cultural Practices of Batticaloa Region ( kl;lf;fsg;G Njrj;J ,e;Jg; gz;ghL gw;wpa gjpTfspy; gz;bju; tp.fp.fe;ijahtpd; gq;fspg;G) organized by Art and Literature Association, Mandur, held at Swami Vipulananda Institution of Aesthetics Studies( SVIAS) EUSL, Kallady on 14.07.2019.
14. Participated as a Resource person in the seminar for G.C.E (A\L) Students on 02, 09 and 16 of June and on 13 of July in 2019 at BT/Magiladitivu Saraswathi Maha Vidyalayam, Kokkadichcholai, Batticaloa.
15. Guest Lecture – “South Asian Religions and Thoughts on Ethics” P.G & Research Department of Arabic, Jamal Mohamed college, Thirucheerapalli on 20th February 2019.
16. Participated in the workshop to Compilation of new text book (Saivanery – Grade 10) for the year 2019 on the dates of 09, 10 October 2018 at South Eastern University, organized by Educational Publications Department, Battaramulla.
17. Participated in the workshop to Compilation of new text book (Saivanery – Grade 10) for the year 2019 on the dates of 21, 22 September 2018 at Educational Publications Department, Battaramulla.
18. Participated as a Resource person in the seminar for A\L Students on 02, 09 and 16 of June and on 07, 14 of July in 2018 at BT/ Magiladitivu Saraswathi Maha Vidyalayam, Kokkadichcholai, Batticaloa. Organized by Zonal Educationa office Batticaloa West.
19. Participated in the workshop to Compilation of new text book (Saivanery – Grade 10) for the year 2018 on the dates of 21, 22 April 2018 at Educational Publications Department, Battaramulla.
20. I was one of the Co-Chairperson the International Saiva Conference, Organized by the Department of Hindu Civilization, University of Jaffna held on 22.04.2017.
21. I was one of the reviewer 4th International Conference (ICCM) – 2017, Organized by Faculty of Management Studies & Commerce , University of Jaffna, held on 25th and 26th of July 2017.
22. I was one of the reviewer Annual research session of Eastern University, Sri Lanka, held on 12th – 13th October 2017.
23. I was one of the reviewer the twenty second annual conference and International seminar – 2017 Organized by the Faculty of Arts, University of Jaffna held on 28th, 29th and 30th of November 2017.

POSITIONS HELD

1. Election of the Dean, Faculty of Arts and Culture, EUSL, for period of Three years with effect from 02.12.2022.
2. Appointed as a Head, Department of Hindu Civilization, FAC,EUSL, for period from 01.01.2021 to 01.12.2022.
3. Appointed as a Student Counselor at the Faculty of Arts and Culture for a Period of one year with effect from 03.01.2022.
4. Appointed as a Mentor to Supervise the Learning agreements of Induction Programme for Academic staff 2021, SDC,EUSL.
5. Appointed as a Member to CV evaluation committee for the Department of Languages under AHEAD \_ RIC project.
6. Appointed as a Coordinator to ARS -2022, Faculty of Arts and Culture, EUSL.
7. Appointed as a Member to Advisory Board, Department of Hindu Religious and Affairs, Colombo, for period of Three years with effect from 01.01.2022.
8. Appointed as a Student Counselor at the Faculty of Arts & Culture, for a period of one year with effect from 19.08.2020.

1. Appointed as a Student Counselor at the Faculty of Arts & Culture, for a period of one year with the effect from 25.01.2019. that my appointment has been extended for three months with effect from 25.01.2020
2. Appointed as a Student Counselor at the Faculty of Arts and Culture, for a period of one year with effect from 25.01.2019.
3. Appointed as a Member for the Bid Opening Committee, Faculty of Arts and Culture, Eastern University, Sri Lanka, On 26.04.2017.
4. Appointed as a Member for the Bid Opening Committee, Faculty of Arts and Culture, Eastern University, Sri Lanka, On 31.05.2017.

OTHER ACTIVITIES

1. Participated as a Resource person in the Discussion - **Mruga Worship in Srilanka in Sri lanka -** held on 13Th March in 2021 held at organized by the Sri Lanka broadcasting Corporation
2. Member for Editorial Committee for the Panpadu Referee Journal conducted by the Department of Hindu Religious and Cultural Affairs, Colombo, December 2020.
3. Member of the committee for the Annual Research Symposium-organized by the Faculty of Arts& Culture, Eastern University, Sri Lanka, On 20th October 2020.
4. Member of the Advisory Board for the Activity of Department of Hindu Religious and Cultural Affairs, Colombo
5. Member of the committee for the Annual Research Symposium-organized by the Faculty of Arts& Culture, Eastern University, Sri Lanka, On 19th December 2020.
6. Member for Editorial Committee for the Hindu Encyclopedia conducted by the Department of Hindu Religious and Cultural Affairs, Colombo, held on 10th &11th December 2019.
7. Member of the panel of Hindu Academic Board for the compilation of saivanery textbook (Grade 5) which is to be distributed to school under the new revision of syllabi in the year 2019 at Educational Publications Department, Battaramulla.
8. Member of the panel of Hindu Academic Board for the compilation of saivanery textbook (Grade 11) which is to be distributed to school under the new revision of syllabi in the year 2019 at Educational Publications Department, Battaramulla.
9. Member of the organized committee for the workshop on the theme of Psychology and Mental Health, Resource person Prof.Sundhar Balasubramaniyan, University of South Carolina, U.S.A., organized by Department of Hindu Civilization, Eastern University, Sri Lanka, On 06th February 2019.
10. Involving in writing up of the ‘Self Evaluation Report’ for the programme Review on “General Degree Programme” Faculty of Arts & Culture, Eastern University, Sri Lanka.
11. Member for Editorial Committee for Grade 10 Saivanery text book in the year of 2018 in the Educational Publications Department, Colombo.
12. Member for organizing committee for the memorial programme to late Mr.Kandaiya Neelakandan, Organized by Department of Hindu Civilization, Eastern University, Sri Lanka, On 03rd October 2018.
13. Member of organizing committee for the Exhibition on the theme of Monuments & Museum, organized by Department of Hindu Civilization, Eastern University, Sri Lanka, On 02nd August 2018.
14. Member of organizing committee for the Spiritual Talk by Arulmigu Kashi Vizaladshi Channithanam Thiruvidaththu Periyaval Siddaha R.Muththuramamoorthi, Organized by Department of Hindu Civilization, Eastern University, Sri Lanka, On 31st May 2018.
15. I was one of the Committee members the Swami Vipulananda 125th Memorial Day Research Seminar, Organized by the Department of Hindu Civilization, Eastern University, Sri Lanka and Assistant with All Ceylon Hindu Congress held on 20.07.2017.

LANGUAGE AND COMPUTER SKILLS

* Fluency in **English, Tamil** languages (Reading, Writing & Spoken)
* Can operate various software such as MS-word, MS-excel**,** Paint, power point, MS-Dos and MS-Access

NON- RELATED REFREE

1. PROF.S.PATHMANATHAN 2. PROF.S.MAUNAGURU

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I do hereby certify that above information furnished by me are true and correct best of my knowledge

Signature: **……………………** Date**: …………………**

(V.Gunapalasingam)