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VICE-CHANCELLOR'S MESSAGE

Central University of Karnataka (CUK) is one of the rapid growing universities in the country. It aims at achieving academic excellence and social relevance. During the last one decade we expressed this spirit through our acts and deeds, and have achieved a significant growth in terms of infrastructure, academic pursuits and intellectual contribution which has put the university on the global map. The committed faculty, the studious students and responsible stakeholders of the university have made this achievement possible.

The Central University of Karnataka is situated in a culturally, linguistically, demographically, ethnically and religiously diverse place, 'Kalaburagi'. Historically, it is a land of monarchs, emperors, intellectuals and reformers. This inspires us to retain the spirit of the land and make the University a cradle of knowledge and wisdom and turn the University into a global institute of repute. The University is located in Kalyana Karnataka Region which holds a special status under article 371(J).

The University offers UG, PG and PhD programs in the fields of Humanities, Arts, Commerce, Management and Science & Technology and has been able to attract students from twenty-three states across the country. The University puts a special emphasis on knowledge creation, assimilation, dissemination, and social outreach.

The University has been taking appropriate initiatives to address the issues like water scarcity and sustainable energy through smart solutions like rain water harvesting, solar power generation, waste management and efficient resource management. Today, the campus is on its way to become a self-sustained habitat. At present there are twenty-seven departments under ten schools.

The University endeavours to create skilled, effective and socially committed manpower to cater to the needs of ever growing field of knowledge, community and society. In other words, we are committed to empower our students in terms of academic, cognitive and research capacities besides giving them the necessary skills to enable themselves to survive in the competitive world.

I am happy to lead an institution which is committed to the growth and development of the students who play a vital role in nation building.

Prof. Battu Sathyanarayana

ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY

The Central University of Karnataka (CUK), Kalaburagi is one of the newly established central universities in the country. It was established under the Act of Parliament 2009 by the Government of India. The University is fully funded by the University Grants Commission (UGC) and it is situated on 654 acres' campus at Kadaganchi in Kalaburagi district of Karnataka. The main objective of this rapid growing University is to integrate Teaching, Learning, Training, Research & Innovation and Skill Development with an aspiration to excel in undergraduate, integrated, post graduate and doctoral programmes. The University offers programmes in six major areas: Arts, Humanities, Social Work, Management, Sciences, and Engineering. Currently the University is running **27 Departments** under **10 Schools** and **3 Centres**, and offering **03 Integrated** degree programmes, **07** stand-alone UG Programmes, **26 Master's** degree programmes, 1 M.Phil. programme and **29 Research** (PhD) programmes. The University is working towards making the campus a green, energy efficient & sustainable one.

SPECIAL FEATURES OF THE UNIVERSITY

- The University is attracting bright students across the country.
- The faculty members have been recruited from across the country with high academic profile and are committed to achieve high standards of excellence in the teaching, research and outreach activities.
- A holistic academic atmosphere which opens up new and challenging avenues in academics, research and skill development.
- Choice-based credit system with particular emphasis on inter and multidisciplinary studies.
- Continuous assessment and Grading System for student performance and progress.
- Adequate hostel facilities for both boys and girls.
- Merit-cum-means free-ships for selected integrated and postgraduate students.
- Full tuition fee waiver to girl students with parental annual income of less than Rs. 8 lakhs.
- Students belonging to SC/ST whose parental income is more than 2.5 lakh per annum but less than 6 lakh per annum are given concession 50% in payment of tuition fee.
- Well-equipped Library with access to Wi-Fi and e-resources for all students.
- Health care centre, Post office, Canteen, Bank, Shopping complex etc.

ABOUT KALABURAGI AND KALYANA KARNATAKA REGION

Central University of Karnataka is situated in Kalaburagi (formerly known as Gulbarga) in

Kalyana Karnataka region. The region is vibrant with multilingual and multicultural structure. The region has given birth to acclaimed academicians, literary personalities, religious leaders and philosophers and houses philosophical and educational centres, epistemological works, social movements, great dynasties, incredible folk traditions in verbal and non-verbal art forms and industries. One of the oldest human settlements in Asia is found at Samper of Surpur taluka. Remains of the Stone Age are seen in and around the areas of Maski, Hire Benakal, and Balichakra etc.

The history of this region is rich in literature. Many Vachanakaras, Kirtanakaras and Tatvapadakaras hail from this region. Works like Allama's vachanas started epistemological tradition in the region. There are also many religious and philosophical centres like Sannati, Kanagana Halli, Koppala, Manyakheta (Capital of Rashtrakuta kingdom), Kalyana (Capital of Chalukya kingdom), Bidar, Savalagi, Tintini, Mudgal in the region.

Kalyana Karnataka has been home to many great dynasties like Rashtrakuta, KalyaniChalukya, Vijayanagar, Bahmani, Barid Shahi, Surapur Dore etc. This marvellous history has also led to incredible folk literatures both in verbal and non-verbal ways. The ancient sculptures at Hampi, Shiravala, Evuru, Kalagi, Bidar, Kalyana, Kalaburagi, Itagi etc., are worth mentioning. However modern technology has not left this region untouched.

A stone inscription discovered at Maski in Raichur district changed whole perception of understanding the history of India, for it being the first of its kind inscription found in the name of 'Devanampriya', Asoka the Great, thus pointing to the Maurya empire reach to Tungabhadra. Sannati was one of the most prominent and vibrant Buddhist centres as Archaeological Survey of India excavations there have already established. Nagavi Ghatika in Chittapur taluk of Kalaburagi district was the most sought after center of higher learning attracting students and scholars from different parts in the medieval period. It enjoyed the patronage of Vikramaditya-VI, one of the mightiest emperors of the world of his times. This Ghatika, equivalent to today's university, had a well-established library managed by a qualified librarian, according to an inscription found here.

Maha Veeracharya (815 A.D.-878 A.D.), an ancient mathematician in the court of Rashtrakuta emperor Amoghavarsha who wrote Ganitasara Sangraha and Sri Jayateertha (1365 A.D. -1388 A.D.), a Vedantic scholar also known by the epithet Tikacharya, belonged to Malkhed on the banks of river Kagina of the region. Veeracharya's marvelous mathematical treatise 'Ganitasara Sangraha' in Sanskrit verse, is a landmark work found relevant even today, in several aspects of mathematics. 'Kavirajamruga', the first extant Kannada literary work was produced by Srivijaya around 850 AD during the period of Amoghavarsha alias Nrupatunga of the Rashtrakutas. The book about the theory of literature particularly poetry, has played a vital role in according classical language status to Kannada. Vijnaneshwara, a celebrated jurisprudentialist, in the court of Vikramaditya- VI, the Kalyani Chalukyan emperor, wrote the magnum opus 'Mitakshara', commentary on the Yajnavalkya Smriti, in the 11th century. Hailing from Martur near Kalaburagi, Vijnaneshwara's Mitakshara became the cornerstone of the Indian legal system and it remained the sole system of justice throughout India except Bengal and Assam from 12th century till India attained independence.

Khwaja Bande Nawaj (1321-1422), a Sufi saint, settled in Gulbarga on the invitation of Bahman king Feroz Shah, was a pioneer in Urdu literature with his work 'Me Rajul Askini.

His Dargah at Kalaburagi has become a major pilgrim centre for Muslims all over India and even abroad.

Kalaburagi is one of the three districts transferred from Hyderabad State to Karnataka state at the time of reorganization of the states in 1956. Now among the 31 districts of Karnataka, it is located in the North-Eastern part of state and lies between North latitude 17°10" and 17°45" and between east longitude 76°10" and 77°45". The District is the largest in the state covering 8.49% of the area and 5.9 % of the population of the state. Kadaganchi is 21 kilometres (13 miles) from Kalaburagi on SH10 highway with frequent KSRTC buses.

STATUTORY BODIES:

THE COURT

In terms of Statute 10 (7) of the Central Universities Act 2009, the Second Court of Central University of Karnataka (25/05/2018 -24/05/2021) is reconstituted, comprising the following:

Statute 10 (7)			Status / tenure
1.	Chancellor- (Ex-officio Chairman)	Prof. N.R Shetty Former Vice Chancellor, Bangalore University & Advisor-NITTE School of Management, Bangalore.	Ex-officio Chairman (30/11/2016 to 29/11/2021)
2.	Vice-Chancellor (Ex-officio Member)	Prof. Battu Sathyanarayana	Ex-officio Member
3.	Pro Vice-Chancellor (Ex-officio Member)	Vacant	Ex-officio Member
4.	Five Deans by rotation in the order of seniority (Members)	Prof. Karamala Padmasree Dean, School of Business Studies,	Member (01/02/2019 to 31/12/2021)
		Prof. Romate John Dean, School of Social & Behavioral Sciences	Member (01/02/2019 to 31/01/2022)
		Prof. Konkalu Hanumae Gowd Dean, School of Chemical Sciences	Member (08/08/2020 to 07/08/2023)
		Dr. Deepak Samuel Dean, School of Physical Sciences	Member (24/08/2020 to 23/08/2023)
		Dr. Ravindra S. Hegadi Dean, School of Computer Science	Member (08/07/2020 to 07/07/2023)
5.	Finance Officer (Ex-officio Member)	Shri S. Shivanandam	Ex-officio Member

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6.	Controller of Examinations (Ex-officio Member)	Prof. B.R. Kerur	Ex-officio Member
7.	Librarian (Ex-officio Member)	Dr. Parashuram S. Kattimani	Ex-officio Member
8.	Dean Students Welfare (Ex-officio Member)	Prof. Channaveer R.M.	Ex-officio Member
9.	One Professor, One Associate Professor & One Assistant Professor by rotation in the order of seniority (Members)	Prof. N. Nagaraju * Professor, Dept. of English	Member (25/05/2018 to 24/05/2021)
		Dr. Basavaraj Kodagunti Associate Professor, Dept. of Kannada	Member (24/02/2020 to 23/02/2023)
		Dr. Mohd. Nazrul Bari Asst. Professor, Dept. of History	Member (25/05/2018 to 24/05/2021)
10.	Two persons representing learned professionals nominated by the Visitor (Members)	Dr. Magre Sunita Vithalrao Professor in Education, Dept. of Education, University of Mumbai	Member (07/03/2019 to 06/03/2022)
		Dr. A.D. Naik Professor (Agribusiness Management) & Principal, Diploma Agri College Konnur, Constituent College of University of Agricultural Sciences, Dharwad Karnataka.	Member (07/03/2019 to 06/03/2022)
11.	Two members of the Executive Council nominated by the Vice-Chancellor (Members)	Prof. Rajesh Singh, Vice Chancellor, Purnea University, Pratap Nagar, Purnia-854301, Bihar,	Member (15/04/2019 to 12/02/2022)
		Prof. Varsha S. Shirgaonkar Professor & Head, Dept. of History S.N.D.T. Women's University, Mumbai.	Member (15/04/2019 to 09/03/2022)
12.	Four persons nominated by the Chancellor, representing each categories SC/ST, OBC, Women and Minority (Members)	Prof. K. Eresi Former Chairman & Dean, Faculty of Commerce & Management, Bengaluru University	Member (25/05/2018 to 24/05/2021)
		Shri R. Shivakumar President Association Chambers of Commerce & Industry, 25, 2 nd Floor, 9 th Cross, Kumara Park (West), Bangalore -560 020.	Member (25/05/2018 to 24/05/2021)
		Prof. R. Indira Rtd. Professor of Sociology	Member

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		University of Mysore	(25/05/2018 to 24/05/2021)
		Prof. Sabiha Vice Chancellor, Akkamahadevi Women's University, Vijayapura	Member (25/05/2018 to 24/05/2021)
13.	Two teachers from other Central Universities nominated by the Chancellor (Member)	Prof. P. P. Mathur, Professor & HOD Dept. of Biochemistry & Molecular Biology, Central University, Pondicherry	Member (25/05/2018 to 24/05/2021)
		Prof. Panchanan Mohanty, Coordinator, Centre for Endangered Languages & Mother Tongue Studies, University of Hyderabad	Member (25/05/2018 to 24/05/2021)
14.	One Non-Teaching staff from the Central University of Karnataka nominated by the Chancellor (Member)	Mr. Sunil G., Asst. Registrar	Member (25/05/2018 to 24/05/2021)
15.	One Representative of Students Council preferably General Secretary of the Student Council (Ex-officio Member)	Vacant	Ex-officio Member
16.	The Registrar- (Ex-officio Member Secretary)	Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur, Registrar(I/c)	Ex-officio Member Secretary

*On Deputation as Vice Chancellor, at Gangadhar Meher University, Sambalpur Odisha w.e.f. 26/11/2020 (F/N).

THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

In continuation to the Notification No. CUK/GOV/F-135/2018-19/804, Dated 22//02/2019, and in compliance with the provisions contained in Section 21(1) & (2) and Statue 11(1) of the Central Universities Act 2009 (No.3-C of 2009), and in pursuance of Letter No.57-1/2019-CU-III, Date 10/03/2019 from MHRD, Govt. of India, the Fourth Executive Council of the Central University of Karnataka (01st February 2019 to 31st January 2022) is reconstituted, comprising the following:

Statute 11			Status / tenure
(i)	Vice-Chancellor	Prof. Battu Sathyanaraya	Chairman
(ii)	Secretary or His / Her Nominee Department of Higher Education Ministry of Education, GoI.	Secretary or His / Her Nominee Department of Higher Education Ministry of Education, Govt. of India	Member
(iii)	Chairman, UGC nominee;	Prof. Rajesh Singh, Vice Chancellor, Deen Dayal Upadhyaya Gorakhpur University, Gorakhpur	Member (13/02/2019 – 12/02/2022)
(iv)	Chief Secretary of the the State Govt. or his/her nominee not below the rank of Secretary preferably dealing with matters to Higher Education;	Additional Chief Secretary to the State Govt. of Karnataka	Member
(v)	Pro Vice Chancellor	VACANT	Member
(vi)	Four members from among Deans of Schools of Studies, by rotation according to seniority, to be appointed by the Vice-Chancellor;	Prof. Romate John Dean, School of Social & Behavioral Sciences	Member (01/02/2019 – 31/01/2022)
		Prof. Karamala Padmasree Dean, School of Business Studies	Member (01/01/2019 - 31/12/2021)
		Prof. Konkallu Hanumae Gowd Dean, School of Chemical Sciences	Member 08/08/2020 -07/07/2023
		Dr. Deepak Samuel Dean, School of Physical Scienes	Member (24/08/2020 -07/07/2023)
(vii)	One Professor who is not a	Prof. M.V. Alagawadi	Member

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	Dean by rotation according to seniority, to be appointed by the Vice-Chancellor;	Professor, Dept. of Business Studies	(01/01/2019 – 31/12/2021)
(viii)	One Associate Professor, by rotation according to seniority, to be appointed by the Vice-Chancellor;	Dr. Basavaraj Kodagunti, Associate Professor, Dept. of Kannada	Member (24/02/2020 to 23/02/2023)
(ix)	One Assistant Professor, by rotation according to seniority, to be appointed by the Vice-Chancellor;	Dr. Ganapati Sinnoor Asst. Professor, Dept. of Business Studies	Member (01/01/2019 – 31/12/2021)
(x)	Two members of the Court, none of whom shall be an employee or a student of the University or an institution recognized by or associated with the University, to be nominated by the Visitor; and	Visitor’s Nominee (Awaited)	Visitor’s Nominee (Awaited)
(xi)	Four persons of distinction in academic and public life, to be nominated by the Visitor	Dr. Manasa Nagabhushanam Director, Centre for Educational and Social Studies, B’lore	Member 20/02/2019 – 19/02/2022
		Prof. Kalplata Pandey Vice Chancellor Jananayak Chandrashekhar University, Ballia.	Member 20/02/2019 – 19/02/2022
		Prof. A.D. Naik Professor(Agribusiness Management) University of Agricultural Sciences, Dharwad, Karnataka.	Member 10/03/2019 – 09/03/2022
		Prof. Varsha S. Shirgaonkar Professor & Head, Dept. of History S.N.D.T. Women’s University, Mumbai.	Member 10/03/2019 – 09/03/2022
Statute 6(6) Ex-Officio Secretary		Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur, Registrar (I/c)	Ex-Officio Secretary

ACADEMIC COUNCIL

It is notified that in exercise of the powers conferred on it vide Section 22(1) & (2) and statute 13 (1) of the Central Universities Act, 2009 (No.3-C of 2009), the Fourth Academic Council of the Central University of Karnataka (11/02/2019 to 10/02/2022) is hereby re-constituted, comprising the following:

Statute 13(I)			Status	Tenure
I	Vice-Chancellor	Prof. Battu Sathyanaraya	Chairman	-
ii	Pro Vice Chancellor	Vacant	Member	-
iii	Deans of Schools of Studies	Prof. Romate John Dean, School of Social & Behavioral Sciences	Member	(Tenure – till Deanship)
		Prof. Karamala Padmasree Dean, School of Business Studies	Member	
		Prof. Konkallu Hanumae Gowd Dean, School of Chemical Sciences	Member	
		Dr. Deepak Samuel Dean, School of Physical Sciences	Member	
		Dr. Ravindra S. Hegadi Dean, School of Computer Science	Member	
		Dr. Veersh G. Kasabegoudar Dean, School of Engineering	Member	
		Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur Dean, School of Humanities & Languages	Member	
		Prof. Ali Raza Moosvi Dean, School of Earth Sciences	Member	
		Prof. M.A. Mohammed Aslam Dean, School of Education & Training	Member	

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Iv	Heads of teaching Departments/Centres	Prof. Sunitha Anil Manjanbail Head, Dept. of Hindi,	Member	(Tenure – till Headship)
		Prof. Pushpa M. Savadatti Head, Dept. of Economics	Member	
		Dr. Basavaraj Kodagunti Head, Department of Kannada	Member	
		Prof. Channaveer R. M. Head, Dept. of Social Work	Member	
		Dr. Raghavaiah Pallegogu Head, Dept. of Life Science	Member	
V	10 Professors (excluding those who are Deans of Schools of Studies & Heads of the Departments/Centres) on the basis of Seniority and rotation to nominated by Vice Chancellor giving due regard to representation of different Schools.	Prof. Shivaganga Rumma Professor, Dept. of Kannada	Member	11/02/2019 - 10/02/2022
		Prof. N. Nagaraju Professor, Dept. of English	Member	04/03/2020 - 03/03/2023
		Prof. Vikram Visaji Professor, Dept. of Kannada	Member	19/11/2020 - 18/11/2023
		Prof. Ganesh Pawar Professor, Dept. of Hindi	Member	11/02/2019 - 10/02/2022
Vi	One Associate Professor who is not Head of Teaching Department by rotation according to seniority.	-	-	

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Vii	Five Assistant Professors by rotation according to seniority	Dr. Somashekara D. Assistant Professor Dept. of Kannada	Member	11/02/2019 - 10/02/2022
		Dr. Archana Kujur Assistant Professor Dept. of Geography	Member	
		Dr. Shivakumar Deene Assistant Professor Dept. of Commerce	Member	
		Dr. Sujatha S. Kumari D. Assistant Professor Dept. of Commerce	Member	
		Dr. Basavaraj M. Assistant Professor Dept. of Economics	Member	
Viii	Librarian	Dr. P. S. Kattimani Librarian	Member	-
Ix	Six Persons not in the service of the University co-opted by the Academic Council for their special knowledge in educational progress and development	Prof. Indumati, Ex - Vice Chancellor, Davanagere, University	Member	11/02/2019 - 10/02/2022
		Dr. P.S. Shankar, Ex-Dean, MRMC, Gulbarga	Member	
		Prof. Laxman Rajnalkar, Dept. of Commerce, Gulbarga University Gulbarga	Member	
		Prof. Nandi Bevoor, Dept. of Chemistry, Karnataka University Dharwad	Member	
		Prof. Sudhakar Reddy, Dept. of Folklore, University of Hyderabad.	Member	
		Prof. L.M. Patnaik, Rtd Professor IISc, B'lore	Member	
13 (2)	Dean, Students Welfare	Prof. Channaveer R. M. Dean, Students Welfare	Ex officio member	-

	Proctor	- VACANT-	- VACANT-	-
Statute 6(6)		Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur, Registrar (I/c)	Ex-Officio Secretary	-

FINANCE COMMITTEE

Consequent upon constitution of third Executive Council and in accordance with the Section 24 and Statute 17(1) (iii & iv) the Fourth Finance Committee of the Central University of Karnataka (12/04/2019 to 11/04/2022) is reconstituted, comprising the following:

i.	Prof. Battu Sathyanaraya Vice Chancellor Central University of Karnataka	Chairman
ii.	Pro-Vice Chancellor Central University of Karnataka	Member (VACANT)
iii.	Prof. K. Eresi, Former Chairman & Dean, Faculty of Commerce & Management, Bengaluru University	Member Nominee of Court
iv. 1)	Prof. Indumati Former, Vice Chancellor Davanagere University,	Member Nominee of EC
2)	Dr. Manasa Nagabhushanam Director, Centre for Educational and Social Studies, B'lore,manasa@cessedu.org	Member Nominee of EC
3)	Prof. Karamala Padmasree Dean, School of Business Studies Central University of Karnataka	Member Nominee of EC
v. 1)	Joint Secretary and Finance Adviser MHRD or his/her nominee from Finance Bureau of MHRD not below the rank of Deputy Secretary	Member Visitor's Nominee
2)	Joint Secretary (CU&L) MHRD or his/her nominee.	Member Visitor's Nominee
3)	Joint Secretary (CU) UGC or any other Joint Secretary Level Officer nominated by the Chairman, UGC	Member Visitor's Nominee
vi.	Finance Officer Central University of Karnataka	Ex-Officio Secretary

A. ACADEMIC DEPARTMENTS

I. SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND LANGUAGES

About the school:

Prof. Basavraj Donur, Dean

The School of Humanities and Languages encompasses a whole universe of liberal education and intellectual domains that are at the centre of the growth aiming at nurturing and development of a civilized human being. The School has been established with an aim to empower the learners to understand languages, literatures and cultures of the world and appreciate them as humanity's common heritage. Awareness of this heritage will broaden the vision of students and help them reflect on literary and cultural structures and processes that are dynamic in nature and will play a pivotal role in nurturing their talents. The School is committed to provide an interdisciplinary and integrative pedagogical approach to learners and make them available a broad spectrum of subjects and courses to choose from suiting their interests, leanings and future career profiles. Delivering a transformative education is the core mission of the School.

The School comprises the following Departments:

1. Department of English
2. Department of Hindi
3. Department of Kannada
4. Department of Linguistics
5. Department of Foreign Languages
6. Department of Music and Fine Arts

In addition to above, the School also comprises the following Study Centres:

1. Centre for Classical Kannada
2. Centre for Endangered Languages

1. DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

Head of the Department: Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur

1. Introduction:

The Department of English, the first full-fledged Department with which the University started in 2009, currently offers three programs--UG: IMA English, PG: MA English and PhD in English. The Department attracts students, researchers and faculty from various parts of the country reflecting the multicultural fabric of India. The Department aims to foster a proud tradition of academic excellence with students exploring the widening horizons of English studies as a discipline. Interdisciplinary teaching and research, creative thinking and engagement with a larger academic community form a part of this exploration. It recognizes the study of subjects categorized under Humanities and Languages which help in understanding the past and the possibilities of future.

The Department currently has 7 regular and 6 contractual faculty members. In the academic year (2019-20), there are 86 Undergraduate students, 46 Postgraduate students and 9 Ph.D. scholars at the Department.

2. Programs offered:

1. UG: BA English
2. PG: MA English
3. PhD in English

3. Faculty and Staff:

Sl. No.	Names of the Faculty and the Staff	Designation
1	Dr. N. Nagaraju	Professor (Joined as Vice Chancellor in Gangadhar Meher University)
2	Dr. Basavaraj P. Donur	Professor and Head, Dept. of English
3	Mrs. Renuka L. Nayak	Assistant Professor
4	Mr. Mahendra M.	Assistant Professor
5	Dr. Sreebitha P. V.	Assistant Professor (On Lien)
6	Dr. Mahima Raj C.	Assistant Professor
7	Dr. Prakash Balikai	Assistant Professor
8	Mr. Chandrakanta	Upper Division Clerk (UDC)

4. Activities of the Department of English:

Seminar:

1) National Seminar on “Global/Native Shakespeares”

The Department of English organized a week long International Webinar on “Global/Native Shakespeares' ' from 21st September, 2020 to 28th September 2020 at the Dept. of English, Central University of Karnataka. Prof. Rajendra Chenni., Prof. H. S Shivaprakash, JNU, Prof. N.S. Gundur, Tumakuru University, Prof. N. Nagaraju, Prof. Basavaraj P Donur, Mr. Mahendra M. Prof. Anita Singh (BHU) and many others were the resource persons.

5. The academic profile of faculty

I. Prof. N. Nagaraju

(Joined as Vice Chancellor in Gangadhar Meher University)

II. Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur, Professor

Service Particulars:

1. Dean, School of Humanities and Languages, Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi, Karnataka 08-08 -2020 till date.
2. Director of Academics, Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi, Karnataka 19-01-2021 till date.
3. Registrar (I/c.), Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi, Karnataka 20-01-2021 till date.

Examination/BOS

1. Member, Faculty in Arts and Humanities, Gulbarga University, Kalaburagi, Date: 15-07-2020.
2. Member, BOS, Department of English, Gulbarga University, Kalaburagi, Date: 08-09-2020.
3. Chairman and Convener, BOS, Department of Music and Fine Arts, Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi, from 09-10-2020 till date.

BOA

1. Member, Selection Committee, Shree Veerabhadreshwar Shikshna Datti, Humanabad, Karnataka, 03-10-2020.

Publications:

Books:

1. Chandani Chowk (A Collection of Short Stories) Publisher: Dharwad: Manohara Granthamala. 2020.
2. Uriyunda Karpooora (Criticism) Publisher: Bangalore: Rohini Enterprises. 2020.
3. Uriva Matina Arivu (A collection of Pen portraits and Interviews) Publisher: Bangalore: Rohini Enterprises. 2020.
4. Hakki Haruthide (weekly series of lectures on D.R. Bendre), 2020
5. Folk Theatre of Karnataka: A Study, 2020

Seminars/Conferences/Webinars

1. Organized a six-month weekly webinar on D.R. Bendre for Bendre National Trust, Dharwad.
2. Resource Person, "Hamlet: Many Questions & Many more answers, International Webinar on "Shakespeare" organized by Department of English, CUK from 21-9-2020 to 28-9-2020.
3. Resource Person on "Girish Karnadara Aithihasik Natakagalu" held on 11-10-2020.

III. Mrs. Renuka I. Nayak.

Paper presentation in Seminars/Conferences/ Workshops/ Symposia/Talks:

1. **Publications by faculty member:** 01
A Critique of Shashi Deshpande, Sara Aboobaker and B.T. Lalita Naik's Select Novels. Rock Pebbles, A Peer-Reviewed Journal of Multidisciplinary Studies, UGC-CARE Listed vide Sl.No.168, Gr. D, Vol.-XXIV No. III, September, 2020. Odhisa, India. Pp. 209-217
2. **Paper presentation by faculty:** Nil
3. **Lectures delivered by faculty member:** Delivered a talk on "Importance of English Education in the present context" on 7th July, 2020 in a Two-Day National Webinar on *English Education and Empowerment* Organised by IQAC and Department of English, S.J.A.V. Samiti's K.R. Bellad Arts and Commerce College and P.G. Studies in Economics, Mundargi, Karnataka.

4. **Honours/awards/recognition for faculty member:** NIL
5. **Conferences/seminars/workshops Organised by the faculty:**
 - I. Jointly organised One Week International Webinar on “Global /Native Shakespeares” from 21st September, 2020 to 28th September, 2020 at Dept. of English, CUK.
 - II. Chaired a Session-in the International Virtual Conference on “The New Normal: Virtuality, Personal Branding, and Humanities Education in the Post-Covid Era” Organised by the Division of Social Sciences and Languages, School of Advanced Sciences, Vellore Institute of Technology, Chennai Date: July 21st -23rd 2020
6. **Details of research projects- investigator, title, funding agency, amount etc.:** NIL
7. **Any other information:** Submitted PhD thesis to Department of Studies in English, Karnatak University, Dharwad, Karnataka in January ,2021.

IV: Mr. Mahendra M.

Paper presentation in Seminars/Conferences/ Workshops/ Symposia/Talks:

- Delivered a Keynote address on “Doing Literary Theory” at One Day National Seminar organized by Syed Ammal College of Arts and Science, Ramanathapuram, Tamil Nadu on 16th March, 2021.
- Participated in a National Conference on “Rejuvenation of the Teacher Education in 21st Century” organised by Department of School Education, Govt. of Madhya Pradesh, NCTE and Vidya Bharati Uchch Shiksha Samsthan on 5th and 6th March 2021 at Academy of Administration and Management, Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh.
- Delivered a talk on English Language in the Age of Social Media at the Multidisciplinary International Conference on English for Specific Purposes [ESP] organised by Godutai Doddappa Appa Arts and Commerce College for Women, Kalaburagi on 28th January, 2021.
- Delivered a talk on Bendreyavara Naatakagalalli Parakiyathe at the Dr. Da. Ra. Bendre Raashtriya Smaraka Trust, Dharwad on 17th November 2020.
- Participated and delivered a talk on A Counter Narrative of Subversion and Resistance in the Adaptations of Shakespeare’s *Othello* at a week-long International Webinar on Global/Native Shakespeare's organised by the Dept. of English, CUK, Kalaburagi on 21-28, September 2020.
- Chaired a session in the International Virtual Conference on "The New Normal": Virtuality, Personal Branding, and Humanities Education in the Post -COVID Era organised by the Division of Social Sciences and Languages, School of Advanced Sciences Vellore Institute of Technology, Chennai on July 21st -23rd, 2020.

Invited Lectures:

- Delivered a talk on “Thalasamudayagala Ghanatheya Badukige Gunatmaka Shikshana” organised by Talasamudayagala Adhyayana Kendra, CSSIEP, National Law School, University of India and SWAEROES Karnataka, Vijayapura on 28.02.2021
- Delivered a talk on “Thalasamudayagala Naataka Ondu Chintane” organised by Rangayana, Kalburagi on 21.02.2021
- Delivered a lecture on Historical Overview of English Poetry on 22 December 2020 at Godutai Doddappa Appa Arts and Commerce College for Women, Kalaburagi.
- Delivered a talk on “Correct English Usage” at the training for the non-teaching staff of Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi.

Publications:

- English Translation of a Kannada Short Story “Athitha ” by Mrs. Susheela Donur accepted for publication in Indian Literature, a Journal of Central Sahitya Akademi, New Delhi.

Edited Book:

- Edited a book titled *Indian Multilingualism and Language Behaviour* with an ISBN:978-81-924844-7-1.

V: Dr. Mahima Raj C.

Paper presentation in Seminars/Conferences/ Workshops/ Symposia/Talks:

1. **Publication by Faculty Member:** 01 “The Question of Literary Motif: Critiquing Zhirmunsky’s Notion of Borrowing”. *Assonance: A Journal of Russian & Comparative Literary Studies*, UGC-CARE Listed. ISSN 2394-7853. Vol. 21. Pp. 171-180. January 2021.
 2. **Paper presented by faculty:** Nil
 3. **Lectures delivered by faculty member:** Nil
 4. **Honours/awards/recognition for faculty member:** Nil
 5. **Conference/seminar/workshops organised by the faculty:** I) Member of the organising committee of a week-long International Webinar on “Global/Native Shakespeares” from 21st September, 2020 to 28th September 2020 at the Dept. of English, Central University of Karnataka.
 6. **Details of research project:** Seed-Money Project funded by Central University of Karnataka (Ongoing)
 7. **Any other information:** I) Participated in a three-day National Webinar entitled “Theorizing Humanities in the Times of Crisis” organised by the Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, IIT Ropar on 21, 22, and 23 September 2020.
- II) Participated as a reviewer for the *Catalan Journal of Communication & Cultural Studies*, University of Rovira i Virgili, Tarragona, Spain. SSN 17571898, with double blind review system, in its 2021 Volume.
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III) Attended the “Memory, Cinema and Psychoanalysis” Workshop organised by Academic Lab, London Centre for Interdisciplinary Research on 16 August 2020.

VI: Dr. Prakash Balikai.

Paper presentation in Seminars/Conferences/ Workshops/ Symposia/Talks:

I) Lectures delivered by faculty members-3

II) Publication- 1 (Chapter in edited book)

1. International (1)- Key note address (University of Asia Pacific, Bangladesh)
(Date: 29 Sept 2020)
2. National (1)- Session talk (Sharabasappa Appa University, Kalaburagi)
(Date: 2 January 2020)
3. State Level (1)- Kannada Sahitya Sammelana (Fifth Kannada Sahitya Sammelana)
(Date: 14 March 2021)
4. **Book- South Asian Literature, Culture and Society**
Chapter- River Tunga- The Mother of Malenadu: An Ecocritical Perspective
Publication- Atlantic Publishers and Distributors, New Delhi
(Date 1 January 2021)

2. DEPARTMENT OF KANNADA

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Introduction:

The objective of the department includes undertaking original research in Kannada language, literature, culture and society incorporating innovative research approaches, and imparting training to students to enable them to make use the knowledge of the subject not only to build a career for them but also serve the society. The Department also strives to develop methods focusing on promotion of Kannada Studies at the national and international levels.

Programmes offered: MA, PhD

Faculty members:

1. Prof. Shivaganaga Rumma (Professor)
2. Prof. Vikram visaji (Professor)
3. Dr. Basavaraja Kodgunti (Associate Professor & Head of the Department)
4. Dr. TD. Rajanna (Assistant Professor)
5. Dr. Appagere Somashaker (Assistant Professor)
6. Dr. vijaaykumar H vishwamanava (Assistant Professor)

Publications by faculty members

Prof. Shivaganaga Rumma

1. Dakiniyemba bouddha yogini. Samvada. (Monthly). October, 2020. ISSN. 2454-0054
2. Sharana kranti nanna pratikriye., Mahamane (monthly). October, 2020
3. Lokadrushti mattu mahile. Hosathu, (monthly). March, 2021. ISSN, 2319-7307
4. Shwaravachanameemamse, Nenape nandadeep (edited book) by Kalyanrao Patil, 2020

5. Jati hagu linga shreneekaran. (Translate by me), from English, By Uma Chakravarti, Jati Lingavada olaneyge Edt b, Gayatri N.,2021

Prof. Vikram Visaji

Books

1. Patyada Bhavavali (Collection of Articles): Vikram Visaji, Abhinava Publications, Bengaluru, 2020
2. Bisila Kadina Hannu (Collection of Poems): Vikram Visaji, Pllava Prakashana, Channapattana, Hospet,2020
3. Raktavilapa (Play): Vikram Visaji, Pllava Prakashana, Channapattana, Hospet, 2020

Articles:

1. Vikram Visaji in Conversation with S. Settar, Indian Literature (Bimonthly Journal), Central Sahitya Akademi, New Delhi 2021
2. Sartrara koneya dinagalu, Mayura, Monthly Journal, Bengaluru April 2021
3. H.S. Shivaprakashara Sandarshana, Mayura, Monthly Journal, Bengaluru May 2021
4. Bhasheya keelarime bittu horabanni: Sangata, Dharawad, 2020

Dr. Basavaraja Kodgunti

Books:

1. *Taymatina shikshana* (Mother Tongue Education). Aharnishi Prakashana, Shivamogga. ISBN:978-93-84501-41-9

Edited Book:

2. 2020. *Ellamma*, VOL-VI. Bandara Prakashana, Maski. ISBN:978-81-942590-8-4.

Papers in CARE journals:

1. Tense in Koracha. *Aligarh Journal of Linguistics*, Vol. 10 (1). 2020-21.ISSN: 2249-1511
2. 2020. Plural Suffixes in Koracha. *Jadavpur Journal of Language and Linguistics*. Vol.-2, 2020. Pp. 18-23. ISSN: 2581-494X
3. 2020. Sama-bava rUpigalu: bashe, itihasa, rajakiya. *Aniketana*.

Other Journals:

4. 2020. Sankramika roga mattu alivinanchina bashegalu. *Rutumana*.
5. 2020. Ellamma. *Mahila adyayana*. Kannada University, Hampi
6. 2020. Kalyani chalukyara arambika shasanagalalli ottakkara. *Shasana Adyayana*. Vol. 11-2. ISSN. 2377-4041. REPRINTED in a volume *ellamma*. VOL-VII. Haydarabada karnataka sarani. Edited by self. Bandara Prakashana, Maski.ISBN:978-81-942590-8-4
7. 2021.Kitellana kannada vyakarana. *Kannada Jagruti*.

In Edited Volumes:

8. 2021. Rayachuru jilleya janapada: adyayanada sankirna nelegalu. Rayacuru jilleya *modala janapada sammelana smarana sancike*. Pp. 13-31.
9. 2021. Shabdada nanu. *Lilabharati*. Lilaprakash abhinandana granta.

Dr. T. D. Rajanna (Assistant Professor)

Books

1. Namma Lipi: Huttina Poorvottaragalu, (A Study of Paleography) Original Telugu by Tirumala Ramachandra, translated into Kannada, Published by Prasara, Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi – 2020
2. Elliyo Nilladiru: (A Philosophical Book) original by Frederic Nietzsche, translated into Kannada, Published by Annapoorana Publications, Bangalore – 2020
3. Astavakranoo Apoorva Sundariyu, A Novel original by Victor Hugo, translated into Kannada, Published by Annapoorana Publications, Bangalore – 2020
4. Jogathi: A novel original by V R Rasani, translated into Kannada, Published by Annapoorana Publications, Bangalore – 2020

Dr. Appagere Somashaker (Assistant Professor)

Publications:

Books:

1. Dhyana Sheela (Co-Ed): Ed-Dr. Suryakantha S. Sujat: Mahabodhi Prakashana, Kalaburagi: ISBN-978-81-929490-5-5: 2020

Articles:

1. Kalyana Karnatakadalli Dalitatvada Hejje Guruthu: Vijayavani, 05.02.2020
2. Danivariyada Bandayada Barahagara Channanna Valikar: Samvada-Ed-Indudhara Honnapura: ISSN-2454-6054: Feb-2020
3. Dalita Chaluvaliya Atmavalokanada Prashnegalu Bahutva Bharatada Mundiruva Savalugalu: Hosatu: Ed-Siddanagowda Patila: April-2020: ISSN-2319-7307: page no-27
4. Vadiyalli Ambedkar: Prajavani, Bhanuvara Puravani: 26.04.2020
5. Panchamara Gopalaswamy: Prajavani, Bhanuvara Puravani: 11.10.2020
6. Brahmanyavannu Meerida Bandayagara R. Gopalaswamy Iyar : Prajavani Website :www.prajavani.net : 11.10.2020
7. Asprushya Samudayagala Stithigathi-Samajikanyayada Prashnegalu: Samvada-Ed-Indudhara Honnapura: ISSN-2454-6054: Oct-2020
8. Kempangi Kranthiya Nudikara Channanna Valikara: Vijaya Karnataka: 24.11.2020
9. Hittala Gida Maddalla (Poem): Aruhu Kuruhu, Ed-Prof. H. S. Umesh, ISSN-2347-5048, Vo-11, Es-42, Oct-Dec-2020
10. Dalita Chaluvaliya Taytanada Sanketha B. V. ChandraPrasad Tyagi: Hosatu, Ed-Siddanagowda Patila, Navakarnataka Prakashana, Bangalore: ISSN-2319-7307, Jan-2021
11. Kattikollabekagiruva Rastriyavadada Tatvika Prashnegalu-Yedurisabekagiruva Bhoudhikatheya Tallanagalu: Samvada-Ed-Indudhara Honnapura: ISSN-2454-6054 :

Feb-2021

12. Gowthama Budha-Samathe, Mythri, Karune, Pragnegalannu Prathipadisida Tatvagnani: Prabudha-Journal of Social Sciences: Chief Editor-Dr. I. S. Vidyasagar : Dr. Ambedkar, College of Arts, Commerce and P. G. Centre, Kalaburagi, April-2021 : ISSN 2581-818X
13. Samajika Nyayavadi Babasaheb Ambedkar: Vijaya Karnataka: 13.04.2021
14. Kannada Samshodhane-Parikalpane Hagu Parampareya Hejje Gurutugala Paxinota: Prathibimba, IIMRD Journals: ISSN-2582-2284: Vol-2 Issue 2: Sep-Oct 2020, 71-88
15. Tayi Gunada Santha Kudmal Rangarao: 1 July 2020, Volume-02, Issue-04: Ed-Shekar
16. Koregan-Mulanivasi Dravidara Swabhimana Ithihasika Sanketha: 15 Dec 2020, Volume-03, Issue-13: Ed-Shekar
17. Vichara Sahitya: Chandrabimba: Ed-Mahipalareddey Munnoor: Dr. Chandrakala Bidari Abhinandana Samithi, Sedam, Kalaburagi: ISBN-978-93-81718-28-5: 2020
18. Janapada Kalavidara Anubhava Kathana: Kvjianamarga, Ed-Dr. Kalyanarao G. Patil, Dr. Eshwaraiah Mata: Swagatha Samithi, 85th Akhila Bharatha Kannada Sahitya Sammelana, Kalaburagi: ISBN-938171862-8: 2020
19. Vachana Sahitya-Samajikathe Hagu Mahila Sankathana: Sarthaka Baduku, Ed-Dr. Amaresha Yathagal, Nyayamurthy Shivaraja V. Patil Prathistana, Rayachuru: ISBN-a. 978-93-5406-223-0: 2020
20. Gowtama Budha-Mythri Karune Samathegala Prathipadisida Tatvagnani: DhyanaSheela, Ed-Dr. Suryakata S. Sujyath: Mahabodhi Prakashana, Kalaburagi: ISBN-978-81-929490-5-5: 2020
21. Kannada Dalita Sahitya Meemamseyannu Kattuvagina Kelavu Bikkattugalu: Dalita Sahitya Samputa-Ankana Baraha, Ed-Dr. Annamma, Kannada Sahitya Parishattu, Bangalore: 2020
22. Bendre Kavya Praneetha Rastriyatheya Parikalpane: Bendre-125 Kandavarigastte: Ed-Dr. Geetha Vasantha, Rajakumara Madivalara: Bendre Baduku Baraha Prakashana, Bangalore, 2021
23. Karnataka Dalita Chaluvali: Adhunka Kannada Sahitya Charitre Manavika: Ed-Dr. H. L. Pushpa: Kannada Sahitya Parishat, Bangalore: 2020

Dr. Vijaay Kumar H vishwamanava (Assistant Professor)

Books:

1. Kuvempu Natakagalalli Mahila Pratishodada Nelegalu, Karnataka Nataka Acadami, Govt Of Karnataka, Bengaluru- 2020. ISBN: 998-91-93700-73-1.
2. Navya Prajhne, Aviratha Prakashana Bangalore-2021. ISBN: 989-97-85791-25-6.

Edited Book:

1. Samskrutika Sankathana, VOL NO II. Dhashamukha Prakashana, Bangalore. ISBN: 970-

71-908724-9-2.

Other Journals:

1. 'kannada bhasheyalli Hechu Balekegonda Shabdagalu'. Samajamukhi pathrike, Mysore. December 2020
2. 'Beda Samudayada Kuruhugalu', Valmiki Vijaya Patrike, Rajanahalli, Davanagere. October 2020.
3. 'Nidugallu Channappana Kavitegalu', Alksha Patrike, Bangalore. January 2021.
4. 'Kuvempu Sahithyadalli Henu Gandina Sambada', Malenadu Pathike Shivamoga. Feb 2021.

Articles

1. Kappearabhattachana Shasana: Maru Vishleshane: Aruhu Kuruhu, Mysore, 2021
2. Neeti Kategala Sankalana: Bandhuvarmana Jeevasambhodanam, Samajamukhi, Bangalore 2020

Paper presentation by faculty members

Prof. Vikram Visaji (Professor)

1. Gopalkrishana Adigara Kavyada Bhashika anusandhana: Karnataka Sahitya Akademi, Bengaluru, Jain College Bengaluru, 12.03.2021
2. Bendre Kavyadalli Dukha (webinar): Da.Ra. Bendre Rashtriya trust, Dharwad, 2020
3. Ramji Satpal Atmakathe: Kannada Dpt. Gulbarga University, Kalaburagi, 2021
4. Chndrashekara Kambarara Sahitya (Webinar): Christ University, Bengaluru 2021
5. H.S. Raghavendra Rao Avara Anuvada (Webinar): Nele Prakashana, Sindagi, 2020

Dr. Appagere Somashaker (Assistant Professor)

1. Rationalizing Vachana Literature, Society and Culture: Session Moderator, International Seminar, Basava Peetha, Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi 26/02/2021
 2. Dalita Atmakathe: Kannada Sahithyadalli Atmakathegalu-Anusandhana, Three Days National Webinar, Shri D. Devaraja Arasu Govt. First Grade College, Hunasuru, Mysore: 03.09.2020
 3. Parishishta Jathi-Sthithigathigala Charithrika Hinnele and Varthamana: Administrative Training Institute, Mysore: 14.09.2020
 4. Dravida Chaluvali and Periyar: Facebook, Tipatur Voice: 17.09.2020
 5. Parishishta Jathigala Hinnele and Sthithigathi: Administrative Training Institute, Mysore: 03.11.2020
 6. Bendre Kavyadalli Rastriyathey Parikalpane: Dr. Da. Ra. Bendre Rastriya Smaraka Trust, Dharavada: 07.11.2020
 7. Vaddaradhane: Karnataka Sahithya Akademi, Bangalore: 22.11.2020
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8. Shikshana-Samajika Nyayada Hadi: Nationla Webinar, Bandaya Sahithya Sanghatane, Bangalore: 05.12.2020
9. Ambedkar and Matu Kelada Bharatha: Bangalore Dalith Forum, Bangalore: 13.12.2020
10. Vachana Sahithyadalli Samajika Moulyagalu: Sheshadripuram College, Bangalore:
 - a. 26.12.2020
11. Kuvempu Literature and Life: Avishkara Pragathipara Samskruthika Vedike, Kalaburagi:
 - a. 29.12.2020
12. JNU Angaladalli Rashtriyavadada Clasugalu: Pustaka Preethi Tingala Matukate, Janashakti Media, Bangalore: 29.01.2021
13. Gowthama Budha-Samathe, Mythri, Karune, Pragnegalannu Pratipadisida Tatvagnani: One Day Multi Disciplinary National Level Seminar-in The Relevance of Buddha's Thoughts in Contemporary World and the Basis of Buddhisam in Kalyana Karnataka: Dr. Ambedkar College of Arts, Commerce and P.G. Center, Kalaburagi-The Department of History: 09.04.2021
14. Siddalingaiah Avara Natakagalu: Urukerige Midida Jeevadhvani, Bhahumukhi Karyakrama, Dr. B. R. Ambedkar Samshodhan Hagu Vistarana Kendra, Mysore University, Manasagangothri, Mysore: 07.03.2020
15. Ondu Desha-Ondu Samvidhana: Govt. Mahavidyalaya, Kalaburagi: 13.11.2020
16. As a Chair Person-Lankesh Teeke-Tippani: Adima Samskruthika Kendra, Kolar and Samsa Theater, Bangalore: 23.03.2021
17. Resource Person – Adigara Kavyadalli Samajika Moulyagalu: Adigara KavyaAnusandhana, National Seminar, Maharani Mahila College, Mysore: 12.02.2020

Dr.TD.Rajanna (Assistant Professor)

1. Presented a paper on “*Kalaburagi Kannadada Mele anya Bhashegala Prabhava*” at Kavirajamarga parisara Sahitya at Dept. of Kannada, Organized by Gulbarga University, 2021
 2. Delivered the Special lecture on “*Evuru Shasanagala Samskritika Adhyayan*” at Book release function, Gulbarga, 2021
 3. Presented a paper on “*Vachanagalalli Moulya Pratipadane*” at Taluk Sahitya Sammelana at Jewargi, 2021
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Dr. Vijaay Kumar H vishwamanava (Assistant Professor)

1. “Kanakadasa Sahithyadalli Uga-Bhoga, Suladi and Mudagigalu”: International Seminar, Karnataka University, Dharwad, and Santa Kanakadasa Vidhyasamste Bhijapur, Karnataka: 03,04 December 2020
2. “Theatricality in Theatre and Other Mimetic Forms: International Conference, Bangalore University, Bangalore, Karnataka: 04,06 April 2020
3. “Vachana Sahithyada Bayalonagana Roopa” International Webinar, Davanagere University and SJM College Chitradurga, Karnataka: 30 July 2020
4. “R V Sundaram avra Sahithya” International Webinar, Madras University, Madras: 28,29 September 2020

Lectures delivered by faculty members

Prof. Shivaganaga Rumma (Professor) As resource Person

Topic--Kannada Sahityadalli Soundarya Meemoms, on 4-2-2020. Interdisciplinary Refresher Course in Indian Languages, Theme. Literary Languages and Linguistic Cultures UGC-Human Resource Development Centre, Karnataka University Dharwad.

E-lectures

Basavanna hagu Jativinash, on 26-4-2020, Janashakti Media Live

Basavanna Karlmarx, on 26-4-2020, book brahma, live

Dakhsinoottar Margagala Samskrutika Vishleshane, on 07-09-2020, organized By PG Centre Government first Grade college, Tenk Nidiyooru. and Loyala degree college Bangalore

Webinar Organized as Chairperson of SPARSH

Topic, ‘Gender Bias and Stereotyping, Gender Equality and Woman's Right, on 14-09-2020.

Honours/awards/recognition for faculty members

Dr. Basavaraja Kodgunti (Associate Professor)

1. Member of executive Committee, Linguistics Society of India, Pune. 2020-2023.
2. 2021. Shantalingeshwara sahitya prashasti, Vijayapura

Dr. Appagere Somashaker (Assistant Professor)

1. **Bheema Seva Ratna Award-2021:** Ravi Varma Kala Sahitya Samskrutika Seva Samsthe and Kannada and Culture Department, Bangalore: Kala Mandala, Kalaburagi : 21.04.2021

Conferences/seminars/workshops organised by the department

Achievements: Dept. faculties have got several recognitions for their academic activities.

Outreach programs: Faculties have been participating in various seminars, conferences, workshops, functions, public functions to deliver talks.

Activities at the department:

Webinar 1

Leo Tolstoy avara 'uddha mattu shanti ' yake odbeku?

O.L. Nagabhushan Swamy

K.Y. Narayan Swamy

Webinar 2

Anna Karenina Matty nanu

Ja.Na. Tejashree

Tarini shubhudayini

Webinar 3

Ramayanadali ravana patra

Dr. Prashant nayak

Lectures by

Sahitya Sanskriti savanda sarani

Dr. Sidhalingaya

Dr. K. puttaswmi

Dr. N.S. Gunduru

Dr. Chaytra puttaswami

Dr. Sidhanagowda patil

1. Special lecture by Prof.HS Shivaprakash on Bhakti and Siddha on 22-01-2021

2. Bendre kavana vachana gayana nirvachana on 01-02-2021

3. Akkamahadevi Vachana odu krayakrama on – 01/04/2021.

NET/JRF Get information from students:

Si.no	Student name	Class	Rl no
1	KHAIRUNNISABEGUM (NET)	PhD 2 nd sem	KK0850100365
2	RAVIKANT HANMANTH (NET)	MA1st sem	KK0850100263
3	SHEKAR	PhD2 nd sem	KK0850100024

20.Any other information --

Prof. Shivaganga Rumma

1. Hosathu, monthly magazine, ISSN-2319-7307 member of samalochak Mandali from 2019 January to till date

2. Mahamane, Monthly Magazine, Member of Editorial board from 2020

3, Kavimarg, quarterly Magazine from 2019 4, Shantikiran, quarterly magazine, from 2015

Dr. VijaayKumar H vishwamanava (Assistant Professor)

Participation in National Seminar, Webinar and Workshops:

1. “Faculty Development Programme on Religion and Culture” SJM College Chitadurga, Karnataka: 05.08.2020 to 12.08.2020.

conferences/ seminars/workshops/webinar organised

Kuvempu srujisida Ravana. organise on 24 October 2020. Speaker: Prof. G. Prashantha Nayaka.

Some write –up on the following

Other non-academic sections, centres, departments, etc. may evolve own structure to fit into the Annual Report.

3. DEPARTMENT OF HINDI

Introduction:

The Department of Hindi offers M.A. and Ph.D. Courses. Keeping in view the present challenges, both at the national and at the global levels, the Master’s programme is designed to give a more inclusive and expansive approach to Hindi literature and functional aspects of Hindi language. The programme includes Discipline Elective and Generic Elective, Foundation Course (Elective & Compulsory) along with the core subjects. It also envisages to carry out meaningful and relevant research programme (Ph.D.) in Medieval Hindi literature, Comparative Studies, Cultural Studies, Dalit Literature, Interdisciplinary Studies, Linguistics, Literary Theories, Modern Hindi Literature, poetics, Hindi Drama and Theatre Studies, Translation Studies and Women Studies.

1. Faculty: -

Prof. Sunitha Anil Manjanbail, Professor, & Head

Prof. Ganesh B. Pawar, Professor

Dr. Suraj Kumar, Assistant Professor

Dr. Deepak Kumar, Faculty (Contractual)

Mr. Pandgale Gorakh, Faculty (Contractual)

DEPARTMENTAL ACTIVITY

● **सहित्यक और सांस्कृतिक मंच :**

सयोजक : डॉ सूरज कुमार

सह संयोजक : डॉ दीपक कुमार

श्री पांडगले गोरख

Sl.No.	दिनांक	विषय
1	13.02.2021	फरवरी माह में हिंदी के प्रमुख साहित्यकारों की जयंती/पुण्यतिथि
2	20.02.2021	फरवरी माह में हिंदी के प्रमुख साहित्यकारों की जयंती/पुण्यतिथि
3	27.02.2021	मातृभाषा दिवस के अवसर पर मातृभाषा : परिचय एवं पाठ
4	06.03.2021	अंतर्राष्ट्रीय महिला दिवस के रूप में ‘इनसे मिलिए’ कार्यक्रम में लेखिका

		रोहिणी अग्रवाल का विशेष व्याख्यान
5	16.03.2021	ज्ञानपीठ पुरस्कार से सम्मानित हिंदी एवं कन्नड़ के साहित्यकार
6	20.03.2021	ज्ञानपीठ पुरस्कार से सम्मानित हिंदी एवं कन्नड़ के साहित्यकार
7	17.04.2021	हिंदी की साहित्यिक एवं शोध पत्रिकाओं का महत्त्व

● अंतर्राष्ट्रीय वेबिनार :हिन्दी साहित्य में हिमालय,5 अगस्त 2020

संयोजक : डॉ सूरज कुमार

क्रम संख्या	वक्ता	विषय
1	मंगलेश डबराल	हिन्दी कविता में हिमालय
2	पंकज बिष्ट	हिन्दी कथा साहित्य में हिमालय
3	डॉ रामप्रसाद भट्ट	लोकसाहित्य में हिमालय



इस वेबिनार में देश- विदेश से कुल 529 प्रतिभागियों ने सक्रिय हिस्सेदारी की।

- अंतर्राष्ट्रीय महिला दिवस पर हिन्दी की सुप्रसिद्ध आलोचक रोहिणी अग्रवाल का विशेष व्याख्यान दिनांक 06.03.2021 को।
संयोजन : डॉ दीपक कुमार



2. Details of academic/administrative excellence of each faculty

1. Prof. Sunitha Anil Manjanbail (Professor, Head, Department of Hindi)

Attended webinars

1. Presented paper as invitee speaker in the national webinar organised by the Karnatak Arts Science and Commerce College Bidar on May 8th 9th 2020 on the topic: 21 vi sadi mein Sant Sahitya ki prasangikta.
2. Attended webinar as invitee speaker organised by field outreach Bureau Ministry of Information and Broadcasting, GOI, Mangalore in Association with Bhuvanendra college Karkala Udupi on 16 /09/2020

Publication article in a book

- स्त्री मुक्ति की संघर्ष गाथा कन्नड़ नाटक सुले सकव्वे (साहित्यिक संवाद प्रोफ़ेसर के वनजा अभिनंदन ग्रंथ वाणी प्रकाशन आईएसबीएन 978-.93-89341-70-6)

2. Prof. Ganesh B. Pawar (Professor)

1. He has been appointed President Rashtriya Hindi Sahitya Bharati, New Delhi.
2. Appointed Vice President, Akhil Bharatiya Hindi Maha Sabha, New Delhi.

Invited Lectures:

1. Lecture delivered on 'Gandhi Our Anhimsawad' Organized by the Ministry of Cultural Education, New Delhi.
2. Lectures delivered on 'Hindi Ka Bhavishya' Organized by New Art's College, Tikota-Vijayapur.

3. Lecture delivered on 'Sahitya Our Samaj Ka Anth Sambandh' Bangalore University, Bengaluru.
4. Lecture delivered on 'Phaniswar Nath Renu Ek Chintan' Organized by Nalanda Mahaveehar University, Naya Nalanda, Bihar.
5. Lecture delivered on 'Bhakti Sahitya Ka Samaj' Organized by Dept of Hindi, Shivaji University, Kolhapur.
6. Lecture delivered 'Aatma Katha Chintan' Organized by Kannada Department, Gulbarga University, Kalaburagi.

National Seminar:

1. One Day National Webinar on 'Hindi Ka Bhavishya' Organized by New Art's College, Tikota-Vijayapur.
2. One Day National Webinar on 'Swatantryottara Bharat Mein Hindi Sahitya Our Samaj' Organized by Nizam Degree College Hyderabad.
3. One Day National Webinar on 'Bharat Mein Hindi' Organized by Bharatiya Sahitya Bharati, New Delhi.
4. One Day National Webinar on 'Hindi Ka Bhavishya' Organized by Akhil Bharatiya Hindi Maha Sabha, New Delhi.

Lectures in Refresher Courses:

1. Lecture delivered on 'Basaveshwar Our Kabir' at Academic College, Dr. B. R. Ambedkar Marathwada University, Aurangabad, Maharashtra.

3. Dr Suraj Kumar (Assistant Professor (Senior Scale))

- Research Paper titled 'Adivasi Sahitya ki Avdharna', published in UGC Care Listed quarterly Journal Shodh Sarita Vol-22, Vol 17, Page-140-143,2020, ISSN no- 2348-2397
- Research Paper titled 'Mahanagariya Sanskriti ke aaine mein Jhumpa Lahiri ki Kolkata kendrit kahaniyan: Sanskrit Vimarsh' published in UGC care list Journal 'Shodh SancharBulletin'- UGC Approved Journal, Vol 10, Page-142-145,2020., ISSN no- 2229-3620

b) Details of papers presented at national / international & state level seminars, conferences & symposium etc.

- 31st May2020: Delivered keynote Speech on 'Bhishm Sahni Ki Kahaniyon mein vridh jivan kaSamkalinpariprekshya' at Karnatak College ofAC&S, Bidar in a national seminar.

- 27th July2020: Delivered keynote Speech on ‘Phanishwarnath Renu ke Sahitya mein Sthaniya, Aanchlikta aur Yatharthavaad’ at St Joseph College, Bengaluru in a national webinar
- 31st July2020: Delivered keynote Speech on ‘Premchand ke Kathetar Sahitya ka Punarpaath’ in webinar on the topic ‘Premchand Sahitya: Ek Punarpaath’ at Govt. College of Arts, Science&Commerce, Quepem, Goa.

c) Awards (If any).

- Awarded Associateship of the UGC Inter University centre for Humanities and Social Sciences, Indian Institute of Advanced Study, Shimla. (29Nov2019)
- Have completed first spell of Associateship from 01.03.2021 to 31.03.2021

D) Others:

Workshop/ FDP program/other program attended:

- Workshop on Testing and Evaluation, organized by NTS, CIIL, Mysore, 7-11 September 2020
- Online FDP on various Aspects of Cinema Studies organized by MHFC, Hansraj College, University of Delhi, 21-27September 2020.
- Online FDP on Film appreciation, organised by NPTEL-AICTE, Sep-Nov 2020
- Workshop on Film Preservation & Restoration workshop India 2020, on Sep 2,8,9,11,12/2020 organised by Film Heritage Foudation, India.
- Film Appreciation workshop by Namrata Joshi 2020, on 27th Sep 2020 organised by Book a workshop.
- Adopting to Film/Screen workshop by Vaiehi Sancheti, on 19th Sep 2020 organised by Living Bridge Eduspace for Breakthroughs.
- Attended ‘NUKTA MASTER CLASS’ by Isha Priya Singh Kitabijugnu on 25/10/2020.
- Attended Virtual Film festival-BOF (25/09/2020), BAFTA Shorts2019(26/09/2020) organised by Pune Film Foundation and British Council.
- Attended Virtual Film festival-9th edition of DIFF (Dharmshala International Film Festival) from 29/10/2020 to 4/11/2020.

Webinar attended:

- Attended National webinar on “‘Enhancing Research Interest’ of Research publication” organised by IQAC, Maharaja Agresen College, University of Delhi held on 3/06/2020.
- Attended webinar on “Reprographic Science and Technology for Preservation of and Access to Documentary Heritage” organised by Indira Gandhi National Council for Arts, Delhi held on 4/06/2020.
- Attended National webinar on “‘Prof Ganga Prasad Vimal: Jivan aur Sahitya Srijan’” organised by Hamburg University, Germany, held on 9/06/2020.

- Attended National webinar on “Premchand aur aaj ka bharat: Kisan, Yuva aur Striyon ke sandarbh mein” organised by MVV Shashkiya Mahavidyalaya, Bhakhara, Chattisgarh, held on 14/07/2020.
- Attended National webinar on “Sahitya Cinema aur SamajikYatharth” organised by Gautam Buddha University, Bhartiya Bhasha aur Sahitya Vibhag, Manviki aur Samajik Vigyan Sankay, Greater Noida, held on 20/07/2020.
- Attended International webinar on “Hindi Vyakarnik Parampara ka Itahaas” organised by Vishva Hindi Sachivalay and Vaishvik Hindi Parivaar, held on 02/08/2020.
- Attended National webinar on “Online Shikshan: Taknik aur Shikshan” organised by Bhartiya Bhasha Kendra, SLL&CS, JNU, Delhi held on 8/08/2020.
- Attended National webinar on “Creation of National Register for UNESCO@memory of the world program” organised by IGNCA, Delhi held on 14/08/2020.
- Attended International webinar on “Issues and Challanges in Translation and Translation Studies in Russian and South Asian Languages (ICTTS)” organised by CRS, JNU, Delhi, held on 30/09/2020.
- Attended International webinar on “Lekhak Shailesh Matiyani tatha Hindi Sahitya mein unka yogdaan” organised by Hamburg University, Germany and Kendriy Hindi Sansthan, Delhi, held on 14/10/2020.

Member:

- Member of BOE (Board of Examiners) for the examinations of 2020-for the PhD coursework in the subject Hindi at Department of PG Studies&Research in Hindi, Gulbarga University, Kalaburagi.
- Member of the committee for designing the Module Curriculum for HINDI UG: BA, BSW, Bsc, BCA, Bcom, BBA, BBM, BHM (Language and Optional) formulated by VC, Tumkur University, Tumkur. (14/05/2020)
- Member: BOS Music and Fine Arts
- Member: CUK Lecture series committee
- Member: भारतीय अनुवाद संघ (Indian Translation Consortium), MGHIU, Wardha

Convener: Sahityik Sanskritik Manch, Department of Hindi, SHL, Central University of Karnataka

Convener: International webinar titled ‘Sahitya mein Himalaya’ held on 5th August 2020, at Department of Hindi, School of Humanities and Languages, Central University of Karnataka.

4. DEPARTMENT OF LINGUISTICS

Introductory remark about each department

India has one of the oldest and richest traditions of linguistic study in the world. The rich multilingual situation of India provides both challenges and opportunities for a well-designed research and training programme in Linguistics/Language Sciences. The great history and

relatedness within and between languages and language families provide ample scope for academic research. The linguistic and literary traditions of various languages in India offer intellectually stimulating and emotionally integrating outcomes. Justification for a systematic study of language in India has not only scholarly, but also pragmatic one in terms of urgent regional, state, and national priorities. India faces many challenges in language education, both in mother tongue and second language. Integration of the historically underprivileged and marginalized classes and castes into the educational mainstream is a national priority and languages can play an enabling role. Many lesser-known, minor and tribal languages are in need of attention from scholars and policymakers to carry out description and documentation tasks for their development. The use of Indian languages as a medium of higher education remains an unfulfilled goal, especially, in the sciences. Recent advancements such as the use of regional languages in texting, emails, and the internet, call for precise descriptions of languages and adoption of techniques from natural language processing. Thus India needs a trained workforce in different applied areas of Linguistics to meet the present and future needs of the society. The programme and courses offered by the Department of Linguistics at CUK are designed to address these issues in research and teaching.

Programmes offered

<i>Program</i>	<i>Duration</i>	<i>Intake</i>
<i>M.A. Linguistics</i>	<i>4 semesters</i>	<i>15</i>
<i>PhD Linguistics</i>	<i>6 semesters</i>	<i>-</i>

Faculty members

1. **Dr. Majulakshi L.** (Coordinator and Assistant professor)
2. **Mrs. Ankita Satapathy** (Assistant Professor)

Publications by faculty members**Publications by faculty member Dr Manjulakshi L**

- L, Manjulakshi. (2020). Bhasha mandaara: A Felicitation Volume of Prof H.M. Maheshwaraiah and Dr. Rajeswari Maheshwaraiah, Neelaparvat Prakashana, Dharwad-580003
- L, Manjulakshi. (2020). Swopajna-Indian Multilingualism and Language Behaviour-A Festschrift for of Prof H.M. Maheshwaraiah Neelaparvat Prakashana, Dharwad-580003

L, Manjulakshi. (2020). *Janapada mattu mahile*. prabhuddha Karnataka, Vol.No: 96-97, Issue 365-367: Prasara, University of Mysore, Mysore

L, Manjulakshi. (2020). *Daasa saahitya mattu T.N. Nagarathna*, Rathna Prabhe: A Felicitatation Volume of Dr. T.N. Nagarathna, Mani Prakashana, Mysore, 570030

Publication details (Mrs. Ankita Satapathy)

Book chapters

1. Satapathy, Ankita. 2020. Assessing Linguistic Vitality Status: A Sabara (Sora) Perspective. In Tariq Khan (ed.). *The Interplays of Language Society and Culture*. Mysore: CIIL & LSI. ISBN 9788194649984

2. Satapathy, Ankita. 2020. A Stable Bilingualism or A Language Shift: An Ethnolinguistic Assessment of Sabara (Sora). Mysore: CIIL. In Press.

3. Satapathy, Ankita. 2021. Nature and Classification of NPIs in Odia and their licensing. In Tariq Khan (ed.). *Alternative Horizons in Linguistics: Papers in Honour of Prof. Panchanan Mohanty*. Munich: Lincom Europa. In Press

Paper presentation by faculty members

Paper presentation by faculty member Dr Manjulakshi L

Participated and presented a paper entitled *bheshe mattu bhashavigna* on International webinar on PROF. RVS SUNDARAM LIFE AND WORKS organized by the Department of Kannada, University of Madras, Chennai in collaboration with Sahitya Parishath, Tamilnadu, Ghataka on 29 and 30 August 2020

Lectures delivered by faculty members

Honours/awards/recognition for faculty members

Conferences/seminars/workshops organised by the department

- a. Virtual Linguistics Lecture Series organized by department of Linguistics from 1st July to 5th July, 2020.
- b. **Online Lectures** on the occasion of International Mother Language Day 2021
 - i. Researching Linguistic Diversity: The Case of NorthEast by Dr. Stephen Morey
 - ii. The Cognitive Potential of Mother Tongue #HOLDONTOIT by Padma Shri Anvita Abbi

Details of research projects- investigator, title, funding agency, amount etc.

Collaboration/ MoU

Achievements/

Outreach programs

Cultural Program on the occasion of International Mother Language Day 2021 to sensitize the campus community on the importance of mother tongue.

Activities at the department

Student centric/ extra-curricular activities

Honours/awards/recognition for research scholars/students

Scholarships/medals/prizes for students

NET/JRF

Biswanath Dash (NET) (2018-2020)

Monica Rajguru (NET)(2019-2021)

Facilities available to the students at the department

Any other information

Dr Manjulakshi L took over the responsibility as the coordinator of the Department of Linguistics, Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi, from November 2020. She is actively doing all the academic and administrative responsibility of the department and has appointed two contractual Faculties so far. Further Dr Manjulakshi L has been accorded PhD guideship from 26th April and has been nominated as member to the Board of Studies of the School of Humanities and Languages from April 2021 onwards.

II. Some write-up on the following

Other non-academic sections, centres, departments, etc may evolve their own structure to fit into the Annual Report.

5. Department of Foreign Languages Studies

Introduction:

The Department of Foreign Languages Studies under the aegis of School of Humanities and Languages is the newest addition to the ever-widening academic milieu at Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi. The Department is going to offer Intensive Certificate (one semester) course with forty seats each in Arabic, German, Japanese and Spanish from the upcoming academic session and plans to offer Diploma and Advanced Diploma courses in these languages from subsequent academic sessions. Soon in near future, the Department

wishes to offer Master of Arts (MA) and PhD degrees in the aforementioned languages. At the postgraduate level, the Department will offer a range of courses in the histories, cultures, philosophies, literatures of the places where these languages are spoken. The multidimensional character of our courses is aimed at enabling students to organically link various interrelated themes of their studies in order to explore potential research topics for research in their respective fields.

Academic Programme scheduled to be launched in the academic year 2021-22: Intensive Certificate of Proficiency

Duration: One Semester

Academic profile of the Department:

Dr. P. Kumar Mangalam is the Coordinator of Department of Foreign Languages Studies,

Dr. Inamul Azad	Assistant Professor in Arabic	MA, M Phil and PhD from Jawaharlal Nehru University (JNU), New Delhi. UGC-NET in Arabic., Research interests: Humanism in Arabic and Islamic Literature, Arabic Language and Literature, Islamic Literature, Modern Arabic Drama., Dr. Azad may be reached at inamulazad@cuk.ac.in .
Mr. Shivam Mishra	Assistant Professor in German	BA (Hons) and MA in German from JNU, New Delhi. Currently pursuing PhD from IIT Mandi in Himachal Pradesh., Research interests: Teaching of German as a Foreign Language (DaF), Eighteenth century German literature, Exile literature, Migrant literature, German-Hindi translation of contemporary literature., Mr. Shivam may be reached at mshivam@cuk.ac.in .
Ms. Piyali Roy	Assistant Professor in Japanese	BA (Hons), MA and PhD (pursuing) from Visva-Bharati, University, Shantiniketan. Research interest: Japanese Language, Literature, History and Culture of Japan. Comparative study of Japanese and Indian Literature. Yasunari Kawabata and Rabindranath Tagore., Ms. Piyali may be reached at piyaliroy.jap@gmail.com .
Dr. P. Kumar Mangalam	Assistant Professor in Spanish	BA (Hons.), MA, M. Phil and PhD in Spanish from JNU, New Delhi. UGC-NET (JRF) in Spanish., Research interests: Spanish Language and Cultures of Spanish-speaking world, Latin American Literary and Cultural Studies with focus on Postcolonial Studies and Decolonial Thinking, Literary Translation. Dr. Mangalam may be reached at pkmangalam@cuk.ac.in .

Publication/paper presentation/lectures delivered/ by and orientation/induction/refresher programmes attended by faculty members

Dr. Inamul Azad

- Orientation Course, Online mode, organized by the UGC Human Resource Development Centre, Mizoram University during 28th July – 17th August, 2020.
- Subject Refresher Course UGC-HRDC-AMU 16th Dec to 30th Dec 2020.

Mr. Shivam Mishra

- Faculty Induction Program through online mode, organised by the HRDC, Pondicherry University from 27th Jan 2021 till 25th Feb 2021.

Honours/awards/recognition for faculty members:

None in the period

Conferences/ seminars/workshops organized by the Department:

Since its inception very recently in November, 2019 the Department of Foreign Languages Studies has organised some activities which are important to ensure its reach to potential learners.

In the series of these activities the Department convened a two-day international webinar. With *Challenges and Opportunities of Learning a Foreign Language in the Present Context* as its theme, the webinar had sessions with experts on Spanish, German, Arabic and Japanese languages on June 25 and 26, 2020. These experts who joined the webinar from both within India and abroad and represented institutions of global repute such as Jawaharlal Nehru University and University of Delhi shared their views on various aspects of learning a foreign language. Putting particular emphasis on emerging dynamics of online teaching, changing patterns of jobs in academic and corporate sectors, the experts engaged the participants in some very insightful discussions on the topic.

The Department will have many such events in near future to attract prospective learners to the ever interesting and enriching field of foreign languages.

Apart from holding webinars and conferences on a regular basis, the Department will also evolve other sites of learning and exchange of ideas such as cultural festivals, language days and quizzes, book-reading sessions, translation workshops, international cuisine festivals among others in coming days

Facilities available to the students at the department

The Department possesses two well equipped classrooms with required seating facility for teachers and students along with required facilities for conducting online classes in the present scenario. The Department also boasts of a well-equipped seminar hall with facilities for audio-visual teaching and learning.

6. DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC AND FINE ARTS

About the Department:

The department of Music and Fine Arts under School of Humanities and Languages is a new addition to the widening academic horizon of Central University of Karnataka. It is established in 2019 and offers Master's degree in Music and fine arts. The department offers training in *Gharana* based classical music along with training in semi classical forms like *Thumari*, *Hori* and *Dadara*. It offers platform to learn native musical forms like *Vachana*, *Dasavani* and folk with the emphasis on to narrative based *rendition and spirituality*.

In percussions, the art and technique of playing *Tabala* from different *Gharanas* for solo performance and accompaniment techniques are taught. The study at the department focuses on the evolution of creative and classical table recital methods for different musical illustrations. The training encourages traditional recital methods along with scope for creative rendition in the parallel jargons of percussion performance.

The department is committed for training in creative visual art with focus on to painting and sculpture. It provides platform for students to develop skills in traditional, folk and contemporary visual art forms with different styles, forums and media. The department serves as a conclave of train students in human expressions, in the form of visual and performing arts. It focuses on to build artists with contemporary, classical, spiritual and academic ascendancy.

Programmes offered:

The department offers master's program in **Master of Performing Arts (MPA) in Hindustani Music Vocal 2020 -21**. It is a two-year program with four semesters. It has curriculum of contemporary nature preserving the traditional flavour. The course has adapted CBCS pattern with emphasis on to a pronounced practical component. The course intends to carve an artist out of a student with strong base in tradition of art and music with research orientation and inclination towards creative exploration in the subject.

Elective for Drawing and Painting

- i) **PG Elective 2nd Semester** - Subject: **Drawing and Painting-II (2021)**
- ii) **UG Elective 2nd Semester** - Subject : **Introduction to Drawing and Painting (2021)**
- iii) **Electives For Tabala - UG And PG**

I. Faculty members :03

Name	Research areas and Expertise
Vidushi Dr. Jayadevi Jangamashetti MA Music [Vocal] , PhD Assistant Professor	Hindustani Vocal of Jayapur Athroli Gharana, Vachana and Dasavani gayaki. Specialised in music of Vachana rendition.

Kalabhushan Dr. Shivanand Bantanur AM, GD. Art, MA Fine Arts, PhD Assistant Professor	Painter and sculpturist, specialised in contemporary and traditional styles, Medium, visual art theory and folk depictions..
Pandit Dr. Ravikiran Nakod MAMusic[Tabala] PhD, Outstanding TOP Grade Tabala Artist in All India Radio. Assistant Professor	Tabala Artist, exponent in Dilli, Purab and Ajrada Gharana style of recital. Specialised in grammar of <i>chalan</i> and <i>revu</i> in traditional music theory

II. Publications by faculty members:

1. Dr. Jayadevi Jangamashetti

- i). **“Sangeetadalli Saundarya Mattu Rasanubhuti”**, Womens Literature Volume SANKEERNA Published by KANNADA SAHITYA PARISHATTU, Chamaraipet, Bangalore, 2020
- ii). **Bhakti Sangeeta: Hindusthani Sangeetagarara Koduge** – ANIKETANA 2020 Published by Karnataka Sahitya Akademy, Kannada Bhavana, Bangalore, 2020
- iii). **Sangeeta Kale: Pratibhe Mattu Uyutpatti** - Aniketana 2020 Published by Karnataka Sahitya Akademy, Kannada Bhavana, Bangalore, 2020
- iv). **Sangeeta shikshana mattu vyaktitva vikasana** – A special issue Published by Karnataka state Gangubai Hangal Music and Performing Arts University, Mysore, 2020

2. Dr Ravikiran Nakod

- i). **“Contribution of Anokelal Mishra to Tabla”**, ISSN: 2455-3085 (Online), RESEARCH REVIEW International Journal, 19 December 2019
- ii). **“Tune with table a study of classical music”** ISSN: 2455-3085 (Online), RESEARCH REVIEW International Journal, 16 January 2020
- iii). **“Evolution of Tabla as a musical instrument”** ISSN: 2455-3085 (Online), RESEARCH REVIEW International Journal February, 16 Feb 2020
- iv). **“TABLA as musical instrument”** ISSN: 2455-3085 (Online), RESEARCH REVIEW International Journal, 16 Mar 2020

3. Dr Shivanand Bantanur

- i) **Aswadakara hrudaya tanisuva lalityapoorna rekhachitragalu**; Hosathu – Monthly magazine, Navakarnataka publication pri. Ltd. Bengaluru, page-63, January/2020/ISSN 2319-7307,
- ii) **Strong Imagery of a lovelorn life**; ROYAL ART TIMES; The Indian Royal Academy of Art and Culture, Kalaburagi, Voi. I, Issue 6, December 16-31/2020.
- iii) **Raja Ravivarma Award for Renowned shri J S Khanderao**: ATR AFFAIRS: Monthly art Magazine, Art Affaires, Belagaavi, page 8-9, 1st August 2020

III. Paper presentation by faculty members

1. Dr Jayadevi Janhamashetti

- i) **Pt. Bhimsen Joshi and his Achievements in Hindusthani Claassical Music** in Webinar On Dated 18 - 2 -2021 the eve of Birth Anniversary of Pt Bhimsen Joshi – Organized by

Field outreach bureau Mangalore (Ministry of information and broadcasting Govt of INDIA

ii) Delivered a keynote Address in the Webinar On Contribution of kalayana

Karnataka to the Indian Music Dated 5-11-2020. Organized by Sharanabasaveshwara college of Coolege of Arts, Kalburgi, Under IQAC INITIATION Dept of Music.

iii) Raga Vaividyate hmattu Manodharma Sangeeta in International Science Fiction conference Detad 7-9-2020 organized by Center for Wonens studies, Bangalore University Bangalore.

iv) Rendering of Vachanagayana – in 2 days International Seminar on Rationalizing Vachana Literature society and Culture dated 25, 26-2=feb 2021 organized by Basavapeetha Central university of Karnataka Kalaburgi.

2. Dr Shivanand Bantanur

- i) **Creativity and Fine Art:** National Webinar: Org. by; Dept. of Fine Art, S. B. College of Arts, Under IQAC. Date: 10/10/2020
- ii) **Drushya kala kshetrakke Kalyana Karnataka koduge :** Jane Art Gyalary; Org. By: Kruttika Sanskrutika samsthe, Kalaburagi, Date : 31.01.2021

IV. Lectures delivered by faculty members

1. Dr Shivanand Bantanur

- i) **A New Ray of Hope:** An Exhibition of Paintings, Photographs and Cartoons by 20 Artist. Date: 17.01.2021 Org. By: The oyal Academy of Art and M B Lohar Art Gallery, Kalaburagi
- ii) **Contemporary Sculptures of Kalaburagi Dist:** Org. by: Rangayana, Kalaburagi and Karnataka Shilpakala Academy, Bengaluru at Siddhayya puranika angamanira, Kalaburagi. Date : 02.12.2020
- iii) **Vijayapura jilleya kale mattu vasthu shilpa:** State level art exhibition: Org. By:Drushya Bimba Kala Pratisthana (R) Vijayapura, Date : 01.01.2021
- iv) **Importance of World Art Day:** At MMK College of Visual Art, Kalaburagi Org. By: Karnataka Lalitakala Academy and The Ideal Fine Art Institution, Klaburagi Date: 15th / April/ 2021

Dr Shivanand Bantanur

- I. **Participation in International online Art Exhibition: Date: 15- 25/July/ 2020** Admin Building.
- II. **Member of the Board of Appointment** for the Dept. of Visual Art, Gulbarga University, Kalaburagi Date: 11.11.2020

1. Dr Jayadevi Jangamashetti: Rendering of Vachanagayana – in 2 days International Seminar on Rationalizing Vachana Literature society and Culture dated 25, 26 Feb 2021 organized by Basavapeetha Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburgi.

2. Dr Shivanand Bantanur: Creating Sculpture in stone medium: Installed at CUK

II. SCHOOL OF EDUCATION & TRAINING

About the school:

Dean: Prof. M. A. Aslam, Professor

The Central University of Karnataka strengthened its academic foundations and added a new degree program that is Bachelor of Education (B. Ed) School of Education and Training (SET) in Academic year 2017. The present curricular frame work is designed to include a comprehensive coverage of theory and field engagement with the child, school and community. The main focus is on the broad areas like perspectives in education, pedagogic studies, and engagement with field. The course is a unique amalgamation of holistic prescriptive creating space for interdisciplinary approach with themes cutting across the curriculum.

Mr. Mahendra M, Assistant Professor, Department of English is Coordinator, Dept. of Education.

7. Department of Education

Faculty: -

Activities of the Department: -

Programs conducted for III semester (batch 2019-21)

- III sem classes started from 5th September 2020
- From 12th November 2020 – 23rd November 2020 we had pre-internship workshop.
- Pre-internship teaching practise was started from 24th November 2020 to 8th December 2020.

Programs conducted for IV semester

- Orientation for internship started from 8th march 2021 to 15th march 2021

Programs conducted for I semester students (batch 2020-21)

- Deeksharambh- student induction program was on 11th November 2020
- Regular classes were started from 19th November 2020
- Micro teaching was started from 18th January 2021 to 04th February 2021

III. SCHOOL OF EARTH SCIENCES

Dean: Prof. Ali Raza Moosvi

Introduction to the School:

The School of Earth Sciences works to gain a better understanding of our planet, the resources that support society and the challenge of sustainability. We use a variety of methods and tools to address our research questions, including field work, laboratory and experimental studies, and computer modeling. The School of Earth Sciences is one of the first few schools established by Central University of Karnataka. It is home to TWO departments, offering post graduate and undergraduate degrees in GEOGRAPHY and GEOLOGY. The School of Earth Sciences is committed to educating a new generation of scholars who will reflect the diversity of intellectual perspectives, life experiences, and cultural backgrounds represented in society today.

The School has some MoUs and close collaboration with eminent National and International Universities and Research Institutions such as Salzburg University, Austria, University of Tartu, Estonia, National Institute of Rural Development, Hyderabad, Central Ground Water Board and Indian Institute of Remote Sensing (Indian Space Research Organization), Dehradun and other reputed institutions for Teaching, Research and exchange programs for both faculties and students.

The School consists of the following Departments:

1. Geography
2. Geology

8. DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY

Head of the Department: Prof. Ali Raza Moosvi

I. Introduction

*We shall not cease from exploration
And the end of all our exploring
Will be to arrive where we started
And know this place for the first time.*

T.S Eliot, Little Giddings (1942)

The Department of Geography is a little over a decade old and has been striving to make a difference in teaching and learning aspects of Geography. As we understand, Geography is a unique subject that can bridge the divide between the sciences and the humanities and between the environment and society. On similar lines, this Department has been trying to create synergy between Physical and Human Geography and integrate newer technology such as the Geographical information system. The department is also trying to stay current and relevant by the inclusion of emerging areas.

Attempting to bring in an innovative approach, the Department offers courses offered aim at integrating both the basic theory and the applied aspects of the subject.

Young and enthusiastic faculty members, regularly updated curriculum and implementing the latest UGC Outcome Based Education guidelines and updated teaching and educational tools are our strengths. The students will learn and understand that Geography is everywhere and examines locations, connections, territories, environment and places and seeks to understand their significance. The students would further master the techniques of Geoinformatics tools and their application in a geographical context.

I Programmes offered:

1. Integrated M.Sc. in Geography
2. M.Sc. in Geography and Geoinformatics
3. Ph.D.in Geography

II. Faculty:

1	Professor	Prof. Ali Raza Moosvi
2	Assistant Professor	Dr. Archana Kujur
3	Assistant Professor	Dr. B Mahalingam
4	Assistant Professor	Dr. Sanjit Sarkar

III. Activities

Dr. Sanjit Sarkar has successfully organized an online meeting of the Departmental Alumni on 26.12.2020. The suggestions and feedback received are noted and a robust and extensive database of the Alumni is being prepared to make the syllabi and department activities better for greater impact and outreach.

IV. Online training workshops and Webinars conducted by faculty

1. Dr. Mahalingam has conducted a free 21-day online GIS training program in collaboration with the State Institute of Urban Development, Karnataka from 13.07.2020 to 02.08.2020 in which nearly 15,000 participants registered from over 80 countries.
2. Dr. Archana Kujur and Dr. Sanjit Sarkar organized a Webinar on Population and Environment Studies in Geographical research: Methodological and Data perspectives on 6th November 2020. The Webinar was attended by all faculty and students of the Department. Dr. Preeti Dhillon, Assistant Professor (IIPS) Mumbai, and Prof. Satptai, Professor of Geography from the University of Calcutta were the resource persons who delivered Keynote lectures.
3. Training Programme: Twenty-one days Online GIS Training Program using QGIS, Held from 07th September 2020 to 27th September 2020; Organized by Dr. B. Mahalingam, jointly with State Institute of Urban Development, Karnataka, India.
4. A week capacity building programme for engineers on “Applications of RS, GPS, GIS, Drones in ULBs/Corporations in urban services”. Held from 26th August to 31st August 2019; Coordinated by Dr. B. Mahalingam; Funded by Karnataka State Institute of Urban Development.
5. Prof. Ali Raza Moosvi delivered a lecture as Resource Person at the Faculty Induction Programme organised by the UGC-HRDC, MANUU, Hyderabad on University Acts, Statutes, Ordinances and regulations and their importance in Governance of higher educational Institutions” held online on 06.01.21.
6. Prof. Ali Raza Moosvi delivered a lecture as Resource Person at the Faculty Induction Programme organised by the UGC-HRDC, Osmania University, Hyderabad on University Acts, Statutes, Ordinances and regulations and their importance in

Governance of higher educational Institutions” held online on 07.11.2020.

V. Publications:

- Sarkar Sanjit (2020). Dearth in access to nutrition across socio-economic strata among rural households in West Bengal, India, GeoJournal, Springer (Scopus Indexed; IF-1.36)
- Sarkar Sanjit (2020). Prevalence and determinants of the use of caesarean section (CS) in the dichotomy of ‘public’ and ‘private’ health facilities in West Bengal, India, Clinical Epidemiology and Global Health, Elsevier (Scopus Indexed)
- Sarkar Sanjit (Co-authored/Policy Report; 2020). Report on the state of food security and nutrition in Odisha. PHDMA, Planning and Convergence Department, Govt of Odisha, and World Food Programme.
- Kujur Archana (2020). Forced migration of tribes to the tea gardens: Historical account, Juni Khyat.
- Kujur Archana (Co-authored; 2020). Effect of type of Exposure to WASH in early life on cognitive ability”, Shodh Sarita Volume 7, Issue 27, pg no 26-33.
- B Mahalingam (Co-authored; 2020). The environmental implications of land use and land cover change around a mined area at Madayipara in Kannur district, Kerala state, Journal of Global Resources.

VI. Seminars /Conference/Invited talk:

- Dr. Archana Kujur presented Paper titled "Tribal women, structural violence and development- A case study of a tea garden, India," presented in Table 12: Hardship in a Global Context of the 2020 Annual American Sociological Association held online during 6-8 August 2020.
- Dr. B Mahalingam was invited for a lecture on “Preparation of location map using QGIS” at orientation program conducted by Savitri Bai Phule Mahila Mahavidyalaya, Sikar, Rajasthan on 28-11-2020.
- Dr. B Mahalingam was invited for a lecture on “Introduction to GNSS, GIS and Remote Sensing” for students of department of civil engineering, Muthoot Institute of Technology & Sciences on 2-11-2020.
- Dr. Archana Kujur deliver a talk on the topic ‘Hypothesis Testing’ on a national workshop on ‘Statistical Packages for the Social Sciences (SPSS) on 2nd November

2020, organized by the Department of Geography, DSG College, Mohol (Solapur), Maharashtra

- Dr. Archana Kujur delivered a talk on the topic ‘Impact of COVID-19 on women: perspectives on domestic violence, autonomy and education’ on a national webinar on ‘Impact of COVID-19 on Marginalised Sections 17th July 2020, organized by the Department of Geography, BRB College (Affiliated to Lalit Narayan Mithila University), Samastipur, Bihar.
- Dr. Sanjit Sarkar delivered a talk on the topic ‘Regression analysis using SPSS’ on a national workshop on ‘Statistical Packages for the Social Sciences (SPSS) on 2nd November 2020, organized by the Department of Geography, DSG College, Mohol (Solapur), Maharashtra
- Dr. Sanjit Sarkar delivered a talk on the topic ‘Impact of COVID-19 on Migrants’ on a national webinar on ‘Impact of COVID-19 on Marginalised Sections 17th July 2020, organized by the Department of Geography, BRB College (Affiliated to Lalit Narayan Mithila University), Samastipur, Bihar.
- As an invitee Dr. Sanjit Sarkar delivered a talk on ‘Economic crisis, livelihood shocks in households and implications on food and nutrition security in Odisha’ at the Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, NIT Rourkela, 30-31 January, 2020.
- Dr. B Mahalingam conducted GIS training for newly appointed engineers in urban local bodies/corporation of Karnataka, 17-12-2020 to 18-12-2020.

VII. Student activities:

1. Award of Ph.D.

Dhiren Sahoo, Ph.D. student under the guidance of Dr. Archanan Kujur successfully submitted his thesis entitled "WASH REPERCUSSION: IMPACT ON CHILDREN'S SCHOOLING AND HEALTH STATUS IN THE EAG STATES OF INDIA" for which the degree of Ph.D. was awarded.

2. Internship and Dissertation

The M.Sc. IV semester students were sent for their six-month dissertation work to reputed institutions such as

- i. North East Space Application Centre, Umiam, Meghalaya.
- ii. National Remote Sensing Centre, Hyderabad, Telangana.
- iii. Karnataka State Natural Disaster Monitoring Centre, Bangalore.
- iv. Indian Institute of Space Science and Technology, Tiruvanathpuram,

Kerela.

3. Award of UGC-NET/SLET 2019-20

K-SET	Ms Madhuri
UGC-NET	Mr. Radhu Tudu
UGC-NET	Mr. Ravikiran T
UGC-NET	Ms. Samba Prasanna Durga
UGC-NET	Mr. Irshad Tharayil

9. DEPARTMENT OF GEOLOGY

Head: Prof. M.A. Mohammad Aslam

Introduction:

The Department of Geology has good facilities and laboratories to cater to the needs of practical course- work of M.Sc. students as well as for research. Geology is the study of the interacting systems of the solid Earth with atmosphere, hydrosphere, and biosphere as they evolve through time. The courses offered at the Department focuses on the scientific study of the earth. Geologists discover, develop, and responsibly manage minerals, energy, and other earth resources. Geological knowledge enables to ensure a sustainable development of natural resources and the use of these resources responsibly.

The courses offered by the Department covers a wide range of core courses in geology and allied subjects. It provides foundation for the study of fundamental geologic methods and problems, both in the laboratory and in the field. It includes instruction in geomorphology, sedimentology, hydrogeology, geochemistry, stratigraphy, mineralogy, petrology, geostatistics, geophysics, remote sensing, environmental geology, economic geology, geophysical principles and geoinformatics. These courses are designed such that they blend traditional basics of earth sciences with the emerging cutting-edge geo-spatial applications and techniques so that the students are equipped with both theoretical constructs and practical applications of the subjects. The Department of Geology strives to achieve academic excellence and to produce geoscientists with world-class training.

Programs offered:

1. Integrated M.Sc. (Geology)
2. M.Sc. Applied Geology
3. Ph.D. in Geology

Faculty:

1	Dr. Mohammed Aslam M. A.	Professor & Head
2	Dr. M. Lingadevaru	Assistant Professor

3	Dr. Mohammed Aleem Pasha	Assistant Professor
4	Dr. K. Channabasappa	Assistant Professor
5	Dr. Tejaswai Lakkundi	Assistant Professor
6	Dr. Babu N	Assistant Professor (UG)

Activities:

a) Field Works:

Intensive field work was carried out for M.Sc. and IMSc students in virtual mode due to pandemic situations signifying the important geological studies.

b) Ozone Celebration Day:

Marking the effects of depletion of the Ozone layer and its importance in the atmosphere, Ozone day was celebrated in the Department of Geology demonstrating the harmful effects related to ozone layer depletion. It was held on 16th September.

c) Geologists' Day:

International Geologists Day is celebrated annually in the first week of April worldwide. As a part of the contribution to the celebration, students of the department have undertaken a unique way of exchanging the subject knowledge among them in online mode. During the course of the celebration, students have been made aware among themselves of the various unexplored/explored aspects of the subject geology.

d) Internships:

As a part of the curriculum students of M.Sc. Geology and B.Sc. geology undergo summer research training or Internships at prestigious institutes of national repute. Through these internship programs students are regularly groomed up with practical knowledge and gain exposure to such premier institutes. Some students have done the internship in online mode.

e) Projects/Dissertations

Students of final year M.Sc.. students in their fourth semester shall go on to do a project/dissertation work for about 4-5 months. Project works are carried out at the national institute of repute like NCESS, CWRDM, CGWB, NIO, CIMFER, etc.

f) Swachh Bharat

As a major mission started by Hon'ble Prime Minister Shri Narendra Modi – the Swachh Bharat campaign was actively done in the School of Earth Sciences premises. The campaign helped in making the department clean and green later on as well.

Guest Lectures/Seminars by visitors:

1	Shri. Amar Jyoti Hatiborugh, Geological Survey of India on 25.03.2021 in online mode at Department of Geology, invited talk under The Commemoration of 75 years of Independence: Bharat Ka Amrut Mahotsava
2	Shri. Yadav Shailesh Nadkumar, Geological Survey of India on 25.03.2021 in online mode at Department of Geology, invited talk under The Commemoration of 75 years of Independence: Bharat Ka Amrut Mahotsava

Conferences/Workshops:

International Conference on Water resources (ICWR) , 16th and 17th, October 2020

International Conference on Water Resources – 2020 (ICWR-2020) was conducted on 16th and 17th October 2020 with Prof. M.A. Mohammed Aslam as the Convenor and Dr. Tejaswai Lakkundi as the Organizing Secretary. Prof. H.M. Maheshwarai, Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor of CUK inaugurated the conference. Prof. A Balasubramanian, RUSA Consultant of Mysore University was the chief guest. 70 participants registered for the event and the participants were from different countries including India, Ethiopia, Malaysia, and Saudi Arabia. The participants included Scientists, Academicians, Research Scholars and Students from varied specializations such as Geology, Geophysics, Environmental Sciences, Civil Engineering, Public Administration etc and from different institutions such as Colleges, Universities, National Institutes such as Central Ground Water Board, National Institute of Hydrology, National Centre for Earth Science Studies etc. The conference was organized in eight sessions. One Key Note Address and two Special Lectures were also arranged as part of the conference.

Journal Publications:

1. Kalle Kiik., Juri Plado., Lingadevaru Muddaramaiah., Hamim Jeelani Syed and Mateusz Szyszka (2020). Magnetic Anomaly and Model of the Lonar Meteorite Impact Crater in Maharashtra, India. *Geosciences* 10(10):417. DOI: 10.3390/geosciences10100417
2. Ashila Babu P, M. A. Mohammed-Aslam and Reshma S. R (2020). Identifications and Environmental Implications of Mangrove Ecosystem: A Brief Review. Multidisciplinary Perspectives on Health, Society, Environment & Sustainable Development. ISSN: 2229-4929.
3. Mohammed-Aslam, M.A., Rizvi, S.S. (2020). Hydrogeochemical characterization and appraisal of groundwater suitability for domestic and irrigational purposes in a semi-arid region, Karnataka state, India. *Appl Water Sci* 10, 237.
4. Praveena Kumara V and Mohammed Aslam M. A. (2021). "Analysis of Rainfall Data for Assessment at Jagalur Taluk, Davanagere District in Karnataka State, India", International Research Journal, ISSN: 2229-4929, Special issue Vol. 7, PP 45-48,

V. **Books/chapters in books:** (Books published must be described in the format given below. All requested to follow the format given below.)

1. Reshma S R and M A Mohammed-Aslam (2021). Flash Flood Risk Assessment and Mapping Using AHP Method of Akkulam-Veli Lake Basin, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala. Page No. 257-274, ISBN 978-93-8041-953-4, Published in collaboration with the Department of Printing and Publishing, Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, Kerala.
2. Vrinda, M., Mohammed-Aslam, M.A., 2021. Assessment of shoreline vulnerability in parts of the coastline of Kasaragod district, Kerala, India. In: Rani, M., Seenipandi, K., Rehman, S., Kumar, P., Sajjad, H. (Eds.), Remote Sensing of Ocean and Coastal Environments. Elsevier, pp. 359–374. ISBN: 9780128196045

3. Babu Nallusamy, Sundararajan, M., and Muralidhar Kocherla (2020). LATERITES OF WEST COAST OF INDIA (MINERALOGY AND GEOCHEMISTRY), Research India Publication, New Delhi, ISBN: 978-93-87374-38-6, (1-98). **(books)**
4. Sharath Raj B, Mohammed-Aslam M A, Suresh S Dodamani, Reshma S R, (2021) Groundwater Drought Index, Temporal NDVI and LST Comparisons of Raichur District, Karnataka, India: Insights to the Intensifying Drought. Chapter/s in Book (Application of Geospatial Technology in Natural Resource Management, Akansha Publishing House, 2021: ISBN: 978-81-8370-584-4) Page. No. 105-117
5. Reshma S R, Rajesh Reghunath, Ajaykumar, Vineetha P, Sharath Raj B, Pranav Prakash. (2021), Flash Flood Risk Assessment and Mapping using Weighted Overlay Method of Mamom river basin, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala. Chapter/s in Book (Application of Geospatial Technology in Natural Resource Management, Akansha Publishing House, 2021: ISBN: 978-81-8370-584-4) Page No. 118-135
6. Suresh S Dodamani, Sharath Raj B and Ali Raza Moosvi, (2021). LULC changes and LST dynamics in Davangere City, Karnataka, India: Inferences from Landsat data, Chapter/s in Book (Application of Geospatial Technology in Natural Resource Management, Akansha Publishing House, 2021: ISBN: 978-81-8370-584-4) Page No. 235
7. Reshma S R and M A Mohammed-Aslam (2021). Flash Flood Risk Assessment and Mapping Using AHP Method of Akkulam-Veli Lake Basin, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala Page No. 257-274, ISBN 978-93-8041-953-4, Published in collaboration with the Department of Printing and Publishing, Mahatma Gandhi University, Kottayam, Kerala.

Paper presentation in Seminars / Conferences / Workshops / Symposia / Talks:

1. Prof. MA Mohammed Aslam MA : As a resource person for UGC sponsored SCT on Disaster Management conducted by HRDC, Calicut University on 04.03.2021.
2. Prof. MA Mohammed Aslam MA : As a resource person for Online Refresher Course in Earth System and Exo-Meteorology conducted by HRDC, Osmania University on 24.08.2020.
3. Prof. MA Mohammed Aslam MA : As a resource person for FDP on RS&GISACE 2020y conducted by KL University, on 13.06.2020.
4. Dr. Tejaswai Lakkundi : Hydrochemistry and Suitability Assessment of Water in and around Dharwad, Karnataka, India in International conference on Water resources conducted by Central University of Karnataka conducted on 16th and 17th of October 2020.
5. Dr. Tejaswai Lakkundi : Assessment of fluoride in Groundwater and its Consequences: A Case Study from Aland Taluk of Kalaburagi, India in International conference on Water resources conducted by Central University of Karnataka conducted on 16th and 17th of October 2020.
6. Dr. Babu Nallusamy et al., (2020). "Assessment of Fluoride in Groundwater and its consequences: A case study from Aland Taluk of Kalaburagi, India", in International

- Conference on Water Resources (ICWR-2020), October, 16 and 17, 2020, Department of Geology, SES, Central University of Karnataka.
7. Dr. Babu Nallusamy (2020). Delivered special lecture entitled “Current Scenario on Education in India due to Covid-19: Emphasis on Geology” in the National Webinar on “Challenges and Opportunities in the Present Scenario, Organized by G.D. College, Begusarai (A Constituent Unit of L.N. Mithila University, Darbhanga), 26-27, June, 2020.
 8. Bhagyasree: Presented a paper entitled “Groundwater Level Dynamics in Kalaburagi District, Karnataka State, India” in International conference on Water resources conducted by the Central University of Karnataka conducted on 16th and 17th of October 2020.
 9. Bhagyasree: Presented a Poster entitled “Trend analysis of seasonal Rainfall and Temperature pattern in Aland Taluk, Kalaburagi, Karnataka: Implications on environmental changes” in national conference on “Biodiversity conservation and future strategies (NCBCFS- 2021)” conducted by Gulbarga University, Kalaburagi on 23rd and 24th March, 2021
 10. Praveena Kumara V and MA Mohammed Aslam : Presentation of a Paper Entitled “Rainfall data and drought analysis of Jagalur Taluk, Davanagere District, Karnataka State, India.”. In National Conference on “Biodiversity Conservation and Future Strategies (NCBCES-2021)”. Jointly organized by Department of Zoology and Environmental Science, Gulbarga University, Kalaburagi, Karnataka, India. On 23rd - 24th March, 2021. .
 11. Sharath Raj B: Presented a Paper in the National Seminar on ‘Geospatial applications in natural resource management’ organized by National Institute of Rural Development & Panchayati Raj during 9th & 10th July, 2020
 12. Sharath Raj B: Presented a Paper in International Conference on Water Resources (ICWR-2020) organized by the Dept. of Geology, Central University of Karnataka, during 16th & 17th October, 2020
 13. Sharath Raj B: Presented a Paper in the National Conference on ‘Biodiversity Conservation and future strategies (NCBCFS-2021)’ Jointly organized by the Dept. of Dept. of P.G Studies and Research in environmental science and Dept. of P.G Studies and Research in Zoology, Gulbarga University during 23rd & 24th March, 2021
 14. Praveena Kumara V :**Best Oral Presentation Award - 2021**, In National Conference on “Biodiversity Conservation and Future Strategies (NCBCES-2021) ”,Jointly organized by Department of Zoology and Environmental Science , Gulbarga University, Kalaburagi, Karnataka, India. On 23rd -24th March, 2021
 15. Sharath Raj B: **Best Oral Presentation award** holder in National conference on ‘Biodiversity Conservation and Management’ under the specific theme of ‘Remote sensing and GIS’ held at Gulbarga University during 23rd and 24th March, 2021.
 16. Reshma SR: Presented a paper at National conference on Flash Flood Risk Assessment and Mapping using Weighted Overlay Method of Mamom river basin, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala in the ‘Geo-Spatial Applications for Natural Resource

Management 'conducted by NIRDPR-NERC, Guwahati from 09.07.2020 to 10.07.2020.

17. Reshma SR : Presented a paper at National conference on Flash Flood Risk Assessment and Mapping Using AHP Method of Akkulam-Veli Lake Basin, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala in the Disaster Risk and Vulnerability Conference (DRVC2020) conducted by School of Environmental Sciences, MG University, Kottayam, Kerala, India from 16.10.2020 to 17.10.2020.
18. Reshma SR: Presented a paper at International conference on Index Based Surface water Analysis of Akkulam- Veli Lake, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala Using Sentinel-2 Satellite Imagery in the ICWR 2020 conducted by Central University of Karnataka from 16.10.2020 to 17.10.2020.
19. Reshma SR : Presented a paper at National conference on Delineation of Groundwater Potential Zones Using AHP and Geospatial Techniques Of Akkulam -Veli Lake Basin, Thiruvananthapuram, Kerala in the Groundwater Management in Arid and Semi-Arid Regions of Hard Rock Terrains Organized by Centre For Water Resources Institute of Science & Technology, Jawaharlal Nehru Technological University Hyderabad in collaboration with Association of Global Ground water Scientists (AGGS) 22 March- 24 March, 2021 at Hyderabad, India.
20. Bhagyasree: **Best poster Presentation award** holder in National conference on 'Biodiversity Conservation and Management' under the specific theme of 'Climate change' held at Gulbarga University during 23rd and 24th March, 2021.

Projects:

Funding agency	Project title	Grants received	Duration	Investigator name	Status (Ongoing, New project, completed during)
EU- Erasmus	Gechemistry and magnetic mapping and 3D modelling of mafic dykes of Dharwar Craton (2017-19)	18 lakhs	3 years	PI:Dr M Lingadevaru	Ongoing
VGST, Govt. Karnataka	Petrological and Ore petrological studies of BIF hosted Chinmulgund gold deposit, Shimoga schist belt, Western Dharwar craton	5 Lakhs	: 3 years	PI:Dr M Lingadevaru	Ongoing
VGST, Govt. Karnataka	Geo-Environmental Centre: Natural Resources Management of Hyderabad Karnataka Region	60 Lakhs (20 L received)	3 years	PI:Prof. MA Mohammed Aslam	Ongoing
CUK	Assessment of groundwater contamination in the Hutti	1 Lakh	2019	PI: Dr. Tejaswai Lakkundi	Ongoing

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Awards:

Award	Institution Name	Month & Year	Name
Erasmus + International Programme	University of Tartu, Estonia EU	2017-22	Dr. M Lingadevaru
Erasmus + International Credit Mobility Programme	University of Tartu, Estonia EU	Jan to November 2020	Bidisha Bayan, Research Scholar
Dora Plus Program	University of Tartu, Estonia EU	Tenable from April to August 2021	Bidisha Bayan, Research Scholar

Student Activities:

Training:

1. Sharath Raj B: E-Training on “Application of Remote Sensing” conducted by PGRS division, GSITI Hyderabad from 22/07/2020 to 29/07/2020
2. Praveena Kumara V : Three days e-Training on “Regional Groundwater Management Issues”, Central Ground Water Board, South Western region ,Bengalru,Karanataka , India. From 27 to 29, October, 2020.
3. Praveena Kumara V :Three months online e-Training course on “Learner Lecturer: an online course for the transformative educator”, Baduku Community College, Center for Transformative Education, Bangalore, Karnataka, India. From June to September, 2020
4. Praveena Kumara V :Three week e-Training on “21 Days Online GIS Training Program using QGIS, Central University of Karnataka, jointly with State Institute of Urban Development, Karnataka, Kalburagi, Karnataka, India. From 13 July to 02, August 2020.
5. Praveena Kumara V :One week e-Training on “Application of Remote Sensing”, PGRS Division, GSITI, Hyderabad, Andra Pradesh, India. From 27 to 29, July, 2020.
6. Praveena Kumara V : Attended five days online National Level Faculty Development Programme on “E-Content Development”. Organized by the International Institute of Organized Research, Chandigarh (UT).From 1st to 6th June, 2020.
7. Praveena Kumara V :Two Days hands on e-Training Course on “Solving Multiobjective Optimization Problems Using Deterministic & Stochastic Algorithms (V2.0), Coimbatore Institute of Technology, Coimbatore. Tamil Nadu India. From 30 to 31, May 2020.

8. Praveena Kumara V :Attended One day online National Level Faculty Development Programme on “Application of Statistics in Research”. Organized by the Department B.Com CS & Finance, SNMV College of Arts and Science, Coimbatore on 28th May 2020
 9. Praveena Kumara V :Attended two week interdisciplinary online National Level Faculty Development Programme on “Earth, Environment and Space Sciences for Mankind”. Organized by the Department of Geography, Faculty of Earth, Environment and Space Sciences, Chaudhary Bansi Lal University, Bhiwani, Haryana, India. From 21st to 30th May 2020.
 10. Reshma SR : Completed short term online course on Instrumental Techniques in Chemical Analysis conducted by Department of chemistry Mar Ivanios College and Department of chemistry, All Saints College Thiruvananthapuram from 1.10.2020 to 6.10.2020.
 11. Reshma SR: Completed National online training course on Ground Water Resource Management Tier II Training Course conducted by Department of Water Resources, River Development& Ganga Rejuvenation, Central Ground Water Board, Kerala Region from 18.08.2020 to 20.08.2020.
 12. Bhagyasree: Attended Training course on “Regional Groundwater Management issues” conducted by Central Groundwater Board, South western region, Bangalore from 27th to 29th October 2020.
 13. Bidisha Bayan: Training Programmes attended :1) Software- PerpleX- E training by GSI-RTD -January-2021
 14. Pooja Kumari Swarnakar: Python programming by Internshala for a period of 6 weeks in the months of June 2020 and July 2020
 15. Pooja Kumari Swarnakar: Hands on skills using remote sensing and GIS by Sathyabhama Institute of Science and Technology for a period of 2 months from June 2020 to August 2020.
 16. Pooja Kumari Swarnakar: R programming by Internshala for a period of one month from August 2020 to September 2020
 17. Sharath Raj B: E-training on Application of Remote sensing exclusively for SC and ST conducted by PGRS Division, GSITI, Hyderabad from 22.7.2020 to 29.7.2020,
- GATE/NET/SET/SLET:**
18. Pooja Kumari Swarnakar: Cleared the joint CSIR-UGC NET for assistant professor held on 19.11.2020.
 19. Nihal Ahmed Ansari Qualified APSET 2019
 20. Shivakumar Mathpathi qualified Karnataka SET 2020
 21. Tarun Kumar R Tiwari qualified Karnataka SET 2020
 22. Deepshika Srivastava qualified GATE 2021
 23. Madhan Raj qualified GATE 2021
 24. Arpita Sahoo qualified GATE 2021
 25. Harshita qualified GATE 2020 and NET 2020
 26. Shekhar Babu K qualified APSET 2019 and Karnataka SET 2020
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27. Ved Prakash qualified GATE 2020

Training/Courses attended by Faculty members

1. Prof. MA Mohammed Aslam: 8 days e-training course on "9th Refresher Course in Exploration for Gold" conducted by FTC-Chitradurga, Geological Survey of India, Training Institute, Hyderabad, from 17.08.2020 – 24.08.2020.
2. Prof. MA Mohammed Aslam: completed an e-training on Advance Course in Exploration for Fe-Mn in Dharwar Greenstone Belt organized by Geological Survey of India Training Institute, Govt. of India from 7th to 13th July 2020.
3. Dr. M Lingadevaru: Attended e-Training course on 'Exploration for Fe-Mn in Dharwar greenstone belt' organized by Faculty Training Center, Chitradurga of Geological Survey of India During 7-11th July 2020.
4. Dr. M Lingadevaru: Attended 9th refresher course in exploration for gold organized by Faculty Training Center, Chitradurga of Geological Survey of India During 17-28th August 2020.
5. Dr. M Lingadevaru: Attended the e-training on Perple-X organized by RTD, ER, Geological Survey of India, Kolkata, during 27-29th January 2021.
6. Dr. Mohammed Aleem Pasha: completed an e-training on Advance Course in Exploration for Fe-Mn in Dharwar Greenstone Belt organized by Geological Survey of India Training Institute, Govt. of India from 7th to 13th July 2020.
7. Dr. K Channabasappa: Participated in one week (7 – 13 July 2020) e- training course on "Advance Course in Exploration for Fe-Mn in Dharwar Greenstone Belt" conducted by FTC-Chitradurga, GSITI.
8. Dr. K Channabasappa: Participated in e-Training on "Basics of Image Interpretation" conducted by PGRS Division, GSITI, Hyderabad from 11.01.2021 to 13.01.2021.
9. Dr. K Channabasappa: Participated in e-Training on "Phase Equilibria Modelling in Petrology – Practical approach using Perple-X" conducted by RTD, ER, GSITI, Kolkata from 27.01.2021 to 29.01.2021.
10. Dr. K Channabasappa: Participated in e-Training on "Basics of Geographical Information System and its Applications" conducted by CGMT Division, GSITI, Hyderabad from 11.02.2021 to 13.02.2021.
11. Dr. Tajaswai Lakkundi : completed a FDP on Remote Sensing and GIS applications in Civil Engineering organized by K. L. University from 8th to 13th June 2020
12. Dr. Tajaswai Lakkundi: completed an e-training on Advance Course in Exploration for Fe-Mn in Dharwar Greenstone Belt organized by Geological Survey of India Training Institute , Govt. of India from 7th to 13th July 2020.
13. Dr. Tajaswai Lakkundi: completed an e-training on 9th Refresher Course in Exploration for Gold organized by Geological Survey of India Training Institute , Govt. of India from 17th to 24th August 2020.
14. Dr. Babu N: 8 days e-training course on "9th Refresher Course in Exploration for Gold" conducted by FTC-Chitradurga, Geological Survey of India, Training Institute, Hyderabad, from 17.08.2020 – 24.08.2020.

15. Dr Babu N: 3 days International E-Workshop on “Advanced Micropaleontology organized by the Department of Geology and Environmental Science, Christ College (Autonomous), Irnjalakuda, Kerala, India in collaboration with Department of Geology, University of Madras, Chennai, India during on 25th-27th August, 2020.

IV. SCHOOL OF SOCIAL & BEHAVIOURAL SCIENCES

About the school

Dean: Prof. Romate John

The School of Social and Behavioural Sciences has distinction of excellence and innovation in teaching, research, practice, community engagement and extension services through the academic programmes to study and address the contemporary issues in society. The academic programmes of the School are engaged in crafting young human resources to emerge as leaders in the academic disciplines of Psychology, History and Social Work, Journalism and Mass communication, Public Administration, Law, Folkloristics and Tribal Studies.

Uniqueness of the programmes is the right integration of biological, behavioural, reform, historical, legal, administrative, and social approaches for better understanding of individual, groups, culture, communities, organizations, system, society and global order at large. The aim is to empower students to professionally engage with the issues of behaviour change, human growth, historical analysis, contemporary analysis, social transformation, human rights, social justice, gender and women empowerment, social movement, social development and social change. The School presently comprises the Department of Psychology, Department of History and Department of Social Work, Journalism and Mass communication, Public Administration, Law, Folkloristics and Tribal Studies.

10. DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHOLOGY

Head: Romate John Ph.D

The mission of the Department of Psychology is to achieve excellence in teaching and generation of new knowledge through research and scholarship, and the provision of service to the nation, and international communities. The Department through education and research targets to nurture manifold areas of behavioural sciences and attempt to improve the quality of life of individuals as well as society. The Department of Psychology besieges active participation, association, and involvement of a multi-disciplinary group of psychologists, social workers, rehabilitation professionals, social scientists, scholars, and researchers who contribute to the field of behavioural sciences in a holistic manner.

Programs offered:

1. I-M.Sc. Psychology
2. M.Sc. Psychology

3. PhD in Psychology

Faculty:

1	Romate John, PhD	Professor & Head
2	Jeyavel, S. PhD	Assistant Professor
3	Vijyendra Pandey, PhD	Assistant Professor
4	Rajkumar, PhD	Assistant Professor

Departmental Activities:

The department of Psychology is offering a five-year integrated programme in Psychology and a two-year stand-alone Master's degree and Ph.D programme in Psychology. The department also offers two specializations for the Master's degree programme in Psychology namely, Clinical & Counselling psychology and Organizational behaviour & Human resource development.

The department has course curriculum with specific components such as 'Teaching component', 'Learning component' and additional one credit programmes besides the existing orientation on inculcating the knowledge through skill training with laboratory oriented and field oriented experiments integrated with field visits, placement, supervised practicum and internship. Faculty in the department has been actively involved in conducting research, writing scientific papers, attending seminars and conferences regularly besides imparting quality education to the students.

Following are some of the noted academic related workshops and specific programmes conducted by the department and involved by the faculty during the academic year 2019-20.

A: Conducted training/workshops

Dr. Jeyavel, S.

B: Participated and presented papers / Publications in conference proceedings

A. Rajkumar E

Presented a paper on "An application of social cognitive theory to glucose level among diabetic patients" in two days' online international webinar on Psychosocial factor in sustainable health and wellbeing organized by faculty of behavioural and cognitive sciences on June 17-18, 2020.

Presented a paper on "Cognitive style and Working memory among adolescents with specific learning disabilities" in two days' online international webinar on epidemic and wellbeing : The Voice of Psychology organized by National association of Psychological Science on November 28-29, 2020.

Journal Publications:

Dr. Jeyavel S.

1. Ann Tresa Sebastian, Bhagya Lal, J. Anupama, Jee Varghese, Aleena Agnus Tom, Eslavath Rajkumar, Allen Joshua George, **Sundaramoorthy Jeyavel**, Vijyendra Pandey, Maria Wajid & Romate John (2021). Exploring the opinions of the YouTube visitors towards advertisements and its influence on purchase intention among viewers, *Cogent Business & Management*, 8:1,1-24. **ISSN: 2331-1975 doi: 10.1080/23311975.2021.1876545**

Dr. E. Rajkumar

Eslavath Rajkumar, R Lakshmi, Sandeep B H, Anugraha Merin Raj and John Romate. (2020). Prevalence and Associated Risk Factors of Overweight And Obesity Among Rural Population. *Annals of Tropical medicine and public health*- 23 (24).

Maria Wajid, **Eslavath Rajkumar**, John Romate, Allen Joshua George, R. Lakshmi. (2021) Exploring the problems faced by patients living with advanced cancer in Bengaluru, India. *Heliyon* (7).

Ann Tresa Sebastian, Bhagya Lal, J. Anupama, Jee Varghese, Aleena Agnus Tom, **Eslavath Rajkumar**, Allen Joshua George, Sundaramoorthy Jeyavel, Vijyendra Pandey, Maria Wajid & Romate John (2021). Exploring the opinions of the YouTube visitors towards advertisements and its influence on purchase intention among viewers, *Cogent Business & Management*, 8:1,1-24. **ISSN: 2331-1975 doi: 10.1080/23311975.2021.1876545**

Projects:

1. Prof. Romate John is the Project Director for an ICSSR funded project titled “Prevalence, associated risk factors, beliefs and knowledge about hypertension: A study among tribal population of Hyderabad Karnataka Region” for a duration of 24 months with the funding of Rs.18,00,000/- with Dr. Rajkumar, Dr. Jeyavel, & Dr. Vijyendra Pandey as the Co-project Directors
2. Dr. Jeyavel, & Dr. Vijyendra Pandey are the Co-project Directors for an ICSSR funded project titled “Community Based Intervention among families and persons with alcohol abuse who are economically, socially vulnerable: Development of a module through action research” for a duration of 24 months with the funding of Rs.13,50,000/-

Prof. Romate John is the Project Director for an Azim Premji university titled

3. “Exploring the challenges, psychological problems, and mental health needs among

frontline health workers of government hospitals: A study in Hyderabad Karnataka Region". For a duration of 3 months (October 1st to December 31, 2020) with the funding amount Rs 9,72,037/-

4. Dr. E. Rajkumar Project Director for an DST-Satyam funded project titled "*Alternate nostril breathing and Holotropic Breathwork An Intervention to manage Post COVID-19 Lockdown stress and enhance resilience among students of higher educational Institutions*" for a duration of 10 months with the funding amount Rs 12,73,104/-

Webinars Conducted:

1. Department has organized various National level Webinars on relevant and contemporary issues.

S.NO	Date of the Webinar	Title	Resource Person
1	09-10- 2020	Mental health	1. Prof. Girishwar Misra Ex Vice Chancellor Mahatma Gandhi Antarrashtriya Hindi Vishwavidyalaya Wardha, Maharashtra. 2. Smt. D Roopa IPS Home Secretary Government of Karnataka.
2	20-11-2020	Measuring Intelligence:Facts And Fallacies	Dr.Roopesh B N Additional Professor & Consultant Child And Mental Health Unit and Disaster Management Unit,NIMHANS
3	23-11-2020	Why Do We say that first Impression is the Best Impression?	Dr.Razeena Padmam Retd Professor and Director School of Behavioural Sciences MG University
4	27-11-2020	Life Skills Application And Practice	Prof.Baby Shari Department of Psychology Calicut University
5	01-12-2020	Future Trends in Psychology	Dr.Sudha Bhogle Retd.Professor and Head department of Psychology,Bangalore University
6	04-12-2020	Relevance of ParaPsychology Today	Dr.B.S.Sujendra Prakash Consultant Psychologist Bangalore

7	08-12-2020	Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act	Dr.Roshan Bijlee Director Composite Regional Centre for Persons with Disabilities
8	09-12-2020	Neurofeedback functions and applications	Dr Jayasankara Reddy, Professor, Department of Psychology, Christ University, Bangalore.
	14-12-2020	Transpersonal and Indian Psychology for Personal Growth	Dr.Kiran Kumar S Professor Retd.Department of Psychology University of Mysore
9	17-12-2020	Adolescent Mental health:Scope of Psychology	Dr.Thomas Kishore Additional professor of Clinical Psychology, NIMHANS Bangalore
10	21-12-2020	International Education: PathWays to Career Development	Dr.Zafeena Suresh Director Indian University India Gateway office
11	28-12-2020	Neurofeedbck in Psychological Practice	Dr.Azeeudeen Khan, Professor, Indian Institute of Technology, Bombay
13	11-1-2021	Psychology for Personal Effectiveness	Dr.Kadhiravan, Professor, Department of Psychology, Periyar University, Salem. Tamilnadu

11. DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WORK

ABOUT DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WORK

HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT: Prof. Channaveer R. M.

INTRODUCTION

The Department of Social Work offers MSW and Mater of Philosophy (M. Phil) programme in Psychiatric Social Work (PSW) and PhD programmes in Social work. The Department maintains professional network with civil society organizations, NGOs, industries, hospitals, government departments, corporate organizations, rural communities and urban communities. The students are given intensive training in understanding the theoretical context, application framework, practice-based skills and evaluate the learning outcome. The curriculum of social work empowers the students with critical understanding, research aptitude, participatory and service learning. Subsequently, the students gain right framework of knowledge, adhere to the pursuit of healthy practices, inculcate appropriate skills and introduce action for development and empowerment of the groups and organizations in the communities.

PROGRAMMES OFFERED IN THE DEPARTMENT:**1. Master of Social Work (MSW)**

Master of Social Work (MSW) is a two-year program and consists of four semesters. The eligibility criteria for the admission is any graduation. The intake is 35. The department offers following five specializations under MSW program.

Specializations in MSW Course:

- A. Social Development
- B. Human Resource Management
- C. Medical and Psychiatry
- D. Family-Child Welfare and Public Health
- E. Criminology and Correctional Social Work

2. Master of Philosophy (M. Phil) in Psychiatric Social Work

Master of Philosophy (M.Phil) in Psychiatric Social Work is a two year program. The Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi is having MoU with DIMHANS, Dharwad. Students admitted for M.Phil will be placed at DIMHANS for internship. The intake for this program is 8.

3. Doctor of Philosophy (PhD) in Social Work

The PhD Program offered by the Department of Social Work prepares the students to emerge as specialists in social work research. The PhD program framework is designed in such a way to equip research scholars to embark upon intervention research, participatory research, policy research, programme evaluation research and international social work research. Research is encouraged in every field and specialization of social work. The PhD Program consist of 6 semesters (which includes course work for first two semesters).

4. Faculties (Full time)

S1.No	Name of Faculty	Designation
1	Prof. Channaveer R M	Head of the Department
2	Dr. Lakshmana G	Assistant Professor
3	Dr. Chitkala V	Assistant Professor
4	Dr. Srinivisa D	Assistant Professor
5	Dr. Sivamoorthy M	Assistant Professor

9	Ms Kavita	Non-Teaching
10	Mr Kalyani	Non-Teaching

DEPARTMENTAL ACTIVITIES

MASKS DISTRIBUTION PROGRAM

Department of Social Work Central University of Karnataka has organized Masks distribution program in five villages surrounding the university. University has adopted five villages namely Thelur, Gola B, Basavantwadi, Vaijapur Villages and working for the development of the villages. In this regard, on behalf of university department of social work has taken step a decided to distribute masks to cover the mouth and soap to wash their hands. Head of Department Prof.Channaveer RM and the team have taken all the efforts to organize this program. On 4th October 2020 Prof..H.M. Maheshwaraiah distributed 200 Masks and 200 Soaps in Basavantwadi village with the help of Anganwadi Teacher and Asha Worker of the village this program was organized in Hanuman Temple. 100 Soaps and 100 Masks among the school children of the village, altogether 300 Masks and 300 Soaps were distributed. Dr. Chitkala Assistant Professor, Department of Social Work, CUK, gave a talk about covid-19 to take measure to protect the life, also gave tips to boost the immunity by using home remedies and created awareness among the villagers.

After finishing the program in Basavantwadi village team moved to Vaijapur village and organized the program in Lakshmi temple with the help of Anganwadi Teacher and Asha Worker. Honorable Vice Chancellor Prof..H.M. Maheshwaraia and Prof. Channaveer R.M. and team has distributed 200 Masks and 200 Soaps in the village among children, women, and men. On the same day, in Kadaganchi village, Masks and Soaps were distributed among Pregnant Women and Lactating Mothers, with the help of Anganwadi Teachers and Helpers this program was organized in the Shantlingeshwar temple and distributed the 150 Masks and 150 Soaps, also 150 Masks and 150 Soaps among the general population of the village. Total 300 Masks and Soaps has been distributed in the Kadaganchi Village. Dr. Chitkala Assistant Professor, Department of Social Work, CUK, gave a talk about covid-19, and taking measure to protect the life, also gave tips to bust the immunity by using home remedies and created awareness among the villagers.

On 7th October, 2020 the same program was organized in Thelur and Gola B Villages. First the team went to the Thelur village and organized the event at Hanuman Temple and 200 Masks and 200 Soaps were distributed among women, children and men of the village. Along with mask distribution Dr. Lakshmana G. Assistant Professor, Department of Social Work, CUK, Dr. Chitkala Assistant Professor, Department of Social Work, CUK, Dr. Srinivas Assistant Professor Department of Social Work, CUK, gave a talk about covid-19, and taking measure to protect the life, also gave tips to boost the immunity by using home remedies and created awareness among the villagers. Then moved to Gola B village, here also with the help of

Anganwadi teachers, helpers, and Asha workers in Anganwadi Center this program was organized. Here pregnant women and Lactating Mothers were the target group. 160 Pregnant women and Lactating Mothers were benefited with this. 160 Masks and 160 Soaps were distributed among the target group. (Pregnant women and Lactating Mothers) Dr. Chitkala Assistant Professor, Department of Social Work, CUK, gave a talk about covid-19, and taking measure to protect the life, also gave tips to boost the immunity by using home remedies and created awareness among the target population, also explained how to maintain personal hygiene during and after pregnancy. After that 140 Masks and 140 Soaps were distributed among 6th, 7th and 8th class children of Government Higher Primary School in the village. Also Dr. Chitkala Assistant Professor, Department of Social Work, CUK, gave a talk about covid-19, and taking measure to protect the life, also gave tips to boost the immunity by using home remedies and created awareness among the villagers. Totally 300 masks and Soaps were distributed in Gola B village.

All together 1300 Masks and Soaps have been distributed among five villages to help the villagers for their safety during Covid-19 pandemic.

Team Members

Sl.no.	Name	Designation/Details
1	Prof. Channaveer R. M.	Head, Department of Social Work, SSBS,CUK
2	Dr. Lakshmana G.	Assistant Professor,Department of Social Work, SSBS,CUK
3	Dr. Sivamoorthy	Assistant Professor,Department of Social Work, SSBS,CUK
4	Dr. Chitkala	Assistant Professor,Department of Social Work, SSBS,CUK
5	Dr. Srinivasa	Assistant Professor,Department of Social Work, SSBS,CUK
6	Mr. Kalyani	Office Staff ,Department of Social Work, SSBS,CUK
7	Mr. Shivanand	Research Scholar, Department of Social Work, SSBS,CUK
8	Mr. Tukaram	Research Scholar, Department of Social Work, SSBS,CUK
9	Ms. Bhagyashree	Research Scholar, Department of Social Work, SSBS,CUK

SOCIAL WORK ALUMNI NETWORK (SWAN) MEET

Social Work Department School of Social and Behavioural Sciences, Central

University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi, organized SWAN meet on 1st November 2020 at 3PM. This meet was organized to boost the SWAN activities and strengthen the alumni group. In this meet 60 Alumni's participated. The program was started with the welcome speech, Mr. Shivanand Pawar. Dr. Sivamoorthy Assistant Professor Department of Social Work CUK, addressed the gathering and shared his experience and benefits of being alumni of an institution. After that Dr. Lakshmana, Assistant Professor Department of Social Work, SSBS, CUK addressed the gathering, briefed about the event. He motivated all to take initiations to reinforce the SWAN followed by that alumni had an interaction; all have shared their experiences and while they were on the campus (during MSW course). They shared that they are very proud and happy about being the alumni of the department. They said that being the alumni of Social Work Department, CUK, they got good opportunities to excel in their professional life. Some of them shared that they are more privileged than others, when they entered other national institute for their higher education. They are more appreciated by the other professionals and their faculties for their performance. They are always recognized as the alumni's of Social Department of Central University of Karnataka and every time they feel happy and proud about that. Few shared that the knowledge, learnings and experience which they got from the department helped them lot in carving their professional identity in industrial settings, medical settings, community setting, public health system, educational settings, and for self-employment or entrepreneurship. After the interactions it was a time for an open discussion to strengthen the association. Few of participants have shared their views and thoughts about strengthening the association.

Few suggestions were:

1. Mentorship program: Alumni can provide moral and social support to the present MSW students of the department. Current students can select any one of the alumni members as their mentor and get help for their exam preparation, help for higher education.
2. Providing trainings to the current students, a practical based training such as managerial and other industrial skills for the MSWHR students and other students.
3. Training programs: Field based and practical based trainings according to specialization.
4. Skill based orientation and skill trainings to enhance the skills and knowledge of the members for their carrier development.
5. Sharing experiences for improving the skills and knowledge of the Alumni.
6. They suggested that there should be pre-scheduled frequent meeting monthly or quarterly according to the convince of the group and Department.
7. Special sessions for the preparation for clearing the entrance exams for opportunities in higher education and job placement.

Prof. Channaveer R.M. Head Department of Social Work, CUK, appreciated the growth and achievements of the alumni's in various setting from 2012 batch to 2020 batch. Gave a brief note on the growth of the department and discussed the growth of

the SWAN. He also motivated the participants to think about the initiatives which will take the association to the higher level and asked the participants to take a part in the department programs, that will be useful to improve the knowledge and skills. He cited the example of Roshn nilaya Birds to understand the importance of the social work and their activities, which created the brand in Karnataka briefed about the challenges for Social Worker in the current scenario and future. Dr.Sivamoorthy has informed the participants that soon there will be social media groups such as Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, Linked In and asked them to join the groups. Mrs. Gayatri proposed vote-off thanks, by this we gave a pause to the meeting and asked the participants to be active and connected with the group.

LIST OF FACULTIES PARTICIPATED IN THE MEETING

Sl.No	Faculty	Designation
1	Prof. Channaveer R.M.	Head, Department of Social Work, SSBS, CUK
2	Dr. Lakshmana	Assistant Professor, Department of Social Work, SSBS,CUK
3	Dr. Chitkala	Assistant Professor, Department of Social Work, SSBS, CUK
4	Dr. Sivamoorthy	Assistant Professor, Department of Social Work, SSBS, CUK
5	Dr.Srinivas	Assistant Professor, Department of Social Work, SSBS, CUK

World Social work Day:Department of Social Work and Social Work Alumni Network (SWAN) Jointly Celebrated World Social workday on 16th March 2021. World Social Work Day on the third Tuesday in March which recognizes the hard work and dedication of social workers. A global organization of social workers comes together for social justice, human rights and social development all through the promotion of best practices in social work Ubuntu; I am Because We are –Strengthening Social Solidarity and Global Connectedness.

National Webinar on Mahatma Gandhi- His Contemporary Relevance was organized by Department of Social Work and Dean student welfare, Central University of Karnataka 2nd October, 2020 along with Inauguration of 100 Feet Monumental National Flag.

HR-Training -Talent Management and Employee Engagement

Central university of Karnataka ,Department of Social Work and Business studies Jointly organize one week HR-Training on “**Talent Management and Employee Engagement**” Dr. Bharati Deshpande, Mumbai was a resource person and the function was inaugurated by Prof. M.V Alagawadi, Vice Chancellor, Prof. Romate John, Dean, school of social and behavioral sciences made his gracious presence along with Prof. K.Padmasree Dean, school of business Studies, Presided by Prof. Channaveer, Head, Dept of social work on 5th march 2021.

THREE DAYS TRAINING PROGRAMME ON KNOWING AND DOING PARTICIPATORY RURAL APPRAISAL

15th April, 2021 to 17th April, 2021

1st MSW (2nd Semester) 2020-2022

Date	Time	Topics	Facilitator / Trainer
15.04.21	1 st Session 10.15 to 11.45am	Orientation on PRA	Dr. Channaveer R M
		Interview	Dr. Chitkala
		Seeking out the experts	Dr. M. Sivamoorthy
	2 nd Session 12.00 to 01.30 pm	Case studies	Ms. Roophsree
		FGD	Dr. Lakshmana L
16.04.21	1 st Session 10.15 to 11.45am	Transect Walk	Dr. Srinivasa
		Do it yourself	Dr. Srinivasa
		Time lines	Mr. Satish Chandra
	2 nd Session 12.00 to 01.30 pm	Historical Profile	Mr. Satish Chandra
		Diagrams * Venn Diagram * Problem tree	Dr. Rameez Ms. Roophsree
17.04.21	1 st Session 10.15 to 11.45am	Matrix ranking	Dr. Channaveer R M
		Mapping Social Mapping Resource Mapping	Dr. Channaveer R M
	2 nd Session 12.00 to 01.30 pm	Seasonal calendar	Dr. M. Sivamoorthy
		Concluding Remarks	Dr. M. Sivamoorthy

RESEARCH AND ACADEMIC CONTRIBUTION OF FACULTIES

Prof. Channaveer

Papers published in book

Channaveer RM, Bhagyashree, Shivanand P. (2021). Social development interventions for village development: A case study of Vaijapur Village. In Gangadhar B. Sonar (Ed), Health and Mental Health in India - Issues and Challenges (pp.). Manas Publishers & Distributors, Jaipur.

Lectures delivered:

- A lecture delivered on Counselling on 25th Feb. 2021 in the Training Program of Vikasa Academy, Kalaburagi.
- Delivered a Key note Speaker lecture on "Approaches of Sustainable development" on 27th Feb. 2021 in the National Conference organized by the Govt. First Grade College, Jamankhandi, Vijayapur.
- A lecture delivered for the students of Dept. of Social Work, Mysuru University.
- A lecture on "Quasi Experimental Research Designs" was delivered for the Ph.D.

Scholars of Mysuru University.

Attended Virtual Workshops:

- 1) Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis in Social Sciences held from 28-30 August 2020, organized by the Dhanya Educational and Environmental Development Society, Guntur, AP.
- 2) Attended a workshop on Statistics organized by Mind Weavers.
- 3) Attended a workshop on NVIVO Software

Dr. Lakshmana G

(a) Research Papers (UGC listed and Scopus indexed)

1)	Bhagyashree V, Lakshmana G , Channaveer RM. Impact of Total Sanitation Campaign on Open Defecation Free Village (ODFV) – A Case Study . <i>Indian Journal of Social Work (IJSW)</i> , 2020; Vol.81, Issue 3,339-352. ISSN: 0019-5634 eISSN: 2456-7809. https://journals.tiss.edu/ijsw/index.php/ijsw/article/view/396
2)	Lakshmana G . Risk and protective factors of substance use among street adolescents. <i>Perspectives in Social Work</i> , 2020: 35(2), pp.44–61.ISSN: 0974-5114
3)	Lakshmana, G , Mohd, F. and Panda, A.B. Sexual desire, sexual functioning and well-being in married males: a community based study . <i>Sri Lanka Journal of Psychiatry</i> , 2020; 11(1), pp.39–44. DOI: http://doi.org/10.4038/slipsyc.v11i1.8221 . E-ISSN: 2579-2008. (corresponding author) Published on 18 Jun 2020

(b) Published Books

1	Gao, J., Baikady, R., Govindappa, L. , Cheng, S.-L. (Eds.). Social Welfare in India and China- A Comparative Perspective (2020)(Eds)Palgrave Macmillan, Beijing and Singapore[Palgrave Macmillan]. 2020. ISBN 978-981-15-5647-0. eBook ISBN: 978-981-15-5648-7. DOI: 10.1007/978-981-15-5648-7
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(c) Chapters in Books

1.	Govindappa L. (2020) Trafficking of Children: Social Work Strategies in Prevention and Reintegration. In: Momen M.N., Baikady R., Sheng Li C., Basavaraj M. (eds) Building Sustainable Communities. Palgrave Macmillan, Singapore. Print ISBN: 978-981-15-2392-2. Online ISBN: 978-981-15-2393-9. https://doi.org/10.1007/978-981-15-2393-9_29 (First Online: 13 November 2020)
2.	Lakshmana G & Rjendrea Baikady. Elderly Care in India and China – Emerging Concerns. In Social Welfare in India and China- A Comparative Perspective (2020) (Ed. Gao, J., Baikady, R., Govindappa, L., Cheng, S.-L. (Eds.). Palgrave Macmillan, Beijing and Singapore. 2020. Page no:155-162.ISBN 978-981-15-5647-0. eBook ISBN: 978-981-15-5648-7. DOI: https://doi.org/10.1007/978-981-15-5648-7
3.	Lakshmana G & Rjendrea Baikady. Child Welfare in India and China . In Social Welfare in India and China- A Comparative Perspective (2020) (Ed. Gao, J., Baikady, R., Govindappa, L., Cheng, S.-L. (Eds.). Palgrave Macmillan, Beijing and Singapore. 2020. Page no: 93-99. ISBN 978-981-15-5647-0. eBook ISBN: 978-981-15-5648-7. DOI: https://doi.org/10.1007/978-981-15-5648-7

4.	Gao, J., Baikady, R., Cheng, S.-L., Govindappa, L. Introduction: Globalization, Economic Reform and Social Welfare in India and China. In Social Welfare in India and China- A Comparative Perspective (2020) (Ed. Gao, J., Baikady, R., Govindappa, L., Cheng, S.-L. (Eds.). Palgrave Macmillan, Beijing and Singapore. 2020. Page no: 1-23. ISBN 978-981-15-5647-0. eBook ISBN: 978-981-15-5648-7. DOI: https://doi.org/10.1007/978-981-15-5648-7
5.	Gao, J., Baikady, R., Govindappa, L. , Cheng, S.-L. Conclusion: Neoliberalism, Growing Disparity and Social Welfare in India and China. In Social Welfare in India and China- A Comparative Perspective (2020) (Ed. Gao, J., Baikady, R., Govindappa, L., Cheng, S.-L. (Eds.). Palgrave Macmillan, Beijing and Singapore. 2020. Page no: 472-487. ISBN 978-981-15-5647-0. eBook ISBN: 978-981-15-5648-7. DOI: https://doi.org/10.1007/978-981-15-5648-7

(d) Monographs/Reports

1.	Lakshmana G. Capacity building and sensitization programs on drug abuse prevention. Submitted to National Institute of Social Defence, New Delhi; March 2020
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(e) Papers presented at International and national Conferences

1.	Needs of seasonal migrants (ref: TP266) at the IFSW Online global conference 15-19 July 2020 Organized by International Federation of Social Workers, at Rheinfelden, Switzerland.
2.	“Teachers perspectives on mental health problems of adolescents in Kashmir” at 8th Indian Social Work Congress and 8th ICSD (AP) conference held at Vishwa Bharati , Shanti Niketan, West Bengal from February 28 - March 1&2, 2021

(f) Research Projects

Sl no	Title of the project	Funding Agency	Role	Duration	Grant	Outcome
1.	Community based integrated intervention among families and persons with alcohol abuse who are economically, socially vulnerable: Development of a module through action research	Indian Council Of Social Science Research	Principal investigator	12-12-2019 to 12-12-2021	13,50,000.00 (F.No.02/08/2019-20-MJ/RP, Dated: 27-12-2019)	Ongoing
2.	Quality of life, well-being, social support and activities of daily living among elders in rural and urban area	National Institute of Social Defence	Principal investigator	31-12-2019 to 31-12-2020	4,95,575.00 F. No.63-56/2019-20 Dated 31-12-2019	Ongoing

3.	Prevalence, Associated Risk Factors, Beliefs and Knowledge about Hypertension: A study among Tribal Population of Hyderabad Karnataka Region	Indian Council Of Social Science Research	Co-Investigator	16-1-2020 to 15-1-2022	18,00,000/- F. No.: Gen-18/2019-20/ICSSR/Research Programme, Dated: 23-12-2019	Ongoing
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(g) Consultancy work carried out

1	Research consultancy work on baseline COTPA compliance Assessment in the district of Kalaburgi and Vijayapura of Karnataka, on behalf of the with Subbaiah Institute of Medical Sciences and Research Centre, Shivamogga, Purle (Duration: 01 October 2020 to 15 th November 2020)	55000
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(h) Ph.D. awarded

1	Helga Thomas Ph.D.SW.14.01	Development and standardization of a tool to measure the needs of migrant population	Submitted on 16-12-2019 Awarded on 4-12-2020
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(i) Faculty Development Programmes:

Sl No	Details
1	FDP on “Data analysis for research in Social Sciences”. MHRD, PMMMNMTT, Ramanujam College, New Delhi from 17-6-2020 to 30-6-2020

(j) Lectures delivered by faculty members

Sl No	Details
1	Delivered a special lecture on “Better data better lives” on 20-10-2020 at Child Rights Trust, Bengaluru for community and NGO personnel.
2	Delivered a special lecture on “Human rights of minorities” in 15 th Refresher course in Human rights (online) organized by Human Resource Development Centre, University of Mysore on 6-11-2020
3	Delivered a special lecture on “Farmers suicide” in 15 th Refresher course in Human rights (online) organized by Human Resource Development Centre, University of Mysore on 9-11-2020

Dr.Chitkala

Articles published

- Perception of Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD) Symptoms in School Children Journal of Xi'an University of Architecture & Technology Volume XII, Issue IV, 2020 Issn No : 1006-7930.
- Perception on the Facilities Available in the Prison by Convicted Prison Inmates Alochana Chakra Journal Volume IX, Issue IV, April/2020 ISSN NO:2231-3990

- Teachers Perception of Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder (ADHD) Symptoms in School Children GIS Business ISSN: 1430-3663 Vol-15-Issue-4-April-2020
- Impact of offences Committed on the Personal Life and Families of Convicted Prison Inmates aegaeum journal Volume 8, Issue 4, 202 April 2020 ISSN NO: 0776-3808
- Jianguo Gao, Rajendra Baikady, Lakshmana Govindappa and Sheng-Li Cheng (Eds.). Social Welfare in India and China: A Comparative Perspective ” is published in Volume 3, Issue 1 of *The International Journal of Community and Social Development*

Articles published in Books

- Recent issues and challenges in literature, science, commerce and social science Chief Editor Siddaramappa S. Rajamanya Challenges Faced by Women and Children during COVID-19 Pandemic July 2020, ISBN-978-93-90082-37-7
- Covid-19 pandemic: Impact and strategies for recovery in business sector-edited by- Dr M.R Vanithamani-Challenges faced by Health care sector during Covid-19 Pandemic ISBN-No: 978-93-81537-17-6

Participation in Workshops

- “QUANTIFYING THE QUALITY OF PUBLICATION” held on 25 - 26 September 2020 Dhanya Educational and Environmental Development Society (DEEDS) Guntur, Andhra Pradesh, India
- Five Days National Level Workshop on SPSS SOFTWARE & RESEARCH METHODOLOGY Organised by South Asian Institute for Advanced Research & Development (SAIARD) In association with SPSS, South Asia held on 1 – 5 September,
- online workshop on positive thinking and decision making organized by mannar thirumalai naicker college maddurai held on 5/20/2020
- online course on Advance Method and Techniques of Test Construction in Social Science On 06th - 07th & 27th- 28th | June | 2020 Organized by: Academy for Solution Focused Approach & Research (ASFAR), Kozhikode-08, Kerala, India
- Statistics in psychology at Mind weavers Kozhikode ,kerala from 10/7/2020- 3/8/2020
- International Webinar on “Social Work Practice Arenas Post Covid-19-an Indo-Canadian Perspective, Organized by Faculty of Social Work in Association with Internal Quality Assurance Cell, Maharaja Sayajirao University of Baroda on 11th May, 2020.

- “Qualitative data analysis using NVIVO software” held on 18-20 September 2020 Dhanya Educational and Environmental Development Society (DEEDS) Guntur, Andhra Pradesh, India
- Participated in Emerald Publishing’s webinar Discover Emerald journals for your research on Wednesday, 20 May 2020
- Publishers Ethics, the role of Publishers, Journals, Researchers, and Institutions-25 June 2020-springer nature in collaboration with infolibnet centre
- Effective utilisation of online resources using knimbus Platform-26th may 2020-central university of Karnataka
- Online 3 day workshop entitled “Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis in Social Sciences” held from 28 - 30 August 2020, Dhanya Educational and Environmental Development Society (DEEDS) Guntur, Andhra Pradesh, India
- National Webinar on Social Work during and post COVID times organised by the Albertian Centre for Human Resource Development and Research, St. Albert’s College (Autonomous) on Tuesday 19th May 2020.
- National webinar on “Mahamatma Gandhi-His Contemporary Relevance-2 oct 2020-Central university of Karnataka-
- Participated and attended an International Webinar on “Social Work Practice Arenas Post Covid-19-an Indo-Canadian Perspective, Organized by Faculty of Social Work in Association with Internal Quality Assurance Cell, The Maharaja Sayajirao University of Baroda on 11th May, 2020.
- Developing multimedia enriched powerful presentation One Week Faculty Development Program organized by Guru Angad Dev Teaching Learning Centre SGTB Khalsa College, University of Delhi under the Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya National Mission on Teachers and Teaching (PMMMNTT) of MHRD. FDP-11TH TO 16TH August-2020
- Two days National level webinar on legal services awareness and lockdown-Mandaya, 1 and 2 June-2020
- Online course on Advance Method and Techniques of Test Construction in Social Science On 06th - 07th & 27th- 28th | June | 2020 organised by:Academy for Solution Focused Approach & Research (ASFAR), Kozhikode-08, Kerala, India

Dr.Sivamoorthy

Psycho-social problems faced by mothers’ of children with “attention deficit hyperactivity disorder” Jijnasa ISSN : 0337-743X, Volume : 38, No. 1, 2021 Page |

ACADEMIC CONTRIBUTION FROM CONTRACTUAL FACULTY

Ropashree

Paper published

- Published a paper in Journal of Child and Adolescent Psychiatry, title; “*Knowledge and awareness about mental health among adolescent: A comparative study of government and private school adolescent of Kalaburagi city*”. Volume 4, published on 4th March. 2020.
- Published a paper in International Journal of Science and Research, (Paper ID: ART 20202072) “Integrating Mental Health in to Primary Health Care”, Volume 8, Issue 12 December 2019

Certificate course completed :-

- Successfully completed an online course from University of Michigan On “Social Work Practice: Advocating Social Justice And Change” (January 25, 2020).
- Successfully completed a course from Cornell University United States of America, on Food Water and Nexus (2019)

Webinar attended:-

- National Virtual Symposium on ‘Informality, new forms of work ,labour concerns of pandemic; evolving strategies of social work/helping profession’. (12TH September 2020) organized by department of social work central university of Tamil Nadu, department of social work Bharathiar University Coimbatore and center for applied research Gandhigram rural institute Tamil Nadu.
- Online National level faculty development program on Statistical Applications using SPSS Software from 9-13th September 2020 (5 days) , organized by G.L Education foundation Bangalore.
- Two days multidisciplinary national E-conference on sustainable development in recent Indian scenario- issues and challenges. 18-19th September 2020, Organized by KIMSR College Bangalore.
- National webinar on “Ethical Professional Practice-Above and Beyond the Expectations”. Held on 29th and 30th May 2020. Organized by Department of Social Work Kristu Jayanti College Bangalore.
- Participated in the National level webinar series (12 sessions) on “Knowledge generation in Education during COVID-19 Pandemic- Qualitative Research”. Held on 1st June- 6th June 2020. Conducted by the Bombay Teacher’s Training College, HSNC University and Dept of Education University of Mumbai.
- International webinar on “Social Work Education and Mental Health”- Changing Contexts, Emerging Needs and Developing Innovative Solutions. Organized by IQAC, De Paul School of Social Work Kerala, and School of Social Work ,James Cook University Australia on 4th June 2020.

ACADEMIC CONTRIBUTION FROM RESEARCH SCHOLARS

Ms. Bhagyashree

Seminar / workshops / conferences attended/teaching hours:

- The Researcher Participated in ICSSR Sponsored ten-days Training Course on Research Methodology in Social Sciences for MPhil/Ph.D. and other research scholars, from 2nd January to 11th January at Center for Social Studies(CSS) Surat.
- The Researcher has attended an orientation Program from 24th to 28th February 2020 at MGNCRE, Hyderabad.
- The Researcher Participated in Emerald Publishing's webinar Discover Emerald journals for your research on Wednesday, 20 May 2020 organized by South Asia Emerald Group Publishing India Pvt. Ltd. And Central university of Karnataka, Kalaburagi.
- The Researcher Participated in an online training program on effective utilization of online resources b using Knimbus organized by Knimbus and Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi.
- The Researcher Participated in National Webinar on Ethical Professional Practice: Above & Beyond Expectations organized by the Department of Social Work, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), Bengaluru on 29th & 30th May 2020.
- The Researcher Participated in a National Webinar series(12) on Knowledge Generation in Education During Covid-19 Pandemic-Qualitative Research” held on 1st June to 6th June 2020 organized by Bombay Teachers' Training College, HSNC University, Mumbai and Department of Education Mumbai University Mumbai.
- The Researcher Participated in International Webinar on Social Work Education and Mental Health: Changing Context, Emerging Needs and Developing Innovative Solutions Organized by IQAC, D Paul School of Social Work and JCU Australia on 4th June 2020.
- The Researcher Participated in the webinar 'Impact of Modern Intellectual Property Rights Regime and Technology Management on Entrepreneurship Development in the livestock sector' organised by NaaViC Agri-Business Incubation Centre on 22nd of June 2020.
- The Researcher participated in an Online Course on Advance Method and Techniques of Test Construction in Social Science. Organized by Academy for Solution Focused Approach & Research (ASFAR), Kerala, & Department of Clinical Psychology, Institute of Mental Health and Neurosciences (IMHANS), Kerala, India
- The Researcher participated in 3-day online workshop entitled “Systematic Review and Meta-Analysis in Social Sciences” held from 28 - 30 August 2020 Dhanya Educational and Environmental Development Society (DEEDS) Guntur, Andhra Pradesh.
- Attended Five Days National Level Workshop on SPSS SOFTWARE & RESEARCH

METHODOLOGY Organised by South Asian Institute for Advanced Research & Development (SAIARD) with the association SPSS, South Asia, on 1st to 5th September 2020.

- Participated in 3-day online workshop entitled “Qualitative data analysis using NVIVO software” held on 18-20 September 2020, Dhanya Educational and Environmental Development Society (DEEDS) Guntur, Andhra Pradesh.
- Participated in online workshop on quantifying the quality of publication on 25-26 September 2020, organized by Dhanya Educational and Environmental Development Society (DEEDS) Guntur, Andhra Pradesh.
- Researcher participated in one day national webinar on “Mahatma Gandhi-His Contemporary Relevance” organized by department of Social Work, Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi on 2nd October 2020.

Paper presented

- Presented a Paper on Social Development Status of Basavantwadi Village, Kalyan Karnataka Region: Challenges in Achieving Sustainable Livelihood in two days national conference on the Role of MSMEs in Inclusive Growth and Sustainable Economic Development in India- Issues and Challenges on 10th and 11th February, organized by Department of Economic Studies and Planning, Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi.

Publications

- The Researchers have published an article in Indian Journal of Social Work (July 2020 Issue 3, Volume 81) with the title “Open Defecation Free Village: A Case Study”.

Shivanand Pawar

- Participated in International Level Workshop “Investing in Entrepreneurs: The what’s, the why’s and the how’s on the 29th of May, 2020 organized by Society of Entrepreneurship Educator Nepal.
- Participated in National Level Online Workshop on SMART Research from 7th May to 9th of May 2020, Conducted by Government First Grade Collage, Kanakpura.
- Participated The Academic Writing Project from 15th May to 17th of May 2020, Conducted by Satish Pradhan Dnyanasadhana College, Department of History, Thane.
- Participated Online Course Advance Method and Techniques of Test Construction in Social Science from 6th-7th and 27th-28th of June 2020, jointly organized by Academy for Solution Focused Approach and Research and Department of Cilinical Psychology, IMHANS.
- Participated in Three-Day International e-Workshop on KAUTILYA ARTHASHASTRA, Organized by Department of Economic Studies & Planning Central University of Karnataka on 7th to 9th April, 2021.

Papers Presented in Conferences:

- Shivanand S. P. (2020) Social Development Status: Livelihood Entrepreneurship Issues and Challenges. In Two days National Level Conference on Role of MSMEs in Inclusive Growth and Sustainable Economic Development of India Issues and Challenges, Organized by Department of Economic at Central University of Karnataka Kalaburagi. Kadaganchi.

Chapter in Book

- Channaveer R M, Bhagyashree V, Shivanand S P (2021) Social Development Intervention for Village Development: A Case Study of Vaijapur Village. Published by Manasa Publishers & Distributors, Jaipur, ISBN: 978-93-83231-66-9, pp1-22.

Danishwar Rasool Dar

Conferences participated

- Participated as a delegate in an online international conference on “Recent Advances in Child Psychiatry 2020,” organized by the Department of Psychiatry, Chettinad Hospital, and Research Institute, Kelambakkam, Chengalpattu Dt, Tamilnadu, held from 23rd and 24th June 2020.

Workshops participated/Attended

- Participated in a national level online workshop on “Smart Research” Phase –1 organized by Internal Quality Assurance Cell of Government First Grade College, Kanakapura, held from 7th to 9th May 2020.
- Participated in a national e-workshop entitled, “Social Work Research: Theory and Practice” organized by Research Resource and Development Centre (RRDC), Yashwantrao Chavan School of Social Work, Satara, Maharashtra, held on 20th July 2020.

Webinars

- Participated in the webinar titled, “Higher and Technical Education Conclave, North India 2020” organised by the ELETS Technomedia and Digital Learning Magazine, held on 24th July 2020.
- Participated in the webinar titled, “Role of Medical Social Workers in Family and Marriage Counselling” held on 3rd September 2020, organized by AIIMS Medical Social Service Officers (AMA) and Social Work department of Madras Christian College, Chennai.
- Participated in the webinar titled, “Suicide Prevention during COVID-19” held on 10th and 11th September 2020, organized by the Department of Psychiatric Social Work, Lokpriyo Gopinath Bardoli Regional Institute of Mental Health (LGBRIMH), Tezpur, Assam.

Newspaper Article

- Published an article, titled on ‘Are you possessed? A mental health issue with reference to Kashmir on January 2020 in one of the leading newspapers of Kashmir (Greater

Kashmir). But the article is not available online (however offline) due to the internet blockade in Kashmir during that time.

Publications under review

- I have submitted a book chapter as second author, titled 'Positive Mental Health among Elderly' to a book 'Bridging the intergenerational gap: Challenges and opportunities in the neoliberal economy', in the Social Work Department, Central University of Karnataka.
- I have a research paper under review in the 'Open Journal of Psychiatry and Allied Sciences (OJPAS)' under the title, Psycho-social problems and well-being among children in Kashmir-An observational study.

Alaka Bhargabi Panda

a. Fieldwork experience

Conducted Adolescent Girls Programme focused on physical and mental health and well-being during the COVID-19 pandemic situation during April 2020

b. Publication

- A book chapter titled "Quality of life and well-being among elderly: A cross-sectional study" is accepted for publication in the upcoming book titled "Bridging the Intergenerational gap: Challenges and Opportunities in the Neo-Liberal Economy."
- Published an article titled "**Sexual desire, sexual functioning and well-being in married males: a community-based study**" in *Sri Lanka Journal of Psychiatry* <http://doi.org/10.4038/sljpgsyc.v11i1.8221> , June 2020

c. Conferences and workshop attended

- Presented a poster titled "How secular is the young India? Perspectives of Indian youth" at the 38th Annual National Conference of Indian Society of Professional Social Work (ISPSW), organized by the Central Institute of Psychiatry, Ranchi on 28th Feb-1st March 2020
- Three days online training program titled "Research Methodology for Social Sciences" organized by the Department of Social Work, Bharatidasan University, held from 18-20 May 2020.
- Participated in the one-day training program on the "Effective Utilization of Online Resources using Knimbus Platform" organized by Knimbus in association with Central University of Karnataka held on 26th May 2020
- Attended the National Webinar on "Ethical Professional Practice: Above & Beyond Expectations" organized by the Department of Social Work, Kristu Jayanti College (Autonomous), Bengaluru on 29th & 30th May 2020
- Attended Live Webinar on "EBSCO Discovery Service for the benefit of researchers" organized by EBSCO Information Services Bangalore, Karnataka and the Central

Library, Central University of Karnataka, held on 1st June 2020

- Attended the "International Webinar on Fieldwork Education in Social Work" hosted by Department of Social Work, Sree Sabareesa College, Kerala, India, held on 6th June 2020
- Attended an online course on "Advance Method and Techniques of Test Construction in Social Science" organized by the Academy for Solution Focused Approach & Research (ASFAR) & Department of Clinical Psychology, Institute of Mental Health and Neurosciences (IMHANS), Kozhikode, Kerala, India, held on 06th - 07th & 27th-28th June 2020
- Attended a National Webinar on "Mental Health of Students during COVID-19 Pandemic and Lockdown" organized by COVID-19 Task Force Committee in Collaboration with Dean Student Welfare Department of Psychology Department of Social Work on 8th June 2020
- Attended a webinar on "Academic Publishing and Enhancing Research Effectiveness" organized by the Dept. of Library & Inf. Science Jamia Millia Islamia, New Delhi, held on 9th June 2020
- Attended a week long online workshop on "**Structural Equation Modelling using AMOS and SMART PLS**", organized and conducted by Research Shiksha, India, from 1st July 2020 to 6th July 2020
- Attended the National Level Webinar on "**How to write Research Papers and Publish in International Journals**" organized by Dept. of MBA and Dept. of IEM, Dr AIT, Bengaluru held on 9th July 2020
- Presented a paper on "**The Intertwining of Corporate Social Responsibility and Sustainable Development Goals: Perspectives from India**" at the Online Global Conference 2020 to 2030 Social Work Global Agenda: Co-Building Social Transformation held from 15-19 July 2020
- One Week National Level Online Short-Term Training Program on "**RESEARCH METHODOLOGY**" organized by the Faculty of Humanities and Science, Adayalampattu Phase II campus, Dr MGR Educational and Research Institute University from 20th July 2020 to 27th July 2020
- Participated in the National Webinar on "**COVID-19: Corporate Reporting & Disclosures**" organized by the Department of Tribal Resource Management, School of Resource Management, Kalinga Institute of Social Sciences, Deemed to be University, Bhubaneshwar in collaboration with Indian Accounting Association (IAA), Bhubaneshwar Branch on 17th August 2020
- Attended an International Webinar on "**Abstracting and Indexing – How to get indexed and how to increase research impact**", organized by Springer Nature in collaboration with Delcon, a DBT e-library consortium held on 9th September 2020.
- Participated in the "**National Webinar on 'Social Work in India: Present and**

Future" organized by India Network of Professional Social Workers' Association held on 18th September 2020.

- Attended a National Webinar on "**Mahatma Gandhi- His Contemporary Relevance**" organized by the Department of Social Work and the Dean Students Welfare Central University of Karnataka on 2nd October 2020

Tukaram Badiger

- Qualified for NFSC (National Fellowship for Scheduled Caste)

Bhukya Anil

- Selected for "National Fellowship for Higher Educational of ST Students (NFST)" to pursue Ph.D. degree-selected date 10th April 2020
- National webinar on; "Tribal Rights; Effective Involvement among tribals and the role of social workers" in which I give a lecture as a resource person on "Tribal Rights to Health and Health Care" a tribal National webinar organized by AADI, Lok Manch, Attapady in Association with St. Thomas collage, Central University of Kerala, Kasargod and Marian college Kuttikannam date 23/03.20201.

MSW Students Qualified UGC-NET Examination in the Academic Year 2019-20

Sr.No.	Name of the Student	NET with JRF/NET
1	Abhiram	NET
2	Harishankar	NET
3	Shalu	NET
4	Aarya	NET
5	Anzila	NET

ACTIVITIES BY MSW STUDENTS

Anzila

- 130th birth anniversary of Dr. B. R. Ambedkar - 14-4-2021
- Baba Saheb Dr. B. R. Ambedkar's 64th Mahaparinirvan Divas - 9-12-2020
- Special lecture series on counselling by Dr. Jeyaram - 6,7,8,9 and 10 of November 2020
- PhD viva voce examination of MsHelga Thomas -4-11-2020
- Webinar on Application of Micro skills in social work practice in collaboration with Tele -medicine centre, NIMHANS 4-11-2020
- Attended freeship committe SSBS meeting, 23-4-2021
- PhD viva voce examination of Mr Rameez Manzoor, 5-4-2021
- Webinar on Social Vaccine for covid -19 a community approach -28-6-2020
- Internship at rise for girls organisation
- Internship at HOPE Hold on Pain Ends organization

- Attended seminar on democracy conducted by Madras school of social work in chennai-21-2-2020 and won first prize for street play.
- Cleared Ugc NET in December 2019
- Attended special lecture on The rights of persons with disabilities act-2016-27-3-2021
- International social work day seminar on Ubuntu: I am because we are - 16-3-2021
- Indiansocial work congress 2020 and 8 th ICSD Asia Pacific branch congress - 2-3-2021
- Internship at max minds rehabilitation centre from 11-1-2021 to 16-2-2021
- Published an Editorial on Survival of Covid 19 at max minds rehabilitation centre in Manchirath magazine publication, Max minds rehabilitation centre, Aravanchal, Kerala

Ajay Das

- Participated as a volunteer OHCHR(UN Human Rights Office of the High Commissioner) pilot crowd sourcing pilot in Kerala,India-1/10/2020-30/12/2020

Hamsa Mohammed

- conducted a webinar on Professional Social work in independent, Secular, Republic India along with Central University of Karnataka, social work department and Attappadi Adivasi Development Initiative in the date of 27-01-2021

Akhila soman

- Awarded the Govt. of India scholarship given by Ministry of Social justice and Empowerment.

Arya Pradeep

- Awarded National fellowship for Scheduled Caste.

Saidusab Eligara-

- Published an article “Corana bagga Baya beda echhareka erali” in janamaditha newspaper-2020

ANNEXURE



MASKS DISTRIBUTION FOR 6TH, 7TH AND 8TH CLASS STUDENTS OF GOVERNMENT HIGHER PRIMARY SCHOOL OF THE GOLA VILLAGE



MASK DISTRIBUTION AT GOLA B VILLAGE WITH PREGNANT WOMEN AND LACTATING MOTHERS AS THE TARGET GROUP.

“
The best way to find
yourself is to lose
yourself in the service
of others.
”
— Mahatma Gandhi

12. DEPARTMENT OF HISTORY & ARCHAEOLOGY

Introduction:

The department of History offers MA and PhD degrees since 2016. The faculty members are well trained in specialised branches of cultural history, art history, museology, archaeology, numismatics and epigraphy in addition to history and its theories. The syllabus are designed to cover complete spectrum of historical prehistorical studies and all of its branches. Archaeology, museology, numismatics and epigraphy are also part of the curriculum. Thus, the academic focus is comprehensive and holistic to provide the aspirants factual historical insight. The interdisciplinary approaches use of ICT tools for teaching are also helping in effective learning. Through dissertation and other research activities, the department is also

contributing to explore and bring to light less known unrecorded history into academic realm. Being located in the heart of Deccan, the department also has specific focuses on the regional history. Researches in this field are taken up by the faculty members.

Programmes offered

- a. MA in History
- b. PhD in History

Faculty members

1. Dr. Mohammad Nazrul Bari, Assistant Professor (On lien)
2. Dr. Remya V.P., Assistant Professor
3. Dr. Arjun R., Assistant Professor
4. Mr. Abdul Majid, Assistant Professor

Publications by faculty members: Manuscripts accepted in UGC CARE journals awaiting publication

Paper presentation by faculty members

Sl No	Name	Details of paper presented
1.	Dr. Remya V.P.	1. 'Buddhist Sites on the Andhra Coast: Structures, Sects and Aesthetics' in 7 th International Congress of Society of South Asian Archaeology 18-21 September, 2020
2.	Dr. Arjun R.	1. 'Revisiting 1954: Raymond Allchin in Raichur', South India', 7th Allchin Symposium on South Asian Archaeology, Ancient India and Iran Trust, Cambridge on 5 December 2020. 2. Iron Age in the Niche of Tropical Ecology, Coorg Plateau of Karnataka, International Webinar on Iron Age of South Asia, Department of Archaeology University of Kerala, on 1-4 March 2021.

Lectures delivered by faculty members

Sl No.	Name	Details of lecture
1.	Dr. Remya V.P.	'History Beyond Theories and Frameworks' on 22.09.2020 from 3.30 pm to 5.00 pm in the Online Refresher Course in History conducted by School of Historical Studies and HRDC, Madurai Kamaraj University from 16.09.2020 to 29.09.2020.
2.	Dr. Arjun R.	1. 'Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav- Deko Apna Desh', Ministry of Information and Broadcasting, Field Outreach Bureau, Mangaluru, on 25 March 2021. 2. Prehistoric Rock Art and Iron Age Megaliths of Karnataka, PG Studies in History and Archaeology, University College, Mangalore University, Mangalore, on 4 February 2021. 3. Megalithic Karnataka, Archaeological Explorations in Karnataka. India Study Centre (INSTUCENT), Mumbai. 2nd Dec 2020. 4. Iron Age and Megaliths in South India: Geographic and Temporal Characteristics, Centre for History and Archaeology Asiatic Society for Social Science Research, on November 18, 2020. 5. A) Southern Neolithic Culture: Landscape and Subsistence Economy; B) South Indian Iron Age and Megalithic Tradition, Refresher Course in History on "New approaches and Interpretations in Historical Writings", Madurai Kamraj University, Madurai, on 16-29 September 2020. 6. Prehistoric Stone Tools: Identify, Recording and Analysis, Two day national webinar on "Techniques and Methods in Historical

		Research”, V.M.K. S.R.Vastrad Arts, Science and V.S. Belliahah Commerce College, Hungund, on 30-31st July 2020. 7. <i>Iron Age in Coorg Plateau, Karnataka (India)</i> , Asian Megaliths Facebook PageLive. June 28, 2020.
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Honours/awards/recognition for faculty members

Dr. Arjun R.

- A. Early carrier Network (ECN) Regional Representative for India, Past Global Changes (PAGES), Switzerland.
- B. Editorial Board Member, Journal of Archaeological Studies in India.
- C. Member of European Association for South Asian Studies (EASAS), Bonn, Germany.

Conferences/seminars/workshops organised by the department

Sl No.	Title of program	Coordinator
1.	<i>Three days Online Workshop on India from Prehistory to Medieval Periods: Sources and Methods, from 16-18 June 2020.</i>	Dr. Arjun R.
2.	National Webinar on Heritage Conservation on the occasion of World Heritage Day on 24 th November 2020	Dr. Remya V.P.

Student centric/ extra-curricular activities:

The conducted regular coaching classes for 3 weeks to train current batch and alumni students for NET- JRF/ SLET and 08 students have successfully passed KSLET.

Facilities available to the students at the department:

The department has an exclusive building to itself consisting of classrooms, reading room and researchers' room. In addition, a museum and conservation laboratory are approved by the university and will be set up in the coming academic session.

13. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION

The Central University of Karnataka added another discipline in its stream of social sciences, Department of Public Administration with new Post Graduation course titled Public Administration and Governance from July 2020 which is a very new initiative both at national and state level in the academic history. This Department of Public Administration is the first regular University Department in Central Universities in South India and in particular a dedicated Department in the State of Karnataka for the higher studies in Public Administration. The new emerging course in Post-Graduation titled Public Administration and Governance is mainly focusing to balance the traditional administrative and organizational theories at one end and new changing dynamics of state and administration with new terms like Governance since 1990s (Post-LPG era). Today the main focus of the Governance is, “It might be profitable to look upon government somewhat less as a problem of power and somewhat more as a problem of steering.”

It is a unique integration of concepts, tools, and techniques with stress on understanding the philosophical concepts of Administrative Theories and Thinkers who contributed for effective and efficient organizations at Public and Private Sector, Contemporary Debates in Public Policy formulation, implementation, evaluation including the design and execution of delivery systems. Its thrust is on interdisciplinary approaches

in learning, strategic thinking, global orientation, sensitivity, and innovation. The interdisciplinary program aims to train present and future leaders, functionaries and activists in government and non-government agencies and civil society members to develop a comprehensive understanding of Public Administration and Governance issues from multiple perspectives and disciplines.

Programmes Offered:

- 1) M.A. Public Administration & Governance

Details of the Faculty / Staff Members:

S.No	Name of the Faculty	Designation
1	Dr. Sandeep Inampudi	Co-Coordinator/Assistant Professor
2	Mr. Alok Kumar Gaurav	Assistant Professor
3	Dr. Kiran Gajunur	Assistant Professor
4	Dr. MallikarjunHugar	Assistant Professor

Publication of books with ISBN No. & Research Papers/Articles in Peer Reviewed journals with ISSN number and DOI number/Articles in News Papersetc:

- 1) **Dr Kiran M Gajunur** has contributed“**Secular discourse in Indian Politics**” Popular Article Published in Bhanuvara Journal with ISSN-2582-4430 edition:16, August 2020.
- 2) **Dr Kiran M Gajunur** has contributed “**Gandhi and the Feminism**” Popular Article Published in Prajavanikannadanews paper on 1st Oct 2020.
- 3) **Dr Kiran M Gajunur** has contributed “**Dr. Ambedkar Perspective of Justice**” Popular Article Published in Prajavanikannadanews paper on 6th Dec 2020.
- 4) **Dr Mallikarjun Sharanappa.** (2021). “**Indo-US Defence Relations**”. Third Concept an International Journal of Idea, 34, (407), 17-20. ISSN: 0970-7247.

Papers presented at Seminars, Conferences & Symposium etc:

- 1) Dr Kiran M Gajunur, Presented a Paper on ‘*IMPACT OF COVID-19 ON INDIAN POLITICAL ECONOMY*’ at Faculty Development Programme on “IMPACT OF COVID-19 ON INDIAN ECONOMY AND INDUSTRY” from 14-05-2020 to 20-05-2020 organized by Sangolli Rayanna First Grade Constituent College, Rani Channamma University, Belagavi, Karnataka, India.
- 2) Dr Kiran M Gajunur, Presented a Paper in seminar on ‘*Politics of Inclusive Governance*’ on 24-06-2020 organized by AVK First Grade College, Bangalore, Karnataka, India.
- 3) Dr Kiran M Gajunur, Participated as a Resource person & presented a paper on ‘*Impact of Covid-19 on Education*’ in a two days National level webinar organized by Government first grade college, Bhadravathi, Shivamoga Dist. On 03-05-2020.

- 4) Dr Kiran M Gajunur, Participated In three days International conference (Webinar) on *“Thinking Translation: Exploring Dialogues across the Disciplines”* organized by Publication House, Karnataka Central University, Kalaburgi Dist. On August 10,11 & 12th 2020.
- 5) Dr. Sandeep Inampudi, Has Participated & Presented a Paper Titled, *“Understanding the Geological Problems of Inter State Water Disputes in India-A Governance Perspective”*, in Two Day International Conference on Water Resources on 16-17, October 2020, Organised by Department of Geology, School of Earth Sciences, Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi, India.

Workshops/Lectures/Invited Talks/ Resource Persons given by Faculty at State/National/International Universities:

- 1) Dr Kiran M Gajunur, Participated in Faculty Development Programme on *“IMPACT OF COVID-19 ON INDIAN ECONOMY AND INDUSTRY”* from 14-05-2020 to 20-05-2020 organized by Sangolli Rayanna First Grade Constituent College, Rani Channamma University, Belagavi, Karnataka, India.
- 2) Dr Kiran M Gajunur, Participated and Moderated the Fourth technical session on *“Language and Future of Social Science Research”* at the National Online Workshop on *“Research Methodology in Social Sciences”* organised by DoS in Political Science, University of Mysore, Mysuru on 28th & 29th August 2020.
- 3) Dr Kiran M Gajunur, participated as a Resource person & presented Views on *‘National Education Policy-2019’* organized by SFI, Kalaburgi Dist. On 03-10-2020.
- 4) Dr Kiran M Gajunur, participated as a Resource person & presented a paper on *‘Dr. Ambedkar and the idea of India’* organized by Gulbarga University, Kalaburgi Dist. On 06-12-2020.
- 5) Dr Kiran M Gajunur, participated as a Resource person & presented a paper on *‘Contribution of Savithri bai Phule’* at Devadurga, Shivamoga Dist. On 03-01-2021, organized by Azimpremji Foundation.
- 6) Dr Kiran M Gajunur, Participated as a Resource person & presented a paper in National webinar on *‘The idea of Social Justice and the Constitution of India’* at On 22-01-2021, organized by Azimpremji Foundation.
- 7) Dr Kiran M Gajunur, Participated as a Resource person & presented a paper on *‘The role of bureaucracy in policy implementation’* at Davanagere On 23-01-2021, organized by Karnataka government Employ association.
- 8) Dr Mallikarjun Sharanappa, Participated in *UGC Sponsored Faculty Induction Program (2)* from February 9, 2021 to March 08, 2021 at UGC-Human Resource Development Centre University of Mysore.
- 9) Dr. Mallikarjun Hugar, Successfully completed *One Week Pedagogical Training for Teachers on Tools for Online Teaching, Learning and Evaluation*, from 1st July to 6th

July 2020, Organised by School of Mathematical Sciences, Swami Ramanand Teerth Marathwada University, Nanded.

- 10) Dr. Sandeep Inampudi, Invited to Deliver a *Online Pre-Ph.d Course Work* on 09/01/2021 organised by UGC-Human Resource Development Centre, Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Marathwada University, Aurunagabad.
- 11) Dr. Sandeep Inampudi, Successfully completed *One Week Pedagogical Training for Teachers on Tools for Online Teaching, Learning and Evaluation*, from 1st July to 6th July 2020, Organised by School of Mathematical Sciences, Swami Ramanand Teerth Marathwada University, Nanded.
- 12) Dr. Sandeep Inampudi, Invited as Resource Person to *National Webinar on Human Rights* on 10-12-2020 Organised by Faculty of Social Sciences, B.J.R. Government Degree Colleges, Narayanaguda, Hyderabad, Telanganan.
- 13) Dr. Sandeep Inampudi, Invited to Deliver a Lecture on "*Changing Dynamics of State Vs Market Debate in Indian Perspective*" on 11-01-2021, Organised by Department of Political Science, Assam University, Assam, India.
- 14) Dr. Sandeep Inampudi, Invited to Deliver a Talk on, "*Riggs Prismatic Model- Understanding Indian Governance in Contemporary Times*" for the Symposium on Revisiting F.W. Riggs in the Contemporary Era on 15-02-2021, Organised by Department of Political Science, Jamia Millia Islamia Central University, New Delhi, India.
- 15) Dr. Sandeep Inampudi, Invited to Deliver a Talk on *Understanding Kautilya in a Time of Turbulance*, on 25-02-2021 Organised by Department of Public Administration, Andhra Mahila Sabha College for Women, Osmania University Campus, Hyderabad, Telangana.

Details of Lectures/ Talks/ Workshops/Webinars Organised by Faculty:

- 1) Department of Public Administration, has organized a One Day Webinar on "*The Goals and Trajectories for Higher Education: NEP-2020*", on 11th October, 2020. The Speakers for Webinar are, *Prof.M.Khajapeer*, Former Vice Chancellor, Karnataka University and *Prof. Varsha Shirgaokar*, Visitors Nominee on the Executive Council Member, Central University of Karnataka.
- 2) Mr. Alok Kumar Gaurav, has organized a Special Lecture on "*Rationality versus Emotion: Revisiting Foundational Principles of Modern Bureaucracy*" on March 18, 2021. The keynote speaker will be *Mr. Arvind Kumar*, Doctoral Research Scholar from Royal Holloway, University of London UK.
- 3) Dr Kiran M Gajunur has organised the Special lecture organized by Department of Public Administration Central University of Karnataka on "*Understanding Political Theory*" on 31st December 2020, 12-00 PM to 1.00 PM by *Prof. Rajaram Tolpadi*, former professor of the Department of Political Science & Director, Nehru Study Centre Mangalore University.

Details of Faculty in various Responsibilities:

- 1) Dr Kiran M Gajunur, Serving as a member in the committee of Module Curriculum for UG Public Administration & International Relation nominated by Karnataka Higher education council order No:TUT:2020-21/19 dated 14-05-2020.
- 2) Dr Kiran M Gajunur, Member in Admission Committee for online Admission 2020-2021, Central University of Karnataka
- 3) Dr Kiran M Gajunur, Member in CUK Lecture Series Committee, Central University of Karnataka.
- 4) Dr Kiran M Gajunur, Coordinator for Samarth program module, Central University of Karnataka.
- 5) Dr Kiran M Gajunur, Nodal officers in IQAC, Central University of Karnataka
- 6) Dr Kiran M Gajunur, Nodal officer for Ranking MoU, Central University of Karnataka
- 7) Dr Kiran M Gajunur, Member in Stock Verification committee, Central University of Karnataka
- 8) Dr Kiran M Gajunur, Convener of Prospectus committee 2021-2022, Central University of Karnataka
- 9) Dr Mallikarjun S Hugar, Assistant DSW, CUK., Central University of Karnataka
- 10) Dr Mallikarjun S Hugar, Member in Stock Verification committee, Central University of Karnataka
- 11) Dr Mallikarjun S Hugar, Coordinator for Samarth Inventory module, Central University of Karnataka
- 12) Dr Mallikarjun S Hugar, Member of Annual Report Completion Committee 2019-20, Central University of Karnataka
- 13) Dr Mallikarjun S Hugar, Member of Consultancy Committee, Central University of Karnataka

14. DEPARTMENT OF FOLKLORISTICS AND TRIBAL STUDIES

INTRODUCTION:

The Department of Folkloristics and Tribal Studies is part of the School of Social and Behavioural Sciences. It was established by Central University of Karnataka with the recognition of the unique, creative mental template, practices of diverse Folk and Tribal communities and increasing realization to preserve them for a sustainable living.

PROGRAMS OFFERED:

1. M.A in Folkloristics and Tribal Studies

The department offers two year M.A. programme in Folkloristics and Tribal Studies which would provide theoretical and methodological base and approach towards understanding diverse aspects and issues pertaining to Folk and Tribal communities. By building upon interdisciplinary insights from numerous disciplines such as Literature, Anthropology, Sociology, History, Psychology, etc. The content of the course is framed to facilitate individual coping strategy and cater present and future aspirants for various competitive ventures.

FACULTY MEMBERS:

Sl. No.	Names of the Faculty and the Staff	Designation
1.	Dr. Rajashree	Assistant Professor and Coordinator of the Department

2.	Dr. Rohinaksha	Assistant Professor
3.	Dr. L.N.Kithan	Assistant Professor
4.	Dr.Rajashekaran	Assistant Professor

Publications by faculty members

Books/Chapters in Book

A) Book

1. Dr. Rohinaksha, Neladaniya Shodha Akhila Bharatiya sahithya Prishath, ISBN 9788194586425, 2020

Chapters in Book

2. Dr. Rajashree, **Akshara Santana Padakke Nudi Pushpada Namana**, In:Nudi Thorana, Nanjunda Swami Thottavady Anad Dr. Rajappa Dalavayi(Editors), Ranga Chetana Samskruthi Kendra Trast, Bengaluru.
3. Dr. Rajashree, **Prof.K. Subrahmanya Bhatta: Panditha Guru**, In: Guru Gaurava-Dakshina Kannadada Pandita Paramparege Ondu Namana(Panjaje Shankara Bhatta Janma Shatamanotsava Gaurava Grantha, Panjaje Shankara Bhatta Janma Shatamanotsava Samithi.
4. Dr. L.N.Kithan (Co- author) “Ethno medicinal practices of the Bhai Khasis of Meghalaya”, In an Edited book on Cultural heritage of Meghalaya, Published by Routledge, United Kingdom.

B. Journal Publications:

1. Dr. Rohinaksha , Kannada Charitrika Janapada Lavanigala Svaroopu Vishleshane - Chinthana Bayalu - July 2020 - ISSN 22782192
2. Dr. Rohinaksha Covid Nantharada Shiksha : Vanchita samudayagala makkala shikshanada Savalugalu-Shikshana Soudha-March 2021 ,ISSN 22492429
3. Dr.Rohinaksha Kannada Sahityadalli Rastriyate, (chapter in book), Karnataka Vaibhava,Edited by ,Dr.Shashidhar G.Vaidya

Paper presentation by faculty members

1. Dr. Rajashree, Presented paper on the topic “**Jaanapadadalli Samakaaliinathe**” in 85th National conference - Akhila Bharata Kannada Sahitya Sammeelana on 6th February 2020, organised by Kannada Sahitya Parishath, held at Gulbarga on February 5-7, 2020
2. Dr. Rajashree, **Chaired a session** and presented a paper on “**Janapadadalli Mahile**” in a State Conference organised by FOSSILS on 9th January 2020 held at Sagar.
3. Dr. Rajashree, Presented a paper on “Janapada Rangabhumi Bhutaradhaneya mele Covid Srushtisida Samskruthika Tallana” in International Webinar about “Samakaliina Samskruthika Sandarbha:kannada Prajne mattu Prathikriye” organised by Kuvempu University, Sahyadri Commerce and Management College, shivamoggaheld on September 19-20, 2020
4. Dr. Rajashree, **Chaired a session** on **Genres in Orality and Literacy** in the FOSSILS 27th Annual Conference(Three Days Conference) on “**Women Centred Folklore and Urban Folklore**” Conducted by **Department of Folklore and Tribal Studies, Dravidian University, Kuppam and FOSSILS, Thiruvananthapuram** on 27.03.2021
5. Dr. Rohinaksha, Presented a paper on the topic “**Covid - 19 : Challenges faced by people who depend on cultural practices**”on 05/05/2020 in the one day

International Seminar on “Pandemic Covid - 19: Present and Future Challenges”, conducted by Khwaja Moinuddin Chisti Language University , Lucknow

6. Dr. Rohinaksha Presented a paper on the topic **“Anchinalliruva samudayagala makkala shikshanada mele covid-19 untumaduva parinamagalu”** on 19/09/2020 in two days International seminar on “Samakalina Samskrutika Sandarbha : Kannada Prajane mattu Pratikriye” conducted by Kuvempu University.
7. Dr. Rohinaksha Presented a paper on the topic **“Coronottara Sahithya kandukonda hosa margagalu”** on 15/07/2020 in one day National seminar on “Coronottara Sahithya kandukonda Hosa Margagalu, conducted by Lingaraj College, Belagavi.
8. Dr. Rohinaksha Presented a paper on the topic **“Janapada Sahithya mattu Samskruthi”** on 27/03/2021 in one day National seminar conducted by Mangalore Lit Fest 2021.
9. **Dr. Rajashekaran. L.**, Presented a paper on the topic **‘martial Suicide through the ages’** on 26.02.2021 in the Two days National Seminar on **“History and Culture of Sangam Period”** conducted by **International School of Dravidian Linguistics, Thumba, Thiruvananthapuram** from 25th to 26th February 2021.
10. **Dr. Rajashekaran. L.**, Presented a paper on the topic **‘Myth Criticism’** on 16.03.2021 in the National seminar on **“Global Perspectives of Contemporary Literary Theory”** conducted by **Syed Ammal Arts and Science College, Ramanathapuram.**
11. **Dr. Rajashekaran. L.**, Presented a paper on the topic **‘ A Historical Study on Chaavaan Sami ‘** on 26.03.2021 in the FOSSILS 27th annual Conference on **“Women Centred Folklore and Urban Folklore”** Conducted by **Department of Folklore and Tribal Studies, Dravidian University, Kuppam and FOSSILS, Thiruvananthapuram.**

Lectures delivered by faculty members

1. Special Lecture given by Dr. Rohinaksha , in the topic “ Kanakadasara Samajika - Dharmika Chintanagala Prasthutathe”, Conducted by Kanakadasa Peeta, Mangalore University on 12/03/2021.
2. Special Lecture given by Dr. Rajashekaran L on the topic **‘Tribal lore’** on 30.05.2020 in the seven day National Workshop on **“Tamil Literature and Tribal Culture”** Conducted by **Kongu Arts and Science College (Autonomous), Coimbatore** from 25.05.2020 to 31.05.2020.

Honours/awards/recognition for faculty members

Dr. Rajashekaran L., received the Best Paper Award for presented paper on the topic **‘Myth Criticism’** on 16.03.2021 in the National seminar on **“Global Perspectives of Contemporary Literary Theory”** conducted by **Syed Ammal Arts and Science College, Ramanathapuram.**

Conferences/seminars/workshops organised by the department

1. The Department of Folkloristics and Tribal Studies organized an Online Webinar Series of lectures from experts in the field of Folklore and Tribal Studies. The theme of the webinar is “Current Trends in Folklore” and “Impact of Corona Pandemic on Folklore”.

Coordinator of the Webinar: Dr. Rajashree

Co- coordinators of the Webinar Dr. Rajashekaran. L, Dr. L.N.Kithan, Dr. Rohinaksha

Guest Speakers

S. No.	Resource Person	Title / Area	Date
	Theme: “Current Trends in Folklore” 1. Prof. B.A.Vivek Rai, Reputed Senior Folklorist Former Vice Chancellor, Kannada University, Hampi & Open University Mysore	Topic: Introduction to Oral Epics	05.06.2020
	2. Prof. Bhaktavatsala Reddy Senior Folklorist & Director, Institute for Indian Folklore	Tradition and Transformation in Folk Arts	
	Theme: “Impact of Covid 19 on Folklore” 1. Prof. Y.A. Sudhakar Reddy Center for Folk & Cultural Studies, University of Hyderabad	Topic: Covid 19 and Folklore”	09.06.2020
	2. Prof. B. Krishna Reddy Senior Folklorist & Former Head, Dept. of Folklore and Tribal Studies, Dravidian University Kuppam, Chittur, Andhra Pradesh	Covid Pandemic: Folkloristic Perspective	

2. Organised a lecture on the theme “Conflating contexts: Cultural studies, Literature and Folklore”, on 3rd December, 2020. Coordinator of the Webinar : Dr. L.N.Kithan, Co-coordinators of the Webinar Dr. Rajashree, Dr. Rohinaksha, Dr. Rajashekar. L

3. Dr. L.N.Kithan, co-organised and member of a three day international webinar initiated by Prasaranga, a publication unit of Central University of Karnataka on the theme “Thinking Translation: Exploring dialogue across disciplines” on 10-12th August, 2020

Details of research projects- investigator, title, funding agency, amount etc.

Dr. Rohinaksha - Topic - **Covid 19: A Study of the socio-cultural consequences of the discontinued cultural practices** - Funded by - The Mythic Society, Bangalore, Amount : 7,20,000, Nov 17, 2020, Ongoing

15. DEPARTMENT OF JOURNALISM & MASS COMMUNICATION

The Department of Journalism and Mass Communication was established in the year 2019 with a vision to develop responsible media professionals and academics with universal values and knowledge to meet the ever-changing divergent media environment and converging media technologies. The department runs a two-year postgraduate program in Journalism and Mass Communication focusing on professional development with skill-oriented courses, industry-based training, and research. The department aims to collaborate with the media industry and academics nationally and globally in transforming education and research to keep abreast of the challenges and demands of the field.

Programme Offered

MA - Journalism & Mass Communication

Faculty Members

Prof. Ganesh B. Pawar – Professor & Head (Adhoc)

Dr. K. Karthik - Assistant Professor
Dr. Oinam Bedajit Meitei - Assistant Professor
Dr. Rupa Rani Sonowal - Assistant Professor
Ms. Deepthi - Assistant Professor

Publications

Book Chapters:

Rupa Rani Sonowal (2020) authored four chapters titled *Television Production, Genres of Television Programmes, History of Television Broadcasting, Television for Development*, In Graduate Self-Learning Materials published by Krishna Kanta Handiqui State Open University, Assam.

Deepthi (2021). *Women Centric movies in Sandalwood: A Discussion on Nathicharami, Shuddi and Urvi*. In Dr. Tamilselvi N & Dr. Shourini Banerjee (Eds). *A Panoramic View of Women in Indian Cinema*. pp 174 - 181. Tamil Nadu: RIACME Publications. ISBN 978-81-951098-0-7

Journals:

Karthik K. (2021). *The Notion of Ideology: Revisiting Marx, Gramsci & Althusser*, International Research Journal of Human Resources and Social Sciences (IRJHRSS), Volume 8, Issue 1, pp. 5 – 15. ISSN No. 2349-4085.

Oinam Bedajit Meitei. (2021). *Challenging perspectives: Review of De-westernizing Visual Communication and Cultures* edited by Herdin, Faust and Chen. Media Asia, 2021 - Taylor & Francis. <https://doi.org/10.1080/01296612.2021.1896861>.

Conference / Workshop Participation

- Rupa Rani Sonowal presented a paper on “Twitter Study on the Framing of Covid-19 Handles by the Government of Assam” in the International Virtual Conference on Identity: Myths, Memories, Communication and Cultural Narratives jointly organized by Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi, SVKM’s Usha Pravin Gandhi College of Arts, Sciences and Commerce, Mumbai and St. Antony’s College, Shillong held on November 28 & 29, 2020.
- Karthik K. chaired a “Paper Presenters Panel” in the International Virtual Conference on Identity: Myths, Memories, Communication and Cultural Narratives jointly organized by Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi, SVKM’s Usha Pravin Gandhi College of Arts, Sciences and Commerce, Mumbai and St. Antony’s College, Shillong held on November 28 & 29, 2020.
- Deepthi participated in a Two day Online National Level Workshop on ‘Writing and Publication’ organised by Pinnacle EduCare, Pune on May 2 & 3, 2020.
- Deepthi participated in a Three day Online National Level Workshop on ‘Creating an Inclusive Teaching Learning Experience in LMS (Moodle)’ organised by the Department of Computer Science (UG), Kristu Jayanti College, Bengaluru from May 19 to May 21, 2020.
- Karthik K. participated in one Day Online Workshop on Social Entrepreneurship, Swacchta & Rural Engagement for Higher Educational Institutions in Association with Mahatma Gandhi National Council of Rural Education, Govt. of India on September 25, 2020.
- Rupa Rani Sonowal participated in one Day Online Workshop on Social Entrepreneurship, Swacchta & Rural Engagement for Higher Educational Institutions in Association with Mahatma Gandhi National Council of Rural Education, Govt. of

India on September 25, 2020.

Invited Lecture / Panel Discussion

- Karthik K. delivered an Online Lecture on “Publishing Research Papers in Media & Fine Arts: Approaches and Methods” as part of the Faculty Orientation Lecture conducted by KL University, Guntur, Andhra Pradesh held on November 02, 2020.
- Karthik K. delivered a Special Lecture on “The methodological approach of covering events and travel in e-media & making of a great travel video documentary” organized by the Department of Tourism and Hotel Management, Central University of Karnataka held on December 10, 2020.
- Oinam Bedajit Meitei took a session on “How to Read a Film” in Covid Times and Cinema- Film Appreciation Workshop organized by School of Journalism & Mass Communication, Devi Ahilya Vishwavidyalaya, Indore, Madhya Pradesh on December 10-12, 2020.
- Karthik K. participated in the panel discussion on the topic “Social Media Detox: Is Disconnecting a Necessity?” organized by the Department of Mass Communication, Bhavan’s Vivekananda College of Science, Humanities & Commerce, Hyderabad on December 17, 2020.
- Rupa Rani Sonowal delivered a Special Online Lecture on the theme "New Media and Online Journalism" organized by Department of Mass Communication, Assam Don Bosco University on 26th February 2021.

Conferences/seminars/workshops organised by the department

- The Department organised an Online Interaction Series with media professionals representing different fields such as Print & Electronic Media, Advertising, Photography, Corporate Communication, ICT for Social Change. A total of seven sessions were conducted between June 01, 2020 and June 14, 2020. Dr. Karthik K. was the coordinator of this Interaction Series.
- The Department organised a two-day International Virtual Conference on Identity: Myths, Memories, Communication and Cultural Narratives in collaboration with SVKM’s Usha Pravin Gandhi College of Arts, Sciences and Commerce, Mumbai and St. Antony’s College, Shillong held on November 28 & 29, 2020. Dr. Rupa Rani Sonowal was the convenor of this International Conference.
- The Department organised an online workshop on ‘Identification of Fake news’ on December 16, 2020. Dr. Shourini Banerjee, FactShala Trainer (Media and Information Literacy) & Assistant Professor, Dept. of Visual Communication, The American College, Madurai, Tamil Nadu was the resource person for the workshop. Ms. Deepthi was the coordinator of this workshop.

Orientation / Induction / Faculty Development Programme

- Oinam Bedajit Meitei participated in a One Month – Online Faculty Induction Programme organized by Teaching Learning Centre, Ramanujan College, University of Delhi under the aegis of MHRD, Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya National Mission for Teachers and Teaching from June 26 to July 24, 2020 and obtained “A+” Grade.
- Deepthi participated in a One Month – Online Faculty Induction Programme organized by Teaching Learning Centre, Ramanujan College, University of Delhi under the aegis of MHRD, Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya National Mission for Teachers and Teaching from June 26 to July 24, 2020 and obtained “A+” Grade.

- Karthik K. participated in a One Month – Online Faculty Induction Programme organized by UGC-HRDC, Osmania University, Hyderabad from August 31, 2020 to September 29, 2020 and obtained “A” Grade.
- Rupa Rani Sonowal participated in a One Month – Online Faculty Induction Programme organized by UGC-HRDC, Osmania University, Hyderabad from August 31, 2020 to September 29, 2020 and obtained “A” Grade.
- Deepthi participated in a Five Day Online Faculty Development Programme organised by Department of Journalism and Mass Communication, Kristu Jayanti College, Bengaluru from May 12 to May 16, 2020.
- Deepthi participated in a Five Day Online Faculty Development Programme organised by Sathish Pradhan Dnyanasadhana College, Thane in association with Department of Information Technology University, Mumbai, Yaswantrao Chavan Maharashtra Open University, Mumbai Regional Centre and Microsoft from May 30 to June 3, 2020.

Activities at the Department

The Department bought out two issues of ‘CUK Bulletin’ which carried the reports on events and activities took place in the University. The Newsletter was released by Former Vice-Chancellor Prof. H M Maheshwaraiah on the occasion of Kannada Rajyothsava on November 1, 2020. Ms. Deepthi, Assistant Professor is the Faculty-In-Charge for the Newsletter.

Webinar Participation

- Rupa Rani Sonowal attended a webinar on “The new normal in education sector post lockdown” organized by Royal Global University, Guwahati, Assam on May 22, 2020.
- Rupa Rani Sonowal attended a webinar on “EBSCO Discovery Service for the benefit of researchers” organized by EBSCO on June 1, 2020.
- Rupa Rani Sonowal attended the 3rd webinar series on issues like academic writings, online media, lifestyle communication, data journalism, children and media, health communication, photojournalism, TV news, social media research, community media, advertising and corporate communication, fake news, ICT, social marketing, mobile news culture, media literacy and traditional media etc. organized by IMS, Bhubaneswar from May 26 to June 4, 2020.
- Rupa Rani Sonowal attended the AMIC webinar on the ‘Practical writing tips to get your research published in AMIC journals’ organised by AMIC held on May 15, 2020.
- Oinam Bedajit Meitei attended the AMIC webinar on the ‘Practical writing tips to get your research published in AMIC journals’ organised by AMIC held on May 15, 2020.

16. DEPARTMENT OF LAW

Department of Law is one amongst the four departments established in the year 2019 to set new benchmark of excellence in higher legal education in India. The learning is mediated through classroom facilitations, virtual classroom learning modalities, case analysis, visiting Court and Advocates chamber, correctional institutions, internship, etc., Knowledge acquisition procedures are monitored through lecture, participatory and cooperative learning and simulation techniques.

The vision of the department is to make socially conscious society, by providing quality legal education that is professionally competent and socially relevant so as to realize the constitutional primordial goal of social, economic and political justice. This department fosters a proud tradition of CUK academic excellence with students taking up various activities to expand their horizons of knowledge, faculty members devoted to interdisciplinary

teaching, research and creative activities. The department creates learning opportunities through innovative classroom activities, workshops, seminars and invited lectures on a regular and continued basis and also visiting chambers of Advocates, Court, and other similar institutions. Further, it undertakes legal aid activities and legal literacy camps as a part of regular curriculum activity.

Programme offered:

LL.M. Program in Criminal Law

Faculty Details

Dr. Basvaraj Kubakaddi, Assistant Professor and Coordinator

Dr. Anant D. Chinchure, Assistant Professor

Publication Details of the Faculty Members

Dr. Basvaraj Kubakaddi, Assistant Professor and Coordinator

a) Publication in Journals

- **Dr. Basavaraj Kubakaddi (2020).** “Anti Defection Law in India” Published in IJCRT Journal, Volume 8, Issue IV, April-2020 ISSN: 2320-2882
- **Dr. Basavaraj Kubakaddi (2020).** “Witness Protection in India” Published in IJMER Journal, Volume 9, Issue IV(2), April-2020 ISSN: 2277-7881
- **Dr. Basavaraj Kubakaddi (2020).** “Violence against women laws and procedure in India” published in Shodha Sanchar limited, Vol 10 (40), , October- December 2020. ISSN: 2229-3620
- **Dr. Murugesha K.M and Dr. Basavaraj Kubakaddi (2020).** “An Econometric analysis of innovative grape farming practices impact on farmers income in Vijayapura district Karnataka” Shodha Sarita, Vol 17(28), October – December 2020 ISSN 2348-2397
- **Dr. Basavaraj Kubakaddi (2021),** “Child Marriage-The Dictums” Kala Sarovar Article Vol 24(1) January- March 2021 ISSN 097-4520
- **Dr. Basavaraj Kubakaddi (2021),** “Critical analysis of judicial Verdicts relating to corporate crime in India” Wesleyan Journal of Research, Vol 14 (6) March 2021.

Paper presentation/Participation

- Presented a paper in International Research conference -2021 on the topic of Covid 19 on **Legal Profession in India** organized by Universal Business School, Maharashtra on 26th and 27th March, 2021.
- Participated in online symposium on **WIPO-WTO-WHO Trilateral study on promoting access to Medical technologies and innovation** jointly organized by IPR Chair National Law University, Delhi and Rajiv Gandhi National Institute of Intellectual property management on 2nd September, 2020.

Lectures delivered

- Delivered lecture on the subject Constitutional law in Seth Chunilala Amarchand Bohra Law College Raichur on 27st October, 2020.
- Delivered lecture on POSCO Act-2012 organized by Karnataka Child Rights Commission and Department of Women’s and Child Development Vijayapura on 24th November, 2020.
- Delivered lecture during one day workshop to Para legal volunteers organized by Bagalkot Court and District legal series Authority Bagalkot on 23rd October, 2020.
- Delivered lecture on the subject Importance of Constitution in the National webinar organised by Akkamahadevi Women’s Arts, Science and Commerce college, Bagalkot on 26th November , 2020.

- Delivered lecture on the subject Professional ethics and role of advances in building good nation organized by Taluka legal services committee, Indi on account of Advocates Day on 04th December, 2020.

Honours/awards/recognition

- Member of Board of Studies, Gulbarga University, Kalaburagi.
- Received Best Teacher Award 2020 by Institute of Scholars certified institute of International Accurate Certification, accredited by UASI
- Attended UGC sponsored faculty induction programme course from 09.02.2021 to 08.03.2021 organized by UGC- Human Resource Development Centre, University of Mysore, Manasaganagothri , Mysuru, Karnataka.
- Participated in 7 day National Online faculty development programme in Public Law (3rd August to 9th August 2020) organised by Karnataka State Law University.
- Acting as an External referee for the Journal of Institute of Scholars, International Journal of Management and Social Studies.
- Acting as an External referee for the Journal ILI Law review.

Conferences/seminars/workshops organized by the department

- Organized webinar on Consumer Protections Act-2019 on 7th August, 2020, Department of Law, Central University of Karnataka, Kalburagi.
- Organized webinar on Filing of complaints as a part of legal awareness prorgammes on 30th September, 2020, Department of Law, Central University of Karnataka Kalaburagi.
- Organized webinar on Breaking silence women and human rights on 15th December, 2020 Department of Law, Central University of Karnataka Kalaburagi.

II) Dr. Anant D. Chinchure, Assistant Professor

Resource Person

1. Online Workshop for Advocates, aspiring Public Prosecutors and Judicial Officers, organised by Hubballi Bar Association, Hubballi-Dharwad on the topic **“Cyber Law”** on 08-05-2020
2. Online Legal Workshop organised by Indian Lawyers Association, Karnataka State on the topic **“Cyber Law and Information Technology Act”** on 16-06-2020
3. Online Training Programme organised for aspirants of Assistant Public Prosecutors by S. C. Nandimath Law College, Bagalkoat, Karnataka on the topic **“Cyber Law”** on 30-06-2020
4. Online Panel Discussion organised by Mr. Justice M. L. Pendse Environmental Law Chair, Maharashtra National Law University, Mumbai on **“Eco Sensitive Western Ghats and Environment – Revisiting the Gadgil Committee Report”** on 05-09-2020.
5. Webinar on **“Right to Privacy and the Information Technology Act”** organised by Seth ShankarlalLahoti Law College, Kalaburagi on 07-12-2020 (10 am to 11 am)
6. One-Day National Seminar on Intellectual Property Rights: Emerging Issues and

Challenges organised by S.B.C.S. Arts, S.V. Commerce, Science & S.V.P.G. College, Humnabad. Inaugurated the Seminar as key-note speaker and resource person of the first session and delivered a talk on ***“Geographical Indications and Protection”*** on 17th March 2021

Paper Presentations

1. **National Webinar** organised by Aligarh Muslim University, Dr. Ambedkar Chair of Legal Studies and Research in collaboration with Dr. Ambedkar Foundation, New Delhi presented paper on ***“Gender Justice Constitutional Framework – An Outline”*** in Webinar on ***“Women Empowerment and Gender Justice in India: Issues and Challenges”*** held on 18th July 2020
2. **National Web-Seminar** organised by IQAC, Ch. Balluram Goadara Government Girls College, Sri Ganaganagar, Rajasthan presented paper on ***“Cyber Privacy and Human Rights”*** in Web-Seminar on ***“Liberty and Human Dignity as Human Right Postulates: Issues and Challenges”*** held on 20th August 2020 (1.00 pm)
3. **International Virtual Seminar** organised by Department of Legal Studies, UTD, Sant Gahira Guru Vishwavidyalaya, Sarguja, Ambikapur, Chhattisgarh presented paper on ***“Privacy vis-à-vis Virtual World: Issues and Challenges”*** in International Virtual Seminar on ***“Cyber Crimes during Covid-19 Pandemic: Challenges and Prospects”*** held on 20th August 2020 (3.00 pm)

Special Invited Lectures

1. **School of Social and Behavioral Sciences, Department of Social Work, Central University of Karnataka** delivered special classes on Labour Legislations in the Month of February and March 2020
2. **Seth Shankarlal Law College, Kalaburagi** delivered special classes on Company Law on 30-01-2021 and 31-01-2021

Faculty Development Program

1. **Faculty Development Program** organised by Amity Law School, Amity University, Kolkata on ***“Research and Development in Legal Pedagogy in Post Pandemic India”*** on 6th – 10th July 2020
2. **Faculty Development Program (One week Online FDP)** organised by Department of Information Technology, Mahatma Gandhi Institute of Technology, Kokapet, Hyderabad and Indian Servers on ***“Cyber Attacks and Digital Forensics”*** on 20th – 24th July 2020
3. **7-Day National Level Online Faculty Development Program** on ***“Public Law”*** organised by Karnataka State Law University, Hubballi from 3rd to 9th August 2020
4. **7-Day National Level Online Faculty Development Program** on ***“Corporate and Commercial Law”*** organised by Karnataka State Law University, Hubballi from 10th

to 17th August 2020

Honours/awards/recognition

Member, Board of Studies, Post Graduate Department of Studies and Research in Law, Gulbarga University, Kalaburagi for a period of 3 years from 2020-2021 to 2022-2023

Member, Doctoral Committee, Department of Studies and Research in Law, Gulbarga University, Kalaburagi for the year 2020-2021 and onwards

V. SCHOOL OF BUSINESS STUDIES

Dean: Dr. Padmashree K

17. DEPARTMENT OF BUSINESS STUDIES

Department of Business Studies is functioning actively since its establishment in the academic year 2010-11 as a constituent department in the School of Business Studies, CUK. This department aims at imparting quality education to students and to foster their understanding and assimilation of concepts to excel in the area of business and decision making. Students here also learn the essence of human values, the importance of social conscience and an abiding commitment to improve the quality of life and to contribute to the development of the organization, region and maintain integrity in the society.

DBS has Ph.D, MBA and stand-alone UG program BBA. Specializations offered in these programs are Finance, Marketing and HRM. The courses are designed, updated and imparted to develop conceptual and analytical skills of the students in line with industry requirements.

Programmes Offered:

Department of Business Studies offers the following programs

1. Ph.D – Doctor of Philosophy in Management - Started in Academic year 2012-13
2. MBA – 2 year Master of Business Administration (MBA) with dual specialization in Marketing, Finance and HRM. - Started in the Academic year 2010-11
3. BBA – 3 year Bachelor of Business Administration in stand-alone mode - Started in the Academic year 2011-12

These courses have the following salient features:

- Choice Based Credit System (CBCS)
- Continuous Evaluation system
- Innovative Pedagogy
- Compulsory internship and Dissertation for MBA
- Orientation and Bridge-courses
- Add-on Skill development programs
- Industry-Academia interactions
- Industry-cum Educational visits
- Emphasis on Experiential learnings

- Out-reach activities.

Department of Business Studies commits itself to a variety of teaching-learning practices, which includes Lecture, Class Participation, Case Study, Role Plays, Management Games, Group Discussions, Assignments, Internship, Dissertation, Quiz, Workshops / Seminars, Presentations, Invited lectures from corporate practitioners and subject Experts, Fests organized by students, Participation of students in the events organized by other institutions, Field and Industrial visits.

It also involves into extra-curricular methods of learning, such as Documentary making and screening, Movies / Documentary screening, Video clippings (subject related), Personality Development Programs, Enterprise Resource Planning Programs, Business Analytics Program, Outreach activities, Sports and cultural events

Faculties of Department of Business Studies

1. **Prof. M.V. Alagawadi**, B.Com, MBA, LLB, MMS, LDMC, PGDBM(FM), Ph.D. Professor, Head of the Department. He has gained his expertise in Accounting for Managers, Security Analysis & Portfolio management.
2. **Dr. Mohammad Zohair**, B.Sc. (Hons.) in Mathematics, M.B.A., Ph.D. He is an Assistant Professor and teaches Quantitative Techniques, Research Methodology and Strategic Management.
3. **Dr. Ganapati B. Sinnoor**, MBA, NET, M.Phil, Ph.D; is an Assistant Professor. He religiously teaches Marketing Management, Principles of Management and Organizational Behaviour.
4. **Dr. Safia Parveen**, B.Com., MBA., NET, Ph.D; is an Assistant Professor. She has committed herself to teach Business Communication, Strategic Management and Marketing Management.
5. **Dr. Shushma H**, MBA, NET, Ph.D. She renders her service as an Assistant Professor. She has dedicated herself in teaching HRM, Business Environment and Business Accounting.

Publications

Journal Publications

- Ganesha KS, Ganapati B Sinnoor, “**Analysis of Factors Affecting Remembrance of Advertisements**”, Sambodhi Journal, Volume 43, Issue 3, Version-15 (September 2020). PP 1128-1130, ISSN 2249-6661, UGC Care Journal
- Ganesha KS, Praveen SK, Ganapati B Sinnoor, “**Patients Waiting Time Reduction Strategies for Treatment at Hospitals: A New Model**”, Sambodhi Journal, Volume 43, Issue 3, Version-14 (September 2020). PP 1097-1101, ISSN 2249-6661, UGC Care Journal
- Shobha K B, Ganapati B Sinnoor, A Macro Study on Land and Tourism in India-A Review, PENSEE International, Volume 50, Issue 12, 2020, PP 1632-1641, ISSN 0031-4773, UGC Care Journal
- Nitish Kumar Singh and M. V. Alagawadi (January 2021). **Price forecasting of agricultural commodities in electronic-national agriculture market: using ARIMA model.** *Gujarat Agricultural Universities Research Journal*, Vo. 46 Number 1, pp.8-15. (UGC Care Journal)

- Nitish Kumar Singh and M. V. Alagawadi. Customer's Awareness Towards Organic Food Products: An Empirical Study in the 04th International Conference on Marketing, Technology and Society 2020, Indian Institute of Management- Kozhikode, Kerala, India (07th – 9th December, 2020). © **IIM-Kozhikode**, Kerala, India, Published in the **Conference Proceedings** with ISBN: 978-93-5419-748-2.
- Kiria Jamatia, Dr. Shushma H, “**Alleviating Poverty Through Subsistence Entrepreneurship In Tripura : A Study of Jamatia Tribe**”, Shodh Sanchar Bulletin, An International Bilingual Peer Reviewed Refereed Research Journal, Vol. 10, Issue 38 (III), April-June 2020, PP - 85-89, ISSN - 2229-3620, Approved UGC CARE.
- Mohammed Fayazuddin, Dr. Shushma H, “**Developing Strategy Focused Universities through Balance Scorecard and National Assessment and Accreditation Council's Key Indicators**”, Studies in Indian Place Names, Peer Reviewed, Vol-40-Issue-60, March - May 2020, PP -13191-13201, Impact factor:6.3, ISSN: 2394-3114, Impact factor:6.3, UGC Peer Reviewed & Care Journal.
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- Rahul M.K and Dr.Safia Parveen, “A Conceptual Framework of Women Entrepreneurs in India: Issues and Challenges”, Sambodhi Journal, ISSN:2249-6661, Vol-44, No.1, (G) January-March 2021, UGC Care Journal.
- Rahul M.K and Dr.Safia Parveen, “Role of Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe Entrepreneurs in Economic Development of India – A Conceptual Framework, Wesleyan Journal of Research, Vol 13 No 64 (February 2021)
- Saba Inamdar and Dr.Safia Parveen, “Research for the Sake of Research – A Constraint to Teaching”, Shodh Saritha, Journal of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences – An International Multidisciplinary Quarterly Bilingual Peer Reviewed Refereed Research Journal. Volume 7, Issue 28, pg. No. 129-134, October to December 2020, ISSN – 2348-2397, Govt. of India- RNI No. UPBIL/2014/56766. UGC Approved Care Listed Journal.
- Saba Inamdar and Dr.Safia Parveen, “Changing Trends of Higher Education with Spotlight on Pandemic”, Shodh Sanchar Bulletin, Journal of Arts, Humanities and Social Sciences – An International Multidisciplinary Quarterly Bilingual Peer Reviewed Refereed Research Journal. Volume 10, Issue 40, pg. No. 34-40, October to December 2020, ISSN – 2229-3620, Approved UGC Care.

Book of Abstracts

- Ganesha KS, Ganapati B Sinnoor “**Effect of Covid-19 on Tourism Sector Information Technology as a Savior**” in the International E-Conference on “The Challenges and Rehabilitation Avenues in the Context of Covid-19”, Madurai Kamaraj University,

Madurai, Tamil Nadu, Int. Conf. Tamil Nadu, 2020 (12th - 14th August 2020). © Madurai Kamaraj University, Published in the conference Book of Abstracts with ISBN: 9788194484332

- Ganesha KS, Ganapati B Sinnor **“How Social Media Affect Tourist Behaviour”** in the International Unequal World Conference, Unequal World, RAI S, ConSciens, IPSEC, 777, United Nations Plaza, New York, United States of America, Int. Conf. New York, United States of America, 2020 (28th - 29th September, 2020). © Unequal World, New York, United States of America, Published in the conference Book of Abstracts with ISBN: 978-1-945298-29-5.
- Ganesha KS, Praveen SK, Ganapati B Sinnor **“Effect of Social Media on Youth’s Behaviour Development”** in the International Unequal World Conference, Unequal World, RAI S, ConSciens, IPSEC, 777, United Nations Plaza, New York, United States of America, Int. Conf. New York, United States of America, 2020 (28th - 29th September, 2020). © Unequal World, New York, United States of America, Published in the conference Book of Abstracts with ISBN: 978-1-945298-29-5
- Saniya Sharif, Mohammad Zohair, **“Modest Fashion Influencers Influencing the Main-Stream Fashion Industry”**, in the 3rd ICDE & 14th ISDSI Annual Conference, Indian Institute of Management-Raipur, India (27th-29th December, 2020). © IIMR, Raipur, Chhattisgarh, India, Published in Conference Book of Abstracts.

Paper Presentations in Conferences/ Seminars

- Ganesha KS, Praveen SK, Ganapati B Sinnor **“Impact of Education Stream on Digital Media Usage and Interaction”** in the 7th Northern Regional Social Science Congress on “Social Sciences and Nation Building: Issues and Challenges”, ICSSR-NRC and Uttar Pradesh Rajarshi Tandon Open University, Prayagraj. Int. Conf. Uttar Pradesh, 2020 (02nd – 04th February, 2020).
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- Ganesha KS, Ganapati B Sinnor **“Challenges Faced in Learning and Acquiring**

Social Skills and Developmental Skills by College Students” in the Three-Day International Conference on Current Trends and Future Challenges in Education (ICTFCE 2020), Vellore Institute of Technology, Chennai, Tamil Nadu, Int. Conf. Tamil Nadu, 2020 (7th - 9th October, 2020). © Vellore Institute of Technology, Chennai

- Ganesha KS, Ganapati B Sinnor “**Tourist and Followers Perception toward Karnataka Tourism: Sentimental Analysis Using Social Media Analytics**” in the 04th International Conference on Marketing, Technology and Society 2020, Indian Institute of Management- Kozhikode, Kerala, India (07th – 9th December, 2020). © IIMK, Kerala, India, Published in the Conference Proceedings with ISBN: 978-93-5419-748-2
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- Ganesha KS, Ganapati B Sinnor “**Impact of Covid-19 Scenarios on Tourism Industry and Social Media Usage: Strategies to Overcome**” in the 12th International e-Conference on “Digitalization as Vehicle for Innovation, Organizational Growth and Effectiveness”, Prestige Institute of Management, Gwalior, (M.P), India, (19th – 20th December, 2020). © Prestige Institute of Management, Gwalior, (M.P), India
- Ganesha KS, Ganapati B Sinnor “**The Intersection of Advertising Ethics and Culture in the Context of Social Media**” in the International e-Conference on “Recent Advancement in the Area of Management, Social Sciences, Information Technology and Travel & Tourism”, Indirapuram Institute of Higher Studies, Ghaziabad, (U.P), India, (19th – 20th March, 2021). © Indirapuram Institute of Higher Studies, Ghaziabad, (U.P), India
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Outreach Activities:

Department of Business Studies has always been active in its outreach activities under the banner of CSR with intent to improve learning, promoting civic engagement, and strengthening communities through addressing their societal needs. We realize that outreach program creates a partnership between the communities and the educational institutions. We believe in not only sharing our economic privilege by donating Books and Sports equipment to children but also sharing our knowledge by organizing free Intellectual workshops and programs for college students. The students of the department, under the guidance and mentorship of the faculty members used to organize such benevolence programs in surrounding village community and schools. Faculty members use to deliver lectures in institutions of repute. Dr. Ganapati B Sinnor has delivered a talk on “Challenges of MSMEs During Current Scenario” in a Webinar Organized by Sharnabasveshwar College of Commerce, Kalaburagi on 14 June 2020 on Issues and Challenges of MSMEs. During Post Covid. Dr. Shushma H delivered a special lecture as Resource Person at One Day National Webinar on “Challenges faced by Migrant Workers During Current Pandemic and Way Forward” organized by Sharnabasveshwar College of Commerce, Kalaburagi on 20.06.2020.

Webinars Organised:

Department of Business Studies, School of Business Studies, Central University of Karnataka organized one day webinar on “Post Covid Management Systems” on 10th August 2020 hon’ble Vice Chancellor CUK Prof. H M Maheswaraiiah has Inaugurated the webinar, Writer, Theatre Personality and Social Entrepreneur Sri. Prasanna was the chief guest and the speaker. Head of the department Prof. M V Alagawadi has presided over the webinar. The speaker discussed the likely changes in the ways of the management systems to be adopted by the organisations during the pandemic and also later on.

The department organized a webinar on Financial Empowerment through Wealth Creation in collaboration with Association of Mutual Funds of India 20.03.2020. Former Executive Director, SEBI, Sri P. K. Nagpal and Senior Consultant North India of AMFI Sri Surya Kant Sharma spoke on the importance financial literacy among people from all walks of life, and the ways of creating wealth for meeting financial goals and ultimately financial well-being and prosperity. Prof. M. V. Alagawadi, Hon’ble Vice Chancellor inaugurated the webinar.

Admissions and Students’ Progression:

During the 2020-21 session, as the university adopted a uniform policy to reduce the intake across all the programmes, 20 students from different states were admitted to MBA

programme, while 18 students in BBA. One research scholar was admitted against the only one vacancy available for Ph.D. programme.

During the year 2020-21, 37 students successfully passed MBA degree and 24 students passed BBA degree. Ms. Kriti Agrawal was provisionally awarded Ph.D. degree on “Employee Attitude towards Quality Circle” under the supervision of Prof. M. V. Alagawadi. Ms. Sonia Vishwam submitted dissertation for the award of Ph. D. degree on “Analysis of the Pattern of External Financing, Determinants of Capital Structure and its Effect on Solvency: A Study of Select Companies in India and USA” under the guidance of Dr. Mohammad Zohair.

Student centric Activities:

Students at the Department of Business Studies are trained and motivated to take initiatives not only in the academic activities but also in co-curricular and extra-curricular activities. Every year students of the department use to organize a management fest “AKYUTHA” comprising of about ten events such as Best Manager, Advertising and Marketing event, HR event, finance event, photography, treasure hunt etc., to name a few. A large number of students from various institutions participate in these events. Students of the department not only manage the events but also promote the fest and generate funds for organizing the fest. In addition to the above, the students organize another event “FOODFEST” inviting participation from the students of other schools of the university. Through these events they get opportunity to apply the management theories into practice in an interesting environment. These events had several successful editions in the past. But, due to the pandemic conditions, owing to the absence of the students in the campus, these events could not be organized.

Facilities at the Department:

Department of Business Studies tries to ensure overall development of the students by providing various facilities and providing platforms to get involved in number of co-curricular and extra-curricular activities. While appreciating the importance of computer literacy in the current job market, we have included the courses on computer literacy, and also encourage students to have hand on experience on computer systems. Computer lab at the department is accessible to students for getting practical training. For soft skill development, which enhances the employability of passing out students, we organize various soft skill and personality development programs from time to time, sometimes from our internal resources and also by hiring specialized outside agencies.

18. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Head: Dr.K.Padmasree

About the Department of Commerce

The Department of Commerce started functioning from the academic year 2010-11 as a constituent department in the School of Business Studies. It offers two years (four semesters) Post Graduate program in Commerce (M.Com) with specialization in Finance, Accounting & Taxation and Banking & Insurance. The course is designed, updated and imparted to develop conceptual and analytical skills to the students in line with the industry requirements. The course structure has a judicious mix of conceptual, analytical and quantitative reasoning to meet the requirement of the industry. The department has experienced faculty and invites experts from the industry as well as academicians from reputed institutions on need basis. The course is enriched with in-plant training and project report to inculcate research culture and to help the students to gain exposure to the working of the corporate environment. The

Department promotes faculty research, consultancy, training and outreach activities. The Department is also offers full time Ph.D. Program. The department is striving to promote research in the Kalyana Karnataka Region. Department of Commerce is having credit of organizing workshops, capacity building programs and national conferences. Faculty members are actively undertaking research projects. Three major research projects completed.

Programmes offered:

1. M.Com
2. Ph.D. in Commerce

Faculty:

Sl.No.	Name of the Faculty	Designation
01	Dr.K. Padmasree	Professor & Head
02	Dr.Shivakumar Deene	Assistant Professor
03	Dr. Panduranga V.	Assistant Professor
04	Dr.Sujatha Susanna Kumari D.	Assistant Professor
05	Mr. P.Raja Lingam Goud	Assistant Professor

Dr. K. Padmasree,

Professor & Head, Department of Commerce, SBS, CUK, Kalaburagi

Publications in Journal

1. Nittymol Antony and **K.Padmasree**. ‘Factors determining the survival of women micro Enterprises: A study of micro enterprises under Kudumbashree mission, Government of Kerala’, *Shodha Sarita* (UGC approved Journal) Vol. 07, Issue 28, October - December 2020, pp. 34-39.
2. Jalandharachari A.S., Bharathi Devi A. and **K Padmasree**. ‘Unpredictable long breaks root unintended inequalities on disadvantaged communities’, *Education India* (UGC care Journal) Vol. 9, Issue 4, November 2020, pp. 93-110.
3. Dr. Jalandharachari A.S., Bharathi Devi A. and **Padmasree K.** ‘Teach math effectively to the students of Economics at higher education institutes’, *Soudh Sanchar Bulletin* (UGC care Journal), Vol. 10, Issue 40, October-December 2020, pp. 18-24.

Paper presentation in Conferences

Presented a paper titled ‘**Factors Determining Survival of Women Micro-Enterprises**’ in the International Seminar on Rural Development in Asia-Pacific Region, organized by National Institute of Rural Development & Panchayat Raj, Guwahati, on 24-28 August 2020.

Keynote address

Given key note address at UGC-Sponsored Two-Day National Seminar on “**Role of Entrepreneurship in augmenting Indian Economy**”, organized by the Department of Economics, Acharya Nagarjuna University Ongole Campus, Ongole, on 29-30 March 2021.

Participated One Week FDP

One week Faculty Development program on “**Advanced Time-Series Analysis**”, Organised

by School of Business Studies, Sharda University, Greater Noida, from March 8-13, 2021.

Dr. Shivakumar Deene

Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce

Publications in Journal

1. Vilas Hangari and **Dr. Shivakumar Deene** “Solvency Analysis of Select Public Factoring Companies in India-An Empirical Study” , Akshar Wangmay, An International Research Journal (UGC-Care Listed), Special Issue-I “Recent Trends and Issues in Social Science and Science Towards Sustainable Development”, October 2020.
2. Vilas Hangari and **Dr. Shivakumar Deene** “Solvency Analysis of Select Private Factoring Companies in India-An Empirical Study” , Akshar Wangmay, An International Research Journal (UGC-Care Listed), Special Issue-I “Recent Trends and Issues in Social Science and Science Towards Sustainable Development”, October 2020.
3. Mallikarjun Doddamani and **Dr. Shivakumar Deene** “Profitability Analysis of Karnataka State Co-Operative Apex Bank (KSCAB) Ltd. Using DuPont Model” , Akshar Wangmay, An International Research Journal (UGC-Care Listed), Special Issue-I “Recent Trends and Issues in Social Science and Science Towards Sustainable Development”, October 2020.

Attended Short Term Programme:

1. Attended a short term programme on Econometrics (Online Mode) from 24-03-2021 to 30-03-2021, organized by UGC-HRD Center Devi Ahilya Vishwavidyalaya, Indore

Dr. Panduranga V

Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce, SBS, CUK

Research papers published in UGC Care Listed Journal

Basavanagouda, and **Panduranga V.** ‘Analysis of impact of GST on cement industry in India’, *Shodh Sanchar Bulletin*, Vol. 11, Issue 41, January to March 2021.

Basavanagouda, and **Panduranga V.** ‘Analysis of Goods Services Tax (GST) impact on Indian automobile industry’, *Shodh Saritha*, Vol. 8, Issue 29, January to March 2021

Resource person for a session in National Conference

Resource person for the session “**Challenges and Opportunities for MSMEs**”, in UGC-Sponsored Two-Day National Seminar on “**Role of Entrepreneurship in augmenting Indian Economy**” organized by the Department of Economics, Acharya Nagarjuna University Ongole Campus, Ongole, Andhra Pradesh, on March 29, 2021.

Dr. Sujatha Susanna Kumari D. (New)

Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce

Publications in Journal

Keerthikumara S.M and **Sujatha Susanna Kumari D.** ‘Performance Appraisal of PMFBY vis-a-vis RWBCIS in India’, *ANGRAU The Journal of Research*, Vol. XL. VIII, No. 3, July-September, 2020.

Faculty Development Program

1. Participated in “**One-week Faculty Development Program on Open Source Tools for Research**”, organised by University of Delhi, Sponsored by MHRD, from June 8th to 14th June 2020.
2. Participated in “**One week National Level Online FDP on Research Methodology in Commerce**” organised by Rani Channamma University, Karnataka, from May 21th to 27th May 2020.

Mr. P. Raja Lingam Goud

I. Design of New (Innovative - type, and, Statutory in Nature) Course Papers – Inclusive (Disability) Curriculum (as per the provisions of the RPwD Act, 2016):

Proposed, as well as, Carried out an Academic Intellectual Thought Process – Subject-Expert Interaction (with Academic / Industry / Policy Experts in the Disability Sector) - for Designing two new Generic Elective (*Innovative- type, and, Statutory in Nature*) Course Papers - (*During the period from 28th Aug 2020 to 1st March 2021*) - namely - 1) Inclusive Finance and Development – IFD (Course Code: PCOTG10301)- *Proposed and Designed under the provisions of the RPwD Act, 2016 (Central Act No.49/2016)* ; (Course Code: PCOTC2004); 2) Inclusive Business Practices – IBP (Course Code: PCOTG20302) - *Proposed and Designed under the provisions of the RPwD Act, 2016 (Central Act No.49/2016) & TGP Rights Act 2019 (Central Act No.40/2019)* to offer through the Dept. of Commerce, SBS to other Departments of the University under UGC- CBCS Scheme as part of the Regular M.Com Curriculum Framework in the backdrop of UGC instructions / SCPD Statutory Communication to the CUK Gulbarga on the implementation of the RPwD Act 2016 including the Disability (as part of the) Academic Curriculum (based on my representation) NEP -2020 – Inclusive Curriculum (Liberal Arts Regime).

II. Revision / Up-gradation of M.Com Programme (Syllabus) Curriculum under UGC - CBCS Framework as well as in the light of the statutory provisions of the University’s Parent Act – the Central Universities Act, 2009 : - (*During 28th Aug 2020 to 27th Feb 2021*)

(A) *Prepared the following New Course Papers’ Syllabus namely -*

- 1) Business Economics – (BE) - (Course Code: PCOTC10003); 2) Legal Aspects of Business & Principles of Auditing – (LAB & PA) -(Course Code: PCOTC2004; 3) Credit Risk Management in Banks - (Course Code: PCOTA40110)

(B) *Revised the following existing Course Papers’ Syllabus namely -*

- 1) Strategic Management (SM) - (Course Code: PCOTC30009); 2) International Business – (IB) – (Course Code: PCOTC40011)

III. Participation in Courses/Programmes/Workshops:

Served in the National Organizing Committee as Member for the Online International Conference on Geopolitics in Post – COVID Era: Emerging Dimensions and Dynamics – Organized by the UGC – HRDC, Osmania University in Collaboration with Hyderabad

Institute of Social Sciences (HISS) during 11th – 12th September, 2020.

IV. Academic-Research Work:

Apart from Regular Online classroom teaching-instruction/ learning Academic Activity (Teaching Duties), Also, Carrying out the Doctoral Research Ph.D (Management Studies) – Thesis Writing) – work in progress.

****Special Mention Note:** (Draft) - Unpublished Research Papers under- Progress – (Work in Progress).

19. DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC STUDIES AND PLANNING

Head: SeniorProf. Pushpa M. Savadatti.

Introduction:

Department of Economic Studies and Planning (DESP) is a premier branch in the School of Business Studies established to impart quality education in economics and to promote higher research that seeks to provide policy solutions for economic problems faced by businesses, consumers and economies over space and time. DESP's vision is to become a leading center of economics learning in India and the world. It is committed to provide specialist training, skills and expertise to our students to become leaders of change for furthering the objectives of the social, market and governmental institutions they choose to serve. Its syllabus is innovatively embedded in accumulated knowledge base and emerging fields of study. Along with a rigorous teaching programme, it constantly strives to promote cutting-edge research and scholarship supervised by its eminent faculty. While keeping the global and national focus of its research activities, the department would actively address regional needs by encouraging research on regional development and industrialization, rural entrepreneurship, small and medium enterprises, agricultural advancement, etc.

Programmes offered:

1. BA Honors Economics
2. MA Economics
3. PhD Economics

Faculty:

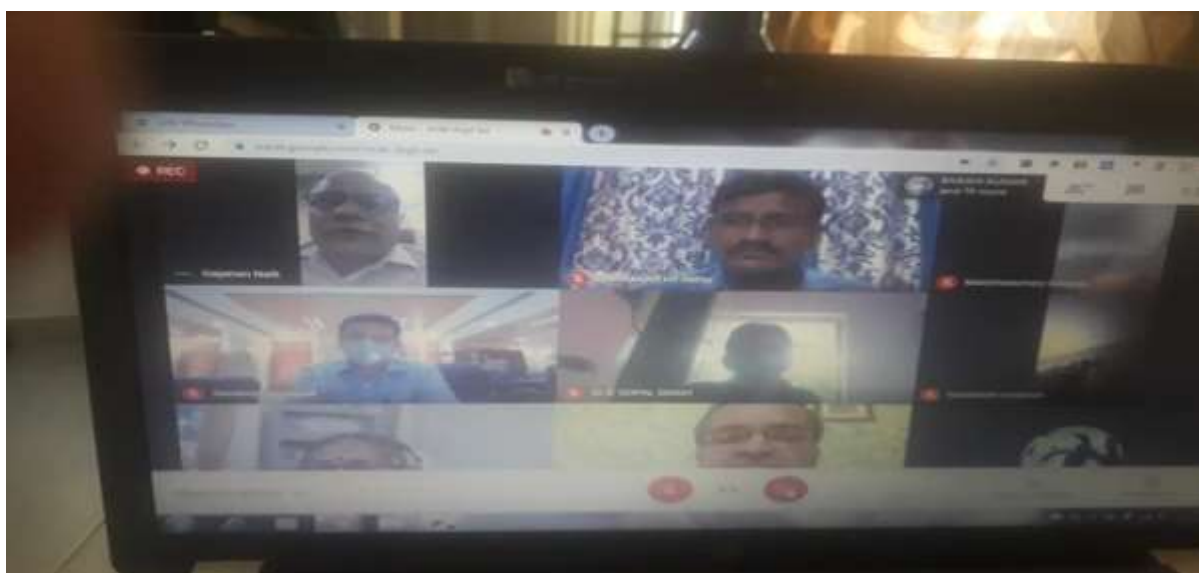
1	Senior Prof. Pushpa M Savadatti	Senior Professor & Head of DESP
2	Dr Suma Scaria	Assistant Professor
3	Dr Trinadh N	Assistant Professor
4	Dr Basavaraj M S	Assistant Professor
5	Dr. Linga Murthy	Assistant Professor
6	Mr. Mohsin Khan	Assistant Professor

Extension, co-curricular & field based activity:

At the Department Level

1. Organised National Webinar on “COVID-19-Indian Economy: Challenges and Way Forward”, 27th July, 2020, Dept. of Economic Studies and Planning, SBS-CUK.
2. National Webinar on “National Educational Policy-2019”, 8th September, 2020, Organised by Dept. of Economic Studies and Planning, SBS-CUK.
3. National Webinar on “Covid-19 Implications on India’s Bilateral and Regional Free Trade Agreements”, 21st July, 2020, Organised by Dept. of Economic Studies and Planning, SBS-CUK.
4. National Webinar on “Covid-19 Impact on Employment and Migration in India”, 20th July, 2020, Organised by Dept. of Economic Studies and Planning, SBS-CUK.
5. National Webinar on “Atmanirbhar Bharat-Challenges in India’s Manufacturing Sector”, 17th July, 2020, Organised by Dept. of Economic Studies and Planning, SBS-CUK.
6. Organised four-day online workshop on “Research Methodology – Hypothesis Testing Using SPSS & R and Report Writing”, 1-3 and 8th December, 2020, Dept. of Economic Studies and Planning, SBS-CUK.
7. One-day online workshop on “Experimental Research Design – In view of MGNREGS”, 9th November, 2020, Organised by Dept. of Economic Studies and Planning, SBS-CUK.
8. National Webinar on “Atmanirbhar Bharat – Opportunities and Challenges”, 25th July, 2020, Organised by Dept. of Economic Studies and Planning, SBS-CUK.
9. National Webinar on “Covid-19 and Social Security Measures”, 24th July, 2020, Organised by Dept. of Economic Studies and Planning, SBS-CUK.
10. National Webinar on “Covid-19 Impact on Indian Economy –Revival Strategies”, 16th July, 2020, Organised by Dept. of Economic Studies and Planning, SBS-CUK.
11. National Webinar on “India-China Trade Issues and Geopolitics”, 22nd July, 2020, Organised by Dept. of Economic Studies and Planning, SBS-CUK.
12. National Webinar on “Covid-19 Challenges and Atmanirbhar Bharat – Farm and Non-farm Sector”, 23rd July, 2020, Organised by Dept. of Economic Studies and Planning, SBS-CUK.

Webinar series



Webinar series

Dr. Pushpa M Savadatti

Articles published in Journals

- Blessy Sarah Mathew & **Pushpa M. Savadatti**, “Involvement of Gram Panchayat Representatives in Women Component Plan: A case study of two Gram Panchyats in Kottayam District, Kerala”, Man and Development, March 2021, Vol: XLIII (1), ISSN: 0258-0438, UGC Care list.
- Ravi Kumar and **Pushpa M. Savadatti**, “Trends and Challenges in Maize Production in India: A Conceptual Study”, Shodh Sanchar, Vol 11(41), Jan-Mar, 2021, ISSN: 2229-3620, UGC Care List

Invited Lectures / chairman of the Technical session/ participation at national / International Conferences/ Seminars etc :

- Resource Person and delivered Special Lecture on “New Education Policy and Higher Education” at KLE Society’s Shri Kadasiddheswar Arts College and HSK Science Institute, Hubballi, on 05-12-2020.
- Chairperson, of Technical Session in the International Web Conference on “Pandemic Effect and Global Economy: Unseen Challenges & Opportunities – Post Covid 19 Diagnosis” organised by Amity University, Patna, 31st July – 1st August, 2020.
- Keynote Speaker, in the International Web Conference on “Pandemic Effect and Global Economy: Unseen Challenges & Opportunities – Post Covid 19 Diagnosis” organised by Amity University, Patna, 31st July – 1st August, 2020.
- Resource Person and delivered online lecture on the topic “Agriculture Reforms 2020” at 42nd Induction Training Programme for Assistant Professors of Economics, organised by Higher Education Academy, Government of Karnataka, Dharwad, on 01-11-2020.

Workshops/Webinars Organized

- Organized a National Webinar Series (9-Days) on “COVID19 & Indian Economy – Challenges & Way forward”, during 16-27 July, 2020.
- Organized a National Webinar on “National Education Policy – 2020” on 8th September 2020.
- Organized a Four-Day Workshop on “Hypotheses Testing Using SPSS & R” during 1-3 & 8 December 2020.

Extension, co-curricular & field based activity:

- Organised various academic and co-curricular activities at the Department level

Professional Positions

- Subject referee for various national journals

Contribution to Corporate Life/Professional Position

- Head, Dept of Economic Studies & Planning, SBS, CUK
- Member, Academic council
- Chairperson, BOS – Economics
- Member, School Board, SBS
- Member, CASR, SBS
- Member, BOS Management
- Member, Selection Committees
- Expert Member of the various Academic Boards of many Universities.
- Member, BOS, Sri Satya Sai University for Human Excellence, Kamalapur, Kalaburgi
- Member, Academic Council, Sri Satya Sai University for Human Excellence, Kamalapur, Kalaburgi
- Expert Member, BASE Advisory Committee, Bangalore.

Dr. Suma Scaria

Asst Professor – Economics

SBS-CUK

Workshops/Webinars

1. Participated in National Webinar Series (9-Days) on “COVID19 & Indian Economy – Challenges & Way forward”, during 16-27 July, 2020.
2. Participated in National Webinar on “National Education Policy – 2020” on 8th September 2020.
3. Participated in Four-Day Workshop on “Hypotheses Testing Using SPSS & R” during 1-3 & 8 December 2020

Dr.Trinadh Nookathoti

Asst Professor – Economics

SBS-CUK

Paper Publications:

1. Trinadh Nookathoti (2021): “Dichotomy in India’s Education System”, Routledge - International Journal of ‘Educational Philosophy and Theory’.
<https://doi.org/10.1080/00131857.2021.1897568> ISSN: 0013-1857 Online
ISSN: 1469-5812.
2. Trinadh Nookathoti (2021): “Extracting Free Labour of Women with Divine Sanctity”, South Indian Journal of Social Sciences – December 2020 Vol.XVIII No.2, 2020, ISSN 0972-8945.
3. Ketki Kumari and Trinadh Nookathoti (2021): “E-Vidya Programme in KBK districts of Odisha- A commitment or Reaction”, Orissa Economic Journal – 52 (4), Covid – 19, Special Issue, pp 23-49.

4. Trinadh Nookthoti (2021): (under review) “By the Caste – of the Caste – for the Caste – Dispensation of Media”, Global Media Journal.
5. Trinadh Nookathoti (2021): (under review) “Godavari to Gulf: Emigration among Dalit women from Andhra Pradesh – India”, South Indian Journal of Social Sciences

MOOCS

1. Harvard University, “Justice (Title of the course)”, edx-12 weeks, August 19, 2020
2. Oxford University, Poverty to Prosperity –Understanding Economic Development”
edx -12 weeks, September, 2020.
3. SWAYAM-MHRD, Science Technology and Society, 12 weeks, Sep-Dec 2020,
Govt of India, Dec-2020.
4. SWAYAM-MHRD, Refresher Course in Economics, 12 weeks, Dec’2020 to April
2021, Govt of India.

Participation/Delivered Lectures/Paper Presentations

4. “By the Caste – Of the Caste – For the Caste – Dispensation of Media in India”
presented at two day International Virtual Conference on Identity: Myths, Memories,
Communication and Cultural Narratives, held on 28-29th Nov – 2020, Org by Dept. of
Journalism and Mass Communication, Central University of Karnataka, Dept. of Mass
Media SVKM’s Usha Pravin Gandhi College of Arts, Science and Commerce-
Mumbai, Dept. of Mass Media, St.Anthony’s College, Shillong.
5. Presented a paper at One day National-conference on Buddhism, on August 25th, 2020.
Organized by Dr.Ambedkar International Studies Centre, Ministry of Social Justice
and Empowerment, Government of India. Title of the paper is ‘Religion - God Centric
or Moral Centric – Observations of Dr.B.R.Ambedkar’.
6. Participated in International Conference (online), on ‘Emergence and Resurgence of
Communicable Diseases from Social Sciences Perspectives’, held during 21&22nd
July, 2020. Organised by School of Social Sciences & Humanities, University of
Science & Technology, Meghalaya, India, in collaboration with the RC-12 of Indian
Sociological Society; Dept of Humanities & Social Sciences, IIT Guwahati; Dept of
Anthropology, University of Delhi; FLAIR-Delhi & TRIBAC-Agartala.
7. Participated in a webinar on ‘The Humanities and Social Sciences: Why they are
critical to our understanding of Today’s complex and challenging world’, on 30th June,
2020, Organised by Springer nature in collaboration with Infilibnet centre.
8. “Participated in a webinar on ‘The Humanities and Social Sciences: Why they are
critical to our understanding of Today’s complex and challenging world’, on 30th June,
2020, Organised by Springer nature in collaboration with Infilibnet centre.

9. Delivered an Invited lecture at one-day National webinar on 'Indian Economy during Covid 19: Problems and Challenges' on 6th May, 2020. Organised by TRR Government Degree College, Kandukur, Prakasam District, AP.
10. Delivered an Invited lecture at one day National webinar on "COVID 19 and Impact of Lock down over Indian Economy" on 26th May, 2020. Organised by Government Degree College, Ravulapalem, East Godavari District, AP.
11. Participated in National Webinar Series (9-Days) on "COVID19 & Indian Economy – Challenges & Way forward", during 16-27 July, 2020.
12. Participated in National Webinar on "National Education Policy – 2020" on 8th September 2020.
13. Participated in Four-Day Workshop on "Hypotheses Testing Using SPSS & R" during 1-3 & 8 December 2020

Dr. Basavaraj M S

Participation/ Delivered Lectures/Paper Presentations

14. Organised National Webinar Series (9-Days) on "COVID19 & Indian Economy – Challenges & Way forward", during 16-27 July, 2020.
15. Participated in National Webinar on "National Education Policy – 2020" on 8th September 2020.
16. Participated in Four-Day Workshop on "Hypotheses Testing Using SPSS & R" during 1-3 & 8 December 2020

Dr. S. Lingamurthy

a) Publication of Books with ISBN No. & Research Papers/articles in peer reviewed journals with ISSN number and DOI number etc.

1. Research Papers;

- 2.1 S. Lingamurthy and Anish Gupta (2020), 'Agrarian Transformation through Technical and Institutional Reforms: A Case Study of Madhya Pradesh', International Journal of Innovation Creativity and Change, Vol. 14, Issue. 9, 2020, pp-466-489, (Scopus indexed journal),
https://www.ijicc.net/images/Vol_14/Iss_9/14933_Lingamurthy_2020_E1_R1.pdf
- 2.2 S. Lingamurthy and Priyesh C.A. (2020), 'Digital experiments in Governance and Public Relations - A case study of Gujarat', Juni Khyat, Vol. 10, Issue. 9, pp-5-11, (UGC-CARE Listed Journal).

b) Details of papers presented at national / international & state level seminars. Conferences & symposium etc.

1. **Resource Person** in a National Webinar on “MSMEs in Building Atmanirbhara Bharat – Issues and Challenges” held on 28th February 2021, organized by ICFAI Law School, Hyderabad.
2. **Keynote speaker** in a National Webinar “Role of MSMEs in Atmanirbhara Bharat – Issues and Challenges” held on 26th February 2021, organized by Sree Narayana College, Punalur, Kerala.
3. **Resource Person** – delivered an invited lecture on “Role of MSMEs in Self-Reliant Karnataka” held on 26th February 2021, organized by Godutai Doddappa Appa Arts & Commerce College, Kalaburagi, Karnataka.
4. **Resource Person** – One Day International Webinar on “India’s Ascent to Become Global Power (Atma Nirbhar Bharat): Opportunities for Growth and Transformation’ delivered a lecture on “Atmanirbhar Bharat – Opportunities and Challenges in India’s Manufacturing Sector” on 3rd August, 2020, organized by BJR Government Degree College, Hyderabad.
5. **Resource Person** – in a Webinar on ‘Survival & Growth of MSMEs: During and After COVID19’ organized by School of Skill and Entrepreneurship Development, Karnataka State Rural Development and Panchayat Raj University, Gadag, Karnataka during 1st June 2020.
6. **Resource Person** in One Day Webinar on ‘Opportunities and Challenges of the Indian Economy during post COVID19, organized by Dr.B.R. Ambedkar College, Hyderabad on 21st May 2020.
7. **Resource Person** – One Day Webinar on ‘COVID19 Pandemic – It’s Impact on Indian Economy’, organized by Government Degree & PG College, Bhadrachalam, Telangana on 15th May 2020.

c. Awards (if any) – Nil

d. Workshops/Webinars Organized

1. Organized a National Webinar Series (9-Days) on “COVID19 & Indian Economy – Challenges & Way forward”, during 16-27 July, 2020.
2. Organized a National Webinar on “National Education Policy – 2020” on 8th September 2020.
3. Organized a Four-Day Workshop on “Hypotheses Testing Using SPSS & R” during 1-3 & 8 December 2020

Mr Mohsin Khan

Administrative Experience in CUK.

Module Admin, Alumni Portal, SAMARTH PROJECT, CUK.

Internal Assessment Cell coordinator at the department level. 2019_20 and 20_21
Co-Coordinator Alumni, Central University of Karnataka 2019_20 and 20_21.

Publications.

1. Livelihood Sustainability of Minority; A Case Study of Basavakalyan Taluk in Bidar District of Karnataka" IOSR Journal of Economics and Finance (IOSR-JEF) e-ISSN: 2321-5933, p-ISSN: 2321-5925. Volume 12, Issue 2 Ser. V (Mar. –Apr. 2021), PP 12-21 www.iosrjournals.org
2. “Socio-Economic condition of Handloom Weavers”. IOSR Journal of Economics and Finance (IOSR-JEF) e-ISSN: 2321-5933, p-ISSN: 2321-5925. Volume 11, Issue 4 Ser. I (Jul. – Aug. 2020), PP 66-75 www.iosrjournals.org.

Workshop/ FDP/Paper presentation in conference

1. ONE WEEK FACULTY DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM “Fundamentals of Empirical Research”. May 2020.
2. Two days live workshop on “Use of differentiation and integration in Economics” 19-20 Feb 2021.
3. Paper presentation in an International Conference on Building Smart villages for sustainable rural development. Paper titled “Potential role of formal education in rural development” 30th April 2021.
4. Paper presentation in a national conference on “Recognition of role key role played by MSMEs in overall growth of the country. Paper titled “Socio-Economic condition of Handloom Weavers a case study of Chirala Mandal of Andhra Pradesh. 10th Feb 2020.
5. ONE WEEK ONLINE FOP ON THE LEARNING MANAGEMENT. SYSTEM (Moodle LMS)"
6. Coordinated a cultural event in the Ankur festival at University level.

Workshops/Webinars

- a. Participated in National Webinar Series (9-Days) on “COVID19 & Indian Economy – Challenges & Way forward”, during 16-27 July, 2020.
- b. Participated in National Webinar on “National Education Policy – 2020” on 8th September 2020.
- c. Participated in Four-Day Workshop on “Hypotheses Testing Using SPSS & R” during 1-3 & 8 December 2020

Students' achievement

Sl. NO	Name of the students	Achievement	Program	Year of Achievement	Passed out year
1	Achala Chowdhary Balusu	Studying in Albert Ludwigs University of Freiburg, Msc Economics with specialisation in FinanceCity: Freiburg im Breisgau Country: Germany	IMA Passed out	2020	2020
2	Piyush Bara	Studying in University: Macquarie University, Year of Admission: 2021 Program: Masters of applied economics Country: Australia	IMA Passed out	2021	2020
3	Biswanath Behera	Cleared JRF 2020	MA IV Sem	2020	Ongoing Program
4	Annudeep Utheja	Cleared GATE 2021	MA IV Sem	2020	Ongoing Program

21. DEPARTMENT OF TOURSIM AND HOTEL MANAGEMENT

Naveen Kumar T. G, Coordinator of the Department.

I. INTRODUCTION:

The Department of Tourism and Hotel Management under the School of Business Studies has been established in the year 2019 with a vision to strive to achieve excellence in the field of Tourism and Hospitality education through multi-disciplinary approach and foster entrepreneurial and managerial talent among students who with their core competence, can carve their own niche in the highly competitive world. The mission of the department is to nurture and shape positive attitude, competencies and capabilities among the students who can apply entrepreneurial skills, management concepts. Tools and techniques, and ethical principles in sustaining/creating socially responsive organizations, institutions and enterprises that are vital for the growth and development of the tourism and hospitality industry. The department offers two years four semesters MBA Programme in Tourism and Travel Management.

II. PROGRAMS OFFERED:

(i) MBA Tourism and Travel Management

The department offers two years (four semesters) MBA **Tourism and Travel Management** programme. The course is dynamic in nature and is modified from time to time to address the

requirements of the corporate and industries. In order to equip the students to assume the diverse roles of tourism and travel business executives to entrepreneurs the pedagogy adopted by the department comprises of games, role plays, quiz, industrial visit and group exercises in addition to lectures, seminars and case methods. The department also arranges interaction with industrialists, business executives, management consultants, leaders from NGOs and civil societies and reputed academicians for the benefit of students to impart practical orientation. Students are evaluated through continuous internal components of class test, presentations, assignments and the end term examination.

The department organizes workshops, seminar, series of guest lectures by the industry practitioners and academicians from reputed organizations of the country throughout the year. In order to give the practical exposure to the working of the industry postgraduate students are sent on the industrial visit to different places every year. A mega management fest is organized by the students themselves to apply their knowledge & skill sets learnt during the course, into their practical life.

FACULTY

Mr. Naveen Kumar T G	Coordinator
Dr. Nataraj Patted	Asst. Professor
Dr. JagadishBiradar	Asst. Professor
Mr. M Siva	Asst. Professor

Conferences/Workshops:

- Department of Tourism and Hotel Management organized webinar on “Tourism and Rural Development” on 27th September 2020.
- Department of Tourism and Hotel Management organized webinar on “Heritage sites of Kalyana Karnataka Region” on 18th April 2021.

Faculty Profile:**Naveen Kumar T G,**

Coordinator and Assistant Professor, DTHM, SBS.

Research Publication

Exigencies of Integrated Visitor Management System in Archaeological Heritage Sites: A Study on Hampi Group of Monuments in Journal of Productivity Management, November Vol XIV, Issue XI, 2021.

Participated in National and International Conference/Seminar

1. Organized Webinar on “Heritage sites of Kalyana Karnataka Region” on 18th April 2021.
2. Organized Webinar on “Tourism and Rural Development” on 27th September 2020.

3. Presented a paper on Role of MSME's in inclusive growth and sustainable economic development of India- issues and Challenges. At national level conference organized by department of Economics, central university of Karnataka, Kalaburagi on 10th and 11th February 2020.
4. Participated webinar on "Online classes: Expectation & Reality" Organized by IQAC of BVM Holy Cross college, Cherpunkal on 25th May 2020.
5. Participated webinar on "Effective Utilization of Online Resources Using Knimbus Platform" Jointly organized by Central University of Karnataka and Knimbus on 26th May 2020.
6. Participated E-International conference on Logistics Management & Department of Tourism Management organized by Department of Logistics Management & Department of Tourism Management, Alagappa University on 28th to 29th May 2020.
7. Participated webinar on "Reforms for Sustaining India's Growth" in the Post COVID- 19Worldorganised by ST. Joseph's Degree & PG College, Hyderabad on 30th May 2020.
8. Participated webinar on "Hospitality & Tourism Post COVID-19: Opportunities & Challenges" organized by Institute of Hotel Management, MaharshiDayanand University, Rohtak on 9th to 13th June 2020.
9. Participated online Faculty Development Programme, organized by the Department of Management Studies, New Horizon College of Engineering on "The Role of Technology in Business Management for the Revival of Economic Slowdown". Held on 17th& 18th June 2020.

Special/Invited Lecturers

1. Delivered special lecture as resource person on Trends and Challenges in Tourism Development – A Study on Shivamogga District, at National Level conference jointly organized by Department of Tourism studies, Sahyadri Commerce and Management College, Shivamogga and Department of Tourism, Govt. Karnataka, Shivamogga on 23rd March 2019.

Additional Responsibilities:

1. Working as Coordinator department of Tourism and Hotel Management.CUK.
2. Working as co-opted member of Guest House, CUK
3. Working as Member of Essential service(Project Samarth), CUK

Membership of Statutory Bodies

1. Member of Board of Studies for Tourism Studies, Sharnbasava University Kalaburagi
2. Member of BOE for Tourism Studies, Sharnbasava University Kalaburagi.
3. Member of BOE for Tourism Administration, Kuvempu University.
4. Member of BOE for Tourism Administration, Mangalore University.

Dr. Natraj Patted

Assistant Professor, DTHM, SBS.

Publications

a) Publication in Journals

- Role of Investment and Employment in cereals and pulses processing sector in Karnataka state. Journal of Pharmacognosy and Phytochemistry. Vol (9), Special Issue 4 (2020) ISSN 2278-4136
- A study on passengers perception towards Indian Railways with special reference to Hubli Junction. International Journal of Agricultural and Statistical Sciences Vol 16 (2) December 2020 ISSN 0973-1903
- A study on performance of Mudra Yojana in India. Gujarat Agricultural Universities Research Journal Vol 46 (1), January 2021 ISSN 0250-5193

b) Popular articles in magazines

- Raitharge haagu neerudhugalage krishi pravasoodhimadaa pramakuthegaalu, published in Krishi Pethe December, 2020.

Paper presentation/Participation

- Participated in National level webinar on Can India Leverage fall in Chinese Economy as a result of Covid-19 situation and US- China Trade on 27th May, 2020 organized by Chatrapathi Shahu Institute of Business Education and Research, Kolhapur.
- Participated in International conference on Yoga for All on 21st June, 2020 organised by Urashi Yoga Foundation.
- Participated in National level webinar on National Education Policy and its implications on Indian Higher Education on 17th August, 2020 organised by Ramayran Chellaram College of Commerce and Management, Bengaluru.
- Participated in National level webinar on An evaluation of Heritage tourism in India- Pre and Post Covid 19 scenario on 21st, August, 2020 organised by Government first grade college, Kolar
- Participated in National webinar on Tourism and Rural Development on 26th September, 2020 organized by Sharnabasva University, Kalaburagi.
- Participated in three days online training programme in Disaster Management at Gram Panchayat level on 28th, 29th and 30th September, 2020 organized by Karnataka State Rural Development and Panchayat raj University Gadag
- Participated in National webinar of Mahthama Gandhi- His contemporary relevance to commemorate International Day of Non violence on 2nd October, 2020 organised by Central University of Karnataka.

Lectures delivered

- Delivered a lecture on Role of Financial Institutions for formation of Farmers Producers Organizations on 22nd January, 2021 training programme to stakeholders

organized by Syndicate Bank – KVG bank Professor chair of Agricultural Finance at UAS, Dharwad.

- Delivered a lecture on “Financial facilities for food processing industries” on 29th January, 2021, training programme to stakeholders organized by Syndicate Bank – KVG bank Professor chair of Agricultural Finance at UAS, Dharwad.

Honours/awards/recognition

- External expert referee for Journal of Farm Sciences published by UAS Dharwad from January 2021.

Dr. Jagadish Biradar

Assistant Professor, DTHM, SBS.

- A STUDY ON PASSANGERS PERCEPTION TOWARDS INDIAN RAILWAYS WITH SPECIAL REFERENCE TO HUBLI JUNCTION Int.j.Agricult.stat.sci. Vol.16, No 2pp.779-782,2020 August 22,2020, ISSN :0973-1903.
- INDIA EMBARKS ON SOCIAL MEDIA TOURISM PROMOTION Page 94-98, UGC CARE Journal BY CLIO ISSN :0976-075X, Vol-6-Issue 8 1st April 2020.
- MEDICAL TOURSIM IN INDIA . Page no 107-111 UGC CARE Journal BY CLIO ISSN :0976-075X, Vol-6-Issue 8 1st April 2020

M. Siva

Assistant Professor, DTHM, SBS.

- Presented a paper on, **The Role of Small Scale Travel Agencies in the promotion of heritage sites of Gulbarga**’- ICSSR-SRC & CUK Sponsored Two Day National Conference, 10th& 11th February 2020, Central University of Karnataka.
- Participated in the webinar on, **‘EBSCO Discovery For the Benefit of Researchers’** organized by EBSCO in association with Central University of Karnataka dated on 1st June 2020.
- Participated in the webinar on, **‘Discover Emerald journals for your research’** organized by Emerald Publishing in association with Central University of Karnataka dated on 20th May 2020.
- Participated in a workshop on, **‘Rethinking History and Past’** organized by India studies Unit- Centre for Educational and Social Studies, Bengaluru dated on 2nd - 4th April, 2021.
- Participated in the webinar on, **‘Heritage of Kalyana Karnataka Region: From Pre-historic to Historic’** organized by Department of Tourism and Hotel Management, Central University of Karnataka dated on 18th April 2021.

Student Facilities:

- Free ship for the students
- Assistance for the internship training
- Amedus Training program

- Skill oriented training in the field of travel and tourism sector.
- Assistance to participate inter university management fest.
- Awareness and support on COVID-19 guidelines.

VI. SCHOOL OF PHYSICAL SCIENCES

Introduction of the School of Physical Sciences:

Dean: Dr. Deepak Samuel

School of Physical Sciences was started in 2012 with the Departments of Mathematics and Physics as its constituents. The primary goal of the School is to provide high quality education in various domains of Physics and Mathematics at the undergraduate and post-graduate levels. The academic programs of the School of Physical Sciences are aimed at creating an environment that promotes research and innovation. The School is creating high quality infrastructure in terms of well qualified faculty, well equipped laboratories, computational facilities and high quality learning materials in various domains of Physics and Mathematics. This infrastructure would be utilized to create motivated young scientists and mathematicians capable of contributing to a “Knowledge Society”. Towards this end the School of Physical Sciences offers programs leading to M.Sc. and PhD degrees.

The School consists of the following Departments:

1. Mathematics
2. Physics

21. DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS

The Department of Physics was started in the year 2012 and has ever since been in pursuit of excellence in physics education and research. The department currently offers M.Sc physics and Ph.D physics programmes catering to about 60 postgraduate, 90 integrated program students and 8 Ph.D students. The department with 4 faculties has its primary research activities focusing on soft-matter physics, spintronics, high energy physics and proton therapy. The department is gradually building its infrastructure with laboratories hosting research instruments like AFM, LB trough, X-ray diffractometer, Closed cycle cryogenic system, Sputtering unit and a GPU server. Recently, the Department has forayed into the burgeoning area of artificial intelligence, device development and membrane physics.

The major strength and highlight of the M.Sc programme is the project work carried out by the students in the final semester. The students can opt to carry out their project work at CUK or at another institution in India in a field of their choice. The students present their work and also submit a report at the end of their project. This training has helped students get first-hand experience of working in a research environment in addition to improving their scientific communication skills. Some of these projects have also resulted in peer-reviewed publications. As a result, more than 10 students have been placed in international Ph.D

programmes and many others have joined premier institutions like IISc, IITs and NITs. This reflects the outstanding training our students receive.

Another important educational initiative of the Department is the running of refresher courses in experimental physics supported by the Academies of Science. The Department has hosted 3 such courses so far and some of our faculties have been participating regularly as resource persons in many parts of the country.

Our faculty have initiated national and international collaborations and regularly present their work in seminars and conferences. Specifically, the Department has been actively involved in India's 2000 Cr. mega-science project India-based Neutrino Observatory and national initiatives like The Indian Nanoelectronics Users Program (INUP). As on date, the Department, through its faculty, has received grants of over Rs. 70 Lakhs for carrying out research projects.

Programmes offered

M.Sc Physics: 2 years and Ph.D Physics

Details of faculty members

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|--------------------------------|---|
| 1. Dr. Deepak Samuel | Associate Professor and Head of the Department
Area(s) of research: India-based Neutrino Observatory, Proton therapy |
| 2. Dr. Bharat Kumar | Assistant Professor
Area(s) of research: Soft-matter physics |
| 3. Dr. Rajeev Joshi | Assistant Professor
Area(s) of research: Device Physics, Spintronics |
| 4. Dr. Suchismita Sahoo | Assistant Professor
Area(s) of research: Theoretical Particle Physics |
| 5. Dr. Narasimha Raju | DST-INSPIRE faculty fellow
Area(s) of research: Theoretical Condensed Matter Physics |

Details of academic/administrative excellence of each faculty/staff in the department/section.

a) Publication of books with ISBN No. & research papers/articles in peer reviewed journals with ISSN number and DOI number etc.

1. Alaka, B.G., Bentefour, E.H., Chirvase, C., **Samuel, D.** and Teo, B.K.K., 2020. Feasibility of energy-resolved dose imaging technique in pencil beam scanning mode. Biomedical Physics & Engineering Express, 6(6), p.065009.
2. Imranpasha, **Bharat Kumar** and S. L. N. Rao, "Interaction of β – N – oxalyl – L – α , β – diaminopropionic acid (ODAP) with Langmuir monolayers of DPPC, DPPG and cholesterol", 2020, AIP Conference Proceedings, **2265**, p.030041.

3. Raghavendra, Satyam Kumar Gupta, **Bharat Kumar**, 2021. Effect of iron-iron oxide particles on the rate of isomerization of azobenzene moieties in polymeric liquid crystals at air-water interface. Colloids and Polymer Science, **299**, p.603–609.
4. B. Dev, R. Mohanta, S. Patra and **S. Sahoo**, 2020. Unified explanation of flavor anomalies, radiative neutrino masses and ANITA anomalous events in a vector leptoquark model. Physical Review D, **102**, 095012
5. **S. Sahoo** and R. Mohanta, 2020. Analysis of $B \rightarrow D \mu \mu$ decay modes, FHEP 2019 proceedings, 248, p. 425-435.

b) **Papers presented by faculty members**

1. **Bharat Kumar**, Raghavendra and Satyam Kumar Gupta, Controlling the kinetics of UV induced photo-isomerization of liquid crystalline polymers at air-water interface, National Conference on Liquid Crystals 2020 organized by Amity Institute of Sciences during 21 - 23 December 2020.
2. **S. Sahoo**, B. Dev, R. Mohanta and S. Patra, Flavor anomalies with vector leptoquark, DAE-HEP BRNS 2020 organised by NISER, Bhubaneswar during 14-18 December 2020.

c) **Lectures delivered by faculty members:**

1. Neutrino Oscillations by **Dr. Deepak Samuel**, Apr 2020 in Online Lecture Series for General Audience hosted by TIFR, Mumbai
2. Recent advancements in Proton Therapy by **Dr. Deepak Samuel**, Dec 2020 in International conference on "Recent Trends on Theoretical and Applied Physics" hosted by Sree Narayana College, Kollam

d) **Conferences / Seminars and Workshops organized by the Department:**

1. Seminar on Nobel Prizes in Nuclear Science by Prof. Vivek Datar, former Director, India-based Neutrino Observatory

e) **Honours/awards/recognition for research scholars/students**

1. Rituparna Maji selected for PhD at Technische Universität Wien
2. Vidhya Hariharan selected for PhD at University of Hamburg, Germany
3. Dipranjan Chatterjee selected for Ph.D at Sorbonne University, France
4. Yogitha S N selected for Ph.D at Centre for Nano and Soft Matter Sciences, Bengaluru

f) **NET/JRF:**

1. Dipranjan Chatterjee cleared GATE
2. Yogitha S. N. cleared GATE
3. Angitha Sathyan cleared NET examinations

22. DEPARTMENT OF MATHEMATICS

Head/Coordinator:

Dr. G. Janardhana Reddy (Served as a Coordinator until 18-03-2021 FN)

Dr. Sreenivasulu Ballem (Taken charge as a Coordinator w. e. f. 18-03-2021 AN)

Introduction of the Department of Mathematics:

The Department of Mathematics was established in 2012 and has always shared the vision of the institute in striving for excellence in teaching. Growing steadily, today the department not only teaches various topics in mathematics to undergraduate and postgraduate students of different engineering and science departments, but also runs its own M.Sc. Course in Mathematics. The department started its M.Sc. Mathematics course in the year 2012 with the intake of 32 students. The frontier areas of research of the department include Fluid Mechanics, Computational Fluid Dynamics, Numerical Analysis and Number Theory. The laboratories in the department and the computer centre are equipped with most modern facilities to provide the best work environment. The students are trained in computer programming languages like C, C++, and FORTRAN. They also gain exposure in handling problems through mathematical software like MATLAB, Mathematica, Maple etc.

Programmes offered:

1. M.Sc. in Mathematics
2. Ph.D. in Mathematics

Faculty:

1	Dr. G. Janardhana Reddy	Assistant Professor
2	Dr. Sreenivasulu Ballem	Assistant Professor & Coordinator
3	Dr. Ranganatha D	Assistant Professor
4	Dr. N. Sandeep	Assistant Professor

Journal Publications: 19

1. Hussain Basha, **G Janardhana Reddy***, NS Venkata Narayanan, Mikhail A Sheremet (2020), Analysis of supercritical free convection in Newtonian and couple stress fluids through EOS approach, *International Journal of Heat and Mass Transfer*, 152, pp. 119542, (SCI Journal), (Impact factor: 4.947).
2. Hussain Basha, **G Janardhana Reddy***, NS Venkata Narayanan (2020), Thermodynamic analysis of natural convection supercritical water flow past a stretching sheet using an equation of state approach, *Canadian Journal of Physics*, <http://dx.doi.org/10.1139/cjp-2019-0384>, (SCI Journal), (Impact factor: 1.032).

3. Tlili, I., Samrat, S.P., **Sandeep, N.**, Nabwey, H.A. Effect of nanoparticle shape on unsteady liquid film flow of MHD Oldroyd-B ferrofluid, (2021) Ain Shams Engineering Journal, 12 (1), pp. 935-941. (March 2021, IF: 1.949)
4. Tlili, I., Nabwey, H.A., Reddy, M.G., **Sandeep, N.**, Pasupula, M. Effect of resistive heating on incessantly poignant thin needle in magnetohydrodynamic Sakiadis hybrid nanofluid, (2021) Ain Shams Engineering Journal, 12 (1), pp. 1025-1032. (March 2021, IF: 1.949)
5. Payad, S.S., **Sandeep, N.**, Sharma, R.P., Impact of cross-diffusion on methanol-based Fe_3O_4 nanofluid (2021) Biointerface Research in Applied Chemistry, 11 (4), pp. 11499-11508. (Dec 2020, IF: Nil)
6. Venkata Ramudu, A.C., Anantha Kumar, K., Sugunamma, V., **Sandeep, N.** Heat and mass transfer in MHD Casson nanofluid flow past a stretching sheet with thermophoresis and Brownian motion (2020) Heat Transfer, 49 (8), pp. 5020-5037. (Dec 2020, IF: -Nil)
7. Tlili, I., **Sandeep, N.**, Girinath Reddy, M., Nabwey, H.A. Effect of radiation on engine oil-TC4/NiCr mixture nanofluid flow over a revolving cone in mutable permeable medium (2020) Ain Shams Engineering Journal, 11 (4), pp. 1255-1263. (Dec -2020, IF: 1.949)
8. Tlili, I., Nabwey, H.A., Samrat, S.P., **Sandeep, N.** 3D MHD nonlinear radiative flow of CuO-MgO/methanol hybrid nanofluid beyond an irregular dimension surface with slip effect (2020) Scientific Reports, 10 (1), art. no. 9181, (June 2020, IF: 3.998)
9. Anantha Kumar, K., Sugunamma, V., **Sandeep, N.**, Sivaiah, S. Physical aspects on mhd micropolar fluid flow past an exponentially stretching curved surface (2020) Defect and Diffusion Forum, 401, pp. 79-91. (May -2020, IF: Nil)
10. Tlili, I., Mustafa, M.T., Kumar, K.A., **Sandeep, N.** Effect of symmetrical heat rise/fall on the film flow of magnetohydrodynamic hybrid ferrofluid (2020) Scientific Reports, 10 (1), art. no. 6677. (April -2020, IF: 3.998)
11. Kumar, K.A., Sugunamma, V., **Sandeep, N.** Thermophoresis and brownian motion effects on mhd micropolar nanofluid flow past a stretching surface with non-uniform heat source/sink (2020) Computational Thermal Sciences, 12 (1), pp. 55-77. (April -2020, IF: Nil)
12. B. R. Srivastva Kumar, **Ranganatha D.** and Shruthi Some new congruences modulo 5 for general partition function, Russian Mathematics, Vol. 64, No. 7, pp. 73–78 (2020).

13. B. Hemanthkumar, **Ranganatha D.** and H.S. Sumanth Bharadwaj On eight color partitions, Indian Journal of Pure and Applied Mathematics Vol. 51, pp.1843-1856, (2020).
14. **Ranganatha D.**, Some properties of partition k-tuple t core partitions, Ramanujan J. (2021), <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11139-020-00351-1>.
15. N.A.S. Bulkhali and **Ranganatha D.**, Modular relations for the Rogers-Ramanujan functions with its applications to partitions, Ramanujan J. (2021), <https://dpi.org/10.1007/s11139-020-00336-0>.
16. **Sreenivasulu Ballem**, Maddileti Pasupula, M. Sivaiah, “Numerical solution of twelfth order boundary value problems by Galerkin method with septic B-splines”, Journal of Critical Reviews, Vol. 7(5), pp: 2226-2231, 2020.
17. **Sreenivasulu Ballem**, “Numerical solution of fifth order boundary value problems by Galerkin method with cubic B-splines”, South East Asian Journal of Mathematics and Mathematical Sciences, Vol. 16(1), pp: 89-96, 2020.
18. **Sreenivasulu Ballem**, “Numerical solution of Eleventh order boundary value problems by Galerkin method with sextic B-splines”, Advanced in Mathematics: Scientific Journal, Vol. 9(10), pp: 7749-7755, 2020.
19. **Sreenivasulu Ballem**, Ramalingaiah Kadari, “Numerical solution of Eleventh order boundary value problems by Galerkin method with septic B-splines”, Journal of Critical Reviews, Vol. 7(5), pp: 2213-2218, 2020.

Paper presentation in Conferences: 2

1. **Title:** Some properties of k-tuple t-core partitions
Name of the presenter: Ranganatha D.
Type of presentation: oral
Name of the Conference: The 86th Annual conference of the Indian Mathematical Society- An International Meet
Place of conference: VIT Vellore
Dates of the conference: 17th -20th December 2020.
2. **Title:** Modular relations for the Rogers-Ramanujan functions with Application to partitions
Name of the presenter: Ranganatha D.
Type of presentation: oral
Name of the Conference: The International Conference on Special Functions and Applications
Place of conference: Babu Banarasi Dasi University, Uttar Pradesh.
Dates of the conference: 22-23 December 2020

Guest/Invited Lectures: 05

1. **Dr. G. Janardhana Reddy** delivered an Invited Talk on “Programming tools for Researchers Python, Matlab, Mathematica, Minitab, R” organized by Reva University, Bangalore, 20-01-2021.
2. **Dr. G. Janardhana Reddy** delivered an Invited Talk on “Text/Document preparation Tools- Latex, word” organized by Reva University, Bangalore, 21-01-2021.
3. **Dr. N.Sandeep** delivered an Invited Talk on “Some concepts of Fluid Mechanics” organized by Sharnbasava University, Kalaburagi on 11th August 2020.
4. **Dr. N.Sandeep** delivered an Invited Talk on “The role of Mathematics in Engineering” organized by Vishwakarma University, Pune on 12th October 2020.
5. **Dr. N.Sandeep** delivered an Invited Talk on “Matlab for Mathematics” organized by RV Institute of Technology and Management, Bengaluru on 27th February 2021.

Awards/Recognition: 04

1. Dr. Ranganatha D received the best paper award from Indian Mathematical Society for his outstanding research in Number Theory.
2. Dr. N. Sandeep received “Top 50 International Distinguished Young Researchers” award from Green Thinkerz Society, India on 17th May 2020.
3. Dr. N. Sandeep is listed in the top 2% of Indian scientists across the world. This database is published by the journal PLOS Biology, 16th October 2020.
4. Mr. Muhammed Rafeek K V, Research Scholar awarded DST-INSPIRE Fellowship under the supervision of Dr. G. Janardhana Reddy.

Organized Conferences/Workshops in CUK:

- 1) Organized three day “Special Lecture Series on Mathematics” on the Eve of National Mathematics Day, 22nd-24th DEC, 2020

Projects: 05

Funding agency	Project title	Grants received	Duration	Investigator name (PI)	Status (Ongoing, New project, completed during 2020-21)
UGC	A finite element analysis on convective heat transfer in hybrid nanofluids	Rs. 10 Lakhs	Two years	Dr. N. Sandeep	Ongoing
UGC	A study on congruences for certain restricted partition functions and modular relations	Rs. 10 Lakhs	Two years	Dr. Ranganatha D.	Ongoing
CUK	Establishment of Nanomaterial Modelling Laboratory	Rs. 1 Lakh	Two years	Dr. N. Sandeep	Ongoing
CUK	Singular Boundary Value	Rs. 1 Lakh	Two years	Dr. B.	Ongoing

	Problems by Galerkin Method with different orders of B-splines			Sreenivasulu	
CUK	Congruence properties of restricted partition functions in the spirit of Ramanujan's congruences	Rs. 1 Lakh	Two years	Dr. Ranganatha D.	Ongoing

Activities:

1) Organized National Mathematics Day on 22-12-2020 at Dept. of Mathematics, CUK, Kalaburagi.



National Mathematics Day Celebrations @Dept. of Mathematics, CUK.

Guest Lectures/Seminars by visitors: 06

1	Name of the visitor: Prof. Vittal Rao Affiliation and Place of visitor: Department of Mathematics, IISc. Bangalore. Title of the seminar/guest lecture: Ramanujan's mathemagics Date of seminar: 22/12/2020
2	Name of the visitor: Prof. K R Vasuki Affiliation and Place of visitor: Dept. of Mathematics, University of Mysore. Title of the seminar/guest lecture: Ramanujan Eisenstein series identities and their applications Date of seminar: 22/12/2020
3	Name of the visitor: Dr. Arulalan Rajan Affiliation and Place of visitor: Department of Mathematics, IISc Bangalore Title of the seminar/guest lecture: Prime Numbers- Pillars of Modern Security Date of seminar: 23/12/2020
4	Name of the visitor: Dr. Atul Dixit Affiliation and Place of visitor: Department of Mathematics, IIT Gandhinagar Title of the seminar/guest lecture: On generalizations of the third order mock theta functions $\Omega(q)$ and $v(q)$

	Date of seminar: 23/12/2020
5	Name of the visitor: Dr. Bibekananda Maji Affiliation and Place of visitor: Department of Mathematics, IIT Indore. Title of the seminar/guest lecture: Recent developments on Ramanujan's formula for odd zeta values. Date of seminar: 24/12/2020
6	Name of the visitor: Dr. L. Shangerganesh Affiliation and Place of visitor: Department of Mathematics, NIT Goa. Title of the seminar/guest lecture: Cancer Invasion: Applications of Mathematical Models. Date of seminar: 24/12/2020

Student Activities:

PG Level:

Alumni Meet 2020: The Department of Mathematics successfully organized the Alumni Meet on 11-04-2020 and shared the experiences from faculty as well as students. More than 100 students participated.

Farewell Day Celebrations 2020: A Farewell day for the outgoing M.Sc. (Mathematics) batch (2020) was organized by M.Sc. II Semester students on 12-10-2020 (virtual mode). The function was presided by Coordinator of Department of Mathematics, Dr. G. Janardhana Reddy and the Faculty of Department as Guests.

Fresher's Day Celebrations 2021: A welcome day for the new M.Sc. (Mathematics) batch (2020) was organized by M.Sc. III Semester students on 08-03-2021 (virtual mode). The function was presided by Dean, School of Physical Sciences, Dr. Deepak Samuel, Coordinator of Department of Mathematics Dr. G. Janardhana Reddy and the Faculty of Department as Guests.

RESEARCH SCHOLARS ACHIEVEMENTS (Conferences, Workshops etc.):

1. **Name of Research Scholar:** Mrs. Ashwini Hiremath (DST-INSPIRE SRF Fellowship)

Name of Supervisor: Dr. G. Janardhana Reddy

2. **Name of Research Scholar:** Mr. Suresha S P (CSIR UGC JRF Fellowship)

Name of Supervisor: Dr. G. Janardhana Reddy

3. **Name of Research Scholar:** Mr. Muhummed Rafeek K V (DST-INSPIRE JRF Fellowship)

Name of Supervisor: Dr. G. Janardhana Reddy

No. of Students Qualified in CSIR-JRF/GATE/NET/SLET: 03

Facilities available to the students:

- Class rooms with sophisticated infrastructure
- Computing Laboratory
- CFD and Nano Modelling Laboratories

- Department library
- Students counselling facility
- Maths club
- Ladies rest room

VII. SCHOOL OF COMPUTER SCIENCES

Dean: Dr. R. S. Hegadi

23. DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE

HOD: Dr. R. S. Hegadi

Introductory remark about the school

The School of Computer Sciences at Central University of Karnataka was started in 2012. The motto of the School is to create sophisticated and skilled professionals for the next generation computing world. The School has high quality infrastructure in terms of well qualified faculty and Computational facilities in various domains of computing. In addition to such facilities, the Department aims to create an ambiance for learning and research for the students as well as the faculty. School of Computer Science presently offers the courses namely Master of Computer Applications (MCA) and Doctor of Philosophy in Computer Science (Ph.D). The M.Sc. in Computer Science (Artificial Intelligence) will be started from this academic year (2021-2022). The learner centric approach is ensured through student seminars, assignments, project work, visits, etc. making students a part of the research done by the faculty and publications in refereed journals. Syllabus has been designed keeping in view requirements of the industry and regularly updated with the latest technology. Innovative Student Projects with new ideas is part of curriculum.

Introductory remark about the department

The Department of Computer Science was established in 2012 with a Master of Computer Applications (MCA) programme. It is a dynamic Department with highly qualified young and experienced faculty members. The department adopts a scientific approach for computing solutions towards real world problems. The programme is broad and rigorous with courses in algorithms, data structures, databases, programming languages, scientific computing and artificial intelligence. The faculty are engaged in teaching and research in frontier areas like Digital image processing, Artificial intelligence, Machine learning, Computer vision, Data science, etc. The Department is to enable India's excellence in the world of computer science

and Information Technology (IT). We are pursuing to advance the frontiers of research in Computer Science and IT and offer world-class pedagogical and research experience to the students. The department has a good track record of placing the students for the project and jobs. The Department uses Moodle Learning Management System (LMS) for Teaching and Evaluation.

Programmes offered

- M.C.A. (Master of Computer Applications)
- Ph.D. in Computer Science

Faculty members

Sl. No.	Name of the faculty	Designation
1.	Dr. R. S. Hegadi	Associate Professor and Head
2.	Dr. Gururaj Mukarambi	Assistant Professor
3.	Dr. Madhuri Kagale	Assistant Professor
4.	Dr. P. M. Kamble	Assistant Professor

Publications by faculty members (During 2020-2021)

Name of the faculty	Article title	Journal details	Year & impact factor
Dr. R. S. Hegadi	5K+ CT Images on Fractured Limbs: A Dataset for Medical Imaging Research	Journal of Medical Systems Springer, ISSN: 0148-5598, 45:51, DOI: 10.1007/s10916-021-0172-9 (SCIE and Scopus indexed)	2021 IF: 3.058
	Ranking Top Similar Documents for User Query Based on Normalized Vector Cosine Similarity Model	Journal of Computational and Theoretical Nanoscience ISSN: 1546-1955, DOI: 10.1166/jctn.2020.9330, Vol. 17, No. 9-10, pp. 4531-4534(4) (Scopus indexed)	2020 IF: 0.488
	Analysis of Vector space model in information retrieval for smart answering system	Journal of Computational and Theoretical Nanoscience ISSN: 1546-1955, DOI: 10.1166/jctn.2020.9099, Vol. 17, No. 9-10, pp. 4468-4472(5) (Scopus indexed)	2020 IF: 0.488
	Verification of Genuine and forged Signature using Siamese Neural Network (SNN)	Multimedia Tools and Applications, ISSN: 1380-7501, DoI: 10.1007/s11042-020-08857-y (SCIE and Scopus indexed)	2020, IF: 2.101
	Pixel Encoding for Unconstrained Face Detection	Multimedia Tools and Applications, ISSN: 1380-7501, DoI: 10.1007/s11042-020-08800-1 (SCIE and Scopus indexed)	2020, IF: 2.101

THIRTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT

	Handwritten Kannada numerals recognition using deep learning convolution neural network (DCNN) classifier	CSI Transactions on ICT, ISSN: 2277-9078, DOI: 10.1007/s40012-020-00273-9, 8, pp. 295-309 (Scopus indexed)	2020
	A Study on Onsite–Offshore Data Security Model for Big Data Applications (Book Chapter)	Springer Algorithms for Intelligent Systems (AIS), ISBN: 978-981-33-4045-9, DOI: https://doi.org/10.1007/978-981-33-4046-6_23 , pp 235-244. (Scopus indexed)	Mar, 2021
	Protecting Big Data Sets from Unauthorized Users on Cloud (Book Chapter)	Recent Trends in Image Processing and Pattern Recognition, Springer CCIS, ISBN: 978-981-16-0506-2, DOI: https://doi.org/10.1007/978-981-16-0507-9_29 , Vol. 1380, pp: 334-349 (Scopus indexed)	Jan, 2021
	Optimization of Face Retrieval and Real Time Face Recognition Systems using Heuristic Indexing (Book Chapter)	Recent Trends in Image Processing and Pattern Recognition, Springer CCIS, ISBN: 978-981-16-0506-2, DOI: https://doi.org/10.1007/978-981-16-0507-9_7 , Vol. 1380, pp: 69-81 (Scopus indexed)	Jan, 2021
	Review on Offline Signature Verification: Datasets, Methods and Challenges (Book Chapter)	Recent Trends in Image Processing and Pattern Recognition, Springer CCIS, ISBN: 978-981-16-0506-2, DOI: https://doi.org/10.1007/978-981-16-0507-9_38 , Vol. 1380, pp: 458-468 (Scopus indexed)	Jan, 2021
	DWT textural feature-based classification of Osteoarthritis using knee X-ray images (Book Chapter)	Recent Trends in Image Processing and Pattern Recognition, Springer CCIS, ISBN: 978-981-16-0492-8, DOI: https://doi.org/10.1007/978-981-16-0493-5_5 , Vol. 1381, pp. 50-59 (Scopus indexed)	Jan, 2021
	Development of Security Clustering Process for Big Data in Cloud (Book Chapter)	ICT Analysis and Applications, Springer LNNS, ISBN: 978-981-15-8353-7, DOI: https://doi.org/10.1007/978-981-15-8354-4_29 , Vol. 154, pp. (Scopus indexed)	Dec, 2020
Dr. Gururaj Mukarambi	Energy-based features for Kannada handwritten digit recognition	International Journal of Computational Vision and Robotics, ISSN :1752-914X, https://doi.org/10.1504/IJCVR.2020.105684 , Vol.10(2),pp.156-166	2020 IF: 0.8
	Separation of Printed and Non-Printed sections using Modified Global Threshold approach from Medical Prescription Document Image	International Journal of Advanced Science and Technology, Vol.29(6), pp-8025-8031 http://sersc.org/journals/index.php/IJAST/article/view/25190 ,	2020

THIRTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT

	Script Identification at Line-level using SFTA and LBP Features from Bi-lingual and Tri-lingual documents Captured from the Camera	International Journal of Control and Automation, Vol.13(4), pp.975-980, http://sersc.org/journals/index.php/IJCA/article/view/18898 ,	2020
	Camera-based tri-lingual script identification at word level using a combination of SFTA and LBP features	International Journal of Advanced Science and Technology, Vol. 29(3), pp.6609-6617, http://sersc.org/journals/index.php/IJAST/article/view/7251 ,	2020
	Hybrid Method for Elimination of Uneven Illumination from Camera-based Document Images	International Journal of Innovative Technology and Exploring Engineering, Vol. 9(3), DOI: 10.35940/ijitee.B7517.019320 , ISSN: 2278-3075	2020

Paper presentation by faculty members (during 2020-2021)

Name of the faculty	Title of the paper presented	Conference/Workshop/Symposium details	Year
Dr. Gururaj Mukarambi	Hybridization of Texture Features for Identification of Bi-lingual scripts from camera images at word-level	(Online) 2nd International Conference on Recent development in Engineering and Technology, at Anand International College of Engineering, Jaipur.	2021

Lectures delivered by faculty members (during 2020-2021)

Name of the faculty	Title of the talk	Conference/workshop/Seminar/Symposium details
Dr. R. S. Hegadi	Digital Image Processing and Mathematical Graphs	International webinar on Computational Mathematics from 10-11 February 2021 at Government First Grade College, Vijayanagara, Bengaluru, India
	Orthopaedic Simulators	AICTE-ATAL Sponsored on line FDP on “Potential Research Avenues in Computer Science and Biology” from 19-23, January 2021 at Malnad College of Engineering, Hassan
	Bone fracture detection and labeling	One week webinar on Artificial Intelligence and Robotics from 14-20, December 2020 at Karnataka State Akkamahadevi Women's University, Vijayapura
	Detection of Bone Fracture and Labeling	One day National Webinar on Computer Applications in Medical Sciences, 1 December 2020 at Karnatak Science College Dharwad

THIRTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT

	Digital Learning through Moodle	Short Term Course on 'Digital Learning', 18-20, November 2020 by UGC – Human Resource Development Centre, Bharathiar University, Coimbatore
	1. Introduction to Deep Learning, 2. Deep Learning: Advanced Concepts	AICTE sponsored STTP on Deep Learning Tools & Techniques, 2-7 November 2020 by KLE Dr. M. S. Sheshgiri College of Engineering & Technology, Belgavi
	Challenges and solutions to infrastructure development for ICT	Online Refresher Course on Emerging issues in Information Communication Technology from 12-24 October, 2020 by UGC HRD Centre, Dr. BAMU Aurangabad
	CT Bone Image: Segmentation and Analysis	11th National Conference on Emerging Trends in IT (EIT-2020) held on 25 September, 2020 at CHRIST (Deemed to be University), Bengaluru
	1. Medical Imaging: Research Avenues 2. Bone Fracture Detection and Labeling	AICTE Training And Learning (ATAL) Academy Sponsored Faculty Development Programme on Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning Applications in Biomedical Engineering, held on 21-25, September 2020 by University BDT College of Engineering, Davangere, Karnataka
	Medical Imaging: Research Opportunities and Challenges	AICTE Sponsored Short Term Training Program on Bio-Medical Systems Design using Artificial Intelligence & Machine Learning, 7-12, September 2020, G. H. Raisoni College of Engineering, Nagpur
	Big Datasets and Predictive Analytics	Ten Days Faculty Development Program - Knockdown the Lockdown held on 10th June 2020 by KLE Society's Basavaprabhu Kore College of Computer Applications, Chikodi
	Mathematics in Image Processing	National level Webinar on "Mathematics is Everywhere" held on 12 May, 2020, organized by Shri Kadasiddheshwar Arts College and H S Kotambri Science Institute, Hubballi, Karnataka

1. Honours/awards/recognition for faculty members (during 2020-2021) - **NIL** -

2. Conferences/seminars/workshops organised by the department (during 2020-2021)
- **NIL** -

3. Details of research projects- investigator, title, funding agency, amount etc. (during 2020-2021) - **NIL** -
4. Collaboration/ MoU - **NIL** -
5. Achievements - **NIL** -
6. Outreach programs - **NIL** -

Activities at the department

Sl. No.	Name of the activity	Date
1.	Alumni meeting	06-11-2020

Student centric/ extra-curricular activities

Sl. No.	Name of the activity	Date
1.	Annual Project Exhibition	05-04-2021

Honours/awards/recognition for research scholars/students - **NIL** -

Scholarships/medals/prizes for students - **NIL** -

NET/JRF - **NIL** -

Facilities available to the students at the department

Sl. No.	Name of the facility	Usage
1.	Moodle LMS server	A server available with the examination section has been provided to the School to establish the Moodle server. The Moodle server has been established by the School of Computer Science and maintained in the Library server room, which will be up for 24 hours of the day and 7 days of week, catering the Moodle LMS for all the faculty and students of the entire Central University of Karnataka.
2.	Computer lab	The department has a computer lab with 40 computers

Any other information - **NIL** -

Some write-up on the following

Other non academic sections, centres, departments, etc may evolve their own structure to fit into the annual report. - **NIL** -

VIII. SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING

Dean: Dr. Veeresh G. Kasabegoudar

Introduction of the School:

The School of Engineering at Central University of Karnataka was started in 2013. The motto of the School is to create the next generation engineers, capable of serving the society by providing high quality engineering solutions to address the problems of 21st century. The

academic programs of the School are focused on knowledge assimilation, dissemination and generation. The School is creating high quality infrastructure in terms of well qualified faculty, well equipped Laboratories, Computational facilities and high-quality Learning Materials in various domains of engineering. In addition to such infrastructure, the School aims to create an ambience for learning and innovation for the students as well as the faculty. This infrastructure would be utilized to create exceptional human resources for the industries and public organizations, thereby help in building a “Knowledge Society”. Currently the School has strength of 240 students & 20 faculty members.

The School Runs the Following Departments:

1. Department of Electronics and Communications Engineering (ECE)
2. Department of Electrical Engineering (EE)

24. DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRONICS AND COMMUNICATIONS ENGINEERING

Head of the Department: Dr. Veeresh G. Kasabegoudar

About ECE Department:

The Department of ECE was created in 2013 with five years integrated engineering course leading to Int. M. Tech in ICT. Presently the department offers 4-year B Tech, 2-years M Tech and Ph D courses. It is a young and dynamic department that takes a applied engineering approach to ICT towards real world problems. The programs offered in the department are broad and rigorous with courses in Electronics, Communication, Antenna design, microwave, Advanced processors, Embedded system, image processing, real time systems, programming languages, scientific computing, systems, and artificial Intelligence. The department is to enable India's excellence in the world of Electronics, Communication and Information Technology (IT). We are pursuit to advance the frontiers of research in computer science and IT and offer world-class pedagogical and research experience to the students. Currently the department has strength of **105** students and **6** faculty members.

Programs Offered by ECE Dept.:

1. B. Tech in Electronics & Communication Engineering of 4 years (8 Semesters)
2. M. Tech in Embedded and Real Time Systems of 2 years (4 Semesters)
3. Ph D in Electronics & Communication Engineering and allied domains

Faculties:

1.	Dr. Veeresh G. Kasabegoudar	Associate Professor
2.	Dr. Paramesh	Associate Professor
3.	Dr. Layak Ali	Assistant Professor

Expert Lectures Delivered by Faculty:

- **Dr. Veeresh G. Kasabegoudar** delivered an expert lecturer on “Research Trends in Antennas and Propagation organized by Vidyavardhaka College of Engineering Mysuru on 17.07.2020.

Memorandum of Understanding

An MoU signed between CUK Kalaburagi (Dept. of Social Work, Department of Business Studies, and Science & Engineering Departments) & SELCO Solar Light Pvt. Ltd. **Dr. Veeresh G. Kasabegoudar** is the representative of Science & Engineering Departments.

Journal Publications:

1. **Dr. Paramesh**, “Enhancement of Radiation characteristics in a planar Microstrip antenna using Defected Ground Structure” Turkish Journal of Computer and Mathematics Education, Accepted and will. be published on 26th May 2021. E-ISSN: 1309-4653.

Books/chapters in books:

1. **Dr. Paramesh**, “Microstrip patch antenna analysis for 5G Millimeter wave Communication: A Survey” Lecture Notes in Electrical Engineering, Vol. 752, 11th April 2021, Springer, Singapore. Online ISBN: 978-981-16-0448-0

Student Activities:

Inter departmental activities: Regularly being conducted.

Students’ Achievements:

1. **Mr. P Varun Srinivas** (6th Semester) serving as Editorial Coordinator for IEEE India Council Newsletter Team.
2. **Mr. P Varun Srinivas** (6th Semester) Part of the Content team for IEEE Bangalore Sections - Students Coordination Team
3. **Mr. P Varun Srinivas** (6th Semester) Qualified Gate 2021
4. **Mr. Mahodhay Reddy** (6th Semester) got 3rd place in pi-minutes conducted by V.V.I.E.T Mysore
5. **The team has participated in the Grand finale of SIH HW 2020.**
 - a. Team Leader: Rajesh Koti Mourya Vangara(2018BEC14)
 - b. Team Member: J Bhavana (2018BEC07)
 - c. Team Member: Abdul Aziz (2018BEC24)
 - d. Team Member: S Aasritha (2018BEC18)
 - e. Team Member: Rosemeen Paswan (2018BEE19)
 - f. Team Member: Vishal Kumar Raj (2019BEC33)
6. **Mr. Sidharth Patil** (6th Semester), has completed training on Machine Learning form National Small Industries Corporation Limited.
7. **Miss. Sarvani Swapna Priya** (8th semester) has done AICTE Training and Learning (ATAL) Academy Online FDP on "Power System Reliability.
8. **Miss. Sarvani Swapna Priya** (8th semester) has done industrial training on Internet of Things which was organized by National Small Industries Corporation (NSIC)

Hyderabad).

9. **Mr. Pavan Kumar Enugula** (4th Semester) has completed training program on "Embedded System" conducted by IIT Kharagpur.
10. **Mr. Ramesh** (6th Semester) got 2nd prize in Arduino Uno hackathon held from March 14th - 16th of 2019 at University.
11. **Mr. Ramesh** (6th Semester) got 2nd prize in Techno-Nirman an exhibition of student innovative projects from various college held on 26th January 2019 at University.
12. **Mr. Ramesh** (6th Semester) got 3rd prize for poster presentation competition topic on technology aids teaching held on 5th September 2018 at University.
13. **Mr. Ramesh** (6th Semester) has received Siemens Scholarship from 2018-20 for good academic achievement.
14. **Mr. Ramesh** (6th Semester) got participated in the Siemens Scholarship program best business project contest 2020 by Siemens India with the electric vehicle on 17th December 2020

25. DEPARTMENT OF ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING

Coordinator: Dr. Arunkumar Patil

About the Department:

The Department of Electrical Engineering is one of the most active departments in the School of Engineering. The Department comprises around 108 students divided among 72 in UG and 36 in PG courses.

Programs Offered by EE Dept.:

The Department of EE offers following programmes:

- a. *Doctor of Philosophy(Ph.D) Program*
- b. *Post-Graduate program*
 - Master of Technology (M.Tech.)- 2 years Program with Specialization in Power and Energy Engineering (PEE)
- c. *Under-Graduate Program:*
 - Bachelor of Technology (B.Tech)- 4 years Program in Electrical Engineering Domains.

Details of the Faculty/Staff members in the Department/Section with their Designations:

1.	Dr. Arunkumar Patil	Coordinator & Assistant Professor of EE Dept.
2.	Dr. Apeksha Madhukar	Assistant Professor
3.	Dr. Santhosha Kumar A.	Assistant Professor

Publications by EE Faculty Members:

- Srikanth Allamsetty, **Apeksha Madhukar**, “Review of discharge plasma treatment of NO_x in diesel engine exhaust: Progress in standalone and cascaded measures”, IEEE Transactions on Plasma Science, 2021 DOI: 10.1109/TPS.2021.3074604

Lectures delivered by EE Faculty Members:

- **Dr. Apeksha Madhukar** delivered a lecture on “Electricity and Environment” in 3 Day National Webinar Series on Fuel Cell, Composites & Environment, organized by Kamala Institute of Technology and Sciences Singapur, Huzitrabad. Karimnagar, India on 13th August 2020
- **Dr. Arunkumar Patil** delivered a online lecture on “Introduction to Wide Area Monitoring Systems (WAMS)”, organized by JSS Science and Technology University Mysore on 26/09/2020
- **Dr. Santhosha Kumar A.** delivered a guest lecture on Fuel Cell on 12 august 2020 in a 3 day Webinar Series on Fuel Cell, Composites & Environment Organused by KAMALA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY & SCIENCE, Huzurabad.
- **Dr. Santhosha Kumar A** delivered a guest lecture on Introduction to matlab and Simulink for electrical systems on 17 June 2020, organized by Vageshwari college engineering, Dept EE, Karimnagar, TS.
- **Dr. Santhosha Kumar A** delivered a guest lecture on “Renewable and Microgrid” in FDP on Emerging Trends and Challenges in Electrical Engineering on 23 June 2020 organized by Vageshwari college engineering, Dept EE, Karimnagar, TS.

Honours/Awards/Recognition for Faculty Members:

- i. **Dr. Apeksha Madhukar** was appointed as IEEE SB Branch Counsellor since January 2020
- ii. **Dr. Arunkumar Patil** was appointed as IEEE SB PES chapter advisor since January 2020
- iii. **Dr. Santhosha Kumar A** was appointed as IEEE, Kalburgi District Coordinator on 31 May 2020

Conference/seminars/Workshops Organized by the Department:

- A webinar on Recent trends on Cloud computing was organized by **Dr. Apeksha, Dr. Santhosha Kumar A** and Dr. Sangamesh on 23rd July 2020

Collaboration/MOU:

The Faculty at department of Electrical Engineering are volunteering at various positions in **IEEE STUDENT BRANCH** of Central university of Karnataka.

The IEEE (Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers) describes itself as "the world's largest technical professional society -- promoting the development and application of electrotechnology and allied sciences for the benefit of humanity, the advancement of the profession, and the well-being of our members."The IEEE fosters the development of standards that often become national and international standards. The organization publishes a number of journals, has many local chapters, and several large societies in special areas, such as the IEEE Computer Society, Aerospace and electronic system society, IEEE

communication society, IEEE power and Energy Society etc.

IEEE student branch at CUK is also one among the Student branch under IEEE Bangalore Section (Region 10), which was established in Aug. 2018. Currently it has around 100 members including faculty from different discipline and students. The student branch has prestigious **Power and energy Society, Women in Engineering Society** which came in existence in March 2019 and February 2021 respectively.

Outreach Programs/Activities at the Departments/ Student centric/Extra-curricular Activities:

The Department of EE with IEEE Student Branch has organised many webinars, workshops and competitions.

EE and IEEE SB has organized a series of events under the umbrella of Srishti 2020, such as:

- i. Monthly Quiz based on IEEE magazine Spectrum during 5th April- 15th June 2020
- ii. Quiz on Aptitude and reasoning on 19th May 2020
- iii. Solo song competition on 23rd May 2020
- iv. Best out of waste on 28th May 2020
- v. Sketching Competition on 30th May 2020
- vi. Content Writing Competition on 1st June 2020
- vii. Coding Competition on 5th June 2020
- viii. Online quiz on aptitude and current affairs on 9th June 2020
- ix. Photography Competition on 19th of June 2020
- x. Code Debugging and Circuit debugging competition on 31st October 2020

EE and IEEE SB has also organized webinars, such as

- i. Webinar on Benefits of IEEE Membership on 21st August 2020, presented by Dr. V. Sandeep from NIT Andhra Pradesh
- ii. Webinar on Power Electronics application in solar power systems on 11th September 2020, presented by Dr. Satish Naik from IIT Dharwad
- iii. Webinar on 'Technological challenges of the international mega science projects and opportunities in India' on 17th September 2020, presented by DR. B. Satyanarayana from Tata institute of Fundamental research, Mumbai
- iv. A flagship Event of Bangalore section " YOUNG RESEARCHERS MEET 2020" during 19th-20th November 2020

EE and IEEE SB celebrated IEEE PES Day 2021 by organizing a series of lectures and competition related to power and energy during 22nd to 30th April 2021.

- i. Panel Discussion on "Clean Energy Revolution" on 22nd April 2021 with the panellist Dr. John D Mcdonald, Dr. Santosh Kumar Hampannavar, Srinivas Varadan, Shay Bahramirad
- ii. Webinar on "Grid reliability and its vital signs" on 23rd April 2021, presented by Dr. Jessica Bian from Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC), USA

- iii. Webinar on “A step towards sustainable energy on 25th April 2021, presented by Dr. Edvina Uzunovic from Power Systems Engineering and Assistant
- iv. Webinar on “Asset Management with power system applications” on 29th April 2021, presented by Dr. Lina bertling from KTH Royal Institute of Technology, Europe
- v. Surge Protection of Power Systems for the Non-Technical Professional on 30th April 2021, presented by Mr. Jonathan Woodworth from Arrester Works, Florida
- vi. Idea pitching competition and Poster making Competition on 30th April 2021.

Honours/Awards/Recognition for Students:

- i. **Mr. Sudheer** has been awarded with Ph.D degree
- ii. **Mr. Bala Murali Krisha** has been awarded with Ph.D degree
- iii. IEEE SB received IEEE Regional Exemplary Student Branch Award in year 2020

Achievements by EE Students:

- i. **Mr. Anandjith S** from Integrated M. Tech 10th Semester Participated in Techradiance at Zonal and National level and secured 3rd position in zonal level.
- ii. **Miss G Santya** from Integrated M. Tech 10th Semester is recipient of NPTEL most motivated learner award, who has received gold medal in JOC Python and topper in Fundamentals of Electrical Engineering
- iii. **Mr. Adwaith S** from B. Tech. 8th Semester has received 3rd position in Ideathon Competition held as a part of IEEE PES Student Section Congress, Bangalore
- iv. **Mr. Adwaith S** from B. Tech. 8th Semester has received Outstanding SAC volunteer award from IEEE Bangalore Section, Mission 2020 Challenge
- v. **Miss Sneha Chandran** from B. Tech 8th Semester Selected as the first ever female Chairperson of IEEE India Council- Student Coordination Team for the year 2021 due to the leadership/ team management skills showcased during the tenure as SB Networking lead of IEEE IC SCT 2020.
- vi. **Miss Sneha Chandran** from B. Tech 8th Semester is one among the top 5 finalists (National level) of Pralhad P Chhabria Awards: Best Outgoing Female Student 2021.
- vii. **Miss Sneha Chandran** from B. Tech 8th Semester is Second runner up in 'Ideathon-2020'- National innovative idea challenge competition by IEEE Power and Energy Society
- viii. **Mr. Shivdhan Koushik** from B. Tech 8th Semester has published a research paper in IEEE International Conference on Sustainable Energy and Future Electric Transportation – 2021.
- ix. **Mr. Akshay Avate** from B. Tech 6th Semester has participated In final round of Student Humanitarian Technology Project(SHTP)

- x. **Miss Rashi Srivastava** from B.Tech 4th Semester Received Outstanding Volunteer Award from IEEE Bangalore Section, Mission 2020 Challenge
- xi. **Miss Rashi Srivastava's** Research paper got selected at IDSCS
- xii. **Mr. Burra Mastan Vadasai Sahitya Nithin** from B. Tech 4th Semester Participated in Smart India Hackathon 2020 till Grand Finale.
- xiii. **Mr. Burra Mastan Vadasai Sahitya Nithin** from B. Tech 4th Semester received Gold + Elite certificate in NPTEL Control systems course.
- xiv. **Miss Mudhurakola Sahithi** from B. Tech 4th semester has selected as ambassador for Techfest,IIT Bombay,
- xv. **Miss Mudhurakola Sahithi** from B. Tech 4th semester is winner of SYWLC'19 IEEE students ethics competition.
- xvi. **Mr. Kunal Samad** from Integrated M. Tech 10th semester has participated in Football South zonal tournaments of 2017 (Gulbarga) , 2019 (pondicherry) and 2020 (vellore)

Apart from the above mentioned achievements, many students has done internship at renowned institutions/industries at National and International level

Scholarships/Medals/Prize for Students:

- **Miss Sneha Chandran** from B. Tech 8th Semester is Finalist of Adobe India: Women in Technology Scholarship 2021: selected from an application pool of 1000+ applicants after 5 rounds

GATE/NET/JRF:

- **Mr. Kunal Samad** from Integrated M Tech 10th semester has qualified GATE in year 2020 and 2021

Facilities Available to the Students at the Department:

- i. The department of Electrical Engineering has following laboratory facilities
 - a. Renewable energy and Electrical Machines Lab: Single and three phase induction motor, transformer
 - b. Electric Drives Lab
 - c. Power Electronics Lab: Breadboard Kit
 - d. Electrical Circuits Lab
 - e. Power System Lab
- ii. The department has software facility with MATLAB (active), Motorsolve , Mipower, Homerpro (Need to renew)

Any other Information:

- **Miss Rashi Srivastava** currently held following position of responsibilities
 - a. Social Media Coordinnator at IEEE India Council.
 - b. MSR at IEEE Bangalore Section Secretary
 - c. IEEE SB PES Chair
 - d. Webinar Coordinator for MDC, IEEE Bangalore Section, 2020
 - e. SAC Chair, IEEE SB CUK, 2020
- **Miss Sneha Chandran** currently held following position and responsibilities

- a. Event management lead at student coordination team-2021, Bangalore.
- b. Section student representative, membership development committee-2020, Bangalore.
- **Miss Mudhurakola Sahithi** is Member of WEPOWER subcommittee 2021 and Industrial linkage head at IEEE SB CUK

Allied Branches

1. CADMA (Department of Mechanical Engineering)
2. Construction Technology (Department of Civil Engineering)
3. Computer Science Technology (Department of Computer Science and Technology)

Faculty Members:

1.	Mr. Paramesh S. P.	Assistant Professor
2.	Mr. Niteen B.	Assistant Professor
3.	Dr. Sangamesh Rajole	Assistant Professor

Publications:

1. **Rajole, Sangamesh**, K. S. Ravishankar, and S. M. Kulkarni. "Performance study of jute-epoxy composites/sandwiches under normal ballistic impact." *Defence Technology* 16.4 (2020): 947-955. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.dt.2019.11.011>
2. Hiremath, S., Sangappa, V., **Rajole, Sangamesh.**, Kulkarni, S. Numerical analysis of polymer composites for actuation. *Revue des Composites et des Matériaux Avancés- Journal of Composite and Advanced Materials*, Vol. 30, No. 5-6, pp. (2020). 211-216. <https://doi.org/10.18280/rcma.305-603>
3. **Rajole, Sangamesh.**, et al. "Failure Analysis of Industrial Discharge Hopper Pipe." *Journal of Modern Manufacturing Systems and Technology* 5.1 (2021): 1-6. <https://doi.org/10.15282/jmmst.v5i1.5149>
4. Kivade SB, Gunge A, Nagamadhu M, **Rajole Sangamesh**. Mechanical and dynamic mechanical behavior of acetylation-treated plain woven banana reinforced biodegradable composites. *Adv Compos Hybrid Mater* (2021). <https://doi.org/10.1007/s42114-021-00247-8>
5. **Niteen B.**, Recent Trends in Civil Engineering; the title of the paper is Experimental Studies on Concrete Using the Partial Replacement of Cement by Glass Powder and Fine Aggregate as Manufactured Sand; Conference paper published by Springer in the book Titled: published on 24/11/2020.

Awards:

1. "Young achiever Award" to **Dr. Sangamesh** from **Institute of Scholars** for the article "Performance study of jute-epoxy composites/sandwiches under normal ballistic impact." *Defence Technology* 16.4 (2020): 947-955.

Workshop Organized:

1. Organized by **Dr. Sangamesh Rajole**, Dr. Santhosha Kumar A. & Dr. Apeksha Madhukar, on the topic “**Recent trends on Cloud computing**” dated. 23rd July 2020
2. Organized the online FDP on “**Green Energy for Sustainable Development**” in collaboration with CUK, Green Kalaburagi, BKIT Bhalki, dated. 10th to 14th Aug 2020
3. Coordinated an “**Induction Program**” for 2020 First Year Students dated. 23rd November 2020
4. Webinar on “**Motivational Talk for Career Development**” organized by **Mr. Niteen B.** and **Dr. Sangamesh** dated. 5th March 2021
5. **Mr. Paramesh S. P.** and **Mr. Niteen B.** Organized engineer's day event at CUK and invited Dr. Chetan Yadati and Dr. L.R Manjunatha for the technical talk

Conference/Workshops/Seminars Attended:

1. **Mr. Paramesh S. P.** attended Five Days Virtual Workshop on “Fuzzy Logic Systems in Engineering Applications (FLSEA 21) ” organized by NIT Sikkim. March 2021
2. **Mr. Paramesh S. P.** participated in a 5 day Virtual FDP on "Natural Language Processing" organized by REVA University. July 2020.

Invited Talks Delivered:

1. **Dr. Sangamesh R.** delivered a special talk on “**Career Development through Professional Development & Personal Excellence**” at BKIT Bhalki dated. 7th March 2020.
2. **Dr. Sangamesh R.** presented an expert lecture on “**Composites for bullet Proofing**” in 3 Day National Webinar Series on Fuel Cell, Composites & Environment, organized by Kamala Institute of Technology and Sciences Singapur, Huzitrabad. Karimnagar, India dated 13th August 2020.
3. **Niteen B.** Delivered a lecture on the occasion of world biofuel day Aug-2020 as a part of one week FDP programme organised by Green Club Kalaburagi in collaboration with Dept. of Mechanical Engineering, Bheemanna Khandre Institute of Technology, Bhalki and School of Engineering, Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi. The title of lecture topic was “Sustainable Development of Energy Efficient Buildings”.

General Information:

Office Staff:

1. Mrs. Lata K Kamble(Multi Task Staff)
2. Mr. Basavaraj N. M. (Multi Task Staff)

Students Placement Details of SOE:

Sl. No	Student Name	Reg. No	Year of Placement	Company Name
1.	Ajith	2015IEN02	2021	HCL Technologies, Chennai
2.	Renuka Police Patil	2015IEN29	2020	Vedantu Innovations, Bangalore
3.	Adulla Saiteja Reddy	2015IEN01	2021	Federal Bank, Kerala

4.	Atmadeep	2015IEN07	2021	BitSilica, Hyderabad
5.	Supriya Humpli	2015IEN43	2020	BEML, Mysore
6.	Umashankar Avanti	2015IEN45	2020	RK Builders & construction
7.	Bipllab Chakraborty	2015IEN12	2020	NIT Durgapur
8.	Aishwarya Swamy	2014IEN29	2020	Bangalore bioinnovation centre-MedTech centre, Bangalore.
9.	P Divyashree	2014IEN34	2020	IIIT Sri city
10.	Pallavi V Honagond	2014IEN35	2020	Accenture Pvt Solutions ,Bangalore
11.	Prakruti Mallayya Bilagi	2014IEN36	2020	Eurofins IT Solutions

Events & Photographs



Engineer's Day Celebrations being held in the School of Engineering to mark the birth anniversary of Sir. M. Visvesvaraya on 15th September 2020 in the presence of former Vice-Chancellor Prof. H. M. Maheshwaraiah, former Pro-Vice Chancellor Prof. G. R. Naik, former Registrar Prof. Mustaq Ahmed I Patel, Dean, SOE Dr. Veeresh Kasabegoudar and other faculty members of the School of Engineering.



Plantation drive was carried in the School of Engineering as a part of Engineer's Day Celebrations that was held to mark the birth anniversary of Sir. M. Visvesvaraya on 15th September 2020.

IX. SCHOOL OF CHEMICAL SCIENCES

Dean: Prof. Konkallu Hanumae Gowd

The school of chemical sciences consists of single department, the Department of Chemistry. All the activities of the school of chemical sciences are contributions of the activities undertaken at the Department of chemistry. Following section describes the activities undertaken at Department of chemistry

26. DEPARTMENT OF CHEMISTRY

Introduction:

Chemistry is the domain of Natural Sciences dealing with the science and technology of all living and non-living things on the earth. Its impact is spread over all human activities and industrial advances in the world. The motto of the Department is to explore various facets of the Chemistry, investigate new horizon and impart the knowledge to young students. Department of Chemistry is running a 4 semester (2 yrs) M.Sc. programme & PhD programme in Chemistry from the academic year 2014-15. The M.Sc. programme is designed to prepare scientists having a thorough knowledge of fundamentals as well as recent advances in modern chemistry. The students will be exposed to new emerging areas of research such as biological

chemistry and materials science. The training provided over two years would enable the students to be in a better position to qualify in the national level tests such as UGC-CSIR fellowships, GATE and state level tests (SLET or SET) in Chemistry. A major feature of the M.Sc. program is the dissertation project that each student has to carry out in the fourth semester on topics of current research interest. The experience gained in the project work would prepare the students with adequate skills and knowledge to take up a career in research or enter industry. The Program includes visits to various National Institutions, industries, training on Laboratory safety issues, Intellectual Property rights and personality development to transform the students into innovative scientists. Please, visit department following department website for more information.

Programmes offered:

1. Ph.D. in Chemistry
2. M.Sc. in Chemistry
3. Integrated B.Sc-M.Sc

Faculty:

1	Dr. K. Hanumae Gowd	Professor
2	Dr. Venkata Ramana Doddi	Associate Professor
3	Dr. PallepoguRaghavaiah	Associate Professor
4	Dr. Harish Holla	Assistant Professor
5	Dr. N.S. Venkata Narayanan	Assistant Professor
6	Dr. P. Duraippandi	Assistant Professor
7	Dr. Oruganti Anjaneyulu	Assistant Professor
8	Dr. S. Raghothama (Ret. IISc, Bangalore)	Visiting Faculty

Activities:

The following PhD degree has been awarded

SR. No	Student Name	Thesis supervisor	Title of the thesis
1	Dr. Ashwini Dolle	Prof. KH Gowd	Natural and synthetic peptides containing cysteine motifs
2	Dr. Akanksha Sharma	Dr. Harish Holla	Chemical & biological investigation of <i>Goniothalamus Wynadensis</i> and Synthesis of new cytotoxic molecules

The following M.Sc students have been qualified/selected the national level exams

SR. No	Student Name	Qualified/selected
1	Mr. Ritesh Goutam Nayak	Selected for the Ph.D programm at IIT-Hyderabad.
2	Mr. Maruthi	CSIR-NET
3	Mr. Balawan	GATE
4	Mr.Krishna Mesharam	GATE



New chemistry laboratory has been established at D-15 block and inaugurated by the honorable vice-chancellor in the august presence of registrar, finance officer and faculty members. Four different laboratories has been established: organic chemistry laboratory, inorganic chemistry laboratory, physical chemistry laboratory and analytical chemistry laboratory,

Journal Publications:

1. Dolle A, Vijayasathay M, Shekh S, Hunashal Y, Reddy KKA, Prakash S, Rana A, Biswal HS, Raghothama S, Gowd KH. The Redox-Active Conopeptide Derived from the Venom Duct Transcriptome of *Conus lividus* Assists in the Oxidative Folding of Conotoxin. *Biochemistry*. 2021 Apr 27;60(16):1299-1311. doi: 10.1021/acs.biochem.1c00090.
2. Reddy KKA, Jayashree M, Govindu PCV, Gowd KH. Ligand-induced transition in conformations of vicinal cysteine disulfides in proteins. *Proteins*. 2021 Jun;89(6):599-613. doi: 10.1002/prot.26039.
3. Shekh S, Reddy KKA, Gowd KH. In silico allicin induced S-thioallylation of SARS-CoV-2 main protease. *J. Sul. Chem.* 2020, 109-120. doi.org/10.1080/17415993.2020.1817457.
4. Reddy KKA, Moi S, Dolle A, Hosamani B, Krishnamurthy K, Prakash S, Raghothama S, Gowd KH, Synthesis of Peptide Cysteine Dimedone Using Fmoc-Cys (Dmd)-OH: Glutathione Cysteine Dimedone as a Probe in Investigating the Sulfenic Acid Mediated Oxidation of Glutathione. *Helvetica Chimica Acta*, 2020 (in press)
5. Dolle A, Reddy KKA, Gunaga SS, Krishnamurthy K, Senapati DK, Rana A, Sindogi K, Biswal HS, Raghothama S, Gowd KH. Characterization of (Boc-Cys/Sec-NHME)₂ and (Boc-Cys/Sec-OMe)₂ : Evidence of local conformational difference between disulfide and diselenide. *J Pept Sci*. 2020 Apr;26(4-5):e3245. doi: 10.1002/psc.3245.
6. S. K. Moodapelly, Y. Nanaji, G. V. M. Sharma, K. Suneel and Venkata Ramana Doddi,* Cucatalyzed solvent-free, pot-economic synthesis of 1,3-dynes from 1,1-dibromoalkenes in the presence of DBU• H₂O Arkio, 2021, Accepted DOI: <https://doi.org/10.24820/ark.5550190.p011.466>
7. P Dalovai, GV Karunakar, VD Nadar, VR Doddi, S Kanaparthi. Gold-catalyzed formation of substituted aminobenzophenone derivatives via intramolecular 6-endo-dig cyclization. *Journal of Chemical Sciences* 133 (1), 1-9. 2020
8. AK Morri, Y Thummala, S Ghosh, VR Doddi. Urea-Promoted Metal-Free Homolytic Alkynyl Substitution (HAS): Metal-Free C–C Coupling of Alkynyl Bromides Formed In Situ from 1, 1-Dibromoalkenes. *ChemistrySelect* 6 (9), 2387-2393. 2020
9. Y Thummala, CE Raju, D Purnachandar, G Sreenivasulu, VR Doddi. Gold-Catalyzed Regioselective Synthesis of Pyrazolo[1,4]oxazepines via Intramolecular 7-endo-dig Cyclization. *European Journal of Organic Chemistry* 2020 (24), 3560-3567. 2019
10. EV Goud, AS Vijai Anand, R Pallegogu, CVS Brahmmananda Rao, Unexpected Coordination Modes of Bisphosphoramides with Lanthanum (III) and Thorium (IV) Salts: Synthesis, Structural Characterization, Stability, and Extraction Studies. *ChemistrySelect* 6 (9), 2085-2093. 2020
11. BR Srinivasan, SM Morajkar, MS Deshpande, AM Petrosyan. CCDC 2072836: Experimental Crystal Structure Determination. Cambridge Crystallographic Data Centre. 2020
12. D Talimarada, A Sharma, H Holla. Identification and Structure Elucidation of Phytochemical Constituents From the Medicinal Plant '*Goniothalamus*

wynaadensis’ and It’s In-silico Study with Tubulin ...Goniothalamus wynaadensis’ and It’s In-silico. 2020

13. A Sharma, UP Yadav, S Singh, H Holla. Design and Synthesis of New Tubulin Polymerization Inhibitors Inspired from Combretastatin A-4. Available at SSRN 3534755. 2020.
14. Hussain Basha, G. Janardhana Reddy, N.S. Venkata Narayanan and Mikhail A. Sheremet. Analysis of supercritical free convection in Newtonian and couple stress fluids through EOS approach. Int. J. Heat Mass Transf., 2020, In Press. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.ijheatmasstransfer.2020.119542>
15. Hussain Basha, G. Janardhana Reddy and N.S. Venkata Narayanan*. Thermodynamic analysis of natural convection supercritical water flow past a stretching sheet using an equation of state approach. Can. J. Phys., 2020, In Press. <https://doi.org/10.1139/cjp-2019-0384>.
16. Wu, Z.; Palanimuthu, D.; Braidy, N.; Salikin, N. H.; Egan, S.; Huang, M. L. H.; Richardson, D. R. Novel multifunctional iron chelators of the aroyl nicotinoyl hydrazone class that markedly enhance cellular NAD⁺ /NADH ratios. Br. J. Pharmacol. 2020, 177, 1967-1987
17. Anjum, R.; Palanimuthu, D.; Kalinowski, D. S.; Lewis, W.; Park, K. C.; Kovacevic, Z.; Khan, I. U.; Richardson, D. R. Synthesis, characterization, and in vitro anticancer activity of copper and zinc bis(thiosemicarbazone) complexes. Inorg. Chem. 2019, 58, 13709-13723.

Invited Talks:

1. Invited lecture @ Six-day Faculty Development Program (FDP), on “Teaching and Learning of Green Chemistry: Nurturing a new generation of chemists” National Institute Of Technology (NIT), Warangal 26th February to 3rd March, 2021.
2. Invited lecture @ National e-Seminar on Chemistry In Emerging Trends Of Interdisciplinary Research (NeSCETIR-2020), on, Department of Chemistry, Nagaland University, Lumani, Nagaland during 18-20 November 2020.
3. Invited lecture @ Five-day Faculty Development Program (FDP) on Synthesis of Advanced Materials and its Applications (SAMA-2020), Department of Physics, Usharama College of Engineering and Technology, Vijayawada, Andhra Pradesh during 15-19 October 2020.
4. Invited lecture @ Virtual International conference on Emerging Research Trends in Chemical Sciences (ERTCS-2019), Govt. PG College, Udhampur, J&K during 24-26 July 2020.

Conferences:

1. **Mr. Kareddy Kasi Amarnath Reddy** “Chemical Synthesis of novel unnatural amino acid containing peptide scaffolds as functional motif”, **International E-Conference on Advances in Chemical Research 2021 (ACR-2021)**, held at: Dept. of Chemistry,

Institute of Science, GITAM Deemed to be University, Visakhapatnam, on 19th - 20th April 2021. **(Oral Presentation)**

2. **Smriti Moi,^a** Basavaprabhu Hosamani,^a V. Sandeep^b and Konkallu Hanumae Gowd.*^a“Quantification and evaluation of Glutathione as a photo stabilizer of avobenzene using RP-HPLC methods”, **International E-Conference on Advances in Chemical Research 2021 (ACR-2021)**, held at: Dept. of Chemistry, Institute of Science, GITAM Deemed to be University, Visakhapatnam, on 19th - 20th April 2021. **(Poster Presentation)**
3. **Doddabasappa Talimarada**, Akanksha Sharma and Harish Holla*, “Identification and structure elucidation of phytochemical constituents from the medicinal plant *Goniothalamus wynaadensis* Bedd. and it's *in silico* study with tubulin protein”, **International virtual Conference on creative research in chemical science and Allied applications (CRCSA-2020)**, held at: Sri Dharmasthala Manjunatheshwara College (Autonomous), Ujire, on 18 & 19 August 2020. **(Poster Presentation)**
4. **Shamasoddin Shekh**, K Kasi Amarnath Reddy and Konkallu Hanumae Gowd*, “ In Silico Allicin Induced S- thioallylation of SARS CoV-2 Main protease”, **International E- Conference on “ Advances in Chemical Research -2021”** held by GITAM deemed to be university Vishakhapatnam, on 19-20th April 2021. **(Poster Presentation)**
5. **Shamasoddin Shekh** and Konkallu Hanumae Gowd*, “ In Silico Allicin Induced S- thioallylation of SARS CoV-2 Main protease”, and “ Covalent modification of SARS CoV-2 PLpro by Allicin of *Allium sativum*: An *in silico* approach”, **International Conference on Bioinformatics, Computational Biology and Biomedical Sciences -2021** held by Bioshack Organization **(Presented 2 posters)**

Symposiums:

1. **Shamasoddin Shekh**, K Kasi Amarnath Reddy and Konkallu Hanumae Gowd*, “ In Silico Allicin Induced S- thioallylation of SARS CoV-2 Main protease”, **ChemSci2020: Leaders in the Field Symposium, organized by Royal Society of Chemistry.** (Twitter)
2. Conference on “**Quantum Mechanics in Understanding Biological Processes and Drug Discovery**” Organized by Schrodinger and LLB Journalism webinar series. On 27th June 2020
3. International Career Talk Webinar on “**Are you ready for the opportunities in Bioinformatics domains? A walkthrough.** Organised by LLB Journalism webinar series. On 26th September 2020
4. Webinar on “**Molecular Biology Techniques**”, Organised by KLE College of Pharmacy, Belagavi. On 19th September 2020

X. SCHOOL OF LIFE SCIENCES

Dean: Prof. Hanumae Gowd

27. DEPARTMENT OF LIFE SCIENCE

The Department of Life Science, established in the year 2019 under the headship of Prof. G R Naik (Dean), follows a strong tradition of combining high-end technology with impactful biology. Presently, Prof. K. Hanumae Gowd is the acting Dean of the School of Life Sciences and Dr. Pallepogu Raghavaiah is the in-charge Head of the Department. The Department of Life Science is actively growing with recent hires having excellent research and teaching experience in interdisciplinary subjects from premier institutes. We continue to leverage this integrative approach to yield break-through discoveries. This department offers a highly competitive two-year master's degree program in the basic and applied areas of animal and plant sciences and is due to start the PhD program (refer CUCET-2021 prospectus), with an intake of six PhD student from this academic year 2021-2022. The entire curriculum is designed to prepare students for a career in teaching, research and/or industry. The department emphasizes in developing scientific and innovative spirit in students, instilling professional ethics and spirit of service to the society at large. Laboratories here are equipped with several sophisticated instruments including RT-PCR, PCR, Fluorescence gel-doc, immuno-gel blot, autoclave, temperature-controlled incubators, biosafety units, Laminar flow, Elisa plate reader, etc. The most attractive feature of the M.Sc. program is the freedom given to the students to decide about domain specialization in the 2nd year of their studies. During semester III, the students will have the freedom to study subjects of his/her choice under the guidance of a faculty advisor. Another prominent feature of the M.Sc. program is the Dissertation project to be carried out in the 4th semester. The students will be allotted a project at the end of the 3rd semester, which they have to complete in the 4th semester. Additionally, each student is free to select an elective subject offered by various departments in 2nd and 3rd semester. The students are encouraged to come up with their individual project ideas with an aim to advance their knowledge, critical thinking and hands on training during the course of the program in addition to academic curriculum.

The first batch of MSc life science program started since July 2019, with an intake of 12 students (from different states of India). In the academic year 2020-2021, the first batch are due to complete their fourth semester (exam pending due to CoVID-19). Meanwhile, through CUCET common entrance exam, the second batch of students have been joined to the two-year master's program for the academic year 2020-2022.

Detail of Administrative and Teaching Staff

In-charge HoD: Dr. Pallepogu Raghavaiah

(Dr. P Duraippandi, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Chemistry served as a Coordinator of our Department till January 2021)

Permanent Faculty

Dr. Rakesh Kumar Assistant Professor Date of Joining: 25-11-2019	Dr. Kavishankar Gawli Assistant Professor Date of Joining: 25-11-2019	Dr. Rasmita Samal Assistant Professor Date of Joining: 02-12-2019
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Details of Non-Teaching Staff of Dept. of Life Science

1. Mr. Kalant Jambaladini (Office Assistant)
2. Virendra Kumar Patil (Attendant)

Departmental Activities and Achievements (2019-2020)

Although the department was established in July 2019, within this short duration, the department has reached to several milestones:

1. COVID-19 testing centre: The Department has taken initiative to extend its support for COVID-19 testing for samples from northern Karnataka region. The COVID-19 testing centre was established in Nov 2020, with an aim to develop COVID-19 centre into high standard molecular biology research laboratory and advance diagnostic facility. Department of Life sciences has received a financial support of Rs 84.0 lakh from the State Govt. of Karnataka, for COVID 19 testing lab project and under this project three eligible candidates have been recruited (1- research associate; 2-Lab technician). We are proud to share that, till date we have successfully tested more than 12,000 samples.



2. Symposium and Plenary talks: Department has organized several plenary talks by distinguished professor and researcher worldwide to strengthen and motivate the research and critical thinking power of students. Department organized important lectures including “Covid

19 Vaccine and vaccination sensitization” by District Surveillance Officer, WHO Dr. Anilkumar Talikoti, District Surveillance Officer, WHO, on 19th Feb 2021.

3. Awards: The Department has gained reputation in both science and other activities. The balanced syllabus and teaching strategies helped student to qualify national level competitive examinations such as GATE-2020 and UGC-NET during second semester and third semester. Following are the details of their achievements:

1. Ms. Kagolla Priscilla –GATE 2021, MHRD, Govt. of India
2. Ms. Kavya Sritha Bojja– GATE 2020 and UGC-NET 2020, Govt. of India

4. Publications: The department faculties have published their work in several reputed peer-review high standard international journals.

Dept. of Life Sciences Academic/administrative Excellence

I) International Publications

A. Published

1. Bhogireddy S, Mangrauthia SK; Kumar R, et al., (2021) Regulatory non-coding RNAs: A new frontier in regulation of plant biology. *Functional & Integrative Genomics* (Accepted) **(IF- 4.00)**
1. Singh N, Mansoori A, Jiwani G, Solanke AU, Kumar R, Kumar A Evaluation of antioxidant and antimicrobial potential of *Thespesia lampas* root extracts. *Journal of Experimental Biology and Agricultural Sciences*. 9(1), 87 – 99.
1. Thomas S, Kumar R, et al., (2021) iTRAQ-based proteome profiling revealed the role of PhyA in regulating primary metabolism in tomato seedling. *Scientific Reports* 11:7540 **(IF- 4.36)**
2. Kumar R*, Sharma V, Suryavanshi SS, Ramrao DP, et al, (2021) Understanding Omics Driven Plant Improvement and De-Novo Crop Domestication: Some Examples. *Frontiers in Genetics* 12:637141. **(IF- 3.58)**
2. Sharma V, Gupta P, Kagolla P, Sharan Kumar, Bhagyashree, Veershetty A, Ramrao DP, Suryavanshi SS,..... Kumar R* (2021) Metabolomics Intervention Towards Better Trait Understanding in Plants. *Cells* 10(2), 346 **(IF- 4.36)**
3. Nayak S, Hebbal V, Soni P, Kumar R, et al. (2021) Groundnut Kernel Transcriptome. In: Cifuentes, A. (Ed.), *Comprehensive Foodomics*, vol. 1. Elsevier, pp. 528–543. <https://linkinghub.elsevier.com/retrieve/pii/B9780081005965227467>
4. Kumar A, Kumar R, Singh N, Mansoori A. (2020) Regulatory Framework and Policy Decisions for Genome-Edited Crops. In: Bhattacharya A, Parkhi V, Char B. (eds) *CRISPR/Cas Genome Editing. Concepts and Strategies in Plant Sciences*. Springer, Cham. https://doi.org/10.1007/978-3-030-42022-2_9

5. Soni P, Nayak SN, Kumar R, et. al., (2020) Transcriptome Analysis Identified Coordinated Control of Key Pathways Regulating Cellular Physiology and Metabolism upon *Aspergillus flavus* Infection Resulting in Reduced Aflatoxin Production in Groundnut. *Journal of Fungi*. 2020; 6(4):370. **(IF- 4.60)**
6. Kumar A, Kumar R, Sengupta D, et al. (2020) Deployment of genetic and genomic tools towards gaining a better understanding of Rice-*Xanthomonas oryzae* pv. *oryzae* interactions for development of durable bacterial blight resistant rice. *Frontiers in Plant Sciences* <https://doi.org/10.3389/fpls.2020.01152> **(IF- 4.40)**

II) Edited Book (International)

1. *Omics technologies for sustainable agriculture and global food security (Vol-1)*. 10.1007/978-981-16-0831-5 Springer Nature, eBook ISBN: 978-981-16-0831-5

Editors detail

- a. Dr. Anirudh Kumar, Assistant Professor, Department of Botany, Indira Gandhi National Tribal University, Amarkantak-484887, MP, India.
- b. **Dr. Rakesh Kumar**, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Life Science, Central University of Karnataka, India
- c. Dr. Pawan Shukla, Scientist, Central Silk Board, Ministry of Textile, Govt. of India
- d. Dr. Manish K Pandey, Senior Scientist, International Crops Research Institute for the Semi-Arid Tropics, Patancheru, Telangana, India.

Publications in Submission

1. Anula Divyash Singh, Rajeswari Koyyada, **Rasmita Samal**, Syed Baseeruddin Alvi, Sreekanth Patnam,, Manda Venkata Sasidhar. Establishment of optimal housekeeping genes for Urinary extracellular vesicle based biomarker development: a step towards non-invasive diagnostics. *BMC Molecular and Cell Biology*; submission ID: e2470eee-beee-4e4a-a9f2-7790687aff9f
2. Sreekanth Patnam, **Rasmita Samal**, Rajeswari Koyyada, Parth Joshi, Anula Divyash Singh,, Sasidhar Venkata Manda. Exosomal PTEN as a 1 predictive marker of aggressive gliomas. *Neurology India*; submission ID: NI_873_20
3. Akshatha KN, Kavishankar Gawli, Lakshmidevi N, Mahadev Murthy S “Hexacosylidenecyclohexane Inhibits Enzymatic Breakdown of Dietary Sugars and Modulates Glucose Homeostasis”. *Pharm Biol*; ID: NPHB-2021-0304

Project received by Department of Life Science

1. Received a fund of Rs 84.0 Lakh from State Govt. of Karnataka to run COVID 19 testing Lab

Nodal officer: Dr. Rakesh Kumar

2. UGC Start-UP Grant, Govt. of India

PI: Dr. Rakesh Kumar

Title: “*Metabolomics study of leaf to capture the molecular signatures, and their association with fruit metabolic footprint in tomato novel NOR mutants*”

Budget: 10 lakhs

3. UGC Start-UP Grant, Govt. of India

PI: Dr. Kavishankar Gawli

Title: “*Biomolecule Characterization: Targets of Antidiabetic Interest*”

Proposed Grant: 22.7 lakhs

Project Submitted (Awaiting Decision)

4. UGC Start-UP Grant, Govt. of India

PI: Dr. Rasmita Samal

Title: “*Regulation of Sunshine Vitamin on Megakaryocyte – Platelet System: Focus on Thrombosis*”

Budget: 10 Lakhs

5. Start Up Research Grant, SERB India

PI: Dr. Rasmita Samal

Title: “*Molecular insights into the long-term cardiovascular consequences of COVID infection.*” Budget: 30 Lakhs

B. CENTERS

1. CENTRE FOR ENDANGERED LANGUAGES

Language endangerment has been a global phenomenon and India has been facing serious challenges to maintain its linguistic diversity. *UNESCO's 2009 Atlas of Endangered Languages* has reported 196 languages as potentially endangered. So the role of government and other institutions plays a vital part to save these languages. In this situation the role of Universities becomes all the more important to preserve through documentation and revitalization of these languages. So, in order to look at the issues of endangered languages, the UGC constituted an expert committee on preservation and promotion of endangered languages. The committee recommended providing financial support for setting up special dedicated centres for study and research related to endangered languages. The commission has accepted the recommendation of the committee and decided to launch a scheme namely financial assistance for setting up centre for preservation and promotion of endangered languages during XII plan period. It was decided to implement this in the central universities initially. UGC instituted many Centres for endangered languages (CFEL) throughout India. The UGC has established 9 Centre for Endangered Languages and **Central University of Karnataka** is one of them.

The Centre for Endangered Languages, CUK started in November 2015. The Centre's main aim is to preserve and promote endangered languages of Karnataka and allied regions through documentation and revitalisation. The Centre also works to empower the Endangered Language communities in every possible ways by training them for sustainable development and prosperity.

Objectives of the Centre:

- Survey, Documentation, Analysis, Preservation, revitalization of minor/endangered/tribal languages
- Collection of linguistic data –literature, myths, medicine, science, unique knowledge etc.
- Preparation and publication of descriptive grammars, bilingual and trilingual dictionaries, phonetic readers, textbooks, reading materials
- To have digitized database which will have the language related data collected during course of the research and to make it available to the public
- To develop the reading materials such as mother tongue based manuals and primers for school children

The Centre has taken up the responsibilities to documentation and analysis ten minor endangered languages such as **Arebase, Belari, Betta Kuruba, Byari, Chenchu, Erava, Havyaka, Koracha, Pattegar and Sanketi** out of which six books are published and four more books are going to be published soon. These books are essential and can be a referential point for future researchers, for the communities themselves to carry forward their language, culture and tradition to the next level. The phase two documentations is under way.

The centre has the vision to revive and maintain endangered languages and also instil the sense of loyalty towards native language users.

The Centre in collaboration with Dept. of Linguistics, CU Karnataka organized two online lectures on the occasion of International Mother Language Day – 2021.

Dr. Stephen Morey, Associate Professor, La Trobe University, Australia

Topic: Researching Linguistic Diversity: The Case of Northeast India.

2. Padmashri Prof. Anvitta Abbi

Topic: The Cognitive Potential of Mother Tongue Holdontoit

2. CENTER FOR CLASSICAL LANGUAGE, KANNADA

Kannada is one of the oldest and richest languages of India. Following the declaration of Tamil as a classical language, it was felt by the academic community that the wealth of literature in Kannada and Telugu also should be taken up for languages. Having been convinced with the high antiquity of texts and a body of ancient literature they possess, on the basis of the recommendation of the expert committee the Govt. of India declared Kannada and Telugu also as a classical languages (vide Ministry of Culture Notification No.2-16/2004-Academics dated October 31, 2008). Subsequently, the matter was placed before Cabinet for *ex post facto* approval. The cabinet in its meeting held on 8th May 2009 approved the proposal. As a consequence, the MHRD asked the University Grants Commission to take follow up action. The UGC set up a Committee to look into the modalities for establishment of the Centres of Classical Languages. The committee suggested that instead of professional chairs, the Centres of Classical languages be established in the select Central Universities.

Since my appointment in February 2020, I would like to mention some of the achievements at the center:

1. Communicated with more than 50 scholars in the field of Classical Kannada Language literature and culture.
2. More than ten scholars agreed to work on the projects approved by the Advisory Committee in Higher Authorities of the University.
 - A Handbook of Kannada Prosody (Published)
 - The Ocean of Prosody (Published))
 - Siddhrameshwar Vachanas – TR (50% work)
 - Sarwajna Vachanas – TR (80% work)
 - Tatwapadagala Padakosha (20%)
 - 300 Text lessons from Classical Kannada for VIII, IX, X, XI and XIIth class (70%)

work)

- Management Vachanas (20%)
 - Classical Kannada “READER” for 21st century readers (10-15 volumes)
(Meetings are conducted)
 - Mobile Museum of Classical Kannada literature and culture for the High Schools
(Discussions made)
3. “Elective Subject” for PG Kannada students to understand Classical Kannada literature and culture.
 4. Ph.D. students intake as per the UGC advice to research in the Classical Kannada literature and culture. Three students have registered for their Ph. D. Research 2020-21.
 5. Regular communication with UGC for the nomination on the Advisory Committee and UGC nominated Prof. Murigeppa, former Vice Chancellor, Hampi University as an UGC nominee.
 6. Conducted Advisory Committee meeting on 16-12-2020.
 7. Regular communication with UGC regarding the remaining amount of Rs.75.00 lakhs to be released for the activities of the Centre for Classical Language, Kannada. UGC asked to send the Utilization Certificate along with the interest amount of the earlier budget. The Finance section has sent the same to the UGC. The UGC response is positive.
 8. Conducted Advisory Board meeting on 26-02-2021.
 9. Conducted a local body meeting to rationalize the remuneration to be paid to the Authors/Translators on 5th April 2021 and the resolutions were approved.
 10. Introduction of the classical works of Kannada through the Facebook media is regularly made.
 11. Delivered lectures on Vachana literature at
 - Gulbarga University
 - Akkamahadevi Vachana Peetha, Basavakalyan
 - Kalyana Karnataka Sangha, Bidar
 - Lecture at-Function Hall CUK on 1st November
 - Sahitya Sammelana at Jewargi
 - Kannada Department at CUK
 - Webinar on Siddharameshwar at Solapur University
 12. Literary Works :
 - Translated Devara Dasimayya Vachana (Marathi)
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- “Thank you Sir” – in Memory of my Teachers (in Press)
- “Dhyana” – ready to print
- “Memories of Life” in progress

13. Attended almost all the activities conducted by the CUK authorities at the campus.

3. CENTRE FOR INFORMATION AND DEMONSTRATION OF BIO-FUEL PRODUCTION AND RESEARCH

Centre for Information and Demonstration of Biofuel Production and Research (CIDBPR) was established in collaboration with Karnataka State Biofuel Development Board (KSBDDB) at the campus of Central University of Karnataka. The centre was equipped with oil extraction, biodiesel production plant and research and analysis laboratory of biofuel. Objective of the Centre is to educate students, staff and nearby villagers on the importance of biofuel in combating future energy crises. The centre also aims at supporting farmers to improve their economical benefits by promoting cultivation of non-edible oil seeds in waste lands and also by collecting non-edible oil seeds from the neighbouring villages of Central University of Karnataka. Students of CUK will also benefit from this centre through project work & training.

Coordinator: Dr. Sangamesh

C. PEETHAS/CHAIRS

1. BASAVA PEETHA/ VACHANASAHITHYA CHAIR

During the 12th century Vishwa Guru Mahatma Basaveshwar has led the socio-cultural movement in Basavakalyana capital of then Kalachuri King Bijjala. He has established the world first spiritual parliament called “*Anubhava Mantapa*” where people belonging to all cast, creed, gender, economic class from different parts of the country without any discrimination participated in the deliberations. They have expressed their views without any fear or prejudices. These deliberations led to the intellectual growth and unique literature called *Vachana* Literature. The life and works of these *Shivasharanas* needs to be researched and given wide publicity to reach the common man. To do the research, publication and promote the life and work of Shivasharanas through conference seminar, workshops, Basava Peetha was established.

Dr. Ganapati B Sinnoor, Coordinator Basava Peetha

Activities Conducted under Basava Peetha

1. Basava Peetha organized 887th Birth Anniversary of Mahatma Basaveshwar on 7th May 2020 and on the occasion it has organized special lecture on “Basavanna’s Social Revolution and Its Contemporary Relevance”
2. Basava Peetha has organized a Two Day International Seminar on “Rationalizing Vachana Literature, Society and Culture” on 25th and 26th February 2021.



887th Birth Anniversary of Mahatma Basaveshwar on 7th May 2020



Two Day International Seminar on “Rationalizing Vachana Literature, Society and Culture” on 25th and 26th February 2021.

3. DR. B. R. AMBEDKAR CHAIR

Coordinator: Dr. Appagere Somashekar

Dr B R Ambedkar Chair was established by Central University of Karnataka in 2018. The purpose of the chair:

- To conduct research about life and works of Dr B R Ambedkar
- Develop awareness in the society about works of Dr Ambedkar
- Work as a channel to invoke and implement equality in the society
- Create literature on the life and works of the people contributing to neglected and deprived classes of the society

The center conducted different activities in past three years supporting the objective of the chair.

1. Every year Students Day is celebrated to commemorate the entry of Dr B R Ambedkar to school. The program involves a lecture by eminent educationalists like Dr T V Kattimani, Vice Chancellor, Central Tribal University of Andhrapradesh. The focused of the programs is to induct importance of education in society as propagated by Dr B R Ambedkar.
2. Every year the chair conducts 'Samvidhan Divas' to commemorate the submission of the draft of the constitution of India by the chairman of drafting committee Dr B R Ambedkar. The programs involve lectures by noted constitution experts. This aims at inculcation of constitution values and principles of the democratic republic of India as propagated by Dr B R Ambedkar.
3. The chair commemorates 'Mahaparinirvana Divas' of Dr B R Ambedkar every year by organizing lectures by learned social reformers, activists and scholars focusing life and contributions of Dr B R Ambedkar and the present scenario in social justice and equality.
4. The chair celebrates birth anniversary of Mata Savitribai Phule, the first Indian woman teacher to propagate education to woman and oppressed classes of Indian society.
5. The chair also conducted a two day webinar on Indian Constitution on 28th and 29th December 2020. The webinar had participations from all walks of life and academia graced by presentations from scholars.
6. The chair conducted a workshop on staging of the play 'Sarvarigu Samvidhan' (Constitution for All). The workshop culminated with staging of the first every play written on Indian Constitution and its importance in collaboration with 'Rangayana', Government of Karnataka, Kalaburagi.

3. CENTER OF SUFI STUDY

Coordinator: Mohammed Nazrul Bari

A detailed proposal was prepared with the help of external experts and same was submitted to the academic section for the needful and same will be submitted to the UGC for the approval. The establishment of center was planned to promote the idea of India which is based on composite culture and communal harmony. And it was also decided that once center will start

functioning it will also offer elective courses to the students in UG and PG level. Last year it was decided to allot Rs. 20,000/- to conduct a workshop but due to Covid which led to a all India lockdown and unfortunately, could not able to organize any academic activities related to the Sufi teaching and their idea of inclusive growth of the society. Hope in future once the situation will get normal, CUK may be able to start the activities.

4. CENTRE FOR DAASA LITERATURE & STUDIES

Prof.Sunitha Anil Manjanbail

Daasa Literature is Literature of Bhakti movement created by Daasas of medieval period. The Bhakti movement is an important landmark in the cultural history of medieval India. It brought about many socio-religious reforms and worked towards social harmony. There is increasing need to disseminate the message of Daasa Literature. The advisory committee for the establishment of Daasa sahitya chair met and prepared a detailed proposal and submitted to academic section for onward needful action regarding seeking approval from UGC.

The main objectives of the Centre for Daasa Literature and studies are:-

- To conduct research and study of the life of Daasas and their Literature and culture
- To carry out teaching, publication and publicity of Daasa Literature and culture
- To translate the Daasa Literature from Kannada to other languages and from other languages to Kannada

The Centre also proposes to offer various generic elective courses for the students of UG and PG programs along with Certificate, Diploma and PhD program and also to organize workshops, seminars, special lectures. In March 2020 a workshop was scheduled but due to Covid-19 nationwide lockdown it could not be conducted.

D. ADMINISTRATION AND OTHER

I. Central Library

Dr. P. S. Kattimani, Librarian

The Central Library provides access to information not just to widen the horizons of the user's knowledge but also to support a host of their learning activities that range from books, e-books, journals, e-journal, databases, reports, dissertation, thesis, CD/DVDs, magazine and newspapers etc. Librarians are not just the gatekeepers here but the facilitators in a larger process aimed at improving the quality of life of the individual. We are driven by the motto to strive hard with commitment and dedication, which requires team spirit and tenacity to serve the strategic information requirements of the academic community on a continual basis pinpointedly, exhaustively and expeditiously.

Mission and vision

To promote knowledge generation and application through effective dissemination to keep all library users aware of the latest developments in the field of course curriculum and research and its related areas in and around the world.

Objectives

- To support the learning process of all the users through the provision of knowledge / Information thro' conventional /non-conventional media.
- To meet knowledge / Information needs of the students, faculty and teaching community to support their developmental / programming activities.
- To respond effectively wherever possible, to the knowledge/ information needs of the research and development.
- To act as a repository of knowledge created within the University for future development

Library Resources:

Sl.No.	Resources	Total
1	Books	58,852
2	Book Bank	15,395
3	E-Books	5,513
4	E-Journals (approx) e-Shodha Sindhu	8,597
5	Journals in Print format	119
6	Back Volumes	352
7	Thesis and Dissertation	97
8	News Papers	10
9	General Magazines	40
10	CD-ROM/DVD	386

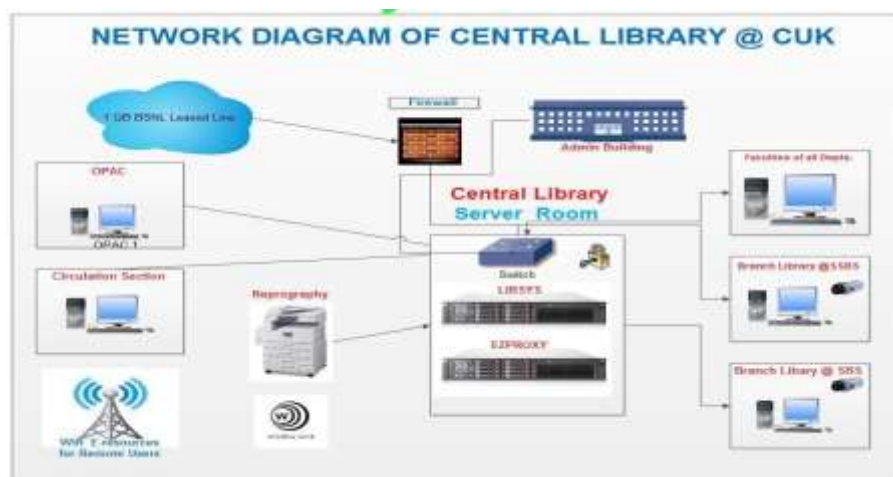
Library Automation with RFID

Central Library is fully automated with RFID technology. LibSys10 upgraded software integrated to manage the in house operation to cater to the needs of an advanced handling library resources and services. The features of Libsys10 Acquisition, Cataloguing, Circulation, Serial control and Web OPAC. RFID is a technology that promises to increase efficiency, productivity and enhance user satisfaction while rendering the services.

Web-OPAC (Online Public Access Catalogue)

It provides the bibliographic databases of library resources with printed indexes. The system includes a word-based search facility using Boolean operators that can narrow down a search to meet very specific user needs.

Network Architect of Central Library



E-Shodha Sindhu Consortium

Sl.No.	E-resources	URL
1	American Chemical Society	http://pubs.acs.org
2	American Institute of Physics	http://journals.aip.org
3	Annual Review	http://arjournals.annualreviews.org
4	Economic & Political Weekly	http://epw.in/
5	Institute fo studies in Industrial Development(ISID) Database	http://isid.org.in
6	JGate Plus(JCCC)	http://jgateplus.com/search
7	JSTOR	http://www.jstor.org/
8	MathSciNet	http://www.ams.org
9	Oxford University Press	http://oxfordjournals.org/
10	Springer Link 1700 collection + Nature Journal	http://link.springer.com
11	Taylor and Francis	http://www.tandfonline.com
12	Web of Science Lease access	http://www.webofknowledge.com
NDL e-Resources		
13	World e-book library	http://community.worldlibrary.in
14	South Asia Archive(SAA)	http://www.southasiarchive.com

Subscribed e-resources

E-Books

Sl.No	E-Book	URL Address
1	 CAMBRIDGE UNIVERSITY PRESS	http://www.ebooks.cambridge.org <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ English (41) ➤ Psychology (53) ➤ History (71) ➤ Management (30) ➤ Geography (77) ➤ Geology (30) ➤ Mathematics (17) ➤ Computer Science (39) ➤ Physics (15) ➤ Economics (57) Total(430)

2	 Taylor & Francis Taylor & Francis Group	http://cuk.etailer.dpsl.net/home/html/eCollectionSub.asp ➤ Geography (145)
3	 Springer	http://link.springer.com/search?facet-content-type="Book" ➤ Business and Economics-260 titles ➤ Earth and Environment Science -230 titles Total (490)
4	 Emerald	http://www.emeraldinsight.com/ ➤ Emerald Management (175) e-journals ➤ E-Book Series(750) [Management, Commerce & Economics]
5	 World Scientific Connecting Great Minds	http://www.worldscientific.com/ ➤ Computers Science-1 ➤ Economics- 3 ➤ Mathematics-2 ➤ Physics-3 Total (9)
6	World Tehcnologies e-Books	http://wtbooks.com ➤ Geography 131
7	McGraw Hill	https://mhebooklibrary-com-cuk.new.knimbus.com/ ➤ Engineering 434 ➤ Computer Science 274 ➤ Management, commerce, Economics and Tourisim – 1750 Total (2458)
8	Emerald e-books	https://www-emerald-com-cuk.new.knimbus.com/insight/ ➤ Education- 340
9	IEEE Wiley and MIT e-books	https://ieeexplore-ieee-org-cuk.new.knimbus.com/Xplore/home.jsp ➤ Engineering -760

Software and Database

Sl.No.	Software and Database	URL Address
1	 SPSS	http://www.spss.co.in
2	 PROWESS	Note: CMIE Database can be accessed through intranet facility.
3	 indiaSTAT.com Revealing India..... Statistically	http://www.indiastat.com/default.aspx
4	Indian Citation Index	http://www.indiancitationindex.com/
5	Scopus	https://www.scopus.com/search/form.uri?display=basic
6	Turnitin Plagiarism software	https://www.turnitin.com
7	Grammarly	https://www.turnitin.com
8	EWRF	http://www-epwrfits-in-cuk.new.knimbus.com/

Institutional Repository DSpace

Publication of the University and Faculty are being digitized including Thesis and Dissertations, rare material and Archival material also would be digitized and uploaded to

Dspace software.

Reserve Shelf/Text Book Section

The important textbooks recommended by the faculty are kept in this section for reference only. This section acts as a master repository for all the important textbooks. Books are not available on the general shelf but are readily available to study in library to support the curriculum and research needs of the users. Special collections on social thinkers and leaders have been kept for reference.

User Orientation and Information Literacy Programs

To promote use and acquaintance of e-resources, learning materials, UGC INFONET e-resources, CD/DVD databases, research communication, presentation skills, information exchange and online access to Internet and web resources, various User-focused and training Programs are organized.

Book Bank Scheme

The objective of this scheme is to help the needy student to draw books from the “Book Bank Scheme” for their consultation and use during a particular semester. The issue of these books is in addition to the books which the student is entitled to draw by enrolling him/herself as a member of the Book Bank library. Only the students who are the members of the Library and belong to SC/ST can draw the books for a semester depending upon the availability. No other member is entitled to draw books under the Book Bank Scheme. The books from this section are not to be sent on interlibrary loan also.

Braille Resource Centre activities

1. The passed out two students from School of Engineering and Dept. of English have taken the benefit of this centre and at present one student Ms. Deepa, from Dept. of English perusing her second semester.
2. Organised two-day workshop in association with Enable India, Bangalore “**Reading Without Seeing**” workshop for persons with vision impaired high school and ongoing college students held on 29th to 30th June 2019 and 93 students participated in the workshop.
3. Organised “Awareness Program for Visually Impaired” in association with National Federation of Blind, Bangalore held on 8th February 2020.

Events Organized

- Orientation program organized for incumbent students of all the department.
- Organized sixteen Webinars on different topics to reach to all CUK fraternity, research scholars and students.
- Training program organized to all department faculties.

1. Dr. R. B. Bonal, Assistant Librarian (BB Section)
2. Dr. GJP Dixit, Assistant Librarian (Acq Section)

2. CUK COMPUTER CENTRE AND NETWORKING

1.	Name of the Department/Section/Center	<p style="text-align: center;">Computer Centre</p> <p>Our vision is to bring about improvement in our students with modern technology and to enhance their learning skills through computer, software and new educational assets that will allow students to proceed at their own rate according to their ability.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Profile</p> <p>CUK Computer Centre offers access to the Internet, Network and Wi-Fi in and around campus and computing resources for teaching, learning and research work. Around 40 systems are available for independent study; Technical assistants are available to provide support.</p> <p>National Knowledge Network (NKN) 1Gbps leased line internet connection provided under the National Mission on Education through Information and Communication Technology (NMEICT).</p> <p>Wi-Fi enabled campus.</p> <p>The following equipment are available:</p> <p>CISCO ROUTER Model: 2800 Series FIREWALL CYBEROAM Model: 750 ia CISCO Switch CATALYST 3560 series D-LINK SWITCH 48 PORTS Model: DGS 1024D. Dell Server: PowerEdge R340 Rack Server HP Z420 Workstation. MATRIX Eternity EPABX System. 20 KVA UPS System. Projectors, scanners, laptops.</p>
2.	Faculty/Staff details	<p>Mr. Vinodkumar Tandurkar System Analyst Technical Staff: Ms. Samarthini Serikar, Senior Technical Assistant Mr. Manjunath Mugti, Senior Technical Assistant.</p>
3.	Programmes offered by the Departments/Centers/Work of the section	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Computer Centre has facilitated to conduct virtual classes through video conferencing there by enabling the classes to be conducted from a distant geographical location. Computer Centre has arranged to conduct Lab practical for various departments. Network Management System providing authorized access to the network and internet resources to all CUK research scholars, students and staff. In house designing, development, maintenance and regular updating of the website. Maintenance of Centralized Student and Staff Database Management Software. Provides technical support and assistance to students, faculty, and staff. Analyses problems and implements solutions, performs network and server administrator duties, and assures system stability, accessibility, and proper configuration of assigned technical systems and components. Performs computer trouble-shooting to diagnose system problems; analyses hardware and software functionality; identifies, locates, resolves and repairs problems within scope of authority. Monitors domain environment, resolves configuration and connectivity issues, and other traffic, security, and access problems; checks network for operating efficiency, makes corrective adjustments to data management settings, and assures system integrity; sets up and repairs network hardware.
4.	Activities of the Departments/Sections	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Provided technical support to the seminars/conferences/special lectures being held/conducted at CUK by various schools/departments. Providing and extending LAN and Wi-Fi Connection to various departments and the buildings that have newly come up in the Campus. Conducted interaction of Hon'ble VC in online mode with all the teachers of the University in view of "Padega Bharath Campaign" initiated by MHRD on

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		<p>16.04.2020.</p> <p>IV. Conducted interaction of Hon'ble VC in online mode with Students, Deans & Heads of various departments of the University on 27.04.2020 to review wellbeing of the Student and Staff during Pandemic.</p> <p>V. Conducted interaction of Hon'ble VC in online mode with Non-Teaching Staff in view of implementation of SAMARTH (ERP Developed by MHRD) on 01.05.2020.</p> <p>VI. Facilitated Online meeting of HEFA Project Monitoring Committee with University officials on 08.05.2020</p> <p>VII. Conducted interaction of Hon'ble VC in online mode with EC Members about status of CUK during lockdown period on 18.05.2020</p> <p>VIII. Facilitated Video Conferencing review meeting on the progress of BJRCY (Babu Jagjivanram Chhatrawas Yojna) at CUK between University and Ministry of Social Justice officials on 22.05.2020 & 24.07.2020</p> <p>IX. Facilitated online interaction of Hon'ble VC for the program: Interactive session of Hon'ble Minister of HRD Shri Ramesh Pokhriyal Nishank ji with Higher Education Institutions of India on the topic "Turn the Challenges to Opportunities: COVID-19 Pandemics & measures to combat in Higher Education on 28.05.2020</p> <p>X. Facilitated National Level Webinar on "Mental Health of Students during COVID-19 and Lock-down" on 8th June 2020.</p> <p>XI. Facilitated online meeting of HEFA (Higher Education Funding Agency) and University officials on 02.06.2020</p> <p>XII. Facilitated Webinar Lecture series of Folklore and Tribal Studies department on the theme: "Current Trends in Folklore" and "Impact of Covid -19 on Folklore" on 05.06.2020</p> <p>XIII. Conducted several regular online meetings of CUK COVID Task Force during the months of April, May & June 2020.</p> <p>XIV. Facilitated online workshop of Department of History & Archeology on the topic: India from Prehistory to Medieval: Sources and Methods on 16.06.2020</p> <p>XV. Facilitated Virtual Linguistics Lecture Series by Department of Linguistics on 01.07.2020</p> <p>XVI. Facilitated Video Conferencing Meeting of HEFA Funded Projects across Educational Institutions- Meetings with the Project Monitoring Committee of the HEFA Board and University officials on 06.07.2020 and 13.07.2020 & 20.01.2021</p> <p>XVII. Conducted Hon'ble VC's online interaction with All Non-Teaching Staff i.c.w Unlock-02 MHA Guidelines on 16.7.2020</p> <p>XVIII. Facilitated Webinar Series of Life Sciences Department on the topic: Corona Virus Pandemic Impact on Human Life on 20.07.2020.</p> <p>XIX. Facilitated Webinar by School of Engineering on the topic: Recent Trends in Cloud Computing on 23.07.2020</p> <p>XX. Conducted International Webinar of Hindi Department on the topic: Hindi Sahitya mein Himalay on 05.08.2020</p> <p>XXI. Facilitated webcast of : Conclave on Transformational Reforms in Higher Education under National Education Policy-2020 on 07.08.2020</p> <p>XXII. Conducted online Inauguration of various buildings of CU Karnataka by Hon'ble Minister, HRD Shri. Ramesh Pokhriyal Nishank on 25.08.2020.</p> <p>XXIII. Facilitated participation of Hon'ble VC in the Video Conference Interaction of Hon'ble Minister of Education with VC's of Central Universities on 10.09.2020</p> <p>XXIV. Conducted online FC meeting on 09.09.2020</p> <p>XXV. Conducted Fifth Annual Convocation of Central University of Karnataka through Online Mode and live Telecast held on 23rd September 2020</p> <p>XXVI. Conducted live Telecast of online National Webinar on "Mahatma Gandhi his contemporary relevance" on the occasion of Gandhi Jayanti along with inauguration of 100 feet monumental National Flag on 02.10.2020</p> <p>XXVII. Facilitated participation of University officials for Online Review Meeting of Central Universities by MoE officials on 06.10.2020</p>
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		<p>XXVIII. Facilitated webcast of inauguration of virtual summit Artificial Intelligence- Responsible AI for Social Empowerment (RAISE 2020) on 5.10.2020.by Hon'ble Prime Minister Shri. Narendra Modi</p> <p>XXIX. Facilitated online conduct of 52nd EC Meeting on 12.10.2020</p> <p>XXX. Facilitated conduct of Two Day National Webinar On Indian Constitution on 28th & 29th December 2020.</p> <p>XXXI. facilitated conduct of online National Youth Day on 12.01.2021.</p> <p>XXXII. Facilitated conduct of Celebration of Birth Anniversary of Mata Savitribai Phule on 11.01.21</p> <p>XXXIII. Facilitated online conduct of Celebration of "PARAKARAM DIWAS-2021 "on 12.02.2021</p> <p>XXXIV. Provided Technical support to Two-Day International Seminar on Rationalizing Vachana Literature, society & Culture by Vachana Peetha on 24-26 February 2021.</p> <p>XXXV. Facilitated online conduct of 13th Foundation Day on 08.03.2021</p> <p>Facilitated online payment of Students' Admission Fees.</p> <p>XXXVI. Facilitated several Video conferencing Meeting of University Authorities and MHRD officials.</p> <p>XXXVII. Facilitated online meeting of Deans, Heads and Coordinators with University officials as and when required.</p> <p>XXXVIII. Maintaining the Firewall to provide network security, user creation, setting up policies to user groups in view of attaining optimum utilization of the available bandwidth.</p> <p>XXXIX. Maintenance of EPABX intercom services, IP based phones, provided through PRI Lines.</p>
5.	Faculty activities / Staff activities	<p>I. Mr. Vinodkumar Tandurkar System Analyst</p> <p>Participated in Online Workshop on Security held from July 06, 2020- July 10, 2020</p> <p>Organized by International Centre for Advanced Research & Studies(ICARS), Delhi</p> <p>In Association With Sharda University</p>

3. HEALTH CENTRE

The Health Centre of the Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi has been working with two medical officers, two staff nurses, one lab technician and two attendees. The health centre has been providing best care and also committed to promote the health and spiritual wellness of the campus community by extending high quality preventive measures, educating them regarding their health, mental health, advice and treatment. The ambulance service is available 24X7 days to shift the serious patients to the health centre.

The Health Centre is regularly conducting blood donation camp, bone mineral density test and diabetic detection, etc.

In this crucial time of Covid pandemic the health centre arranged Covid test and vaccination drive to the inhabitants of the campus, with the help of Medical officer with his paramedical staff of Kadaganchi Primary Health Centre.

Further, we have planned to extend 10 bed hospital and 2 special beds for patients who suffer with the infectious disease. We also planned to have an X-ray unit in coming days.

Dr. Jyothi Tegnoor & Dr. Ambarao Tashkentkar

4. PLACEMENT CELL

Placement Officer:

Mr. Paramesh S. P,
Assistant Professor
Department of Computer Science & Engineering
School of Engineering
Central University of Karnataka

Assistant Placement Officer:

Mr. Alok Kumar Gaurav
Assistant Professor
Department of Public Administration
Central University of Karnataka

About the Placement Cell:

The purpose of modern education is not only dissemination of knowledge, but also equipping the students with appropriate set of skills and aptitudes to face the challenges in the society and fulfilling their career dreams as well.

Central University of Karnataka imparts education in different disciplines including professional programs. These programs of in university are designed in such a way so to prepare the students to find their respective role in real-life situation and enable them to face the challenges of professional life. By providing facilities and expertise through its infrastructure and faculties the university facilitates the students to explore and shape their talents. A wide number of students and researchers of different schools of CUK as of School of Business Studies, School of Social and Behavioural Sciences, School of Languages, School of Earth Sciences, School of Physical Sciences, School of Chemical Sciences, School of Engineering, School of Computer Sciences and School of Undergraduate Studies have a quality education which needs to be disseminated in the society.

The Placement Cell of the university is established for securing our students' future by giving a respectful job and opportunities to them. Thus, the main objective of the cell is to get students placed in reputed multinationals, Government Organizations, NGO's and the private sector. The Placement Cell acts as an interface between the industry and the students, and will primarily enable the students to select from their career options. The Placement Cell will liaison with corporate organizations to provide suitable jobs and internship for the candidates completing their studies from the University. Simultaneously, it also provides guidance to the students to upgrade their skills, which are required by potential employers in the dynamic environment. The cell organizes numerous programme such as seminars and workshops to enable the students of the University to improve their skills and become successful professionals.

The placement cell of the university provides a place for employers to find manpower suitable for their requirements. We facilitate the selection process of all the companies. As per their requirement in terms of logistic and infrastructural support. All students registered with the Placement Cell are provided placement assistance, counselling for employment and self/social entrepreneurship.

Vision:

The Placement Cell is committed to the professional progress of Central University of Karnataka students through integrating the career issues within an academic environment for realizing their best possible career path.

Mission:

The Placement Cell will help the undergraduate, postgraduate and Ph. D. students of Central University of Karnataka through counselling, instructions and training for development of desired skills essential for suitable job profile/ higher education/ self-employment and inviting the Corporate Industries / Research or Academic Institutes/ Commercial Organizations/ Public Sector Undertakings for campus placement.

Goal:

Ultimate goal is to facilitate the rating of Central University of Karnataka, as one among the best Universities in India in terms of Job Placement through coordination with University Schools covering following faculties: Management, Humanities, Commerce, Social Sciences, Science, Engineering and Technology.

Training programs organized by Placement Cell

1. Placement Cell and IQAC jointly organized a series of 3 online sessions of Student Soft Skills training programs on **“CV/Resume Writing and Facing Interview & Group Discussion”**.
Date: 26th Sept 2020, 3rd Oct 2020 and 10th Oct 2020.
Resource Person: Mrs. Bhanu Rekha Reddy, Director Placement & Training, Nitte Meenakshi Institute of Technology, Bengaluru.
2. Placement cell organized a virtual Faculty orientation program on **“Challenges and Prospectus of Placement/Employment Cell in University System”**.
Date: 11th August, 2020
Resource Person: Mrs. Bhanu Rekha Reddy, Director Placement & Training, Nitte Meenakshi Institute of Technology, Bengaluru.
3. Placement cell organized One-day online Orientation Program for the students of CUK on **“Preparing for Civil Serves and UGC NET/SLET examinations”**.
Date: 29th September, 2020
Resource Persons: 1. Mr. Kiran Kumar B, Ex. Assistant Commandant Sashastra Seema Bal, Govt. of India 2. Dr. Vengalarao Pachava, Assistant Professor, Dept of Business Studies Presidency University, Bangalore.
4. Placement cell organized a series of online sessions of Soft-Skill training for Students of the Central University of Karnataka.
Date: 12th, 19 and 26th December 2020.
Resource Person: Mr. Ananth Mallya, CEO, Quantech Origin, Bangalore.

Placement details:

Due to current COVID pandemic situation, limited number of recruiters conducted the campus placements in CUK. Below are the placement details for the year 2020-21.

1. The Federal Bank Limited, Kerala visited our campus in 2020-21. Students from School of Business studies, School of Earth Sciences and School of Engineering were selected in the final placement.

Post name: Management Officer Grade-1

Number of students placed: 06

2. Azim Premji Foundation conducted the campus interview for the final year Post Graduates (MA/MSc) during 2020-21.

Post name: Associate

Number of students placed: 01

General Information

1. As per the approval of the Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, an Advisory Committee for CUK Placement cell has been constituted on 25th Nov, 2020 to strengthen the placement cell of CUK. Members of the advisory committee are given below.

Sl.No	Name	Status
1	Dr. R.S. Hegadi Dean, School of Computer Sciences	Chairman
2	Ms. Bhanu Rekha Reddy Placement Officer, NMIT Bangalore	External Member
3	Prof. Ram Turaga IISc Bangalore	External Member
4	Prof. Channaveer R.M. Dean, Students Welfare CUK	Member
5	Prof. Mohammad M.A. Aslam Dean, School of Earth Sciences, CUK	Member
6	Dr. Veeresh G. Kabegoudar Dean, School of Engineering, CUK	Member
7	Dr. Mohammad Zohair Asst. Prof., Dept. of Management	Member
8	Mr. Alok Kumar Gaurav Asst. Prof., Dept. of Public Administration & Assistant Placement Officer	Member & Convenor
9	Dr. Manjunath, BMSIT, Bangalore	Special Invitee

2. The first advisory committee meeting was held on Jan, 4th 2021 at VC's Conference Hall, 1st Floor, Administrative Building Central University of Karnataka.

5. INTERNAL QUALITY ASSURANCE CELL (IQAC)

Director

Prof. Ganesh B. Pawar

Deputy Director

Dr. Venkata Ramana Doddi

Information Scientist

Mr. Ankush K Patil.

Internal Quality Assurance Cell (IQAC) is actively working on the core issues for

betterment of the University by promoting its functioning through the quality measures, institutionalization of the innovation, culture of quality assurance and constant improvement in administrative and academic culture of the University.

Activities:

1. Conducted workshop on the ranking and data compilation.
2. Conducted series of workshop for faculty members of CUK in view of upcoming NAAC visit.
3. Implementation and coordination of various activities under Ministry of Education, University Grants Commission and Central University of Karnataka Tripartite Memorandum of Understanding.

Dr. Tejaswai Lakkundi, Programme Coordinator

The performance parameter **Participation in Government** Campaigns includes five activities.

4. The Central University of Karnataka has conducted Unnat Bharat Abhiyan (UBA) and given Information of government schemes
 1. PM Jan DhanYojana
 2. PM UjjwalaYojana
 3. PM AwasYojana
 4. Sukanya Samridhi Yojana
 5. Mudra Yojana
 6. PM Jivan Jyoti BimaYojana
 7. PM Suraksha BimaYojana
 8. Atal pension Yojana
 9. Fasal BimaYojana
 10. KaushalVikasYojana
 11. Krishi SinchaiYojana
 12. Jan Aushadi Yojana
 13. Swachh Bharat Mission Toilet
 14. Soil Health Card
 15. Ladli Lakshmi Yojana
 16. Janani Suraksha Yojana
 17. Kisan Credit Card

Dr.Srinivasa D, Programme Coordinator :

Conducted survey in the selected village. Accordingly, a household survey has been conducted in the village named *Gola "B" Tanda*.

5. Capacity building training program for the target group. The target group chosen was small-scale farmers of the village Suntanoor. The UBA Nodal Officer, Dr. D. Srinivasa conducted the capacity building programs in the field of agriculture. Following are some of the photographs of the said program.
6. The impact of the capacity building training program (small-scale farmers of the village Suntanoor) were trained on the aspect of rain water harvesting. On assessment of the capacity-building program, it was found that few small-scale farmers had adopted early-tilling practice so that rain-water can infiltrate the farmlands. Following are the photographs taken during March 2021.

6. RAJBHASHA SECTION

Rajbhasha Section is established to enrich Official Hindi Language among the teaching and Non-teaching staff of CUK. The aim of the Section is to facilitate employees of CUK to use Hindi language in day to day official activities and the Section tries to create the awareness about the Hindi language among the CUK employees.

- The section is established to originate correspondence in Hindi (including e-mail). Letters received in Hindi to be answered in Hindi.
- Organize training programme through Hindi Medium.
- Organize Hindi Language training.
- Encourage employees to write noting in Hindi.
- Organise 4 Official Language Implementation Committee meetings in a year (one meeting in every quarter). The Section will hold Official Language Implementation Committee meeting quarterly. Progress report of the Section will be discussed in every quarterly meeting. After approval of the committee the quarterly report of the Rajbhasha will be sent to Ministry of Education, Government of India, and University Grants Commission, New Delhi.
- Translation of Annual Reports, Annual Accounts, Codes, General orders, Manuals, Forms, Procedural literature in to Hindi.

Staff details:-

- Dr. Reshma L. Nadaf – Deputy Director (OL)
- Dr. Shivanand H. Koli– Senior Translation Officer
- Mr. Ankit Mishra – Hindi Typist (on deputation to other institution)



Hindi Saptah Function: Hon'ble Vice Chancellor Prof. M.V. Alagawadi addressing the gathering. Registrar Prof. Mushtaq Ahamed I. Patel, Prof Sunita Manjanbail, Head Department of Hindi, Dr. Reshma Nadaf, Deputy Director (OL) were present.



Hindi Saptah Function: Rajbhasha Section staff with Hon'ble Vice Chancellor and Registrar of CUK.

Activities of the Section:

- The inauguration function of the CUK Building was held on 25th August 2020. The inauguration speech of Shri Ramesh Pokhriyal Nishank, Hon'ble Minister, Ministry of Education, Govt. of India was translated in to Hindi.
The speech of Shri. Sanjay Dhotre, Hon'ble Minister, Ministry of Education, Govt. of India was translated in to Hindi.
- The Rajbhasha Section organized various activities/competitions in CUK to celebrate Hindi Saptah 2020. Hindi Saptah was organized in the month of November. Hindi Singing Competition started from 2nd November. Hindi pick and speak competition held on 3rd November and Translation competition held on 4th November. The Competitions were organized for the Teaching and Non-Teaching employees and students of CUK by the Rajbhasha Section. The valedictory function was held on 18th December 2020.
- 5th Convocation of CUK was held on 23rd September 2020. The Convocation address of the Chief Guest Prof. D.P. Singh, Chairman, UGC was translated in to Hindi.
- The Citations of Honorary Doctorate Degree receivers in the 5th Convocation of CUK Dr. M.G. Biradar, Prof. S.L. Bhairappa, Smt. Salumarada Timmakka, Shri. Chennaveera Kanavi and Dr. K. Sivan, were translated in to Hindi.
- The following matters and materials have been translated in to Hindi and submitted to the university.
 - Annual Report and Annual Accounts – 2019-20 of the CUK.
 - Boards
 - Seals
 - General Orders, Circulars, Office Orders of CUK have been made in the bilingual format.

Additional Responsibilities:

- Dr. Reshma Nadaf is working as a University Nodal Officer for All India Survey on Higher Education of Ministry of Education, Govt. of India for CUK.

7. CUK Distinguished Lecture Series

Universities are known to be the centers of higher learning with the motto of imparting socially and academically relevant education. In the present academic framework the universities tend to develop a gap between the education imparted and the society because of the rigor involved. In the light of this fact Central University of Karnataka has envisioned a moral obligation to expose the students to the outer world through CUK Distinguished Lecture Series and bridge the gap between the academia and the society.

The objectives of the series are;

- To expose our student community to the lives of achievers from the fabric of society and academia through lectures on a single platform;
- To sensitize students towards social concerns;
- To bring the public and academia on a common platform with mutual involvement and assistance;
- To facilitate students and faculty of the university to assimilate the curriculum through discussions and debate;
- Disseminating a wide spectrum of knowledge to the students.

The lecture series was initiated in January 2014 with a dedicated team of 7 members to conduct the series under the patronage of Prof. S S Murty, then Vice Chancellor of the University.

Ankita Satapathy

Convener

CUK Distinguished Lecture Series Season 3

8. RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT

Director: Prof. Mohd Aslam

Speical Officer: Dr. Deepak Samual

SL. NO	Name of the faculty	Department	Title of the project	Sponsoring agency	amount sactioned (in Rs)	Status of the project	Sactioned year	Remarks
1	Dr. S. Lingamurthy	Economics	An Empirical Analysis on Employment and Productivity of Micro and Small Scale Enterprises: With reference to selected clusters in Telangana	Indian Council of Social Science Research (ICSSR)	115000	In progress	2019-20	
2	Dr. S.	Econo	A Study on	Central	10000	In	2019-	

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	Lingamurthy	mics	employment and productivity of micro small and medium enterprises in Telangana: with reference to selected industrial clusters	University of Karnataka	0	progr ess	20	
3	Dr.N.Sandeep	Mathe matics	A Finite Element Analysis on Convective Heat Transfer in Hybrid Nanofluids	UGC	10000 00	Ongoi ng	2019	
4	Dr.N.Sandeep	Mathe matics	Establishment of the Nanomodelling Laboratory	Central University of Karnataka	10000 0	Ongoi ng	2019	
5	Dr. Ranganatha D.	Mathe matics	Congruence properties of restricted partition functions in the spirit of Ramanujan's congruences	Central University of Karnataka	10000 0	Ongoi ng	2019	
6	Dr Vijayakumara H	Kannad a	Kuvempu Natakagalalli Mahilaprathishodada Nelegalu		10000 0	in progr ess	2019	
7	Dr. Ranganatha D.	Mathe matics	A study on congruences for certain restricted partition functions and modular relations	UGC	10000 00	Ongoi ng	2019	
8	Dr Vijayakumara H	Kannad a	Hydrabad Karnatakada Kategartiyara Kategalalli Samajika Prajne		10000 0	In Progr ess	2019	
9	Dr Rajeev Joshi	Physics	Investigation of Charge Screening effect on Magnetoelectric Coupling Using Polarized Neutrons in	UGC-DAE	12000 00	Ongoi ng	2017- 2018	Extend ed till Decem ber 2020
			Heterostructures					
10	Dr. Tejaswai Lakkundi	Geolog y	Assessment of groundwater-contamination in the Hutti Nalla catchment	Central University of Karnataka	10000 0	Ongoi ng	2019	
11	Dr. Lakshmana G	Social Work	Community based integrated intervention among families and persons with alcohol	Indian Council of Social Science	13500 00	Ongoi ng	2019- 20	

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			abuse who are economically, socially vulnerable: Development of a module through action research	Research (ICSSR)				
12	Dr. Lakshmana G	Social Work		Quality of life, well-being, social support and activities of daily living among elders in rural and urban area	495575	Ongoing	2020	
13	Prof.MA Mohammed Aslam	Geology	Geo-Environmental Centre: Natural Resources Management of Hyderabad Karnataka Region	VGST		Ongoing	2017	
14	Dr. Sreenivasulu Ballem	Mathematics	Singular Boundary value Problems by Galerkin Method with different orders of B-spline	Central University of Karnataka	100000	Ongoing	2019	
15	Dr.Rohinaksha	Folkloristics and Tribal Studies	Covid - 19 : A study of the Socio - Cultural Consequences of the Discontinued cultural practices.(It pertains to the selected districts of Coastal and Kalyana Karnataka regions)	The Mythic Society,Bangalore	7,20,000	In Progress	2020	
16	DR Lingadevaru	Geology	Petrological and Ore petrological studies of BIF hosted Chinmulgund gold deposit, Shimoga schist belt, Western Dharwar craton	VGST	5,00,000	ongoing		
17	Dr Tejaswai Lakkundi	Geology	Assessment of groundwater contamination in the Hutti Nalla catchment.	CUK	1,00,000	ongoing	2019	
18	Dr.Lingadevaru	Geology	Gechemistry and magnetic mapping and 3D modelling of mafic dykes of	EU- Erasmus	1,800,000	ongoing		

			Dharwar Craton (2017-19)					
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9. PRASARANGA (PUBLICATION HOUSE)

Prasaranga is established at Central University of Karnataka (CUK) in 2017, to create and nurture distinctive intellectual and academic environment. The missions of Central University of Karnataka are to disseminate the knowledge of highest quality to strengthen and expand in all expressions. Mainly the Publication cell is to publish significant works by our Faculty members and eminent Authors from across the country. Prasaranga is planning to publish the proceedings of various workshops, seminars, and special lectures organized by all the Schools and Departments at CUK.

Prasaranga Publications in 2020

1. Noam Chomsky. Author: B B Rajapurohith
2. Poster. Author: Shankar Shesh. Translation by : Prabhakar Satkhed
3. Namma Lipi Huttina Poorvottaragalu. Author : Thirumala Ramachandra. Translation by : T.D.Rajanna

Three Days International Conference (Webinar) on “Thinking Translation: Exploring Dialogues across the Disciplines” Under Publication House, Karnataka Central University, Kalaburgi Dist. On August 10, 11 & 12th 2020.

Translation as an intellectual exercise was evident in some of the earliest societies, and its scope has further widened and evolved throughout history as societal and cultural process became rather complex and dynamic, enabling numerous disciplines to participate with their unique insights and approaches. Despite the permeating influence of translation in the day to day life, rarely has there been a platform for meaningful deliberation on Translation ideals and praxis across disciplines. It is for this reason, the three day international webinar on the theme “Thinking Translation: Exploring dialogue across disciplines” was conceptualised by Prasaranga (Publishing house of Central University of Karnataka), which later successfully took off in different sessions of the day from 10th to 12th August 2020. Further, the sessions were fruitfully executed by well recognised personalities in the field of academia, creative writing and Theatre practitioners. The first day of the Webinar began with the inaugural keynote address which was delivered by Professor Indrani Mukherjee, and the speakers in the later evening sessions of the same day were Professor Sundar Sarukai and Professor H. S Shivaprakash. On the second day, the speakers who spoke at different sessions include Professor Vanamala Vishwanatha, Dr Rojio Usham, Dr Eaterine Kire and Dr Jelle JP Wouters. The last and the third day sessions ended with Maria Del Castillo Suqercuia and Dr Shashi Kumar. The conceptual dangers of treating Translation as a mere linguistic exercise was highlighted by Professor Shiva Prakash, Professor Sundar Sarukai and Professor Vanamala

Vishwanatha and they emphasized upon broader cultural phenomena for meaningful translation; Culture in its widest sense encompassing of the complex whole that surrounds human's day to day life. Professor Indrani Mukherjee and Dr Shashi Kumar further reflected on the challenges and praxis of Translation by drawing cues from the marginalised communities in Latin America and India. Dr Kire, Dr Maria and Dr Usham beautifully elaborated how pertinent themes of lived experiences of communities at the margins could be beautifully weaved and translated into human bodily performances and creative writings as an aesthetic expression and for translating cultural messages. Dr Jelle JP Wouters as an ethnographer and a field worker reflected on the methodological concerns of Translation. One facet which was persuasive in his own translation exercise was Rappo building and mastering the basic language of the natives for they enabled him to successfully gather quality data on the underpinnings that surround societal phenomena under investigation. The sessions were both inaugurated and declared closed in the gracious presence of former Vice Chancellor Prof HM Maheswaraiiah, then Pro Vice Chancellor Professor G R Naik, and Registrar Professor Mushtaq Ahmed Patel. The organising committee of the international webinar was further led by Professor Vikram Visaji and the co- organisers and moderators of different sessions were Dr Kiran Gajanur, Dr P Kumar Mangalam, Dr Longshibeni N Kithan and Mrs Deepthi.

Director :

Prof. Vikram Visaji

Professor, Department of Kannada, CUK

Assistant Director

Dr. Rohinaksha

Asst. Professor, Department of Folkloristics and Tribal Studies, CUK





10. FINANCE SECTION

11. ADMINISTRATION SECTION

The Administrative Section of the Central University of Karnataka supports the activities of the University. The Section is a diligent facilitator of the entire affairs of the University and assists the Institution in its larger goal of pursuing academic excellence. The Admin Section regulates the work flow for noting, drafting, file processing, and file movement across the various sections of the University through the proper channels for administrative approval and financial sanction. The guiding principles for efficient administration are provided by the Central Universities Act (2009) and the regulations made thereon along with the Government of India's Central Civil Services (CCS) Rules and Orders/Regulations notified by the UGC/MHRD/Government of India. The organizational structure is held in place by various Statutory Committees, Statutory Bodies, and other bodies of governance. The Statutory Bodies are constituted by the University Court; the Executive Council; the Academic Council; and the Finance Committee. The other facilitators are the Deans' Committee; University Building Committee; University Purchase Committee; Board of Research Studies; Board of Studies; and other committees. The Statutory Officers are the Vice Chancellor, Pro Vice Chancellor, Deans, Registrar, Finance Officer, Controller of Examinations, and Librarian. Other officers such as the Dean of Students' Welfare; Deputy Registrar; Assistant Registrar; Internal Audit Officer; SC/ST Cell Coordinator; and Liaison Officer, OBC Cell are entrusted with the implementation of processes necessary for the proper functioning of the University. The Administrative Section is in charge of the creation of various posts as per the Five Year Plan. Appointments of employees are done with all the necessary procedural requirements. Confidentiality of records and information is maintained with utmost care. Records management; database building; and preparation of the forms and formats for various administrative activities are done by the Admin Section. The University follows the norms of the Department of Personnel & Training (DPT) and the UGC for the preparation of reservation based roster for SC/ST/OBC/PWD sections. The Administrative Section extends health care and medical reimbursement facilities to the permanent staff as per the rules of the Government of India. The administration section deals with all the Service related matters of the employees of the University. The Section processes the Annual Performance Assessment Report for

promotion. The Central University of Karnataka is a statutory autonomous organization of the Government of India within the ambit of RTI Act-2005. Accordingly, the Administrative Section has designated Public Information Officer, Assistant Public Information Officer, and Appellate Authority for the University. The RTI Cell of the University processes and replies various RTI queries as per rules. The Administrative Section has set up a Grievances Cell to deal with students' grievances. The Officers take necessary steps and needful action in the instance of any grievances. The administration has in place a 24x7 security mechanism on the University campus. CCTV cameras are installed in different places of the University campus.

Details of Teaching and Non-Teaching positions in Central University of Karnataka

Name of the Posts	No. of Sanctioned posts	Details of Sanctioned strength as on 28.02.2021							Details of Filled up position 28.02.2021							Vacant positions as on 01.03.2021						
		GE N	SC	ST	O BC	EW S	PW D	TOT AL	GE N	S C	S T	OB C	EW S	PW D	TOT AL	GE N	S C	S T	OB C	EWS	PW D	TOTAL
Professor	27	14	4	2	5	2	2	27	7	0	0	0	0	0	7	7	4	2	5	2	2	20
Asso. Prof.	53	23	9	4	13	4	3	53	9	2	0	2	0	0	13	14	7	4	11	4	3	40
Asstt. Prof.	126	55	19	8	36	8	7	126	43	17	6	27	2	3	95	12	2	2	9	6	4	31
Total	206	92	32	14	54	14	12	206	59	19	6	29	2	3	115	33	13	8	25	12	9	91

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Name of the Posts	No. of Sanctioned posts	Details of Sanctioned strength as on 28.02.2021							Details of Filled up position 28.02.2021							Vacant positions as on 01.03.2021						
		GEN	SC	ST	OBC	EWS	PWD	TOTAL	GEN	SC	ST	OBC	EWS	PWD	TOTAL	GEN	SC	ST	OBC	EWS	PWD	TOTAL
Group A	21	20	0	0	1	0	0	21	14	0	0	0	0	0	14	6	0	0	1	0	0	7
Group B	35	33	1	0	1	0	1	35	12	0	0	0	0	0	12	21	1	0	1	0	1	23
Group C	78	60	5	1	10	2	3	78	22	2	0	1	0	0	25	38	3	1	9	2	3	53
Total	134	113	6	1	12	2	4	134	48	2	0	1	0	0	51	65	4	1	11	2	4	83

12. EXAMINATION SECTION

Prof. B. R. Kerur **Controller of Examinations**

The university examination section conducts examinations for all the programmes, arranges for the valuation of answer scripts, processes marks, and announced the results and issued degree certificates to the students. The evaluation of answer scripts of postgraduate semester programmes and all degree programmes is carried out and results of all examinations are announced in time.

The university follows semester system with continuous internal assessment and end-semester examinations.

Admissions to the undergraduate, post-graduate and Ph.D programmes for the academic year 2020-21 were made on the basis of Central Universities Common Entrance exam conducted by the Central University of Karnataka on in April 2020 and the exam was held in 100 centres across the country.

Central University of Karnataka conducted the following examinations and announced the results of Odd/Even Semesters (including regular and repeaters) in November/December 2019.

School of Under Graduate Studies
B.A. (Hons) English
IMA Economics
IMSc. Geography
IMSc Geology
IMSc Psychology
BBA
B.Tech
Integrated B.Sc./M.Sc.
B.VOC (Food Processing)
School of Business Studies
MBA
Ph.D in Management
MBA (Tourism & Travel Management)
M.Com.
Ph.D in Commerce
M.A. Economics
Ph.D in Economics
School of Earth Sciences
M.Sc. Geography
Ph.D. in Geography
M.Sc. Geology
Ph.D. in Geology
School of Humanities & Languages
M.A English

M.A. Kannada
Ph.D. in Kannada
M.A Linguistics
M.A Hindi
Ph.D in Hindi
MA Music And Fine Arts
MA Foreign language studies
School of Social & Behavioural Sciences
M.Sc. Psychology
Ph.D. in Psychology
MSW
Ph.D in Social Work
M.phil in Psychiatric Social Work
M.A History
Ph.D History
MA Journalism And Mass Communication
MA Public Administration
Master of Law
MA in Folklore and Tribal Studies
School of Computer Sciences - MCA
School of Physical Sciences
M.Sc. Physics
Ph.D. Physics
M.Sc. Mathematics
Ph.D Mathematics
School of Chemical Sciences
M.Sc. Chemistry
Ph.D Chemistry
School of Chemical Sciences
M.Sc. Life Sciences
School of Education and Training
B.Ed

The Examination Section has also announced the following results of programmes conducting by the Community Colleges:

Hindustan Aviation Academy, Bangalore
KGTTI, Kalaburagi

Semester system, continuous evaluation and choice based credit had been introduced and exam section is announcing results and printing grade sheets as per CBCS norms.

The university had conducted aptitude-based and discipline specific entrance examinations / merit based selection process for admission in its programmes of study of Undergraduate, Postgraduate and M.Phil/Ph. D programmes and admitted the candidates based on merit by following reservation policy

of GOI/UGC.

The examination section has taken steps to computerize the data processing work w.r.t announcement of results and printing of grade sheets, etc.

Details of M. Phil / Ph. D passed out during AY 2020-21

S.No.	M.Phil / P.hD	Total No of Passing / Awarded
01	M.Phil	3 Nos.
02	P.hD	15 Nos.

Due to Covid-19 Pandemic End Semester Examinations were conducted through online mode during July/August 2020. In this regard online examinations guidelines was prepared and training given to all the teaching staff of the university. The online examination guidelines were prepared as per the UGC July 2020 guidelines.

Convocation:

CUK has smoothly and successfully conducted the Fifth Convocation through online mode on September 23, 2020 as per the SOP guidelines of the MOE/UGC. Fifth Convocation was addressed by Prof. D P Singh, Hon'ble Chairman, University Grants Commission, New Delhi through online mode. All the procedure were followed for the conducted fifth convocation except student's presence since the guidelines provided by UGC in view of Covid 19 pandemic. All the degree certificates of UG, PG, Ph. D and Gold medal and Rank certificates sent to the respective candidates through postal address provided by them.

CUCET 2020

Central University of Karnataka is one of the participating university in central university common entrance test 2020 called as CUCET conducted by Central University of Rajasthan. This test is conducting every year for the students who want to take admission in any of the 14 central universities depending upon his/her choice of subject as well as choice of university. CUCET 2020 was held during pandemic time by postponing 3 times and finally conducted during September 18-20, 2020 two sessions in a day by maintain SOP guidelines of GOI/GOK in seven cities viz., Bidar, Kalaburagi, Yadigir, Raichur, Bellary, Hubblili and Davangeri. About 42 000 students chosen this university as first preferences as the best university in the CUCET 2020 tests from all states applied through online mode. Out of 42000 students from all India about 7000 students of this region in seven cities which are under CUK were participated and written OMR based offline examination for about 150 subject papers were involved to take admission to various UG, PG and Ph. D courses at different universities. Central University of Karnataka conducted smoothly and successfully CUCET 2020 entrance examinations without any grievances from any of the stakeholders during pandemic period as per SOP guidelines of GOI and GOK. All participating colleges accepted and participated happily and cooperated for the successful conduct of CUCET 2020 entrance test and also expressed to extend their help and cooperation in the future examinations.





13. ACADEMIC SECTION

Mr. Azeem Pasha
Assitant Registrar

The Central Universities Act (2009) mandates the University to develop the school of study with a system of strong inter and multidisciplinary studies and research. All branches of learning with the continuing internal assessments in a semester are offered and the choice based credit system imbibe this multi-disciplinary spirit.

Being one of the Central Universities established under the Central Universities Act (2009), The Central University of Karnataka, is a part of CUCET – 2020 consortium for admission to various programmes for the academic year 2020-21. CUCET – “Central Universities Common Entrance Test” is an all-India level test conducted by 16+ Central Universities for admission to various integrated / undergraduate, post graduate and research programmes in Universities. In an attempt to facilitate a single window opportunity to the students to seek admission in 16+ Central Universities across the country.

The Academic Section at Central Universities of Karnataka was established to promote innovations in teaching learning process with vibrant academic excellence and research environment in the University.

The Academic Section acts as a facilitator for planning, execution of academic activities and intramural research strategies for the university in higher education and research. It aims at strengthening and expanding knowledge in all its expressions. The section strives to integrate and innovate with all stakeholders of knowledge and education in a holistic and inclusive fashion. The section always strives to contribute meaningfully in terms of enriching the human resource / capital of the country.

Before the conduct of entrance examination test to the admission for various programmes in the university, the Academic Section provides all the admission related information to the students in the form of prospectus, which include all the information related to process and procedure to admission. This information is also uploaded on the university website.

The Central University of Karnataka firmly believes and adheres to transparency. To ensure the transparency in the admission process, university has adopted a mechanism to issue a notification and advertisement in local and national newspapers as well as on the university website. This mechanism apart from being transparent also given wide publicity to all its admission related process.

To keep up the transparency, the merit list, category and other related circulars issued are displayed on the university website. The same information is also simultaneously put up

on the respective department's notice boards; sufficient time is also given to report discrepancies, if any. The final merit list, information regarding candidates and list of candidates called for counselling is displayed on the website.

Currently the University has 27 Departments under 10 Schools and 03 Centres. The University offers 10 programs of Under Graduate courses, 25 programs of Master Degree courses and 17 Ph.D. programs alongwith one M.Phil programme. All classrooms are equipped with the latest teaching-learning aids of ICT Technology. The campus is Wi-Fi enabled 24x7. There is a standard Central Library with e-learning facilities as well as hard bound books, journals, periodical etc. The campus is clean and green campus with plantations, solar electricity generation, water harvesting, waste water recycling, plastic free, tobacco free, alcohol free, making it a meaningful destination for teaching and learning.

The University in an attempt to enable students to learn practically in the areas of their interest has established a well established computer laboratory and other scientific laboratories connected with Geology, Remote Sensing and GIS, Chemistry etc. The Academic Section of the University has brought laurels to the University by widely publishing in the reputed journals of national and international platform.

Choice Based Credit System (CBCS) alongwith MOOCs and SWAYAM Courses were implemented in the University. Students have the academic freedom to choose and design their course of study by picking up components of allied, elective, supportive courses apart from their Core Course of study. Continuous evaluation and upgradation of curriculum is a significant feature of the University. Courses have inbuilt component of developing students in a holistic way (English communication, personality development, computer training, etc.).

All orders and regulations of UGC, MHRD, GoI are implemented in time bound manner. Thrust is given for opening of new Departments, Centres etc, like Department of Education, Centre for Endangered Languages, etc. Governance matters pertaining to Academics, Examination, Research, Skill Development and Community Colleges, Students' Welfare matters etc, are submitted to Academic Council from time to time for consideration and approval. Prime importance is given to Research and Development Particularly Research Projects and Publications.

The university has encouraged diversity in all its expressions. It is proven with the faculty members, non-teaching staff and students from all over the country. There has been a continuous increase in the student admission from the inception of the university till date.

Annual Sports and Cultural event for students and scholars named “**ANKUR**” fest is organized every year for encouraging the talent of the students and scholars and for the holistic development of the student community.

Academic Tours are planned and organised for the students and scholars to reputed

national and international institutions for academic interactions and exposure.

As part of the curriculum internships, trainings, industry visits are organised to give exposure to the students and to make them employment ready. Further, University Placement Cell is instituted with a Placement Officer to get suitable placements for the students/scholars at university level. Departments like Management Studies have come forward to open their own Placement Cells with Placement Coordinators. Such facility is now being implemented across the departments.

Academic collaboration with reputed universities and institutions inside India and abroad are explored and implemented. The university has formed a committee for implementation of best practices in the university. The team has visited various reputed institutions for learning of best practices and implementation of the same in the university.

The Academic Section facilitates the Departments and Sections of the University to conduct various commemorative events like Conduct of Raj Bhasha Day, World Environmental Day, Engineers Day, Yoga Day, Vigilance Day, World Mother Tongue Day etc. The Academic Section is facilitating scholars to do research and internship programs in reputed institutions in India as well as abroad.

The Academic Section implements all the rules and regulations as per the policy of the University Grants Commission, Ministry of Education and Govt. of India in general. Further, the Section follows the laid down procedures of the Ordinance of the University, Central Universities Act 2009 and Statutes for Academic matters.

Various research projects from funding agencies like UGC, MHRD, ICSSR, ICHR, DST, INSPIRE FOUNDATION and many other Govt. and private organisations are continued in the university under the Research and Development Wing of the Academic Section. Consultancy projects are also monitored by the R&D wing.

The Skill Development Cell of the Academic Section offers various skill development courses through its partner institutions by offering Advanced Diploma programs and B.Voc programs as per the guidelines of UGC and Ministry of Education. The community colleges in hand held model with the University are implemented for various courses.

The section facilitates inter university credit transfer and mobility of the students. The Course structure and curricula

are designed in tune with the National Framework and Guidelines.

The Salient Academic Features:

1. All courses offered on Choice Based Credit System and courses with inter and multi-disciplinary in content based on semester system.
2. Schools of Study system.

3. Continuous Internal Assessment.
4. Relevant and up to date syllabus.
5. Students sent to academic tours to national / reputed institutions in their field of study for interaction / exposure in country at the university's cost.
6. Academic freedom to students to choose and design their course of study by picking up components of allied, elective, supportive courses apart from their Core Course of study.
7. Courses have inbuilt component of developing students in a holistic way (English communication, personality development, computer training, etc.)
8. Internships, trainings, industry visits part of course.
9. Classrooms equipped with latest teaching-learning aids.
10. E-journal and internet facility (Wi-Fi) available for all students.
11. Hostel accommodation for both boys and girls.

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CATEGORY WISE STUDENTS ENROLMENT IN UNIVERSITY DEPARTMENT FOR ACADEMIC YEAR 2020-21.

Course	Total Enrolment			General			SC			ST			OBC			EWS			PH		
	T	M	W	T	M	W	T	M	W	T	M	W	T	M	W	T	M	W	T	M	W
UG	347	226	121	171	110	61	38	31	7	17	13	4	104	68	36	14	1	13	3	3	0
PG	795	439	356	446	232	214	119	37	82	42	20	22	217	83	134	25	5	20	6	3	3
5 years Integrated Course	572	330	242	288	170	118	84	49	35	31	23	8	156	85	71	12	3	9	1	0	1
M.Phil/M.Tech.	21	10	11	10	6	4	3	1	2	3	2	1	4	1	3	1	0	1	0	0	0
Ph.D.	184	106	78	109	54	55	23	17	6	13	12	1	35	23	12	4	0	4	0	0	0
Cert./Dip.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	1919	1111	808	1024	572	452	267	135	132	106	70	36	516	260	256	56	9	47	10	6	4
School Students (Class I to XII) (if applicable)	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	1919	1111	808	1024	572	452	267	135	132	106	70	36	516	260	256	56	9	47	10	6	4

Details of the Courses

Stand Alone Undergraduate Programmes:

1. B.Sc. (PCM) (3 years)
2. BA (Hons.) English (3 years)
3. BA (Hons.) Economics (3 years)
4. B.Sc. (Hons.) in Psychology (3 years)
5. B.Sc. (Hons.) in Geography (3 years)
6. B.Sc. (Hons.) in Geology (3 years)
7. B.Tech. in Electrical Engineering (4 years)
8. B. Tech. in Electronics & Communication Engineering (4 years)
9. BBA (3 years)
10. B.Ed. (2 Years)

Masters Programmes - 2 years

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| 1. MA English | 14. MBA |
| 2. MA Hindi | 15. MA in Linguistics |
| 3. MA Kannada | 16. MA History |
| 4. MA Economics | 17. MA Folklore & Tribal Studies |
| 5. MSW | 18. MA Performing Arts |
| 6. M.Sc. Psychology | 19. M.Sc. Life Sciences |
| 7. MCA (3 years) | 20. M.Tech Power and Energy Engineering |
| 8. M.Sc. Applied Geography & Geoinformatics | 21. M.Tech Embedded and Real Time Systems |
| 9. M.Sc. Applied Geology | 22. MBA in Tourism and Travel Management |
| 10. M.Com | 23. MA in Journalism and Mass Comm |
| 11. M.Sc. Mathematics | 24. MA in Public Administration & Governance |
| 12. M.Sc. Physics | 25. LAW (LLM) |
| 13. M.Sc Chemistry | 26. MCA |

M.Phil Programme: Psychiatric Social Work (2 Years)

Ph.D Programmes

1. Hindi
2. Kannada
3. Classical Kannada
4. English
5. Economics
6. Management
7. Commerce
8. Psychology
9. Social Work
10. Physics
11. Chemistry
12. Mathematics
13. Geology
14. Electronics & CE
15. Geography
16. Computer Science
17. Linguistics

ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2020-21.

Schedule for Odd Semesters, 2020-21

S. No	Event	From-To
1	New Students to report (UG, PG, Ph.D)	01.07.2020
2	Orientation of New Students- Deeksharambha (UG, PG, Ph.D)	02.07.2020
3	Registration of New Students (UG, PG, Ph.D)	01.07.2020
4	Commencement of Classes	01.07.2020
5	Last date for course ADD/ DROP	06.07.2020
6	Finalization of registration by the Department	10.07.2020
7	Closure of instructions	11.11.2020
8	End Semester Examinations	06.11.2020 – 20.11.2020
9	End Semester Feedback	11.11.2020
10	Release of Provisional Results	18.12.2020

Schedule for Even Semesters, 2020– 2021 (Tentative)

S.No	Event	From-To
1	Commencement of Classes	23.11.2020
2	Winter vacation for students and faculty	21.12.2020 – 03.01.2021
3	Last date for elective course ADD/ DROP	20.12.2020
4	Finalization of registration by the Department	20.12.2020
5	Reopening after winter vacation	04.01.2021
6	Closure of instructions	03.04.2021
7	End Semester Examinations 07.04.2020 onwards	06.04.2021 – 22.04.2021
8	Release of Provisional Results	13.06.2021
9	End Semester Feedback	03.04.2021
10	Summer Vacation for students	23.04.2021 – 30.06.2021
11	Summer Vacation for faculty	09.05.2021 – 14.06.2021

14th April – no Exams

December 2020 Ankur events (Students Sports and Cultural events)

Students Council Election August 2020

Workload of the Academic Section:

The Academic Section in order to maintain smooth functioning of the office it is further divided into sub sections:

01. Academics – I, Work Load :

1. Conduct of Academic Council Meetings.
2. Formation of Statutes and Ordinances in the University.
3. Conduct of CASR and BORS Meetings in the University.
4. Conduct of Deans/Heads/Directors/Coordinators Meetings.
5. Conduct of School Board in different Schools.

6. Constitution of Board of Studies in different Departments.

02. Academics – II, Work Load :

1. UGC Research projects
2. CASR Research Projects
3. ICSSR Research Projects
4. DST – Inspire Research Projects
5. HUDCO – Sponsored Research Projects
6. Teaching Research Assistance-ship
7. CUK Innovation Club
8. Internal Academic Quality Assessment Cell
9. Community College schemes & Skill Development Scheme.

03. Academics – III, Work Load :

1. Schools and Departments related works.
2. Admissions and conduction of Entrance Examination
3. Constitution of CASR, Board of Research Studies, School Board, Board of Studies.
4. Formation of Prospectus and Syllabus in the University.
5. Preparation of Demand Collection Balance (DCB) of Academic fees paid by the students.
6. Cancellation of Admissions & refund of fees.
7. Special Lectures.

04. Academics – IV, Work Load :

1. Correspondence with MHRD, UGC, AIU, Research Institutions and Other Central Universities and Institute of National Importance etc.
2. Preparation of Calendar of events in the University.
3. Preparation of University Profile and Annual Reports.
4. Implementation of Choice Based Credit System.
5. Facilitating in Commonwealth Fellowship for faculties.
6. Facilitating in organizing National/International Conference, Seminars, and Workshop, Symposia in Dept. / Centers / Schools and University level programmes.
7. Preparation of Reply to Parliament Questions and RTI.

Officers and Staff Information:

Staff	Educational Qualification	Designation	Total Length of service in GoI
Mr. Azeem Pasha	MA M.Phil (PhD)	Assistant Registrar	10.03 years
Mr, Mohsin Ahmed	MA., PGDCA., UGC JRF, KSET., PhD	Assistant	13.02 Years
Mr. Mohammed Qayyum.	MA, Economics Studies & Planning	UDC	9.04 Years

14. International Affairs

Overview and Objectives

Central University of Karnataka (CUK), Kalaburagi, has recently established its Office of International Affairs on its premises. The initiation of the office reflects the keenness of CUK to attain greater academic heights by forging - academic and research collaborations with institutions across the world.

The office facilitate international outreach for the staff and students of CUK community. The objective is to create opportunities to interact with wider international avenues to both showcase their academic and research achievements and to learn and seek inspiration from the achievements of other countries. With this vision, the office will strive to contribute to the mission of CUK, to foster a place of advanced learning to be eventually known for its commitment to quality and socially-relevant research and academics.

To carry out its mandate the office has set for itself the following objectives :

1. Implementing MOUs and agreements with foreign institutions of teaching and research.
2. Exploring opportunities of exchange programmes for students, faculty, and administrative staff.
3. Supporting students, faculty and staff for their international visits for studies, research or exchange program.
4. Exploring opportunities of international scholarship and research funding for the university academic community.
5. Preparing strategies and facilitate admission of international students to programs at CUK.
6. Identify institutions abroad to develop collaborations with them on e-learning platforms and other innovative educational technologies.
7. Welcoming and assisting foreign students, faculty, and staff visiting Central University of Karnataka and organizing international events in the university.
8. Inform and advice university stakeholders about international programmes as well as other international opportunities.
9. Liaise with foreign/international/ governmental organizations and agencies that promote and facilitate the activities mentioned above, in addition to directly networking with higher education institutions and research foundations abroad.

15. DEAN STUDENT WELFARE

Prof. Channaveer R M

Dean, Student Welfare

Dean Student Welfare Office encompasses various welfare services to the residential and non-residential students of the University.

Health Centre: The University provides health care services to the students through a well-furnished Health Centre on the campus. One male and one female medical officer along with

their health team are at work round the clock. Primary and preventive health care services are extended to the students. Due to COVID, the health center is upgraded to 10 beds.

Student Counselling Centre: It provides counselling services to the students in difficult circumstances. Psychology and Social Work faculties are engaged with the students to address their psycho-social wellbeing during the COVID pandemic. Peer counselling sessions and faculty counselling sessions were conducted.

Hostels: The University has 8 hostels to house the male and female students on the campus. Arrangements are made to provide hostels to all the female students. A large number of the male students also get the accommodation on the campus.

Fellowships and Scholarships: University has a provision to extend financial support the meritorious and economically needy students of all the schools. Their tuition fees are waived off considering their merit and economical condition of the students. University also disburses the Govt. of Karnataka Scholarship sanctioned to the OBC Students.

ANKUR: Ankur is an annual cultural and sports fest on the campus. Students belonging to different schools represent in the cultural and sports events. Schools which shows exemplary performance in the cultural and sports events are given trophies and mementos to recognize the championship.

Railway Concession: The University has student representation from 22 states of India. The students get concessional support for their train journey to native place, to participate in sports events and cultural events and to participate in the seminar events.

Covid-19 Pandemic: The students' issues are addressed through the faculties. The faculties are oriented to handle the issues of the students with delicacy and empathy.

16. Campus Development Section

Shri. Sunil G., Assistant Registrar, Campus Development Section

The University has 654 acres campus, situated near Kadaganchi village in the district of Kalaburagi, Karnataka state. It is claimed that CUK is the first Central University to move to its permanent campus in a short time among the new ones. The main objective of the University is integrating the components of Teaching, Research, Innovation, Training and Skill Development (TRI-TSD) with an aspiration to excel in degree, post graduate and doctoral programs. The University offers the programs in following five dominant areas: Social Sciences (Arts), Humanities, Management, Sciences, and Engineering.





Status of Residential Accommodation for Teaching and Non-teaching Staff

Sl.No	Statutory Officers' Quarters	Status	
01	Vice Chancellor Residence	Completed and occupied	
02	Pro-Vice Chancellor Residence	Completed and occupied	
03	Registrar	Completed and occupied	
04	Finance officer	Completed and occupied	
05	Controller of Examination	Completed	



Sl.No	Name of Quarters	Total No	Occupied
01	Professors	8	06
02	Associate Professors	16	
03	Asst. Professors	24	24
04	Group A Quarters occupied by Asst. Professors	12	10
	Group A Quarters occupied by Non-teaching staff		02
05	Group B Quarters occupied by Asst. Professors	18	15
	Group A Quarters occupied by Non-teaching Staff		03
06	Group C Quarters occupied by Asst. Professors	24	05
07	Group D Quarters occupied by Non-Teaching Staff		19

All the Residential buildings have been completed and occupied till March 2021 in campus

Academic Blocks

The University has constructed 23 Academic School buildings and the same has been occupied by various schools and Departments. The details are as under:

Buildings	Schools / Departments
D1	Department of Psychology
D2	Department of Social Work
D3	Department of Economic
D4	Department of Commerce
D5	Department of Geology
D6	Department of Geography
D7	Department of Engineering
D8	Department of Engineering
D9	Department of Kannada
D10	Department of Hindi
D11	Department of Physics
D12	Department of Mathematics
D13	Department of Chemistry
D14	Department of Computer Science
D15	Chemistry Laboratory and Public Administration
D16	Department of History
D17	Department of Management studies
D18	Department of Tourism & Hotel Management
D19	Department of Linguistics

	Department of Music & Fine Arts Department of Foreign Languages
D20	Department of English
D21	Department Folklore and Tribal Studies and Centre for Endangered Languages Department of Journalism and Mass Communication and Classical language
D22	Department of Life sciences & Virology and also Covid-19 testing Laboratory
D23	Department of Education



Multipurpose Hall



The University has constructed a Multipurpose Hall in the year 2020 with the capacity of accommodating 1200 persons for conducting various cultural programs and also for playing indoor games like Badminton court, Table Tennis, Chess, Carom board. The building also houses sports section, DSW office, and Prasaraanga.

Proposed Blocks

HEFA PROJECTS

Under Higher Education Funding Agency the following projects are under progress

HEFA PROJECTS 2021-22

2021-22	1.	Construction of Sophisticated Instrumentation Centre Building	2489	Under Progress
	2.	Construction of Incubation cum Skill Development Centre for small Scale Enterprises of H.K Region (GF + FF)	2212	Under Progress
	3.	Construction of UG & PG Hostels for Boys with the capacity of 500 (G+3).	9221	Under Progress
	4.	Construction of UG & PG Hostels for Girls of 500 capacity (G+3).	9221	Under Progress
	5.	Construction of Class Room Complex	2389	Under Progress
	6.	Construction of Engineering Laboratories & Infrastructure (GF+FF)	2005	Under Progress



BOYS & GIRLS HOSTELS



Guest House

The University has created beautiful Guest House in the campus with 4 Nos Suite Rooms, 31 Nos Double Bed Rooms, 2 Nos Single Bed Rooms, and 2 Nos of Double Deluxe Room with Air Condition system for all rooms, 2 Nos of Non-Air Condition Rooms and other facility's like Dinning Area with two well equipped Seminar/Conference Rooms with

wifi

technology.



Shopping Complex / Canteen



The University has created shopping complex in the campus with the area of 1428 Sq.mts and some of the shops have provided for rental bases to run bakery, stationery shop, and canteens. University has also created separate Food Court in the campus to run vegetarian and non-vegetarian canteen.

Health Care Facility



The health care of all the students, faculty members and non-teaching staff of the University is ensured by a regular senior doctor and a lady doctor available on the campus with supporting staff of lab technician and nurses. Facilities like in-patient ward (02); IV drip facility, blood test, urine test, and blood pressure test are available. For emergency services, there is a 24x7 ambulance facility available on the campus.

- The Health Centre provides comprehensive primary and emergency medical services.
- It provides OPD services to all staff and students in the CUK Campus.
- The total dependent population for the health centre include students, employees and their authorised dependents, retired employees and their dependents and the others people like servant quarters residents, sanitary staff, security staff, housekeeping staff, various project staff, data entry operators and so many other temporary staff etc. who are working in the University.
- Most of the medicines required for outpatient treatment are dispensed at health centre itself.
- It has a computerised clinical Laboratory which is used for routine and special investigations.
- Health Centre has 2 emergency beds for day care facilities
- All the students are covered under students Medical Health Care Scheme.
- The Health Centre is well equipped to undertake emergency clinical investigations and offers outpatient care as well as provides in-patient treatment also.

The following permanent and contractual Health Centre Staff are working:

Name	Contact Number
Dr. A. A. Tashkentkar	9481536150
Dr. Jyoti S Tegnoor	9900403444
Mrs. Annapurna Nursing Staff	7411663586
Mr. Amresh Kumar D Ramgol Nursing Staff	9880887172
Sanjaiya M Kalimar Laboratory Staff	9480757427
Md. Naseer Attender	9449807813
Mr. Parameshwar Ambulance Driver	9901551553

The Health Centre is committed in promoting the health and wellness of the campus community by providing high-quality prevention, education and treatment services. The medical counselling and health promotion services are designed to help to stay healthy or get better so that one can minimise disruptions caused by injury and illness. The Health Centre aims to enhance the health care experience of the University Campus community by providing healthcare with respect, consideration and confidentiality.

Bank& Post Office



The university has a dedicated banking facility within the campus provided by Canara Bank, which is operating in an independent building. The bank has opened one ATM centres within the University campus.

Post Office Facility

The Indian Post has established the post office in the University campus. The CUK has gained its own identity in the geographical map of India by the pin code 585367. The CUK post office provides all normal services which are available everywhere like: Saving Bank, RD

Accts, Speed Post, Regd Post, eMO, iMO, PLI/RPLI, IMT, MO Videsh, ePayment, and Postal Orders/ NSC/KVP. For Students, the Post Office is offering following useful services specially: Saving Bank (with Cheque Book and ATM card facility), Recurring Deposit Accounts (with minimum of Rs. 50), Philately (King of hobbies), Post crossing (special cards), and ePost.

Electricity/water



The University has created two substations in the Campus and also installed 500 KVA and 1500 KVA DG systems in the campus to provide 24X7 Power supplying for the campus and installed a Solar plant system of 250 KVA and 50 KVA Rooftop system.

Further, University has implemented LED lighting system for the whole campus through (EESL an entity under Ministry of Power Govt. of India)

Under the MOU the Government of Karnataka is providing 24/7 drinking water supply for the whole campus and the same has been executed under the World Bank project. The water is supplied from Amarja Dam which is 26 Kms away from the CUK campus.



University Bus/ Battery Operated Vehicle

The University is operating 5 Nos of Buses for the use of Students and Staff who are coming from the Kalaburagi city to CUK campus and near to Kadaganchi Village of Aland Road which is located in SH 150.

Further University has procured and implemented Two Numbers of Battery operated Vehicles for the use of Students and staff inside the campus.



17. SPARSH COMMITTEE

Chairperson: Prof. Shivaganga Rumma, Internal Complaint Committee, CUK

The team of Sparsh Committee organized two events during the year. The details are as follows:-

1. SPARSH organized a Round Table conference followed by a talk on 06/03/2020.

During this conference, Prof. H. M. Maheshwaraiah, Former- Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, Prof. G R Naik, Former -Pro-Vice Chancellor, Prof. Mushtaq Ahmed I Patel, Former-Registrar, Internal Complaint Committee-Chairperson, Prof. Shivganga Rumma, Prof. Pushpa M Savadatti-HOD Dept. of Economics, Prof. Rajeshwari Maheshwaraiah- Former-Adjunct Faculty, Department of Linguistics were present.

CUK had invited Prof. Shahida – Dept. of Women's Studies, MANUU, Hyderabad, as speaker for this program. Prof. Shahida spoke on various aspects of women empowerment and approaches, and various government policies/schemes to be utilized. She provided awareness on the following programs and schemes:

1. Ayushman Bharath: This is the health assurance scheme introduced in 2018. The scheme targeted almost 50 corer of Indian women.
2. Pradhan Mantri Matrive Vanadana Yojana.
3. Pradhan Mantri Kushal Vikas Yojana (Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship)
4. Dishe: This scheme is meant for Infrastructural development, Gharunda, Preens, Sambhav, Kadam, and Sukhanya Samruddhi schemes.

At last she focused about distance between the women and this scheme available, she insisted to first learn on all the schemes and disseminate the information to all.

Prof. Shivganga Rumma, Internal Complaint Committee, Chairperson spoke about women empowerment. She emphasised on difficulties faced by women. She advised women should wake up, rise and understand the societal issues.

2. A_National Webinar_was arranged on Gender Bias and Stereotyping, Gender Equality and Woman's Right on 14th September 2020. The event was held through online mode. The SPARSH committee invited three eminent woman speakers. The details are enlisted here below:-

- A. Dr. Monika Kulshrestha – Senior Principal Scientist , Technology Management, Director -Industry Interface CSIR-HQ, New Delhi, Spoke on “Women and Health (Mental and Physical).
- B. Dr. Priya Narayanan – Assistant Advisor, National Assessment and Accreditation Council, Bangalore spoke on “Women and Higher Education”.
- C. CA Namrate Jage- Practicing Chartered Accountant, Fintech Services Private Limited and Founder and CEO at Sahaayy, Navi Mumbai, and Maharashtra spoke on “Atmanirbhar Woman”.
- D. Prof. Shivganga Rumma, president of SPARSH committee enlightened on Women Rights and other issues.

18.CENTRALIZED PUBLIC GRIEVANCE REDRESS AND MONITORING SYSTEM (CPGRAMS)-GRIEVANCE CELL

Nodal Officer: Dr. Venkata Narayanan NS

Centralized Public Grievance Redress and Monitoring System (CPGRAMS) is an online web-enabled system over NICNET developed by NIC, in association with Directorate of Public Grievances (DPG) and Department of Administrative Reforms and Public Grievances (DARPG), Government of India. Overall progress report from Central University of Karnataka, Kalaburagi for the grievance at CPGRAMS portal is attached in form of the table for the period between 1st June 2020 to 14th June 2021.

Grievance Source	Brought Forward	Receipt During Period	Total Receipt	Case Disposed During Period	Closing Balance	Yet to Assess	At Our Office	With Subordinate
DPG	0	3	3	2	1	1	0	0
Local/ Internet	1	7	8	7	1	1	0	0
President Secretariat	0	3	3	3	0	0	0	0
PMO	1	9	10	6	4	4	0	0
Total	2	22	24	18	6	6	0	0

19. National Service Scheme (NSS)



NSS Coordinator: - Dr. S. Lingamurthy, Assistant Professor, DESP, CUK

Total Number of Volunteers – 90

Total Number of Programs conducted – 3

Social Responsibility

Helping Hand by NSS Volunteers at their native places during Lockdown

DATE;22MAY2020

NSS CUK NEWSLETTER



Became a source of inspiration!!!



CENTRAL UNIVERSITY OF KARNATAKA ,STUDENTS BECAME A REAL HERO'S OF THE CAMPUS IN PERIOD COVID-19 MENACE AROUND US ...

by NSS NEWSLETTER

This COVID- 19 menace Changed many lives in these days!!!Many of the Central University of Karnataka students came up with Inspiration to many of us in this pandemic days...Most of the NSS volunteer's of the Central University of Karnataka taken huge Initiative To help the government Institutions & also tied up with various NGOs Throughout the country under the leadership & Guidance of Prof. H. M. Maheshwaralah (vice chancellor) of cuk ,Prof. G.R.Naik(ProVc),Prof. Mushtaq Ahmed I Patel (Register) &NSS Coordinator Dr. S. Linga Murthy Assistant Professor at Department of Economic studies& Planning where students taken apart in different states in the country like Bihar,, Telangana, Andhra Pradesh, Odisha, Kerala, and also taken part in remote areas...





Mohammed Ikramullah Ansari From Business studies pursuing 4th semester Worked in different NGO's, To feed poor & needy & also made a special research survey case study On Basawakalyan & Report been submitted to Dist higher officials in Basakalayan, Karnataka In this Pandemic days...

FEW INSPIRING STORIES...
NSS Newsletter

Amrita Pani pursuing 2nd semester MA In Economics is been Serving needy & Poor With a non-profitable organization's at Odisha in this Pandemic days

Nimmagadda Dheeraj from Pursuing 4th Semester at Dept of Economics & Planning is worked with Akshaya Patra Foundation at Hyderabad volunteer aimed to feed needy in this Covid 19 menace around us& also Vollertering Karnataka Agricultural board in policymaking ...

Rajashaker pursuing BBA4th Semester Volunteered the police officials in Kurnool Andhra Pradesh, in this pandemic day s...

Amal pursuing IMA Economics 2nd Semester from Kerala amid to serve old People in this pandemic days...

Jetley Jose 1st year psychology student created an Awareness video to promote awaren COVID -19 in this pandemic days...

Ravinder Pursuing MA from Dept of Economics & planning made an Awareness on COVID-19 in Rural India

Pursuing 4th-semester BBA amid to feed migrant workers In Bihar Patna And Fedeed around 1000 people With his family support...

come up with the stories to inspire others!!!
contact:
nss.cukarnataka@gmail.com

National Importance Programmes organized – 2

1. National Youth Day (Swamy Vivekananda Birth Anniversary)

National Youth Day has been observed on 12th January 2021 by the competent authorities of CUK, NSS volunteers, faculty members, non-teaching staff and other students of CUK through blended mode. Total number of participants were 120 including students, faculty and others. Prof. TKG Murthy, Former Program Director of ISRO delivered a special lecture on "Swami Vivekananda - An Intuitive Scientist", Prof. Mallikarjun V Alagawadi, Vice Chancellor (I/c) presided over the program and Prof. Mushtaq Ahmed I Patel, then the Registrar delivered the Welcome address. Dr. S. Lingamurthy, NSS Coordinator has explained the theme of the program and the program had been moderated by Dr. Remya V.P., Assistant Professor, Department of History, CUK.



2. Parakram Diwas (Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose Birth Anniversary)

National Parakram Diwas was organized by the NSS, CUK on 12th February in

commemoration of Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose's 125th Birth Anniversary through blended mode. About 130 people including students, faculty, non-teaching staff and competent authorities were participated. Shri. Nadimpalli Ayush, CEO, Andriotec Engineering Solutions Pvt. Ltd. delivered a special lecture on "The Vision of Netaji", Prof. Mallikarjun V Alagawadi, Vice Chancellor (I/c) presided over the program and Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur, Registrar delivered a lecture as Guest of Honor. Prof. Chennaveer R.M., DSW, CUK, Prof. Kerur, Chief Controller of Examinations, CUK, Dr. S. Lingamurthy, NSS Coordinator, CUK were among the dignitaries of the program. The program had been coordinated by Ms. Deepti, Assistant Professor, Department of Journalism and Mass Communication.



20. RTI CELL- CUK

The Right to Information Act 2005 is undoubtedly an important tool which has energized democratic principles and human rights. Dissemination of information and access to essential information especially in public establishments empower people. The basic objective of the RTI is to empower the Citizens, promote Transparency and Accountability in the working of the Government Establishment and it mandates timely response to citizen requests for information of the authorities. The Central University of Karnataka respects the sanctity and the necessity of having a separate RTI cell to cater to all information related request from any quarter.

Objectives of the cell

- To make speedy and timely disposal of the queries relating to RTI.
- To coordinate in the work of proactive disclosure.

Composition

Sl.No	Name	Designation	Department	Contact
1	Prof. Basavaraj. Donur	First Appellate Authority	Registrar	Registrar@cuk.ac.in
2	Dr. Basavaraj. Kubakaddi	Public information officer	Dept of Law	admin-rti@cuk.ac.in

Quarterly Report of the year- 2020-21				
Quarter	Months	Application received	Disposed off	Pending
1st	(April-June)	11	50(43 application were pending)	4
2nd	(July-Sept)	77	80	1
3rd	(Oct-Dec)	34	20	15
4th	(Jan-Mar)	29	37	07

21. SAMARTH

Implementation of Project Samarth

The Vice Chancellor Prof. H. M. Maheshwaraiah took decision to implement the Project Samarth for the automation of all campus activities at the Central University of Karnataka. Project Samarth is an open source. Open standard enabled robust, secure, scalable and evolutionary process automation engine for universities and higher education institutions. This project is designed and implemented by the Ministry of Education, Government of India under “National Mission in Education through ICT”. Based on interactions held with Education

Minister, it was emerged that there is a need to provide the developed framework to other Universities and HEIs. As a result the exhaustive “Project” for implementing Enterprise Resource Planning (ERP) in Central Universities (CU) was undertaken and Central University of Karnataka became part of this implementation plan. Dr. R. S. Hegadi, Associate Professor, Department of Computer Science was assigned the charge of Nodal Officer of this project and about 100 teaching and non teaching members of the University are working in different capacities for its implementation.

The objectives of the Project Samarth are as follows:

- Develop and maintain consistent data definitions
- Increase data security, integrity, validity and reliability
- Assure system-wide security and protection of confidential information
- Seamless integration between technology and education delivery by providing a single platform based on new technologies and open standards
- Access control/role-based access to data in real-time (for all its stakeholders) provide accessible, user-friendly administrative and student support services
- Reduced the need for backup or shadow systems
- A platform for re-engineering practices and continuous process improvements.

The Salient Features of the System are:

Single Sign-On:

Web based Single sign-on with Optional LDAP integration

Cross-Platform:

“Samarth” is based on open standards, hence gives the flexibility to choose from the various available platforms for the deployment including Linux, UNIX and Windows.

Interoperability:

Each module exhibits great ease in exchanging information, hence a transaction flow, which requires passing through the multiple components can be easily implemented.

Modularity and Scalability:

“Samarth” modules can function as independent applications. The modular architecture enables the users to define the functional instance by selecting application modules relevant for the use case. The architecture is SAAS oriented and hence highly scalable.

Security

“Samarth” addresses security at multiple layers. The entire framework works on RBAC (Role-Based Access Control) and requires multilevel authentication for business-critical functions. At the data layer, critical user information like passwords is encrypted prior to storage in the database. The web transactions are secured by implementing HTTPS (Access Control) and requires multilevel authentication for business-critical functions. At the data layer, critical user information like passwords is encrypted prior to storage in the database. The web transactions are secured by implementing HTTPS.

Logs:

“Samarth” maintains a complete audit trail life cycle for each individual transaction.



Figure: Project Samarth – Smarter automation engine for universities

→ Deployment Architecture - SaaS

- No Capex
- Quick Deployment & Roll Out

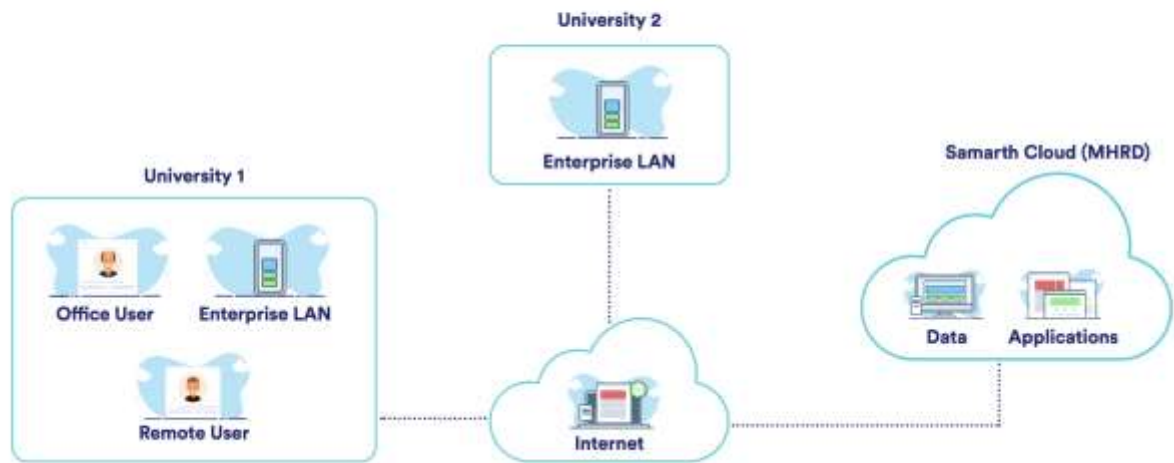


Figure: Deployment Architecture – Software as a service (SAAS)

Moodle Learning Management System (LMS)



In the prevailing COVID 19 situation, the Central University of Karnataka was looking for a robust Learning Management System to facilitate teaching and learning. Finally, under the directions from the Vice-Chancellor Prof. H. M. Maheshwaraiah and with the guidance from the Pro-Vice-Chancellor Prof. G. R. Naik, Registrar Prof. Mushtaq Ahmed I Patel took the initiative to implement the Moodle LMS by creating a dedicated server and to enable the teachers to effectively implement this project one-week faculty development program was also conducted. About 12 faculty members were administered the Moodle administrator training and more than 140 faculty members from all the academic schools of the CUK campus took the teachers training to work with Moodle in this faculty development program. To provide a permanent solution for the establishment of Moodle and other open-source learning management software systems, Vice-Chancellor approved to procure a very high-end server and the process to purchase is in progress.

Moodle is a learning platform designed to provide educators, administrators and learners with a single robust, secure and integrated system to create personalised learning environments. Moodle is a free to use, online Learning Management System enabling educators to create their own private website filled with dynamic courses that extend learning, any time, anywhere. Moodle can meet needs of a teacher, student or administrator. Moodle's extremely customisable course comes with many standard features. This tool is being used by many popular Universities and educational institutions across the world.

Vice Chancellor took keen interest in empowering the faculty members and constituted a technical committee for online teaching headed by Prof. M. V. Alagawadi. With the recommendation by the committee different hardware devices namely digital writing pad, web camera and headphones, one video camera is also provided to each school to record and telecast the academic events organized by the schools. Further, to provide the computers to the newly recruited faculty members process of procurement of 25 high configuration computers with Intel i7 processor, 16 GB RAM for science and engineering faculties and Intel i5 processor, 16 GB RAM for other faculty members. Purchase order has already been processed and shortly these machines will be distributed to these faculties. Dr. P. M. Kamble, Assistant Professor, Department of Computer Science is the coordinator of this LMS service.



22. OUTREACH ACTIVITIES

1. INNOVATION CLUB:

Coordinator: Dr. Rajeev Shesha Joshi

The innovation club was started under the National Innovation mission initiated by the then president of India Shri Pranab Mukharji at Central University of Karnataka. The club aims to nurture innovation in and around the University. The club hosts Innovation festivals, skill oriented training and incubation. One of the major programs taken through this wing in collaboration with Department of Social Work is village adaption. The village adapted by CUK are Kadaganchi, Pattan and Suntanur, the three Grama Panchayats of Aland Taluka.

Programmes undertaken:

- 1 Rehabilitation of Persons with Disabilities
- 2 Skill development of Self Help Groups
- 3 Health interventions for elderly persons
- 4 Enhancing Self-esteem of school children
- 5 Improving study habits of school children
- 6 Skill Development of adolescent Groups
- 7 Sanitation Campaign
- 8 Women Empowerment

2. THE BLOOD LEAD REFERRAL CENTRE

Coordinator: Dr. Rajeev Shesha Joshi

The Blood Lead Referral Centre of CUK aims at spread awareness about Lead contamination in Human body for the **North Karnataka** region. Research programs focusing on estimation of blood lead level, sources of lead contamination and after effects (Including socio economic and psychological) are planned. The center was established in 2016.

3. SKILL DEVELOPMENT CELL

Nodal Officer: Dr. Raghavaiah Pallepogu

Introduction:

To facilitate the offering of nationally standardized skill-related programs, the Government of India has notified the National Skills Qualifications Framework (NSQF) on 27th December 2013. It is a nationally integrated education and competency-based skill framework which provides multiple pathways, both within vocational education and general education, to link one level of learning to another higher level and enables learners to progress to higher levels from any starting point in the education and / or skill system. It permits individuals to accumulate knowledge and skills and convert them, through testing and certification by the competent authorities, into higher level of certification which could be a certificate, diploma, advanced diploma, a degree or a PG diploma in common parlance and B. Voc. courses. The Central University of Karnataka started its community college activities in 2013. In 2015 (21-7-2015) the Community College and B. Voc. courses are brought under Skill Development Cell at CUK for better coordination.

The objectives and mission of the section are:

- Design and implement innovative and need-based academic programs for disadvantaged youth.
- Forge stakeholder partnership with individuals, philanthropist's educational institutions, industries, and corporate for training and hand-holding arrangements for the deprived youth.
- Integrate education and competency-based skill framework which provides for multiple pathways, both within vocational and between general and vocational education, to link one level of learning to another higher level and enables learners to progress to higher level from any starting point in the education and/ or skill system.
- The Skill Development Cell aims at enabling the graduates completing Diploma and B. Voc. to make meaningful participation in accelerating the India's economy by gaining appropriate employment, becoming entrepreneurs, and creating appropriate knowledge.
- To reach out the unreached population and empower them with need-oriented and value-based education to enable them to be partners in national development

Programmes offered:

1. B. Voc. in Food Processing

Faculty:

S. No	Name of the Faculty	Designation
1.	Dr Leema Timothy	Contractual Faculty B. Voc. Food Processing

2.	Dr. Basavaraj S. Nainegali	Contractual Faculty B. Voc. Food Processing
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In addition, two hourly based faculty members are also serving the curricular needs of the course.

Non-Teaching Staff:

S. No	Name of the Staff	Designation
1.	Mrs. Pushpanjali S Biradar	Computer Operator
2.	Mrs. Laxmi S N	MTS

Dr Basavaraj Nainegali

List of Publications in the year 2020-2021

1. **Nainegali, Basavaraj. S., Iyyaswami, R., & Belur, D. P. (2020). Partitioning of bio-active compounds from rinds of *garcinia indica* using aqueous two-phase system: Process evaluation and optimization. *Separation and Purification Technology*, 117520. <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.seppur.2020.117520>**
2. **Nainegali, Basavaraj. S Regupathi Iyyaswami & Prasanna D. Belur (2020). Alcohol-based aqueous biphasic system applied to partition four different natural bioactive compounds from *Garcinia indica* Choisy. *Separation Science and Technology*, 55(15), 1-17. <https://doi.org/10.1080/01496395.2020.1802485>**

Activities

1. Participated and attended the **Five-day Online Faculty Development Program cum Webinar Series** on "Latest Trends and Future Prospects of Biotechnology" Organized by **Department of Biotechnology, National Institute of Technology Andhra Pradesh** from 06-07-2020 to 10-07-2020, NIT Andhra, Tadepalligudem, West Godavari (d), Andhra Pradesh-534101, India
2. Participated in **Webinar Series on Self Employment – Why and How?** Organised by **Swadeshi Vijnana Andolana – Karnataka** in December – 2020, Swadeshi Sadana, Guru Naranayana Vidya Vihar, Hebbal, Bangalore- 560024.
3. Attended the Virtual Industrial Tour to the **Industrial Plant of Yakult India Pvt. Ltd** organised and conducted jointly by **FT Professional Chapter of Lady Irwin College, University of Delhi in collaboration with Yakult India Company on March 24th 2021.**

Dr Leema Roseline

1. Attended the Virtual Industrial Tour to the **Industrial Plant of Yakult India Pvt. Ltd** organised and conducted jointly by **FT Professional Chapter of Lady Irwin College, University of Delhi in collaboration with Yakult India Company on March 24th 2021.**

Student activities for academic 2020-2021

Students have virtually visited an Industrial Tour to the Industrial Plant of YAKULT INDIA PVT. LTD. on 24th March 2021 organized and conducted jointly by FT Professional Chapter of Lady Irwin College, University of Delhi in collaboration with Yakult India Company,

located in north India Sonipat, Haryana. It's about Yakult, which is a probiotic drink & pioneer in his field (origin from Japan).

4. COVID-19 TESTING CENTRE:

Dr. Rakesh Kumar, Nodal Officer

The Department of Life Science, CUK has taken initiative to extend its support in COVID-19 testing samples from northern Karnataka region. The COVID-19 testing centre was established in November 2020, with an aim to develop COVID-19 centre into high standard molecular biology research laboratory and advance diagnostic facility. Department of Life Sciences has received a financial support of Rs 84.0 lakh from the State Govt. of Karnataka, for COVID 19 testing lab project and under this project three eligible candidates have been recruited (1-research associate; 2-Lab technician). We are proud to share that, till date we have successfully tested more than 12,000 samples.



Symposium and Plenary talks: Department has organized several plenary talks by distinguished professor and researcher worldwide to strengthen and motivate the research and critical thinking power of students. Department organized important lectures including “Covid 19 Vaccine and Vaccination Sensitization” by District Surveillance Officer, WHO Dr. Anilkumar Talikoti, District Surveillance Officer, WHO, on 19th Feb 2021.

5. MASSIVE OPEN ACCESS ONLINE COURSES (**MOOC**)-SWAYAM

MOOC/SWAYAM Coordinator: Dr. S Jeyavel

Central University of Karnataka has adopted Massive Open Access Online Courses for ‘credit transfer’ from 2017 under the leadership of Hon’ble Vice Chancellor H M Maheswariah. With his guidance, Prof. G R Naik was also very much instrumental in motivating students and faculty for adopting MOOCourses from NPTEL, UGC and CEC. During this current period (2020-21), a training program has been organized by IQAC & MOOC team to orient students for engaging MOOCourses in the different platforms of SWAYAM on 14-12-2020. Dr.Sandeep V, Associate Professor, NIT, Warangal has delivered the importance of MOOCourse in students’ career development and Vocational Advantage among Multi National Companies. More than 350 students have enrolled in approximately 1240 courses in SWAYAM platform. Many students achieved top ranks in the MOOC Course and brought laurels to University.

24. ENFORCEMENT OF GOVERNMENT RESERVATION AND SOCIAL JUSTICE

1. Equal Opportunity Cell

As per the University Grants Commission/ Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India, Equal Opportunity Cell has been established at the Central University of Karnataka. The main objective of the Cell is to implement, monitor and evaluate the reservation policy continuously in the University and plan measures for ensuring effective implementation of the policy and programmes of the Government of India, UGC and Government of Karnataka. The University has also appointed Liaison Officers to oversee the effective implementation of reservation policies/rules of Government of India/UGC received by the University.

Dr. Sangamesh, Liaison Officer

The following activities were carried out during the academic year of 2020-2021

- 1. Equal Opportunity Cell of Central University of Karnataka celebrated 114th Birth Anniversary of Dr. Babu Jagjivan Ram on 5th April 2021.** Dr. M.S Subhas, Rtd. Professor of Management, Karnataka University and Former Vice-Chancellor, VSKU, Ballari. Was present as a chief guest, Prof. M.V. Alagawadi, Hon’ble Vice-Chancellor, Central University of Karnataka, presided the function, Prof. Aslam, I/c Registrar, Prof. B R Kerur, CEO, Shri. Shivanandam, Finance Officer, Prof. Ganesh Pawar, Chairman, IQAC, Dr. Sangamesh, Coordinator of the program, Deans, Heads, Co-ordinators, Teaching and non teaching staff, Research Scholars were present for the function. Department of Music gave the invocation song, Dr. Remya Co-ordinated the Program,

Dr. Nithin delivered vote of thanks. Covid-19 Guidelines were strictly followed in the program. The program was conducted in blended mode.

- 2. Equal Opportunity Cell of Central University of Karnataka celebrated 130th Birth Anniversary of Dr. B R Ambedkar on 14th April 2021.** Prof. R. Limbadri, Department of Public Administration, Osmania University and Vice- Chairman, Telangana State Council of Higher Education. was present as a chief guest, Dr. Chi. Nu Ramu, President, Chi. Na. Karl Max Socio & Economic Development trust, Bangalore, was another Chief guest. Prof. M V Alagavadi, Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor, Central University of Karnataka, Presided the function, Prof. Basavaraj P. Donur, Registrar, Prof. Channaveer R M, Dean of Student's Welfare, Prof. Ganesh Pawar, Director IQAC, Dr. Sangamesh, Coordinator of the program, Deans, Heads, Co-ordinators, Teaching and non-teaching staff, Research Scholars were present on the function. Department of Music gave the invocation song, Dr. Nitin B Co-ordinated the Program, Dr. Sangamesh delivered Vote of Thanks. Covid-19 Guidelines were strictly followed in the program. The program was conducted in blended mode.



114th Birth Anniversary of Dr. Babu Jagjivan Ram on 5th April 2021



130th Birth Anniversary of Dr. B R Ambedkar on 14th April 2021

2. OTHER BACKWARD CLASSES CELL

As per the University Grants Commission/ Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India, Other Backward Classes Cell has been established at the Central University of Karnataka. The main objective of the Cell is to implement, monitor and evaluate the reservation policy continuously in the University and plan measures for ensuring effective implementation of the policy and programmes of the Government of India, UGC and Government of Karnataka. The University has also appointed Liaison Officers to oversee the effective implementation of reservation policies/rules of Government of India/UGC received by the University.

Dr. Lakshmana G., Liaison Officer

The following activities were carried out during the academic year of 2020-2021

- Liaison Officer has ensured the implementation of reservation to OBC students in UG, PG and PhD programs.
- Liaison Officer has ensured the implementation of reservation to OBC candidates in direct recruitment and promotions as per the Government of India guidelines
- OBC cell is assisting the OBC students to apply for various scholarships and fellowships.

- OBC cell was celebrated 105th Birth Anniversary of Shri. D Devaraj Urs on 20-08-2020.
- Celebrated Shri. Kanakadas Jayanthi on 04-12-2020.
- On the occasion of Shri. Kanakadasa Jayanthi organized a special lecture on “Relevance and Contributions of Social Reformers Shri. Kanakadasa & Jyotirao Govindrao Phule” on 04th December 2020. Dr. K. Raka Sudhakar Rao, Senior Journalist was the Chief Guest & Keynote Speaker. Prof. B.R. Kerur, COE, Shri. S Sivanandam, Finance Officer, Prof. Channaveer R.M., Dean Students Welfare, Prof. Mushtaq Ahmed I Patel, Registrar were present. The program was presided by Prof. M.V. Alagavadi, Hon’ble Vice-Chancellor, CUK.



Presidential address by Hon’ble Vice Chancellor Prof. M.V. Alagavadi

3. Minority Cell

As per the University Grants Commission/ Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India, the Minority Cell has been established at the Central University of Karnataka. The main objective of the Cell is to look at the overall academic development and equal opportunities for minorities in University. The University has also appointed Liaison Officers to oversee the effective implementation of reservation policies/rules of Government of India/UGC received by the University.

Dr. Layak Ali, Liaison Officer

Aim:

Overall academic development of minority students

Objectives:

1. To enhance equal opportunities in education of minorities.
2. To facilitate financial support to students from minority communities from governmental agencies and other sources.
3. To ensure provisions for an environment where all such students feel safe and secure.
4. To encourage enrolling for career orientation programs which would empower and equip them with the necessary skills to choose a career option.
5. To provide prompt counselling for any emergencies arising on account of any event at the campus.
6. To ensure protection and reservation as provided in the constitution of India.
7. Overall academic development of minority students

Activities of the Cell:

1. To collect reports and information of State Government and GoI orders on various aspects of education, employment of minority students.
2. To circulate State Government and GoI decisions about different scholarship programs.
3. To communicate with the students and motivate them for better future academic planning.
4. To provide assistance to the minority students through counselling, personality development, development of communication skill and preparatory classes for professional and employment purposes etc.

4. ECONOMICALLY WEAKER SECTION CELL

As per the University Grants Commission/ Ministry of Human Resource Development, Government of India, Economically Weaker Section Cell has been established at the Central University of Karnataka in 2019. The main objective of the Cell is to implement, monitor and evaluate the reservation policy continuously in the University and plan measures for ensuring effective implementation of the policy and programs of the UGC and Government of India.

The University has also appointed Liaison Officers to oversee the effective implementation of reservation policies/rules of Government of India/UGC received by the University.

Dr. Ganapati B Sinnoor, Liaison Officer

1. Liaison Officer has ensured the implementation of reservation to EWS students in UG, PG and PhD programs.
2. Liaison Officer has ensured the implementation of reservation to EWS candidates in direct recruitment and promotions as per the Government of India guidelines.
3. EWS cell is assisting the EWS students to apply for various scholarships and fellowships.