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#### **EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS**

Ph.D. (Tamil), Bharathiar University, Coimbatore.

M.Phil. (Tamil), Bharathiar University, Coimbatore.

## **ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE**

- Assistant Professor, Department of Tamil, School of Social Sciences and Humanities, Central University of Tamil Nadu, Thiruvarur, June 2013- till now.
- Assistant Professor (on contract), Department of Tamil, School of Social Sciences and Humanities, Central University of Tamil Nadu, Thiruvarur, August 2012 to May 2013.

#### **RESEARCH EXPERIENCE**

 Post-Doctoral Research, Central Institute of Classical Tamil, Chennai, February 2010 to August 2012.

## **AWARDS & RECOGNITON**

- Presidential Young Scholar Award for Classical Tamil Research, Central Institute of Classical Tamil, Chennai, 2015.
- Tamizh Nithi Award, KambanKazhagam, Chennai, 2015.
- Valar Tamil Award, Tamil Perayam, SRM University, Chennai, 2013.
- Workshop Grant: Received Financial Grant Rs. 2,22,000/ to organize the event Three-Day Workshop on Communicative Skills in Tamil language to Non-Tamil Students by the Departments of Tamil and English Studies, Central University of Tamil Nadu in collaboration with Bharatiya Bhasha Samiti, Ministry of Education, Government of India, December 15-17, 2022.

## **RESEARCH INTERESTS**

Classical and Modern Tamil Literary and Cultural domains with multidisciplinary and Transdisciplinary Perspectives:

- Tinai Poetics, Ecopoetics
- Comparative Poetics
- Marginal Studies

## **RESEARCH STUDENTS**

Ph.D students: Completed: 01 Ongoing: 03

PG students : Completed:15 Ongoing: 03

## **PUBLICATIONS:**

## **A, BOOK PUBLICATIONS:**

#### • Author:

- 1. KovaiGnani Tamil Marxiyar, PUDHUPUNAL Publications, Chennai, 2018.
- 2. ThinaiyunarParuvam, PUDHUPUNAL Publications, Chennai, 2017.
- 3. Thinaiveli, PUDHUPUNAL Publications, Chennai, 2012.
- 4. ThinaikKotpadum Tamil Kavithaiyiyalum, KAAVYA Publications, Chennai, 2010.

# • Editor& Co-editor of Books:

- 1. Peimozhi, MalathiMaithriKavithaikal (Editor), ETHIR Publications, Pollachi, 2022.
- 2. *KovaiGnaniyinThiranaivuNeri* (Co-editor), PUDHUPUNAL Publications, Chennai, 2019.
- 3. *Gnaniyiyam* (Co-editor), KAAVYA Publications, Chennai, 2015.

## B, CHAPTER IN EDITED BOOKS&PAPER PUBLISHED IN CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS:

- 1. *ThinaiKotpadum Tamil Kavithaiyiyalum*, Tamil Kavithaiyiyal, Sahitya Akademi, New Delhi, 2021.
- 2. *ValuvamaithiyumKavithaiyiyalum*, Perunthen, National Seminar on Classical Tamil Research, Central University of Tamil Nadu, Thiruvarur, 2020.
- 3. Tolkappiya Nerikku Otha Aaivukalin Meel Thevai Allathu Orunginaintha Paarvai meeteduppukkaana Munnurai, BharathiPuthiran- Vanangalai Valarthu Sellum Peraru, Thadagam Publications, Chennai, 2020.
- 4. TolkappiyatinThanithanmaiNiruvalilPerasiriyarinPangalippu: Cheyyuliyalai Munvaithu, TamilMozhi IlakkiyaAaivinVirinthaParappumEthirkalapPokkum, All India Tamil Linguistic Association & Puthakka Tamil Linguistics Association, 2018.
- 5. The Relationship between time and space, and culture in Classical Tamil Poetry, 4<sup>th</sup> International Symposium on Asian Language and Literatures: Understanding Culture, organized by Erciyes University, Turkey &Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Marathwada University, Aurangabad, 2017.
- 6. Thinai Kotpatin Araviyal, Tamil Ilakkiyathil Neethi, Ulaga Tamil Sangam, 2016.
- 7. Chuzhaliyal Nokil Tamil Chirukathaikal, Karuthu= Pattarai, Madurai, 2012.

## C, JOURNL PUBLICATIONS:

- 1. Chirupanattrupadai: Karuthuruva Arasu Iyanthiratin Azhagiyal Porimurai, MANARKENI, Vol.58, P- 41-49, November, 2022.
- 2. Vallalarin Naveena Mugam Bharathi, PEYAL, Vol.2-1, P-50, 2016.
- 3. Tanjaimozhi Enum Mayayai Neekiya Vandal Setrin Narumanam, PUDHUPUNAL, Vol.8-1, P-10, 2016.

- 4. ThinaiArasiyal, PUDHUPUNAL, Vol.4-1, P-100, 2013.
- 5. *Penmozhiyum Penveliyai Varaiyarukkum Athikara Aanmozhiyum*, KAAVIYA, Vol. 1-3, P-51, 2012.
- 6. ThinaiKotpattu Virivakkam: Sila MathiriAaivukal, CITERDU, Vol.1, P-50, 2011.

# PAPER PRESENTED IN SEMINARS / CONFERENCES/ WORKSHOPS:

#### A, INTERNATIONAL:

- **1.** Tinai Kotpadu- Ulagin Thonmaiyana Soozhaliyal Kotpadu, 11<sup>th</sup> International Conference Seminar on Tamil Studies, organized by International Association of Tamil Research, Institute of Asian Studies, Chennai, July 2023.
- 2. The Relationship between time and space, and culture in Classical Tamil Poetry, 4<sup>th</sup> International Symposium on Asian Language and Literatures: Understanding Culture, organized by Erciyes University, Turkey & Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Marathwada University, Aurangabad, 2017.
- 3. *KalavaliNarpatu*, Classical Summer Seminar, organised by Ecole Francaise d'Extreme-Orient, Pondicherry, August, 2016.
- 4. *Virachoziyam-Porul Part*, Classical Summer Seminar, organised by Ecole Francaised'Extreme-Orient, Pondicherry, August, 2015.
- 5. *Narrinai: Padaverupadum Uraiverupadum*, International Seminar on Reconstructing Classical Tamil Traditions: Global Quest, Organized by Central University of Tamil Nadu & CICT, Chennai, March, 2015.
- 6. *TinaiMayakkam*, Classical Summer Seminar, organised by Ecole Française d'Extreme-Orient, Pondicherry, August, 2014.
- 7. Punainthurai Vazhakkum Kavithaiyiyalum, International Conference on Recent Advances in Linguistics, organized by Bharathiar University and CIIL, December, 2012.

#### **B, NATIONAL:**

- **1.** Contribution of Tamizhavan, National seminar on Tamil Development foundation, University of Madras, Chennai, March, 2022.
- **2.** Pavalarreru S. Balasundaram's Commentary on Agattinaiyiyal and Marabiyal of Tolkappiyam, Online National Seminar on Pavalareru S. Balasundaranarin Uraithiran, organised by Jawaharlal Nehru University, New Delhi, November, 2021.
- **3.** *ThinaiMayakka Azhagiyal,* Tendays Online Research Development workshop on Literature and Theories, organised by International Journal of Tamil Research and Pirazh (Research Journal), August, 2020.
- **4.** *Tolkappiyamum Melai Thiranaivukalum* Two Day Workshop on Tolkappiyamum Melaithiranaivukalum, organized by Thiruvalluvar College, Papanasam, March 2019.
- **5.** *Tolkappiyam-Cheyyuliya lPoruluruppukalum Kavithaiyiyalum* National Seminar, organized by CICT, Chennai & Rani Anna Government College for Women, Tirunelveli, December, 201t8.

- **6.** *Theorisation of Thinai,* National Seminar on Literary Theories of Tolkappiyam, organized by University of Kerala, November, 2018.
- **7.** *Soolaliyal Nokil Sayavanam,* Seminar on S. Kandasamiyin Padaipalumai, Organized by AVC College, Mayladuthurai, October 2018.
- **8.** Tolkappiya Porulatikara Uraikal: Marabin Thanithanmai Niruvalum Puthakkamum, Three day National Seminar on Commentary Tradition of Tamil Grammar organized by University of Kerala, March, 2018.
- **9.** Kovai Gnani: Paarvaiyum Pangalippum, Seminar on Tamil Aaivu Aringnarkal: Paarvaiyum Pangalippum, Organized by Madras Chirstian College, Chennai, March 2017.
- **10.** *TolkappiyaThinaiKotpadumVirivakkamum*, National Workshop on Teaching and Learning of Tolkappiyam organized by University of Kerala, March, 2017.
- **11.** Post Medieval Tamil Ethical Literature and Literary Texts of Vemana, National Seminar on Ethical Literature in Dravidian Languages: A Comparative Perspective, organised by Dravidian University, Kuppam, Andhra Pradesh, February, 2017.
- **12.** *TamiliyalAaivuSelnerikal*, UGC-CPE Sponsored Two-day National Workshop on Recent Research trends and Future perspectives in Tamil Literature organised by Kongunadu Arts and Science College, Coimbatore, February, 2016.

#### **INVITED LECTURES:**

- 1. Cheyyul Padaippakkam- Kathai Sollumthiran Valarthal, Three Day Training Programme on Developing the Tamil Language skills for School Children organized by the Department of Tamil, Central University of Tamil Nadu and IlakkiyaValarchi Kazhagam, Thiruvarur, July, 2023.
- Nootrandu Semmalkal Ka.Na. Subramanyam & Vallikannan, Refresher Course on Ninaivil Thavazhum Nootrandu Semmalkal, Bharathiar University, Coimbatore, July, 2023.
- 3. Cheyyul Padaippakkam- KattralMuraikal, Three Day Training Programme on Developing the Tamil Language skills for School Children organized by the Department of Tamil, Central University of Tamil Nadu and IlakkiyaValarchi Kazhagam, Thiruvarur, June, 2022.
- 4. ThinaiKotpatin Virivum Chilapathikaramum, Dr. K.Meenakshisundaranar's Endowment lecture organized by Bharathiar University, Coimbatore, November, 2021. Ing ICT, Organized by CUTN, Thiruvarur September 2016.
- 5. "Research Methodology", Online National Workshop on Research Methodology, organised by Aligarh Muslim University, Aligrah, September, 2021.
- CheyyulPadappakkam- KattralMuraikal, Three Day Training Programme on Developing the Tamil Language skills for School Children organized by the Department of Tamil, Central University of Tamil Naduand Ilakkiya Valarchi Kazhagam, Thiruvarur, 2020.
- 7. *Pedagogical Strategies using ICT,* Workshop on Pedagogical Strategies using ICT, Organized by CUTN, Thiruvarur, September 2016.
- 8. *Chuzhaliyamum Thinaikotpadum,* Workshop on Tolkappiya Ilakkiya Marabukalum Naveena Thiranaivu Muraikalaum, organized by Central Institute of Classical Tamil, Chennai and Periyar Arts College, Cuddalore, February 2014.

## **EVENTS ORGANIZED (International/ National):**

- Three-Day Workshop on Communicative Skills in Tamil language to Non-Tamil Students, December 15-17, 2022 (Local Coordinator) organised by the Departments of Tamil and English Studies, Central University of Tamil Nadu in collaboration with Bharatiya Bhasha Samiti, Ministry of Education, Government of India.
- International Webinar Series on Voices from the Margin: Conversation with Contemporary Creative Writers, February 01-11, 2022, (Co- Organizing Secretary) organized by Department of English and Department of Tamil, Central University of Tamil Nadu, Thiruvarur.
- International Online Workshop on "Theories and Literature: Understanding Tamil Milieu". November, 11-24, 2020 (Coordinator) organized by Department of Modern Indian Languages and Literary Studies University of Delhi and Department of Tamil, Central University of Tamil Nadu, Thiruvarur.

## Attended the Seminar/ Workshop & Faculty Development Programme:

- Completed the Online Two-Week Interdisciplinary Refresher Course in Advanced Research Methodology, Teaching Learning Centre, Ramanujan college, University of Delhi, Under the aegis of Ministry of Education, Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya National Mission on Teachers and Teaching, Delhi, December 2022.
- Participated in One day Seminar on 1008<sup>th</sup> Coronation year of Rajendra Chola Organized by the Department of Tamil, Central University of Tamil Nadu, Thiruvarur in Collaboration with Great Cholas Historical Research Group, June 2022.
- Completed the Online Refresher Course in Tamil Language and Literature, UGC-HRDC, Pondicherry University, Puducherry, July 2021.
- Participated in One Day Symposium on Influence of Buddhism on Dravidian Literature, organized by Sahitya Akademi and Department of Tamil, Central University of Tamil Nadu, Thiruvarur, December 2018.
- Participated in the Workshop on Inscription, organized by Tiruvannamalai District Centre for Historical Research, July 2018.
- Participated in the 28<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of Archaeological Society, Organized by Archaeological Society, Thiruvannamalai, July 2018.
- Participated in the Three day Training Cum Workshop on POS Tagging for Tamil Language, Organized by the Dept. Of Tamil, Central University of Tamil Nadu and Central Institute of Indian Languages, Thiruvarur, March 2017.
- Completed the Refresher Course in Tamil Language and Literature, UGC-HRDC, Pondicherry University, Puducherry, November 2016.
- Completed the Orientation Programme, UGC-HRDC, Bharathiar University, Coimbatore, December 2015.

- Participated in the International Conference on Sign and the World: Implications For Ecocriticism, Organized by Dept. Of English, Central University of Tamil Nadu, September 2015.
- Participated in the National Seminar on Bicentennial Anniversary of Robert Caldwell, organized by Sahitya Akademi and Tamil University, Thanjavur, November 2014.
- Participated in the One-day Symposium on the 200<sup>th</sup> Birth Anniversary of Mahavidwan Meenakshisundaram Pillai, Organized by Central University of Tamil Nadu and Sahitya Akademi, Thiruvarur, October 2014.
- Participated in the 24<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of Archaeological Society, Organized by Tamil Nadu Archaeological Society, Thanjavur, July 2014.

## Member of the Academic/ Administrative committee

- Committee Member CTET, CBSE, Delhi, May 2023.
- Committee Member NTA, New Delhi, February 2023.
- Member in Court (01.03.2019 to 28.02.2022)— Central University of Tamil Nadu,
- Member of BoS in Department of Tamil, Central University of Tamil Nadu
- Member in Archaeological Society.
- External Examiner for PhD Viva-voce examination, Tamil University, Thanjavur, December 2022.